

GRACELINK AND NAD MINISTRIES MATERIALS LIST
THIRD QUARTER, 2002

Note: The North American Division offers the following suggestions for leaders to enhance their GraceLink teaching and for other ministries in the local church. All materials can be ordered from your Adventist Book Center, 1-800-765-6955, or from AdventSource, 1-800-328-0525.

BEGINNER GRACELINK

GraceLink Curriculum

GraceLink Resource for Leaders/teachers—Beginner, Year A, Quarter 3 (Program Helps, a must have!)

GraceLink Beginner Bible Study Guide, Year A, Quarter 3, standing order, one per child, order through Sabbath School secretary

Our Little Friend student story papers, one per child, standing order through Sab. Sch. secretary

Little Voices Praise Him (Review and Herald), the official GraceLink songbook for preschool children

Teacher Training

GraceLink Training Video and handout (AdventSource, 021131), 24 min.; keep on hand for new teachers; bulk price available; order extra to bicycle around the parents; also available as CDs.

Children's Ministries: Ideas & Techniques that Work (AdventSource 21992), also in French and Spanish

Leader Resources

Tippy Towers and Boo Blankets: Bible Play for Tiny Tots (Group 0-7644-2223-5), age appropriate, Bible-based play that engages infants and preschoolers; for church nurseries and Sabbath School

Pray and Play Bible for Young Children (Group 0-7644-2024-0)

Devices

Attendance stickers

(Change every month; place one on the child's forehead or wrist)

JUL: "Smile, God Loves You" stickers (Standard 01799), set of 36

AUG: "Happy Flowers Stick-n-Sniff Stickers" (Standard 01093), set of 54

SEP: "God Loves Kids Stickers" (Standard 01000), set of 36

Felt options

Butterflies (Little Folk Visuals 22306), pre-cut felts—give children at the door to place on felt board with sky (and sea) background and meadow overlay; use all quarter

Farm Animal Set (AdventSource 012308), 44 felt pieces; give one to each child at the door; they put them on the felt board as for the butterflies above

Birthday

Birthday Cake and Candles (Little Folk, 2106), 9"x12", felt

Birthday stickers (Standard 01249), set of 54.

Supplies

Enrollment Certificate

Beginner Enrollment Certificate and envelope (AdventSource 021115), also in French and Spanish

Beginner Promotion Certificate and envelope (AdventSource 021116), also in French and Spanish

Absent member postcards

"We Missed You" (AdventSource 020003)

"Sorry You Are Sick" (AdventSource 020000)

"You Weren't Here" (AdventSource 020001)

"Your Chair Was Empty" (AdventSource 020002)

Arrival Activities

Books to Read

Big Yellow Bus (Standard 03992), board book
Rescued From the River, Linda Porter Carlyle (Pacific Press)
No Olives Tonight!, Linda Porter Carlyle (Pacific Press)

Coloring Pictures

Teacher's Reproducible Classroom Coloring Book (Standard 14-02205), see the picture of Hannah bringing Samuel to meet Eli, and farm animal pictures.

Puzzles

Puzzles generally are not appropriate to the beginner age level. However, if you glue all but one or two pieces down, the kids will enjoy fitting those pieces with adult help.

Frogs and Lizards (Standard 02808), an inlay puzzle of 8-12 pieces
Jonah and the Big Fish (Shining Star—Grace Publications GP274253), a See-Inside Puzzle.

Getting Started

Welcome

Large church felt (AdventSource 020910)
Sabbath bells sets (AdventSource 023430)

Prayer

Large praying children (AdventSource 021022), New!

Visitors

Stickers to put on the child's collar
"God Loves Kids Stickers," (Standard 01000), set of 36

Promotion

Certificates of promotion with envelopes, beginner (AdventSource 021116)

Experiencing the Bible Story

Memory Verse

Bible books, small, felt (AdventSource 020570)

Felts and boards

Mounted Water/sky Background Scene (Little Folk Visuals 4002), 32x48 felt board
Basic 3-Year Bible Felt Set (Little Folk Visuals 1201), 12" figures
Bible in Felt Teacher's Manual (Little Folk Visuals, English 1901, Spanish 1900), gives the pictures and felt piece numbers so you can pick out what you need to show the story also in felt.
Large standing Jesus (Little Folk Visuals 1605), 18" colorful felt

