

## LESSON 14 – CASCADE NEW CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Text: The Word Made Flesh – John 1:1-18

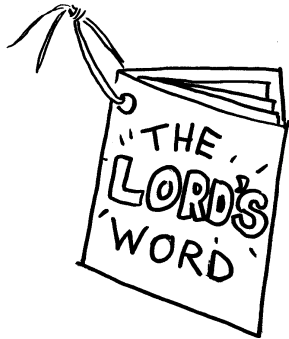
### Recitation:

"The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in the land of the shadow of death, upon them a light has shined" (*Isaiah 9:2*).

### Themes:

1. The Word is the Lord talking.
2. People need to see the Lord in person, not just read His words, to help bring them out of darkness.

### Activity:



The children make little booklets representing the Word. Incorporate quotes and a picture of the Lord's face. Use a nice red card for covers, and gold pages or end papers. Light real candles to enjoy during the class? Let children write in their booklets with gold ink pen. Punch hole in corner and make a hanging loop of gold cord so it can hang on tree or around neck.

### Adaptations for Toddlers:

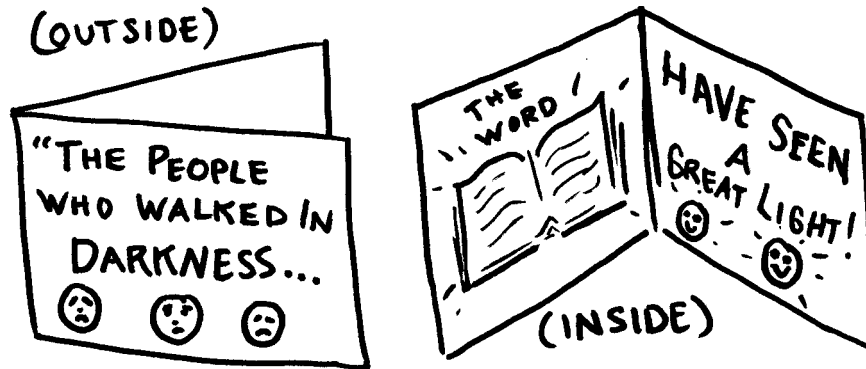
Focus on light for the young ones. Make sad and happy faces on paper dolls (or use paper plates). (*See next page for more ideas...*)

Show people with sad faces in the dark before Baby Jesus came on earth. Put the Baby Jesus doll into a manger and shine a flashlight on Him! Show people being happy after the Lord came.



### Optional:

Fold an 8 1/2" x 11" sheet of paper in half. Glue the sad face paper dolls to the front of paper and write the quote, "The people who walked in darkness." Glue happy face dolls to the inside part of paper and write the quote, "Have seen a great light."



OR Sit under blanket and say together, "The people who walked in darkness." Throw blanket back and say "Have seen a great light."