

## Lesson 36 – Activities

- **Craft:** As numerous as the stars

As a reminder that God promised Abraham that his descendants would be as numerous as the stars complete a star picture.

Materials: white paper, dark blue or black construction paper, white crayon or paint or whiteout, or stick on stars, scissors, glue sticks

Preparation: Run off the picture of Abraham on regular paper.

Instructions:

1. Have the students color and cut out the picture of Abraham.
2. Paste the picture of Abraham in the corner of a half sheet of dark blue or black construction paper.
3. Have the students either draw stars in the sky with white crayon or paint or paste on star stickers.

- **Game:** How Many?

As a reminder that God promised Abraham that his descendants would be as numerous as the stars play a guessing game as to the number of candies in a jar.

Instructions:

- ✓ Fill up a jar with little candies (m & m's, jelly beans, etc.). As you fill the jar, count the candies so you know how many there are.
- ✓ Let the children write on a slip of paper how many candies they think are in the jar.
- ✓ Divide the candy between the children and let each child count the number of candies he has. Add the total together. Then the children can eat their pile.
- ✓ Discuss that although we can't count the number of stars in the sky God knows how many there are. Abraham's descendants are too numerous for us to count but God knows each and every one. There is nothing that God doesn't know and understand. We can trust him completely.

**Song:** Father Abraham

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham

I am one of them and so are you, So let's all praise the Lord.

Right arm!

Right arm: Clench fist, bend and extend arm upward repeatedly throughout song

Right arm, left arm!

Left arm: Add left arm in same motion as right

Right arm, left arm, right foot!

Right foot: Add right foot stepping up and down

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot!

Left foot: Add left foot stepping up and down

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up!

Chin up: Add head nodding up and down

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Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up, turn around!

Turn around: Add turning in place while continuing other motions

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up, turn around, sit down!

