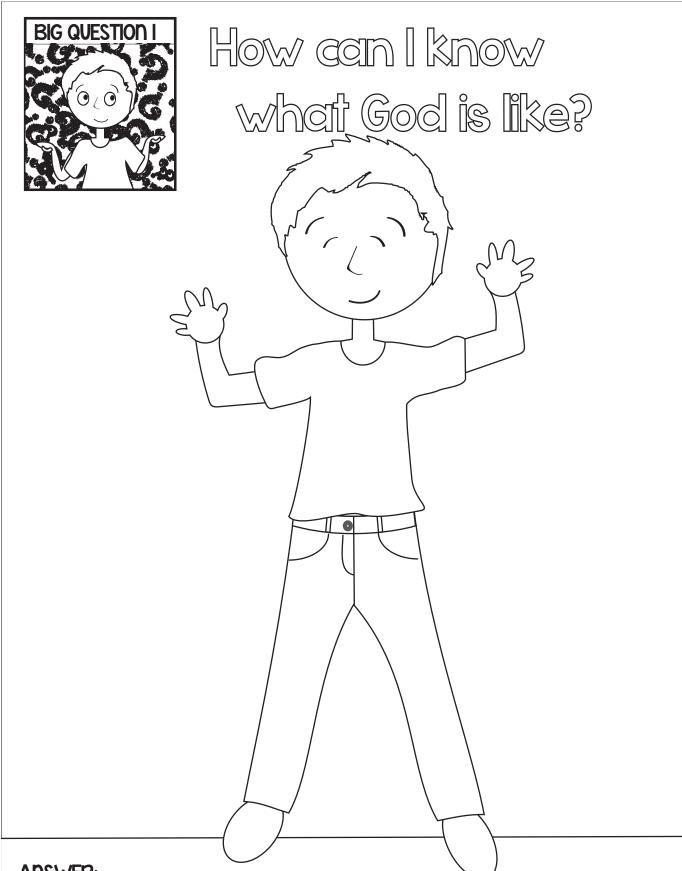


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ANSWER:

He shows me what He's like!



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Big Question I, Lesson I Take Home Sheet

Big Question 1: How Can I Know What God Is Like? **Answer:** He Shows Me What He's Like!

Meaning:

God made us. He wants us to know what He is like so we can know Him, love Him, and praise Him. God shows us what He is like: through the spirit He put in our hearts; through all of His creations we see around us; through His Word, the Bible; and most of all, through His very own Son, Jesus Christ.

How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"He who... reveals his thoughts to man...the LORD God Almighty is his name." Amos 4:13, NIV 1984

Some Questions for You

1. Can You Fix the Big Question and Answer?

How can I know what God is like? He snows me what He's like! Answer: How can I know what God is like? He SHOWS me what He's like!

2. Who can show us what God is like? God can!

3. What is the best first step we can ask God to do to show us what He's like? We can ask God to show us what He's like. We can ask Him to work in our heart, that we would turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. He delights to do these things!

Let's Pray!

- A We praise you, God. You show us what You are like!
- **C** God, in our heart we know that You are God and that we should obey You, but many times we don't want to. Please forgive us. Please change our hearts so they want to know and obey You.
- T Thank You for helping us to learn more about You. Thank You for wanting us to know You. Thank You for giving us a heart to know You; and. for making this world that shows us what You are like. Thank You for what we learn about You in Your Word, the Bible. And most of all, thank You for showing us what You are like in Your Son, Jesus.
- **S** Work deep inside our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You. Put in our hearts the special kind of happy only You can give. Help us to go and tell others what we've learned. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Let's Sing Our Big Question and Answer!