Miscellaneous aids and Supplies

Percussion instruments
Rhythm sticks (AdventSource 023457)
Sabbath bells (AdventSource 023430)
Star sticks (AdventSource 023565), 5" silver starts to glue either side of ¼" wooden dowels, 6 per package
Jesus Banners (AdventSource 022140), pennants on half-inch dowel, 12 per package
Jesus Face Stickers (AdventSource 023597), keep on hand, for craft projects, etc

KINDERGARTEN GRACELINK

GraceLink Basic Curriculum

GraceLink Resource for Leaders/teachers—Kindergarten, Year A, Quarter 3

GraceLink Kindergarten Bible Study Guide, Year A, Quarter 3

Our Little Friend student story papers, standing order through Sabbath School secretary

Little Voices Praise Him (Review and Herald), the GraceLink song book for preschool ages

GraceLink Activity Options

52 Easy Program Ideas for Sabbath School, Kindergarten Year A (AdventSource 021985) This must-have resource is packed full of simple, effective and fun suggestions to accompany the *GraceLink Resource for Leaders/teachers*. Everything is here for the whole year:

- Memory verse songs to tunes you already know (CD available)
- Room decorations
- Bulletin board suggestions that will add energy to your room
- Specific snack suggestions
- Patterns, recipes, and much more

52 Easy Memory Verse Songs, Kindergarten, Year A (AdventSource 20032), audio CD
Service Projects Preschoolers Can Do (Group 0-7644-2402-5), 44 helping projects the young child can do with ease

Teacher Training Resources

GraceLink Training Video and handout (AdventSource, 021131), 24 minutes, keep on hand; lend to families

Children's Ministries: Ideas & Techniques that Work (AdventSource 21992), also in French and Spanish; keep on hand

Room Decorations

Backdrop Transparencies

Big Action Bible Skits (Group Publishing ISBN 1-55945-258-7), Old Testament backgrounds allow you to use your overhead projector to transport children into colorful, life-size Old Testament scenes. Flip on the projector and a colorful Bible background fills the wall. You can either let the overhead create the colorful scenes on the wall or you can paint the scene on a huge painter's drop cloth and use it over.

Bulletin Board

Bulletin Board Lettering, 4", red (AdventSource 020101), allows you to create your own captions

Precut Kindergarten GraceLink Captions (AdventSource 20734)

Kindergarten Cutouts (AdventSource 022259), colorful, laminated figures, age-appropriate to enhance any bulletin board display and make great room decorations

Child's Hand (Instructional Fair Group IF9250-D4), precut, shape note pad, 50 sheets, each shows child's handprint, fits July Bulletin board; kids write their name and pin around the edge of the board

Felt Families, in more than one culture (Little Folk, African American 2208; Hispanic 2209; Asian 2210; Caucasian 2207); groupings of these figures enhance your bulletin board

Devices

Stickers

Jesus Face Stickers (AdventSource 023597), keep on hand, for decorating crafts, etc.

Attendance Option 1

Teacher's Reproducible Classroom Coloring Book (Standard 02205); photocopy a picture for each child to color and add stickers the following weeks; use all quarter July—the picture of Hannah taking Samuel to meet Eli; use with fun stickers
God Loves Kids Stickers (Standard 01000), set of 36
Church Mice Stickers (Standard 00949), set of 54
God's Beautiful Butterflies Stickers (Standard 04419), set of 54

Attendance Option 2

Farm Animal Set (AdventSource 012308), 44 felt pieces; give one to each child at the door; they put them on the felt board with sky (and sea) background and meadow overlay; use all quarter

Birthday (Use all year)

Jesus' Shining Stars (AdventSource 022187), class birthday record, 24"x36"
Birthday Cake and Candles (Little Folk, 2106), 9"x12"—kids count the candles
Birthday bookmarks (Standard 00766, 00891, 00800, 00767, 00772) and (Grace Publications GP276603, GP276601, GP276602), keep on hand to give birthday child
Birthday *Praiselets* (Instructional Fair TS Denison IF9655-D4), arm bands that read, "Happy birthday, God's Blessings" – New!

Memory Verse

52 Easy Memory Verses, Kindergarten Year A, music CD
Crowns for All Occasions (Instructional Fair TS Denison IF30000-D4), 4.5" x 24" crowns, silver and gold, 36 per package; use as awards on Thirteenth Sabbath for saying memory verses—and for trying real hard! \$5.99
Praiselets (Instructional Fair TS Denison), arm bands, use as rewards, 30 per package in five styles, \$2.50, in a variety of packages, so you can use them every week:
God Made Me Special (IF9651-D4)
Jesus Loves Me (IF9652-D4)
Smile, God Loves You (IF99650-D4)
I've Been an Angel (IF9653-D4)
I Had a Super Day (IF9654-D4)
I Follow Jesus (IF9656-D4)
I Love Jesus (IF9658-D4)
Jesus Is My Best Friend (IF9659-D4) – New!

