

Wintershall 'The Life of Christ'

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Name:

Welcome to The Life of Christ

Today we hope you will be given an insight into the Life of Jesus in a way you may not have experienced before. You will be walking beside him, seeing the way people reacted to him, their belief in him and their mistrust of him. You will be seeing his works, his miracles, his healings first hand, being able to put yourself into the world of a person living during his time on earth.

Imagine if you were there. How would you have reacted to Jesus?

How are you going to follow his word, spread the message he gave us and try to live his way?

We hope you are able to enjoy every part of this visit. We have chosen some particular scenes that we would like you to watch very carefully and consider the responses that the characters had to Jesus.

The scenes we have chosen are:

Act 1

- The shepherds given news of the birth and take a lamb to the newly born Jesus
- The caravan and Jesus lost in the temple

Act 2

- Jesus walks along the shore of Galilee and calls his disciples
- The plotting of the High Priest
- The feeding of the five thousand

Act 3

- The Prodigal Son and the Good Samaritan
- Jesus' trial before Pilate
- Galilee and the Ascension

In each scene we would like you to:

- Choose one of the characters, (it can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders).
- Name and describe the character you have chosen.
- Write how your character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?
- Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *The shepherds given news of the birth and take a lamb to the newly born Jesus*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *The caravan and Jesus lost in the temple*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *Jesus walks along the shore of Galilee and calls his disciples*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *The plotting of the High Priest*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *The feeding of the five thousand*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *The Prodigal Son and the Good Samaritan*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *Jesus' trial before Pilate*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Scene title: *Galilee and the Ascension*

Choose one of the characters, who can be one of main characters or one of the bystanders.

I have chosen.....

Describe the character you have chosen:

Write how your chosen character responds to Jesus. Think about what they know about Jesus? How do they feel about him? Do they like him? Do they trust him? Are they afraid of him? Do they believe what he is saying? Why?

Write about how you would have responded to Jesus in this scene.

Final thoughts:

What are your impressions of the day? Feelings? Observations? Thoughts?

Do you think you know more about whom Jesus the man was?

How would you describe Jesus?

What is your response to Jesus today?

What do you think Jesus wants of us and for us?