Big Q & A 1 Song from Hide 'n' Seek Kids NIV Songs 1, track 12

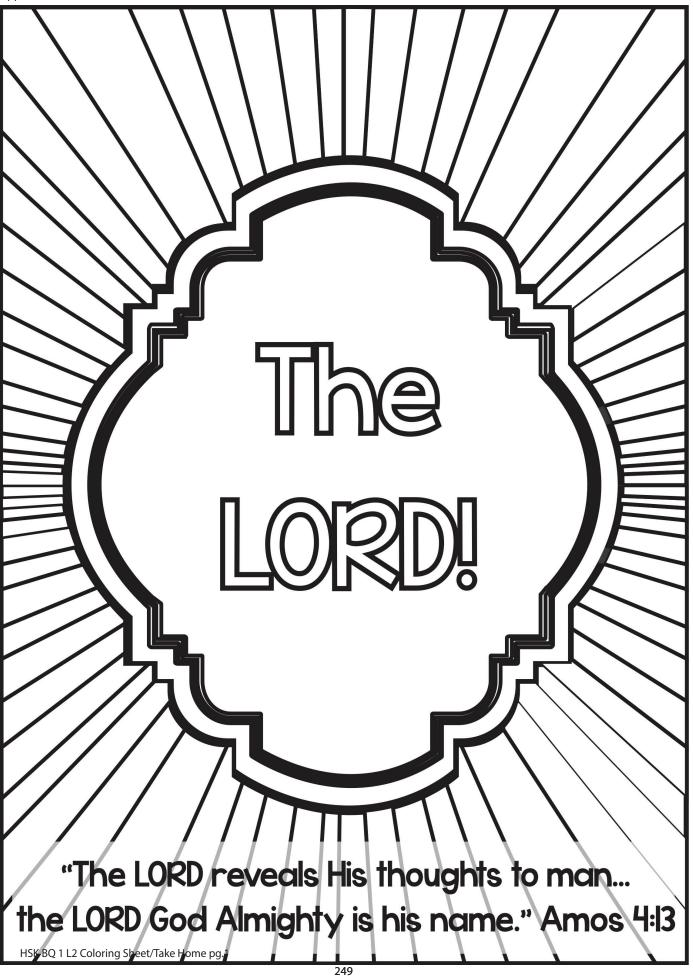
How can I know what God is like? God is like? God is like? How can I know what God is like? He shows me what He's like!

Song Question: How can I know what God is like?

Answer: He shows me what He's like!

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Big Question I, Lesson 2 Take Home Sheet

Big Question 1: How Can I Know What God Is Like? **Answer:** He Shows Me What He's Like!

How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"He who... reveals his thoughts to man...the LORD God Almighty is his name." Amos 4:13, NIV 1984

Meaning:

God wants us to know what He is like so we can know Him, love Him, and praise Him. We don't have to figure out what God is like by ourselves. God show us what He's like--He declares His thoughts to us.

God shows us what He's like through the spirit He put in our hearts; through His creations we see around us; through His Word, the Bible; and most of all, through His very own Son, Jesus Christ.

And what's the name of the one and only true, living God? It's the LORD! Yes, the LORD is His name!

Some Questions for You

1. What's the missing word to the Bible verse?

"He who reveals to his thought to man... the ____ God Alimighty is his name." Amos 4:13, NIV 1984 Answer: LORD.

2. What does God reveal to us? His thoughts! He shows us what He's like!

Let's Pray!

- **A** We praise you, God. You show us what You are like!
- **C** God, in our heart we know that You are God and that we should obey You, but many times we don't want to. Please forgive us. Please change our hearts so they want to know and obey You.
- Thank You for helping us to learn more about You. Thank You for wanting us to know You. Thank You for giving us a heart to know You; and. for making this world that shows us what You are like. Thank You for what we learn about You in Your Word, the Bible. And most of all, thank You for showing us what You are like in Your Son, Jesus.
- Work deep inside our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You. Put in our hearts the special kind of happy only You can give. Help us to go and tell others what we've learned.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Let's Sing Our Bible Verse!

Big Question 1 Bible Verse Song from Hide 'n' Seek Kids NIV Songs 1, track 14

The LORD reveals His thoughts to man, The LORD reveals His thoughts to man, The LORD reveals His thoughts to man, Amos Four, thirteen.

Song Question: What does the LORD reveal to man? His thought. That means He shows us what He's like!