Supplies**Enrollment Certificate**

Kindergarten Enrollment Certificate and envelope (AdventSource 021115), also in French and Spanish

Promotion Certificate

Kindergarten Promotion Certificate and envelope (AdventSource 022256), also in French and Spanish

Absent Member Postcards

"We Missed You" (AdventSource 020003)
"Sorry You Are Sick" (AdventSource 020000)
"You Weren't Here" (AdventSource 020001)
"Your Chair Was Empty" (AdventSource 020002)
"We Miss You" (Instructional Fair Group T S Dennison IF9861-D4), package of 36

Puzzles

Jesus Stills the Storm (Standard 02714), inlay puzzle, 10" x 13", 20 pieces
Brave Queen Esther (Standard 02713), inlay puzzle, 20 pieces

Story Books

No Olives Tonight!, Linda Porter Carlyle (Pacific Press)
Rescued from the River, Linda Porter Carlyle (Pacific Press)
My Bible Friends (Review and Herald)

Big Books

Elijah and the Big Show Down (Group Publishing 1-55945-432-6), over-sized picture books (16"x20") of the Bible story, pictures cover double spreads 32"x20".
Samuel (Group 1-55945-434-2), see description above

Prayer and Praise

Prayer

Large praying children (AdventSource 022242), 12" felt

Praise

Sabbath bells (AdventSource 023430), use as rhythm instruments

Rhythm sticks (AdventSource 023457), rhythm instruments

Visitors

Assorted pencils and erasers

Bookmarks: (Grace Publications: GP276600, GP276601, GP276603, GP276606)

Stickers to put on the child's collar

"I Brought My Friend," Redi-Stix (Standard 01329), set of 12

"Jesus Loves Me Stickers" (Standard 01926), set of 24

Missions

Children of the World felts (Little Folk 2203), 7" – 13"

Children's Mission (available free online--see <http://gracelink.net/resources.html>) this quarter features Myanmar (formerly called Burma) and Indonesia.

Mission Offering Device: (AdventSource 020267), 28"-36", Angela the Asian child, airbrushed felt

Bracelets of String (AdventSource 020725), Burma mission story in felt

Inflatable World Globe (AdventSource 021995), 16" colorful, helps make kids conscious of their world

Experiencing the Bible Story

Bible Drama

Bible Drama T-shirts (AdventSource 023611), 8 colorful Bible costumes stamped on oversized T-shirts, specify large size

Felts and boards

Standing Jesus (Little Folk Visuals 1605), 18" to back with foam board cut to shape; stand up front

Mounted Water/sky Background Scene, large (Little Folk Visuals 4002), 32x48 felt board

Shoreline Overlay Set, large (Little Folk 4202)

Mounted Indoor Background Scene, large (Little Folk Visuals 4006)

Basic 3-Year Bible Set, large (Little Folk 1201), colorful felts, 12" figures

PRIMARY GRACELINK

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GraceLink Curriculum

GraceLink Resource for Leaders/teachers—Primary, Year C, Quarter 3

GraceLink Primary Bible Study Guide, Year C, Quarter 3

Primary Treasure student story papers, standing order, through church secretary

Sing for Joy (Review and Herald), primary songbook

Optional: *Praise Time* (Pacific Press), also available as a student book with words only; primaries enjoy many of these songs.

GraceLink Activity Options

Creative Bible Learning Activities for Junior Teens (AdventSource 21119), written originally for junior teen leaders, this book is fairly easy to adapt for primaries.

When not sure if a GraceLink activity will work for your kids, look in this book for other ideas that will.

Teaching Children How to Pray: Putting Their Hands in His (Review & Herald), offers a wide variety of ideas for enhancing prayer time; adapts easily to Sabbath School

52 Easy Program Ideas for Kindergarten Sabbath School (AdventSource), offers a wealth of ideas that today's primaries have not used; the activities adapt well to Bible

stories primaries are studying; particularly useful when teaching younger primaries

Christian Crafts Paper Bag Puppets (Shining Star SS1881), use puppets for an interactive Bible story

Teacher Training

Grace Filled Bible Stories for Children-I (AdventSource, 601921), a video by Stuart Tyner and friends

Children's Ministries: Ideas & Techniques that Work (AdventSource 21992), 176 pp. Available also in French and Spanish

GraceLink Training Video and handout (AdventSource, 021131), 24 min.; keep on hand for new teachers; bulk price available; order extra to bicycle around the parents; also available as CDs.

