

God's Love Mobile

Materials

- ☐ One circle picture (page 2) for each student.
- ☐ One set of heart patterns (page 3) for each student to trace onto colored paper and cut out
OR heart patterns printed on a variety of colored card stock for students to cut out
- ☐ Colored paper plates
- ☐ Scissors
- ☐ Hole punch
- ☐ Light-colored thread, embroidery floss, or clear fishing line
- ☐ Tape
- ☐ Glue
- ☐ Crayons or markers
- ☐ Yarn or narrow ribbon
- ☐ Optional: glitter or stickers

Instructions

Print one circle picture and one set of heart patterns for each student. Have students use the heart patterns to trace and cut out 6–9 hearts from card stock, construction paper, or foam, or print sets of heart patterns on a variety of colored card stock for students to cut out.

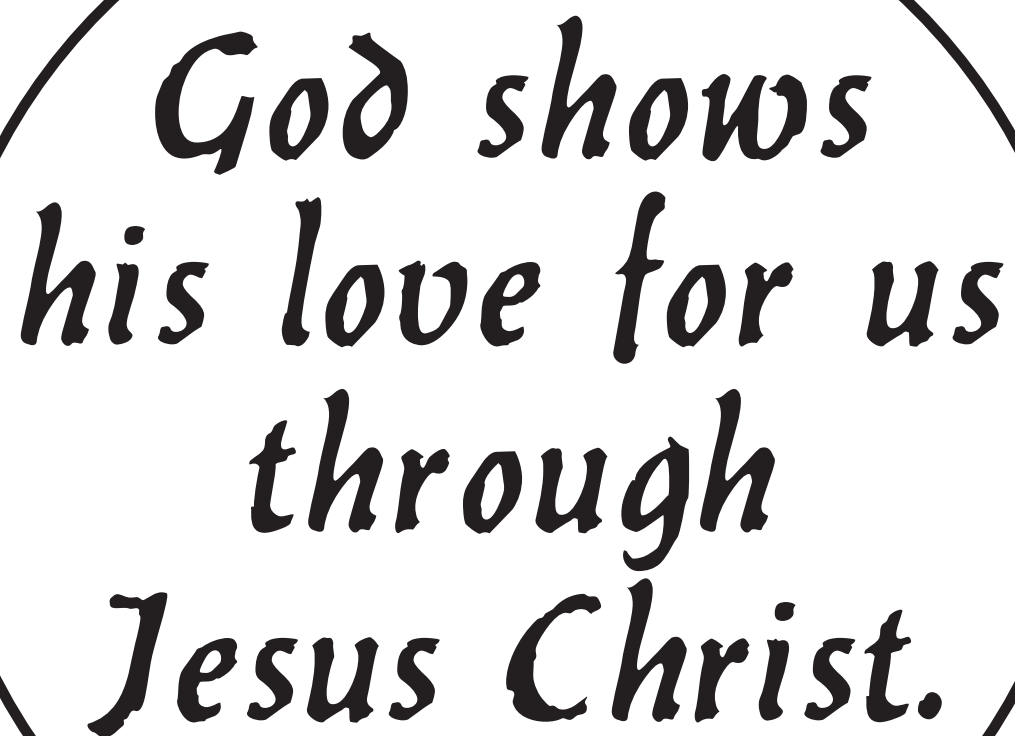
Have students color, cut out, and glue the circle text picture onto the center of their paper plate. Punch two holes in the bottom of the plate several inches from each other. Tie a 2–3 foot length of thread (or floss or fishing line) through each hole. Turn the plate face down and smooth out the threads. Tape the hearts along the threads to create a design of 6–9 hearts.

Punch a hole at the top of the paper plate and use yarn or ribbon to make a loop for hanging. Decorate the plate with glitter or stickers.