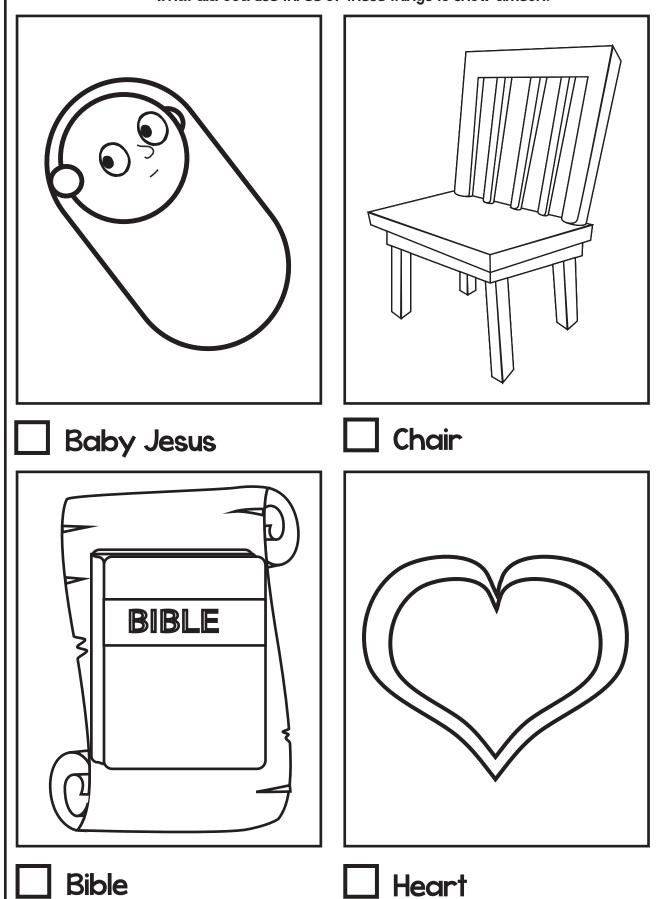
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Which three pictures belong in the story? Put an "X" in the box next to each of these.

What did God use three of these things to show Simeon?



Answers: 1 The chair does not belong in the story. 2. God used baby Jesus, the Bible and the heart He gave Simeon to show Simeon what He is like.



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Big Question I, Lesson 3 Take Home Sheet

Big Question 1: How Can I Know What God Is Like? **Answer:** He Shows Me What He's Like!

Meaning:

God made us. He wants us to know what He is like so we can know Him, love Him, and praise Him. God shows us what He is like: through the spirit He put in our hearts; through all of His creations we see around us; through His Word, the Bible; and most of all, through His very own Son, Jesus Christ.

How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

He who reveals to his thought to man... the LORD God Almighty is his name." Amos 4:13, NIV 1984

Some Questions for You

- 1. Who wanted to know more and more about God in our story? Simeon.
- 2. Who showed Simeon what God was like? God.
- **3. What are some things God used to show Simeon what He was like?** The heart God gave Simeon to know and love Him; everything Simeon saw around him that God made; the Bible, God's Word; and Jesus, God's Son.
- 3. Who can show me what God is like? God can.
- **4. What can I do to help God show me what He's like?** I can ask Him to show me what He is like. I can ask Him to work in my heart. I can ask Him to show me what He's like as I look at what He's made. I can listen to the Bible and learn about Jesus. I can turn away from my sins and trust in Jesus as my Savior.

Let's Pray!

- A We praise you, God. You show us what You are like!
- **C** God, in our heart we know that You are God and that we should obey You, but many times we don't want to. Please forgive us. Please change our hearts so they want to know and obey You.
- T Thank You for helping us to learn more about You. Thank You for wanting us to know You. Thank You for giving us a heart to know You; and. for making this world that shows us what You are like. Thank You for what we learn about You in Your Word, the Bible. And most of all, thank You for showing us what You are like in Your Son, Jesus.
- **S** Work deep inside our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You. Put in our hearts the special kind of happy only You can give. Help us to go and tell others what we've learned. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Let's Sing about Our Big Question and Answer!

