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JESUS

GIVING

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Children's Ministry

Great Stories of the Bible



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Kingdom News

Kingdom Life Lesson 23:

5 Loaves and 2 Fish

Today's Story:

Today' story is about **servng** God, through giving.

In this story Jesus fed over five thousand people with just five loaves and two fish that a young boy gave him. This was an amazing miracle! Normally, this amount of food would feed two or three people, but Jesus made it into enough food for over five thousand men, women, and children. There were even leftovers!

Through this miracle Jesus wanted to show the people that **he** was the **true Bread of Life** that came down from Heaven to give life to the world.

When the people saw the miracle, many of them believed that Jesus was the Forever King that had been promised long ago.

This story also teaches us about serving God through giving. Jesus took what the boy gave to him and made it into a life-giving gift to others. Jesus can also use **our** gifts to give life to others. We can **give** him our hearts, our time, our talents, and our money.

The Bible teaches us to give our tithes and offerings (some of our money) to the church. The church then uses that money to **bring God's life to the world** - to spread the Kingdom of God and to help those in need.

Giving is not just for grown-ups. Jesus can use anything we give to him to bring **his life** to others. In our memory verse, God also promises that as we give to others, so we will receive blessing from God.

Bible Memory Verse: *"Give, and you will receive....The way you give to others is the way God will give to you."*

Luke 6:38 NCV

My Art Response:

