

I Will Walk with Jesus Letter Sounds

How to Play:

- Sing through I Will Walk with Jesus once, before introducing this activity.
- Tell the children today we're going to sing like Ghosts or that we're going to practice the notes and the melody, instead of the words.
- Sing through the song singing the vowel sounds. You might sing through the first 1 or 2 lines demonstrating and pointing to the sounds. Then start back and the beginning with the kids joining in.
- E says it's own letter name. A says "ah". O says "ooooh" (Like oooh, aaaah).

VERSE 1:

- E-E A A 0-0 / Jesus walked in wisdom
- E-E 0 0 0 / Jesus grew in truth
- E E 0 0 A A A / He showed love to God and man
- E E E A / while in His youth
- E-E A A A 0 / Jesus wants to guide me
- E-E A A A / Jesus shows the way
- 0 0 0 A A A A / Calling me to come and walk
- 0 0 E E / with Him each day

VERSE 3:

- 0 0 A A E-E / I will trust in Jesus
- 0 0 0 E E / I will hear His call
- E E A-A 0 0 / He will never leave me
- A A 0 0 / even when I fall
- E-E 0 0 A-A / Jesus gives me power
- E E A-A 0 / lifts and comforts me
- A-A 0 0 0 / helping me to live
- A A E-E-E / and grow eternally

Color Guide:

- Purple = Jesus/He
- Green = Walk/Walked/Guide/Way (Directions/Actions)
- Blue = Wisdom/Truth/Love/Calling (Christ's Attributes)
- Orange = Me
- Purple = Jesus/He
- Green = Call/ Lifts/Comforts/Helping (Christ's Actions)
- Blue = Trust/Hear/Power/Grow (Attributes Christ Gives Me)
- Orange = Me/I

Extension Activities:

- Let the kids pick a new substitute sound for one of the letter sounds (for example all "a" sounds change to "m" sounds).
- Have them help you convert the chorus into the "sound code". Just use a mix of a/e/o sounds. I aimed to have Christ paired with e-e's and I/me paired with o's, and actions paired with a's, but it doesn't have to.
- Have the kids "find" all the words for Jesus in the code. Sing "Jesus" instead of the "e-e" whenever you find one! You could have Junior primary circle all the sounds to help remind them when to sing out Jesus.

VERSE 1 COLOR GUIDE

PURPLE = JESUS

ORANGE = ME

GREEN = ACTIONS & DIRECTIONS

BLUE = CHRIST'S ATTRIBUTES

E-E

A

A

O-O

E-E

O

O

O

E E O O A A A

E E E A

E-E

A

A

A

O

E-E

A

A

A

O O O A A A A

O O E E

VERSE 3 COLOR GUIDE

PURPLE = JESUS

ORANGE = I / ME

GREEN = CHRIST'S ACTIONS

BLUE = ATTRIBUTES HE GIVES ME

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E-E-E



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