

## Lesson plan

Main Point: All the children of the world!

Basic Idea: Jesus loves the people of every nation!

How we get there: And not for ours only, but also for those of the whole world (2:2)

Start out with the activity (see below) to see how well the kids can spot different cultures. Explain to the children that Jesus loves the differences created by unique cultures:

Examine Revelation 15:3-4

1. Of what nation is Jesus King? (of the nations)
2. What will the nations do before Jesus?
3. Will all the nations be in heaven?
4. Should we be afraid or dislike other people?

Let the children know that Jesus loves all the differences in people. He loves all the different hair colors, languages, nose sizes...any differences! Help the children see they should love how Jesus made them different and how he makes other people different!

Activity:

Nations game:

Give each child the five flags (provided) cut outs. Read the profiles for each nation (provided) and have the kids guess which country they think it is. Do them one at a time and see if the kids can figure out what is different and what seems the same. The kids can keep the flag cut outs.

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1 John 2:1-2, September 30, 2007