Room Decorations

Bulletin Boards

Bulletin boards add enormously to the room décor. If bulletin board ideas are not provided in the GraceLink leader-teacher guide, develop your own by adding the monthly theme in large, colorful lettering. Display student activities from week to week. Be sure to have kids sign their creations.

Alphabet Letters and Numbers (AdventSource red #020101; blue 020102; fuchsia 020103),

Inspirational Sayings for Kids (Instructional Fair Group IF99364-D4), a 27-piece bulletin board packet; combine these pieces with large felt standing Jesus and children from the felt families set for a colorful display

Blessed Birthdays (Grace Publications GP78105), allows you to create a stunning display of a young shepherd and his 12 sheep. Write children's names and birth date on the month (sheep). Keep up all year.

Felt Families, in more than one culture (Little Folk, African American 2208; Hispanic 2209; Asian 2210; Caucasian 2207), group the children for bulletin board displays.

Standing Jesus (Little Folk 1605), 18", colorful felt

Bibles (Little Folk 1509), colorful felt; will be used often

Backdrop Transparencies

Big Action Bible Skits (Group Publishing ISBN 1-55945-258-7), Old Testament allows you to use your overhead projector to transport children into colorful, life-size Old Testament scenes. Flip on the projector and a colorful Bible background fills the wall. Let the overhead create the colorful scenes on the wall or paint the scene on a painter's drop cloth to store and use over.

Big Action Bible Skits: New Testament (Group Publishing ISBN 1-7644-2062-3)

Wall and Window

The Lord's Prayer (Instructional Fair Group IF9886-D4), reusable wall & window sticker, 15" x 18", colorful; great if you make a prayer corner where kids can record the prayer requests and later add their prayer answers.

Love One Another (Instructional Fair Group IF9641-D4) wall banner; fits with the July service theme

Say Yes to Jesus (Instructional Fair Group IF9441-D4), wall banner to brighten a room; always appropriate

Missions and Stewardship

Children of the World felts (Little Folk 2203), 7" – 13"

Jesus Seated With 4 Children (Little Folk 1601). Group the children of the world around the seated Jesus.

Children's Mission (available free online--see <http://gracelink.net/resources.html>) this quarter features Myanmar (formerly called Burma) and Indonesia.

Inflatable World Globe (AdventSource 021995)

Children's Tithe Envelopes (AdventSource 023735), in full-color, these may also be provided by your conference with the conference imprint

Devices

Attendance

One Boy's Lunch attendance chart (Standard 01571), spaces to record attendance over one quarter for 30 children; use with miniature stickers

Jesus Miniature Stickers (01797), 216 stickers per pack

Religious Miniature Stickers (Standard 01365), 216 per pack

Optional: *God's Helping Hands* chart (Grace Publications GP277117); large, for 15-30 students

Handprints stickers (Instructional Fair IF9121-D4), in 10 colors; 720 per pack, \$2.25

Fisherman Little Charts (Grace Publications GP276312), individual charts, 36 per pack, \$2.95

Fishes Little Stickers (Grace Publications GP276422), 891 per package, \$2.25

Birthday

Jesus' Shining Stars poster (AdventSource 022187)

Bookmarks (Grace Publications GP276603, GP276601, GP276600, GP276606, GP276604, GP276607, GP276602), give for birthdays.

Miscellaneous Lesson Aids

"Jesus Face Stickers" (AdventSource 023597), keep on hand for crafts, games, etc., for which a picture of Jesus is required.

JUNIOR-EARLITEEN GRACELINK

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GraceLink Resource for Leaders/teachers—Junior, Year C, Quarter 3

GraceLink Junior Bible Study Guide, Year C, Quarter 3

Junior Guide student story papers, standing order through church secretary

He Is Our Song (Review and Herald), youth song book

Optional: *Praise Time* (Pacific Press), also available as a student book with words only

GraceLink Activity Options

Creative Bible Learning Activities for Junior Teens (AdventSource 21119), when unsure if a GraceLink activity will work for your kids, look in this book for other ideas that will.

