

## Kids Spot Talk Details (SAVED TO SERVE )

Talk Week	Term 4 Week 1	Talk Date	
Character	Narrator	Presenter Coach	
Passage	Acts 16: 22-34	Key Verse	All

Big	SAVED TO SERVE - all followers of Jesus are saved to serve on Jesus team.
Teaching Points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• God's good news changes people – from enemies to followers</li> <li>• God uses his followers to tell others the good news</li> <li>• God keeps working in the hearts of his followers to change them to be more like Jesus.</li> </ul>
Key Language	Saved to serve
Talk Outline	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduce props coat, discuss how Paul was SAVED and SERVING the Lord by telling other about Jesus.</li> <li>2. Tell dramatic story of Paul and Silas' rescue from jail, conversion of jailer - use props.</li> <li>3. Summary – God used Paul and Silas to change the hearts of the Jailer and his family through the good news. When WE believe the good news we will be SAVED and Jesus will keep working in our hearts so we become more like him, then we can love and SERVE others.</li> </ol>
Stage Notes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Lighting</li> <li>2. Microphone</li> <li>3. Props</li> <li>4. Cast</li> <li>5. Slides?</li> </ol>

## Kids Spot Talk Script -SAVED TO SERVE T4 Wk 1.

Hi there kids! I hope you like my new coat I bought this week.

You may have heard of the “Coat of many colours” but this is the “Coat of many pockets”! I say pockets are very practical and you can never have too many, especially when you’re about to tell a story that needs lots of props!

Let me tell you about an amazing thing that happened in the bible – in the New Testament. So there was this guy Paul (**Paul Beanie**) who was one of God’s most devoted servants. Once he believed, he made it his mission to serve God, share the good news and tell everyone about how they could be SAVED through Jesus. So Paul and was travelling through a place called Phillipi with his mate Silas when they got into a spot of trouble. The Romans became angry with them and decided to beat them up and throw them in jail (**jail bars**). The jailer was given strict instructions to secure them in the inner cell for extra security (**hand cuffs**) and to keep careful watch.

But this didn’t stop Paul and Silas from worshipping God and sharing the good news. At around midnight they were praying and singing praises to the Lord (**ukulele – Kumbya, 10, 9 8 God is Great....**) when there was a violent Earth Quake. The Earth shook.....(**shake globe**). The prison doors flew open and their chains became loose (**throw away hand cuffs**). When the

jailer saw what had happened he thought the prisoners had escaped – and this would not look good for him at all. If a prisoner escaped, the life of the jailer was taken instead. He was sooooo worried that he thought it would be easier to end it all now (**sword**). But Paul shouted “Stop, don’t harm yourself, we are all here”!!

The jailer fell before Paul and Silas. He was so moved by what had happened that he wanted to know about this Jesus, and how he could be **SAVED**!!

The jailer listened to Paul as he explained the gospel (**bible**), then he took them to his family, his household, and they all believed in Christ!! They ate a meal together (**food???**) and the jailer was filled with joy because they had come believe.

The Lord had used his followers Paul and Silas to help change the hearts of the Jailer and his family. Kids, when **we** are **saved** in Christ and **serve** the Lord, **we** will be part of God’s plan to transform others hearts too!! (**Red heart – turn to show cross on the back**).

**SAMPLE**