Big Question 1 (Action Rhyme) Song from Hide 'n' Seek Kids NIV Songs 1, track 13

I have a very big question, Verse 1:

a big question 'bout God, My heart can know and love God, place hand over heart

I have a very big question, He made everything I see. cup hand over eye & look around

It's Big Question Number One, hold up 1 finger Big tall mountain, galloping horses, gallop in place

I wanna know... Every little bird and bee. *Refrain*

Refrain: Verse 2:

How can I know what God is like? He gave us the Bible, His Word, make open book with flat hands

How can I know what God is like? To learn of His might deeds, hold up flexed arm

How can I know what God is like?

But most of all, through Jesus, His Son,

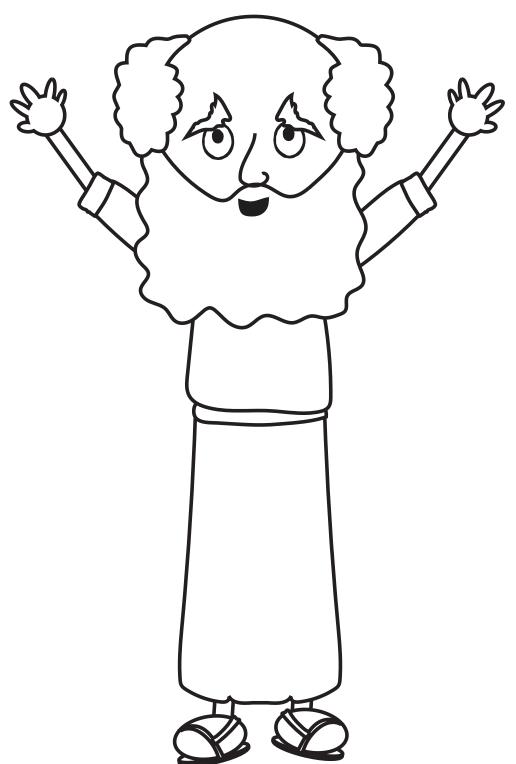
He shows me what He's like! God shows Himself to me. Refrain point to self

Song Question: What are four ways God shows us what He's like? The heart He gave us to know and love Him; everything we see around us that He made; the Bible, the perfect Word of God; and most of all, through Jesus, God's Son.

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Thank You, God!



Simeon wanted to know more and more about what God is like. He thanked God for sending Jesus to show us what God is like and to be the Savior to save us from our sins. Let's thank God, too!

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Big Question I, Lesson 4 Take Home Sheet

Big Question 1: How Can I Know What God Is Like? **Answer:** He Shows Me What He's Like!

Meaning:

God made us. He wants us to know what He is like so we can know Him, love Him, and praise Him. God shows us what He is like: through the spirit He put in our hearts; through all of His creations we see around us; through His Word, the Bible; and most of all, through His very own Son, Jesus Christ.

How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

He who reveals to his thought to man... the LORD God Almighty is his name." Amos 4:13, NIV 1984

Some Questions for You

- **1. What's something we can thank God for?** For sending Jesus to save sinners like you and me. For wanting us to know what He is like.
- **2. What is something I can ask God to do inside of me, if I want to know what He's like?** I can ask God to show me what He is like. I can ask Him to work in my heart. I can ask Him to show me what He's like as I look at what He's made. I can listen to the Bible and learn about Jesus. I can turn away from my sins and trust in Jesus as my Savior.

Let's Pray!

- A We praise you, God. You show us what You are like!
- **C** God, in our heart we know that You are God and that we should obey You, but many times we don't want to. Please forgive us. Please change our hearts so they want to know and obey You.
- Thank You for helping us to learn more about You. Thank You for wanting us to know You. Thank You for giving us a heart to know You; and, for making this world that shows us what You are like. Thank You for what we learn about You in Your Word, the Bible. And most of all, thank You for showing us what You are like in Your Son, Jesus.
- **S** Work deep inside our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You. Put in our hearts the special kind of happy only You can give. Help us to go and tell others what we've learned. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 1 Hymn: Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee from Hide 'n' Seek Kids NIV Songs 1, track 15

Verse 1 Verse 2

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,
God of heaven, Lord of love,
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee,
Opening to the sun above.

