



“DO NOT LEAVE YOUR FIRST LOVE”

MAIN OBJECTIVE: that the child understands the importance of loving to speak to others of the Word of God so as not to stop loving him.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE CLASS

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Initial Prayer

Make a short prayer with your child / children, related to today's topic. Remember to use a simple language, easy to understand.

Sample of prayer: Lord Jesus we thank you for this day, thank you for giving us the opportunity to learn more from your Word; We ask you that each day our love for you and your Word grow; that we always remember what we learn from you and we can practice it in our lives always doing your will. Amen

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Praise 🎵

Go to this link and praise the Lord with your kids <https://youtu.be/76o7NBgmh88>

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Introduction Activity 💡

Create a church with colored paper (or your child can paint it), let's see from which Church we will talk about today.



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Bible teaching

To develop the class, watch with your children the teacher's video: <https://youtu.be/g0KYmmnt6Hc>

Below, you will find the information you should know about today's class:

Key verse: **Revelation 2: 4** "But I have this against you: that you have left your first love."

LOOK WITH YOUR CHILDREN FOR THIS VERSE IN THE BIBLE, READ IT SEVERAL TIMES, AND IF POSSIBLE, MEMORIZE IT.

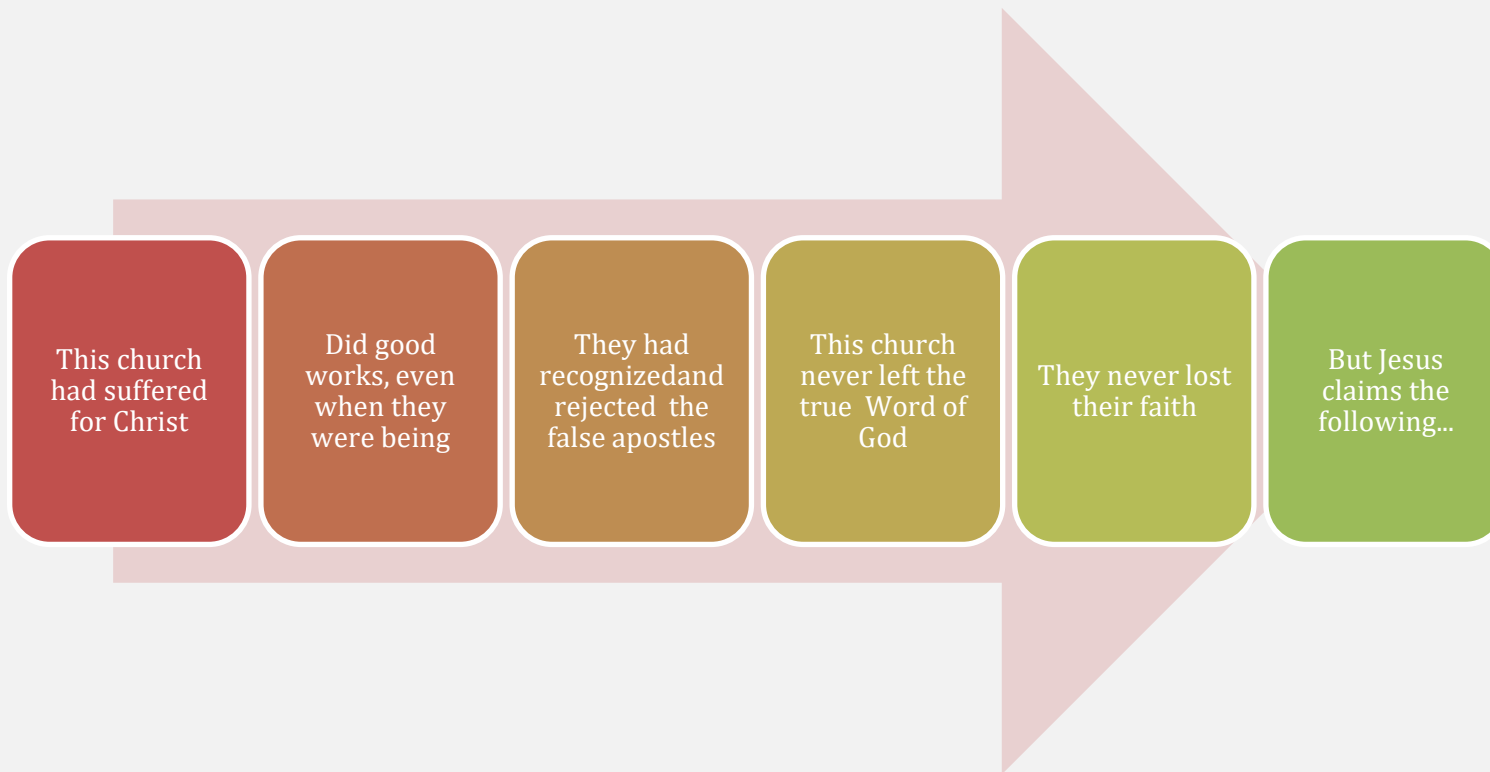
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I. INTRODUCTION

