

Storytime

Lesson 7

Seven Men Do Their Job

Bible story based on Acts 6:1-7



1. Jesus gave the disciples the job of teaching others about Him. They were busy doing their job teaching people in the church.



2. God gave seven other men a different job. These men served food to the poor women whose husbands had died.



3. Stephen was one of the seven men chosen to serve. They told the poor women, "We have food for you to eat."



4. The women ate together. They were thankful for the men who did the job God gave them.

New at the Zoo



Aunt Macy



Nathan



Juan



Li



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feeding them. "The



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They saw different jobs to do at the zoo.



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picked up litter.



saw a sign that read *Rosy's Home*.

"Oh no, a



!" he yelled. "This sign says

she lost her smell," said



"She's a good , " said a zookeeper.

"It's time for her lunch. Would you like to feed her?"



carefully put the food in the dish.

The children had a lot of fun.  said, "Thanks

for taking me to the zoo. I liked doing a job for the zoo."



said, "I like to do the jobs God gives us."

"Me too," said . "Now my job is to feed ."


Talk About It

Bible Truth:

God gives us different jobs.

What were some jobs Juan, Nathan, and Li had in the story? God gives us different jobs. What are some jobs God has given you and your family? Think of two jobs you can do this week.

Help Stephen Fill the Bowl

Draw  food in the bowl. How do you think the poor women felt when Stephen and the other men served them food?



Faith in Action

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MEMORY VERSE:

"As I have loved you, so
you must love one another."

John 13:34

- What job did the disciples have?
- Seven men were chosen to do a different job. What job was that?
- God asks us to help the hungry. How might you help people who need food?

How I will help someone
this week

Draw  or write  about
helping others this week.

FOR PARENTS

In class today, your child heard how people in the Bible-time church did different jobs (Acts 6:1-7). Your child learned that God gives us different jobs.

At home this week, talk about different jobs God gives us to take care of our church family. Have your child open the flaps to share with you some jobs he can do. Encourage your child to follow through with the job he drew or wrote about in class. Remind your child that the Bible tells us "As I have loved you, so you must love one another" (John 13:34).

MY JOB IS...

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**God gives us
different jobs.**

Open the flaps to show some jobs.

**Being a friend
to an
older church
member.**



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**Spending
time with
grandparents.**



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Praying.



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