



Jesus Is Coming Again

MEMORY VERSE: **Revelation 22:12**, "Behold, I am coming soon!" (NIV)

BOTTOM LINE: Jesus Is Coming Again

➤ **TO THE TEACHER:**

The purpose of this lesson is:

1. To establish the truth that Jesus is coming back again.
2. We need to be ready for His return.
3. How do we get ready for Jesus' return?

And we will cover what our focus should be on:

1. Love God
2. Love one another
3. Love the lost
4. Obedience

The purpose of this lesson is three fold:

1. **To establish the truth that Jesus is coming back again**, to take us to Heaven with Him. We call this the rapture.
2. **We need to be ready for His return.** Nobody knows when Jesus is coming back for sure, but He told us to be ready for His return. Let's stop arguing about when He is coming back and focus on getting ready for His return.
3. **How do we get ready for Jesus' return?** Much of the preaching on "getting ready" has been focused on "stop sinning." I feel like our primary focus should be on, "What can we do to get ready?"

Our attention should be in four areas:

- a. **Love God** – Jesus is coming back for a church that is in love with Him.
- b. **Love One Another** – Our relationships with our family and friends are very important.
- c. **Love The Lost** – a big part of our time should be spent reaching out to people who are not Christians.
- d. **Obedience** – Are you doing the things that God wants you to do with your life?



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SCHEDULE

Today's Date: _____

Lead Teacher: _____

WHO	LESSON OUTLINE	WHAT
_____	1. Participation Awards	
_____	2. Praise & Worship	
_____	3. Announcements	
_____	4. Offering	
_____	5. Motion Comic:	Adventures of the Masked Hero #7
_____	6. Motion Comic Follow-Up	
_____	7. Bottom Line:	Jesus Is Coming Again
_____	8. Memory Verse:	Revelation 22:12, "Behold, I am coming soon!" (NIV)
_____	9. Drama:	Low Price Lou: "Tickets Please"
_____	10. Object Lesson:	Be Ready
_____	11. Short Film:	"Still Here"
_____	12. Short Film Application	
_____	13. Inter-Active Lesson:	Race To The End
_____	14. Altar Call	
_____	15. Digital Review Questions	
_____	16. Small Groups	



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MOTION COMIC

The Adventures of the Masked Hero

Episode #7

► TO THE TEACHER:

- Do you think Johnny has given up and has really quit being the Masked Hero?
- Heart Boy has faith that Johnny will be back, just like Jesus said he would be back...which is exactly what our bottom line is about today. Jesus is Coming Again.



Panel 1



Panel 2



Panel 3



Panel 4



DRAMA

Low Price Lou: "Tickets Please"

- TAKE HOME POINT: Be ready when Jesus comes back.
- CHARACTERS: Low Price Lou
- WHAT YOU NEED: Sign made from cardboard, "Low Price Lou's"
Rapture Tickets
Picture of an army tank
Sunglasses
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DRAMA SCRIPT:

(Lou enters the room, and starts setting up his table at the front of the room. The table has a sign on it, "Low Price Lou's," made from cardboard.)

Teacher: What's going on here?

Lou: Just opening up the shop for the day.

Teacher: Shop? What are you talking about? You can't run a shop in here. This is the children's church.

Lou: I know what it is, but you gotta start somewhere. I'll be moving to the main service soon enough. I just gotta save some dough for a nicer booth.

Teacher: A nicer booth?

Lou: Ya, you know. This one will work for kids, but with adults you gotta have the flash and bang.

Teacher: Whatever. You still can't put a shop in here. You don't own the area.

Lou: Look I see people with booths like this all over at the beach, and they don't own the beach. Do they?

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Low Price Lou: "Tickets Please" Drama Script — Continued

Teacher: No but...

Lou: Of course they don't, however they do know that lots of people go to the beach. So what is the lesson here?

Teacher: People like the beach?

Lou: No. Go where the people are. My clients are here, thus so am I. And we are OPEN for business.

(He drops the sign that hangs in front of the booth.)

Teacher: What do you have to sell?

Lou: Okay, we all know Jesus is coming back. You were just talking about it right?

Teacher: Yes. Jesus is coming back for His church.

Lou: Right, and you don't want to be one of the unlucky saps that gets left behind. Right-o?

Teacher: Luck has nothing to do with it. We are saved by...

Lou: You're most right. Luck has nothing to do with it when for only \$39.95 you can have first class seats at the rapture. Call your friends cause we got 'em here. Rapture tickets, get 'em before they're gone.

Teacher: Hold it. You can't sell tickets to the rapture.

Lou: Can too. They're even available in four packs at a discount.

Teacher: No. You don't get to decide who goes and stays. That's up to Jesus.

Lou: Do you mind? I'm trying to make a sale.

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Low Price Lou: "Tickets Please" Drama Script — Continued

Teacher: We don't want your junk. The Bible says no one knows when the rapture will happen. You can't sell tickets to an event unless you know when it is going to happen.

Lou: Okay, forget that.

Lou (cont.): How about this. I have in my possession, 43 - WW2 antique tanks. What better way to ride to the battle of Armageddon than in your very own tank?

Teacher: We don't need those either.

Lou: Come on man. What are you going to do? Walk to Armageddon?

Teacher: No, I believe Jesus will take us to be with Him before that ever happens. And even if He didn't, why would anyone want to go to Armageddon?

Lou: I try not to judge.

Teacher: Good for you.

Lou: Okay one more item. These...

Teacher: Sunglasses.

Lou: That's right. So when Jesus comes through the clouds in all His glory you won't miss a thing.

Teacher: Can I see those?

