

# SAMARITAN'S PURSE WATER PROJECTS

Turning on the tap to safe water for communities. 

## Samaritan's Purse Education Resources Activity

### The Good Samaritan II

NOTE: This activity should be done in conjunction with the Bible lesson [Love God, Love Others](#).

**Age Group** Children in grades 3-6

**Materials** Materials are selected by the leader, according to the media in which the children will complete their artwork. Our suggestion:

Letter paper  
Pens or markers  
Optional: White board, erasable marker

Take one piece of lettered paper – white or, perhaps, florescent yellow - and draw a vertical line down the middle. Draw lines horizontally to divide the page into six equal spaces. At the top left, write “How Would You Feel?” On the right side, write “Your Answer.”

On the left side, in the remaining spaces, write the following questions:

1. “What if you were the traveler who was badly hurt?”
2. “What if you were the robbers when they beat up the traveler?”
3. “What if you were one of the men who passed by the injured man?”
4. “What if you were the Samaritan when he decided to be a real friend?”
5. “What if you were Jesus thinking about this story He was telling?”

Leave the spaces on the right side blank and make enough photocopies of the paper for each child.

**Activity** Hand out the question sheets and ask the children to fill in the answers. Encourage discussion amongst the children.

**Reflection** After the activity is complete, discuss the answers with the children and encourage debate. Consider using a white board and marker to jot down the questions and all the answers supplied. The most common answers should be something along these lines:

1. I'm so scared! I need help!
2. Now we have the money! Let's run away!
3. I must hurry on before the robbers attack me!
4. This poor man is hurt. I must help him.

5. That we should be like the Samaritan.