What If...? 450 Thought provoking questions to get teenagers talking, laughing, and thinking (Youth Specialties 207762), by Les Christie; great discussion starters

Junior High—Middle School TalkSheets (Youth Specialties 238552), discussion starters; easily adaptable to fit your PowerPoint

First Impressions: Unforgettable Openings (Group Publishing ISBN 0-7644-2000-3), dozens of blue-ribbon, attention-grabbing, relationship-building, easy-prep meeting openers for your one-chance first impression.

Goof-Proof Skits for Youth Ministry (Group ISBN 0-7644-2142-5), 30 actor-friendly skits that a creative leader can use to spark discussion and help kids apply the lesson

Teacher Training

Help! I'm a Junior High Youth Worker (Youth Specialties 213282), a primer of fresh perspectives and 50 ideas about working with juniors and earliteens

Junior High Ministry, 3rd Edition (Youth Specialties 22442X), a guide to early adolescence for youth workers and teachers

Grace Filled Bible Stories for Children-I (AdventSource, 601921), a video by Stuart Tyner and friends

GraceLink Training Video and handout (AdventSource, 021131), 24 minutes

Children's Ministries: Ideas & Techniques that Work (AdventSource 21992), also in French and Spanish; keep on hand

Room Decorations

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Alphabet Letters and Numbers (AdventSource red #020101; blue 020102; fuchsia 020103), use them to create captions that go with student poems, posters, photos.

Banners

All banners are 48.5" x 7.5" and can be hung alone on a wall or form the caption for a bulletin board display

Names of God banner (Instructional Fair IF9627-D4), vertical

Easter (IF9644-D4), vertical, appropriate for any time of year; caption is, "I am the Way and the Truth and the Life."

Our God Reigns (If9448-D4), horizontal

Mission Stories

Teen Mission (available free online--see <http://gracelink.net/resources.html>) this quarter features Myanmar (formerly called Burma) and Indonesia.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Complete Programs

101 Creative Worship Ideas for Children's Church (Group Publishing ISBN 1-55945-601-9), everything is there for you to mix and match to make a Children's Church worship

Children's Church: Responding to God's Love by Jack Calkins (AdventSource 20810), 14 ready-to-use complete Children's Church programs.

Children in Worship (AdventSource 20786)

Children's Church Specials (Group Publishing ISBN 0-7644-2063-1), 15 new and easy-to-lead worship sessions—each built around a specific characteristic of God.

Stewardship

Children's Tithe Envelopes (AdventSource 023735), in full color.

CHILDREN AT CHURCH

Resources for Pastors

FaithWeaver Children's Messages I (Group Publishing ISBN 0-7644-2080-1), an entire year's children's sermons based on favorite Bible stories.

Children's Tithe Envelopes (AdventSource 023735), in 4-color.

CHURCH NURSERY

Resources for the Leader: The following are a powerful pair of books that provide everything you need for a warm, safe, and fun nursery

The Warm and Wonderful Church Nursery (Group 0-7644-2090-9)

The Safe and Caring Church Nursery (Group 0-7644-2025-9);

PARENTING / FAMILY MINISTRIES

Keeping the Faith: A Guidebook for Spiritual Parenting (AdventSource 351650), by V. Bailey & Judith Gillespie. This book supplies assistance for parents in the challenging experience of training up children in the Lord, so they won't forget it as they grow older. The book provides support and training for parents, plus idea sheets full of creative ideas and activities that parents can use with children of

various ages; a great resource for a support group of parents or for parent's class at beginner Sabbath School.

Confident Kids— A Christian support group curriculum for the whole family by Linda Kondracki Sibley; each seminar is contained in a reproducible, 416 page book of tested material for 7 support group sessions for four separate age groups: preschool, elementary, preteen and parents. Includes games, skits and small-group discussion questions. You don't have to be a counselor to lead out. The four titles in this series are as follows: (Choose one)

Living in My Family (Standard 42052),

Facing My Feelings (Standard 42053),

Making Wise Choices (Standard 42051),

Growing Through Changes (Standard 42054),

The Color of Grace in Our Homes (AdventSource 602055), by Stuart Tyner; 100 innovative ways families can become Christ-centered and engage children and teens in faith development

Understanding Children (AdventSource 801003), a course for new parents, with audio cassette (802004).

HOME PRESCHOOL

The Ladder of Life (AdventSource 801007), books and cassettes (802014) with spiritual training, contains 80 plus character-building stories. Complete set (801025).