



Grades 2-3 • Unit 13 • Lesson 121

The Messiah Has Come

Genesis 3:15, 22:17-18; Exodus 12:23; Deuteronomy 4:13;
2 Samuel 7:16; Isaiah 53:5; Matthew 1:1; Hebrews 1:3

Can you remember how the Old Testament is linked to the New Testament? Use the word box to help you fill in the missing letters. Then unscramble the letters in the red boxes to finish the sentence below.

**MESSIAH, DAVID, FIRST, JESUS,
LAMBS, LAST, NEED, NOAH, SUFFER**

1. After Adam and Eve sinned, God gave his

_____ _____ promise of the Savior.

2. Abraham and David were ancestors of the

_____ _____.

3. The blood of the Passover lambs reminds us of

_____' blood.

4. The Ten Commandments remind us of our

_____ _____ for a Savior.

5. Isaiah 53:5 says that the Messiah would

_____ for our sins.

is the link between the Old and New Testaments.



Name _____

Memory Verse

In the box below each letter, write the letter that comes before it in the alphabet.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M
N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Therefore the

m	p	s	e

himself

will give you a

t	j	h	o

Behold, the virgin shall

conceive and bear a,

t	p	o

and shall

call his

o	b	n	f

Immanuel.

Isaiah 7:14

What You Heard *In the Word*

- Jesus was the Messiah God promised in the garden of Eden and spoke of through the Old Testament prophets.
- The New Testament shows God's faithfulness to send the promised Savior—Jesus, who offered himself as a perfect sacrifice for sins and then defeated death and Satan when he rose from the dead.

OutWord *For Family Discussion*

What if your friend says he thinks the Old Testament is not worth reading because the teaching in the New Testament is all that really matters? **What could you say?**

The New Testament is really important. It tells us about Jesus' life, death, and resurrection. But if we study the Old Testament, the New Testament becomes more understandable. In the Old Testament, God explains what sin is and that the punishment for sin is death. The Old Testament tells of a Savior who would come. Reading the Old Testament will answer other questions, too, such as where sin came from, why God needs to punish sin, why Jesus had to come, and why bad things happen. God gave us both the Old Testament and the New Testament because together they reveal his plan and his love for mankind. The New Testament shows that God kept his promise to send a Savior, his Son, Jesus. It is through faith in Jesus that we can be saved from the punishment of sin.