Lou: Sure.

Teacher: These aren't bad. How much?

Lou: Five bucks.

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Low Price Lou: "Tickets Please" Drama Script — Continued

Teacher: Okay, I'll take em, but the kids don't have any money so you gotta go.

Lou: Oh, that's gonna cost you six then.

Teacher: Fine.

THE END



OBJECT LESSON *Be Ready*

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE: **Matthew 24:42**, *“Watch therefore: for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come.”*

TAKE HOME POINT: When Jesus comes we need to be ready to go with Him.

WHAT YOU NEED: • 1 backpack filled with books, gym shoes, lunch (for school)

OBJECT LESSON APPLICATION:

I have in my hand a backpack. Let’s see what is in here. (Open backpack up and begin to take out items and place in front of children.)

Okay, so what does this look like? If I were to carry this backpack, what would I be ready for? (Allow for response.)

Right! School. I have my books, and gym shoes and lunch.

We know how to get ready for school, but do we know how to get ready for Jesus’ return. When Jesus comes back to Earth, only the people that are ready are going with Him.

So my question to you is, “How do we get ready for Jesus’ return?”

1. Love God

Jesus is coming back for a church that is in love with Him. Do you tell Jesus how much you love Him during worship time? Or are you fidgety and playing around? What about during the

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Be Ready Object Lesson — *Continued*

week when you are not at church. Do you tell Jesus how much you love Him?

2. Love One Another

Are you kind to your sister and/or brother? Do you share with your friends or are you always thinking of yourself?

3. Love Lost People

Do you invite people to church? Do you tell others about Jesus? Are you fishing? The people who do not know Jesus will not go with Him in the Rapture.

4. Obedience

Are you doing the things that God wants you to do with your life? Even as a child, there are things that God wants you to do right now.



SHORT FILM APPLICATION: *“Still Here”*

The Bible tells us that Jesus is coming back to set up his kingdom on the earth. Nobody knows when this is happening, but that doesn't really matter.

Jesus told us to “be ready.” So how do we get ready?

We get ready by reading the Bible, talking to God every day and telling other people about Jesus.



INTER-ACTIVE LESSON

Race To The End

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE: 2 Timothy 4:7, "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, and I have remained faithful." (NLT)

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN: Jesus said He was coming back for us. How are we "running our race?" Are we keeping our faith?

WHAT YOU NEED:

- 2 Candles
- 2 paper bowls
- Lighter or matches
- Masking Tape

CONTESTANTS:

- Six kids divided into two teams

PREP WORK:

- Use masking tape to tape off relay race area.
- When picking contestants you will want to pick older children.
- Put the candles in the paper bowls to catch any wax that may drip from the candle.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Pick four contestants
- Light the candles

Goal: Each contestant will hold lit candle and race to end of relay race area and back and keep candle lit. If it blows out, they have to go back and start over.

Winning Team: The winning team is the first team where all contestants finish the race with their candle still lit.

SPIRITUAL APPLICATION:

Jesus said He was coming back for us. He was coming back for a glorious church. That is you and me. If you have Jesus in your heart, then you are living and walking in His ways. But we are constantly surrounded by the "god of this world," the devil, and his evil influences that are constantly working at making us trip up. Jesus clearly tells us how to live until He comes and He expects us to, but do you? We need to let our light shine in the darkness as we run our race.



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DIGITAL REVIEW QUESTIONS

NEEDED: Review Prizes (penny candy for right answers)

▶ TO THE TEACHER:

The **Digital Review Questions** are a part of “The Masked Hero” download.

Once you get to the Memory Verse, then **PAUSE** the video.

After you have done your teaching then **PLAY** the Digital Review Questions.

You can turn this into a **Review Game** by rewarding kids for correct answers.

1. Do we know when Jesus is coming back?
 - a. Yes
 - b. June 2, 2025
 - c. We do not know the day or time**
 - d. Never
2. When Jesus comes back, who will go with Him to Heaven?
 - a. Everybody
 - b. We don't really know who will go
 - c. No one will go
 - d. People who are born again**
3. How do we get ready for Jesus' return?
 - a. We can't, cause we don't know when He will come
 - b. Shop till we drop
 - c. Love God, love one another, and love the lost**
 - d. Hit every food buffet that we can
4. Jesus is coming back for a church that _____.
 - a. is big
 - b. is in love with Him**
 - c. is clean
 - d. has stained glass windows
5. Jesus is coming back to earth. Why?
 - a. He doesn't like Heaven
 - b. He misses us
 - c. He wants to see what it's like to wear jeans
 - d. He wants to take us to Heaven with Him**



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PROP LIST

Teaching Date: _____

_____ Participation Awards (Large candy bars or prizes)

_____ How many needed?

_____ Review Prizes (penny candy)

Low Price Lou: "Tickets Please" — Pages 4-7

Characters

_____ Low Price Lou

Props

_____ Sign made from cardboard, "Low Price Lou's"

_____ Rapture Tickets

_____ Picture of army tank

_____ Sunglasses

Object Lesson: Be Ready — Pages 8-9

_____ 1 backpack filled with books, gym shoes, lunch (for school)

Inter-Active Lesson: Race To The End — Page 11

_____ 2 candles

_____ Lighter or matches

_____ Masking tape

_____ 6 Contestants

Small Groups: Jesus Is Coming Again

_____ 1 Mylar balloon filled with helium

_____ How many needed?

_____ 1 Mylar balloon filled with air

_____ How many needed?

_____ Activity page

_____ How many needed?

_____ Small Group Notes

_____ How many needed?

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_____ How many needed?