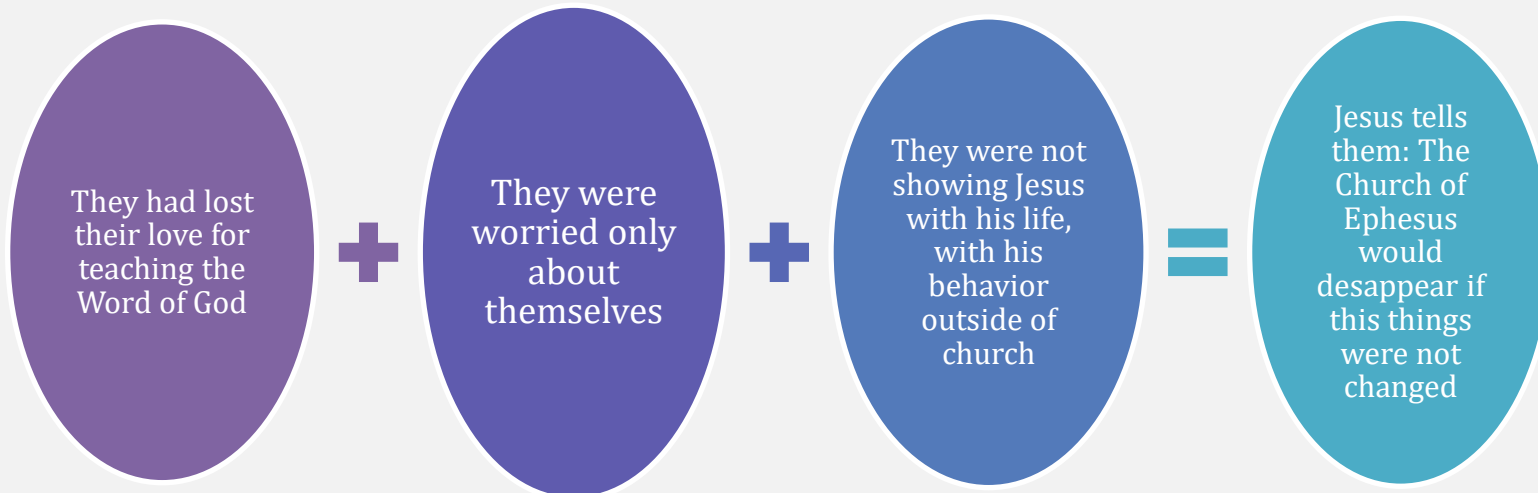
The city of Ephesus was very important and famous, and for a time the church in this city was very important. Paul had founded it for more than forty years when Christ dictated this letter to them. Through this passage, we will learn that: The church that loses its love for Jesus and his Word will disappear, but the one that loves him will want to teach others about him so that they know him.