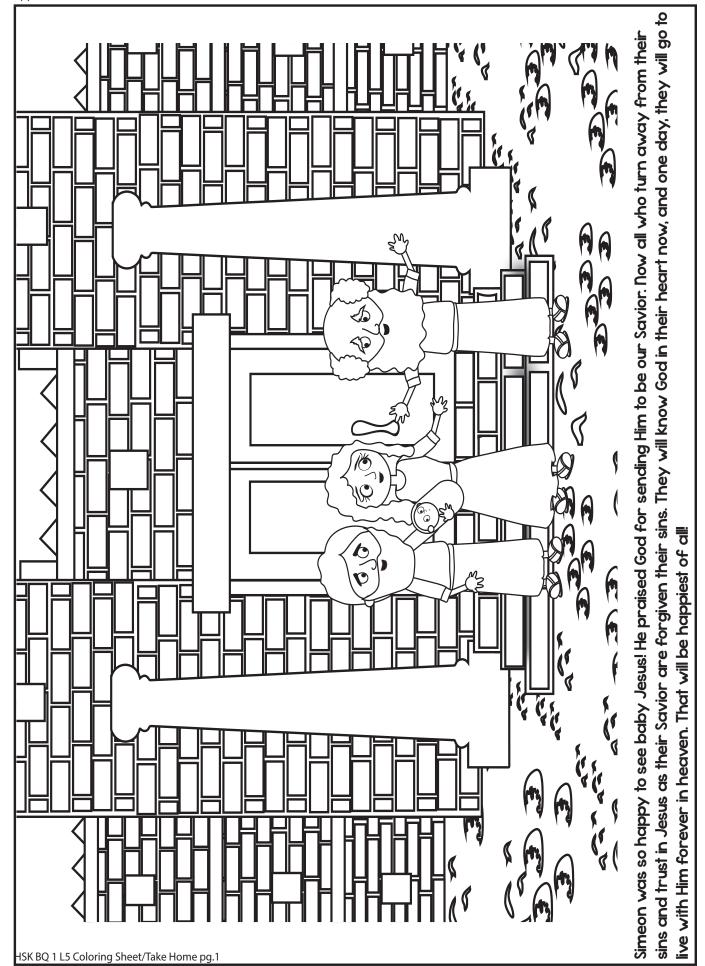
All Thy works in joy surround Thee,
Heaven and earth reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing before Thee,
Center of unbroken praise.

Words: Henry van Dyke Music: Ludwig van Beethoven

Song Question: What's something we can praise God for? For being the God of heaven and the Lord of love. He gives us a heart that can know Him and adore Him.

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Big Question I, Lesson 5 Take Home Sheet

Big Question 1: How Can I Know What God Is Like? **Answer:** He Shows Me What He's Like!

Meaning:

God made us. He wants us to know what He is like so we can know Him, love Him, and praise Him. God shows us what He is like: through the spirit He put in our hearts; through all of His creations we see around us; through His Word, the Bible; and most of all, through His very own Son, Jesus Christ.

How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

He who reveals to his thought to man... the LORD God Almighty is his name." Amos 4:13, NIV 1984

Some Questions for You

- **1. Simeon was so happy so see Jesus. Why? What did he know Jesus had come to do?** *Jesus came to show us what God is like. And most of all, He came to be the Savior of all who turn away from their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior.*
- **2. Can Jesus be our Savior? How?** Yes! Jesus came to save all who turn away from their sins and trust in Him as their Savior. If we do this, Jesus will save us, too. We can know the happiness of knowing God in our heart even today. And one day, He will take us to live with Him forever in heaven. That will be happiest of all!

Let's Pray!

- A We praise you, God. You show us what You are like!
- **C** God, in our heart we know that You are God and that we should obey You, but many times we don't want to. Please forgive us. Please change our hearts so they want to know and obey You.
- **T** Thank You for helping us to learn more about You. Thank You for wanting us to know You. Thank You for giving us a heart to know You; and. for making this world that shows us what You are like. Thank You for what we learn about You in Your Word, the Bible. And most of all, thank You for showing us what You are like in Your Son, Jesus.
- **5** Work deep inside our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You. Put in our hearts the special kind of happy only You can give. Help us to go and tell others what we've learned. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 1 Praise Song: Oh, Oh, Oh, How Good is the Lord from Hide 'n' Seek Kids NIV Songs 1, track 16

Oh, oh, oh, how good is the Lord!

