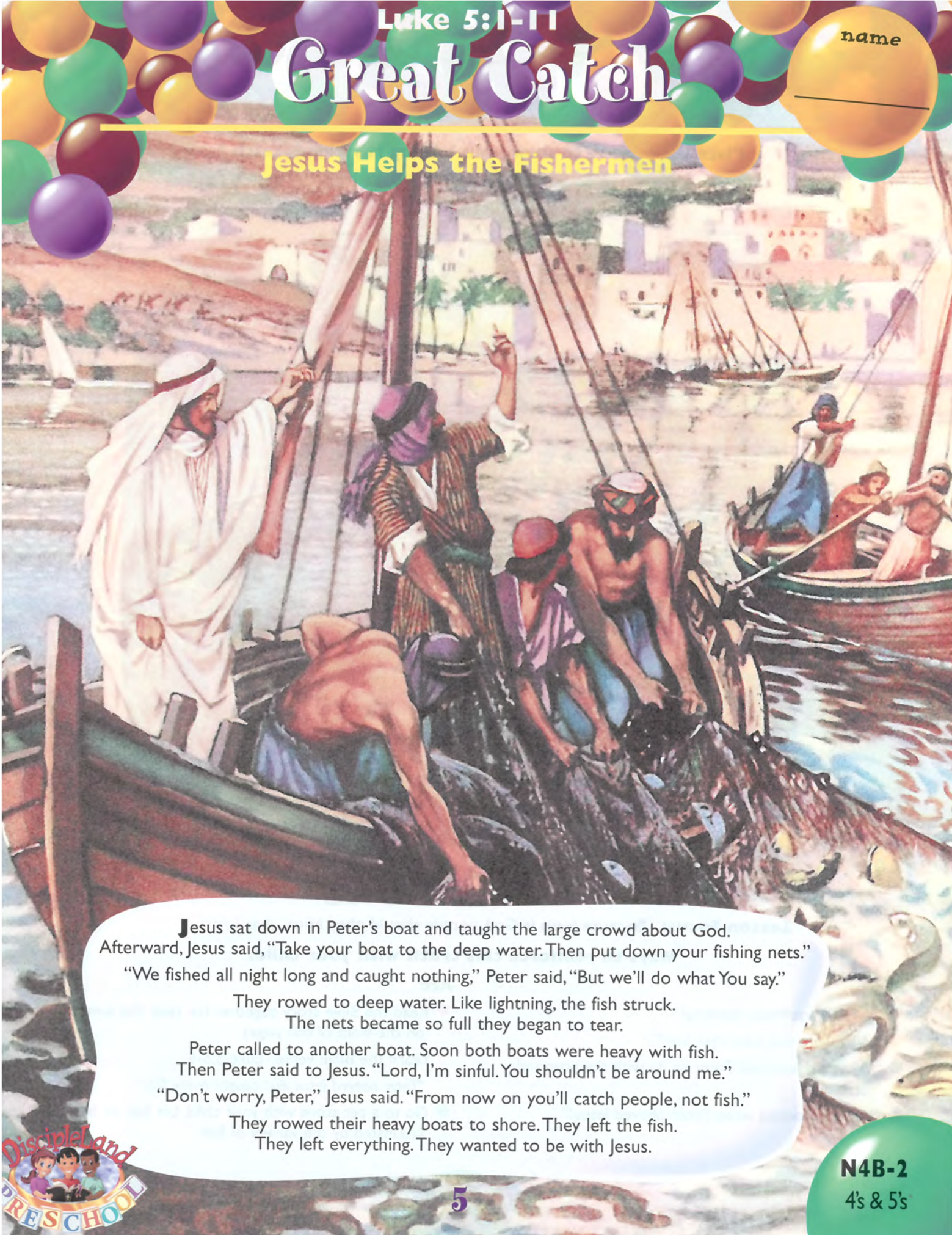


# Great Catch

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## Jesus Helps the Fishermen



Jesus sat down in Peter's boat and taught the large crowd about God. Afterward, Jesus said, "Take your boat to the deep water. Then put down your fishing nets."

"We fished all night long and caught nothing," Peter said, "But we'll do what You say."

They rowed to deep water. Like lightning, the fish struck.

The nets became so full they began to tear.

Peter called to another boat. Soon both boats were heavy with fish. Then Peter said to Jesus. "Lord, I'm sinful. You shouldn't be around me."

"Don't worry, Peter," Jesus said. "From now on you'll catch people, not fish."

They rowed their heavy boats to shore. They left the fish.

They left everything. They wanted to be with Jesus.





Place the stickers to show Jesus helping His friends catch fish.



## Parent Partners

**Lesson Focus:** Because Jesus is God, people should obey Him. (Luke 5:1-11)

**Ways to reinforce this truth with your child:**

**Ask:**

- "Where was Peter working?"
- "Why were the fishermen sad?"
- "What did Jesus ask Peter to do with the boat and nets?"
- "What happened when Peter obeyed Jesus?"

**Act:**

- Read the Bible story together (or read the summary on the front of this page).
- Learn the Bible verse: Luke 5:5-6.  
"Peter obeyed Jesus and caught many fish."
- Go to a pet store with your child. Let him or her be fascinated by the variety of fish.



# Clean Up

Draw lines from the objects to the places they belong.



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# Practicing Obedience

Paul learns that listening and obeying is the best way.



- Paul was grounded because he had disobeyed his parents the day before.  
(Tell about a time when you obeyed your parents.)
- Mrs. Shepherd told Paul that they would spend the whole day practicing obedience.  
(What would you like to do for a whole day?)
- Paul felt good because he did what he was told all day, even though he missed playing with his friends.  
(Who are your friends?)
- Because Paul had been so obedient, Mrs. Shepherd invited Cy over for a sleepover. The boys obeyed her and had a pillow fight. (When have you had a pillow fight?)