II. JESUS CHRIST TELLS HIM THE GOOD THINGS HE HAS DONE TO THE CHURCH OF EPHESUS (Revelation 2: 2-3)

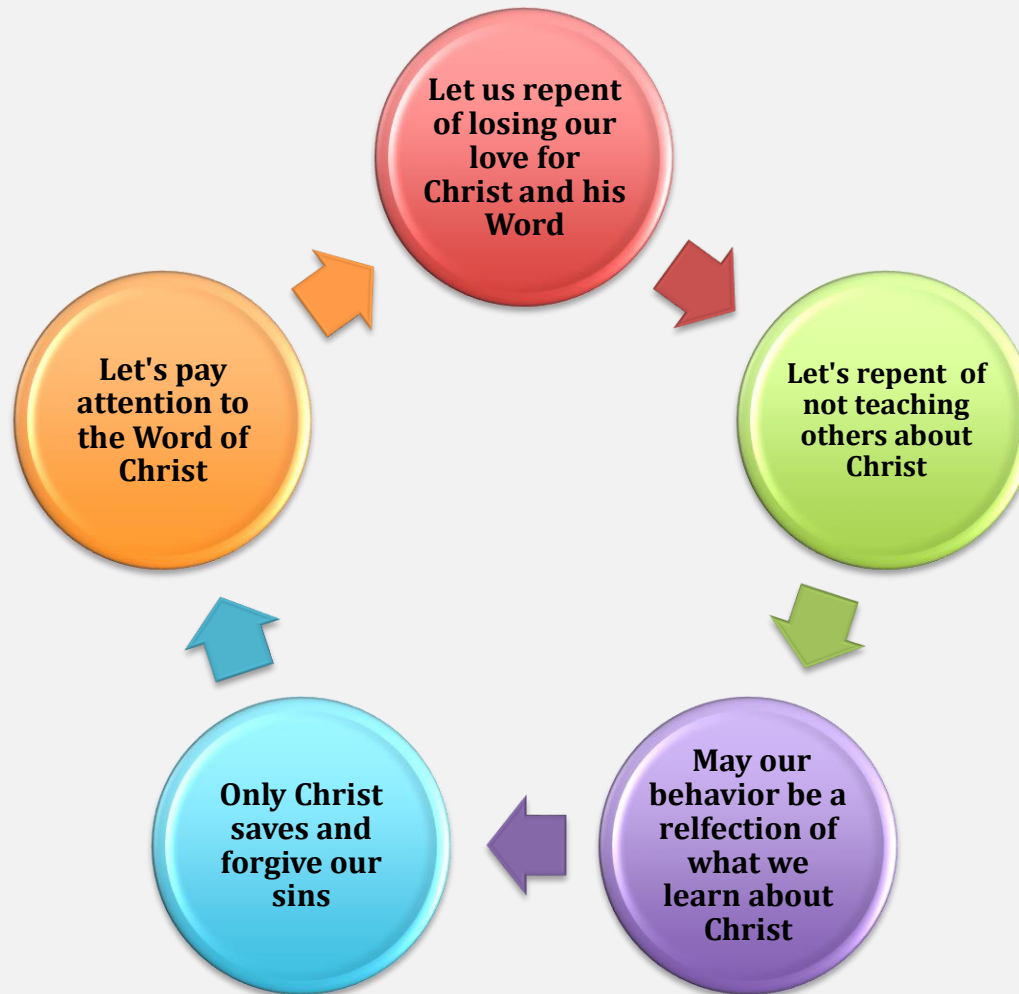


III. JESUS CHRIST TELLS THEM THE BAD THINGS AND WARNS THEM WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF THEY DO NOT CHANGE (Revelation 2: 4-5)



Those who stand firm to the end are those who love Christ, they preach (they talk about Jesus to others) and their good behavior is a reflection of Christ. Because of this, the Ephesians had to realize that their love for Christ and His Word was being lost and they had to go back to what they had done before when their love for Him was greatest. Since they did not, the church at Ephesus disappeared just as Jesus said.

IV. APPLICATION



5 Check if your child has learned 🖐️

Ask your child orally or in writing:

- What happened to the Church of Ephesus?
- What good things did Jesus say about the Church in Ephesus?
- What was the warning?

6 Aplicación 💭

Make the following box with your child (it should not be the same, the image is just an example. They can paint and decorate it to their liking or if you have one already made you can also use it) and on pieces of paper ask him to write (or do it yourself if he still does not know how to do it) who is his greatest love, that love that is like a treasure.

You will find the pattern to see the box in ANNEX 1



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Final Prayer

Make a short prayer with your children to end the class, thanking God for what they have learned and asking him that we can practice this every day.

ANNEX 1. Cut out the lines and fold on the dotted lines