Oh, oh, oh, how good is the Lord!

Oh, oh, oh, how good is the Lord!

I never will forget what He has done for me.

He shows Himself to me, how good is the Lord!

He shows Himself to me, how good is the Lord!

He shows Himself to me, how good is the Lord!

I never will forget what He has done for me.

Song Question: We praise God for being so good and for showing us what He's like. God has done so many good things for us, but what is the very best thing He has done for us? He sent Jesus to be the Savior for all who would turn away from their sins and trust in Him as their Savior.

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BIG QUESTION I BIBLE STORY & KEY CONCEPTS

Dear Parents,

Big Question #I is: How Can I Know What God Is Like? Your child is learning that "God Shows Us What He's Like!"

Here's a copy of the Bible story they are learning along with the "Listening Assignment" for each lesson. These assignments provide a different teaching emphasis for each lesson, helping the children dig deeper into each Bible truth. They match up with your child's take home for each lesson. We hope that these resources help your family to further "Hide God's Word in your heart and SEEK to know God, Himself!" Happy hiding and seeking!

•many more resources for this Big Question came be found online at www.praisefactory.org•

Listening Assignments for Big Question I Bible Story: "The Case of the Old Man Who Looked for God"

Luke 2:25-32

(Note: These questions are most appropriate for older preschoolers)

Detective Dan's Lesson #1 Listening Assignment:

As you listen to the story, see if you can figure out:

- 1. Who was the old man who looked for God?
- 2. How did he find out what God was like?

Detective Dan's Lesson #2 Listening Assignment:

Our Bible verse is Amos 4:13: "He who reveals to his thought to man... the LORD God Almighty is his name."

As you listen to the story, see if you can figure out:

- 1. Who did the Lord reveal His thoughts to?
- 2. What book did the Lord use to reveal His thoughts?

Detective Dan's Lesson #3 Listening Assignment:

I found four clues, but one of them is NOT in the story.

They are: baby Jesus, a chair, God's Word (on a scroll, like in Bible times) and a heart. (these pictures are found on your child's Lesson 3 take home sheet)

I need to know:

- 1. Which three pictures belong in the story and which one does not?
- 2. What did God use three of these things to show Simeon?

Detective Dan's Lesson #4 Listening Assignment:

As you listen to the story, see if you can figure out:

- 1. Who did Simeon want to know more and more?
- 2. What was something Simeon thanked God for?

Detective Dan's Lesson #5 Listening Assignment:

As you listen to the story, see if you can figure out:

- 1. Why was Simeon so happy to see baby Jesus?
- 2. What did God send Jesus to do?

Read the questions, then say,

"Ok, Hide'n' Seekers! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can find the answers these questions. When I finish reading the story, we will see if we can answer all the questions."

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"The Case of the Old Man Who Looked for God" Luke 2:25-32

Story with lines separating paragraphs (text in bold, optional interaction cues in italics)

Simeon was a very, very old man.

Have you seen a very old man? They often have gray hair and sometimes even have a long, grey beard. Simeon looked like that!

Simeon knew and loved God in his heart.

Can you point to where your heart is?

But oh, how Simeon wanted to know more about what God is like!

Simeon looked around him at God's beautiful world. There was so much to see!

The big, tall mountains,

Can you stretch up your arms really high like a tall mountain?

the galloping horses,

When horses gallop they run really, really fast and make lots of noise with their feet. Can you stomp your feet like you were a galloping horse?

the flying birds,

Let's flap our arms like birds!

the buzzing bees.

What sound does a buzzing bee make?

Simeon could see how wonderful God was in all the things He had made. But oh, how Simeon wanted to know more about what God is like!

Simeon listened to the Bible, too.

Where's our Bible? Have children point to your Bible.

He heard that God was loving and good and very, very strong.

But oh, how Simeon wanted to know more about what God is like!