

# Substitute Artist

## Materials

- ☐ White board, chalkboard, or poster paper
- ☐ Markers or chalk

## Instructions

*You will start a drawing with a simple shape or line (circle, line, square, triangle, etc.). Students will take turns adding to the drawing with another single shape or line. Each new student is the substitute artist until a picture is completed. Repeat as desired with different starting shapes. Make sure each student gets a chance to sub as the artist.*

## Suggested Discussion

We created some pretty funny drawings, didn't we? Having everyone take turns as the artist was interesting because not everyone had the same idea of the final picture. Unlike us, God always knows the final picture. He knew from the beginning that Jesus would come to earth, die for sinners, and rise from the dead to save us.

In Genesis, God tested Abraham to see if he was willing to offer his son Isaac. Abraham didn't know that the substitute ram provided in place of Isaac was God giving us a picture of Jesus, who would be the sacrificial Lamb for all of us. The Old Testament is full of examples that help us understand the New Testament, which is why ALL of God's Word is important to read and study.