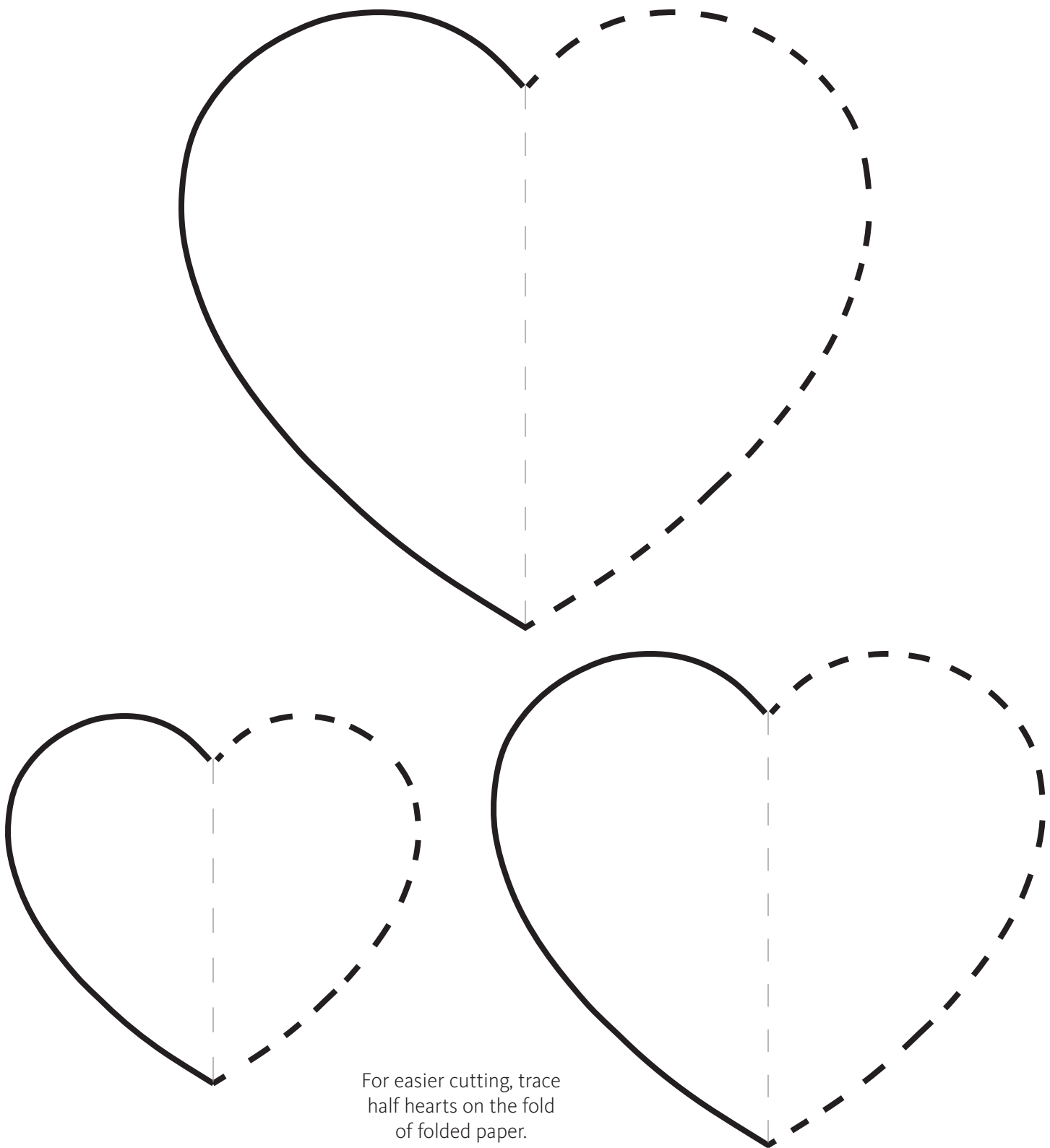
Suggested Discussion

Hang your mobile where you can see it every day to remind you of God's great love. We saw how God showed his love for Israel even though they kept sinning against him. Like Hosea forgave and loved Gomer, God did the same for Israel—and will do for each of us when we turn from our sins and put our trust in Jesus.





*God shows
his love for us
through
Jesus Christ.*



For easier cutting, trace
half hearts on the fold
of folded paper.