



# Globalscope Parent Guide

While we don't talk about Globalscope in the kids ministry rooms, we do talk a lot about where Jesus is and how we can represent him to the world.

**Read: Luke 24:36-49, Acts 1:4-11**

Where is Jesus? The answer is far from concrete or simple. He is in heaven. He is in your heart. He is with you. He is with God. He is here now. He is coming back someday.

The physical presence of Jesus on earth came to an end in these passages from Scripture. Jesus left like he came – miraculously and humbly. As his disciples watched, Jesus was simply “taken up” into the sky, promising that he would be back. And that was it. No fire. No parade. No celebration as the risen Savior returned to sit down at the right hand of God.

Before Jesus left, he called his disciples to a huge task – to spread his word, to make disciples of all nations, to baptize them, and to teach them to obey everything he commanded them (Matthew 28:16-20). But Jesus didn't just command them and leave. He also gave them a promise that although he was going away physically, he was also always with them. He promised them the power of Holy Spirit, which would be his presence living inside them.

Perhaps the question, “where is Jesus?” is more complicated than the answer. He is everywhere. He is closer than the air we breathe. With his Spirit living inside his believers here on earth, his power is always available to us, even though he is no longer here in bodily form. We aren't left to just stand staring up into the sky waiting for Jesus to return. Instead, we are commanded, like the disciples were that day over 2,000 years ago, to let God use us to show the whole world what Jesus is really like and what it looks like to follow him.

**What would you say if someone asked you where Jesus is?**

**How is God using you to show the world Jesus?**

## **FAMILY DISCUSSION**

1. Watch the WordCraft video on [flatironskids.com](http://flatironskids.com). (Under the Outreach Partners tab.) Discuss.
2. Has anyone ever showed you God's love?
3. Have you ever shown God's love to someone?
4. How can we show God's love as a family, to the people around us?
5. Have you ever noticed the Holy Spirit helping you do something? Maybe like be nice to someone who is mean?
6. Who do you think God wants you to show love to or tell about the Good News of Jesus?  
(your neighbor, your cousin, or maybe people somewhere else around the world.)