

# APRIL SONGS and FINGERPLAYS

## The Passion of Jesus

### So He Could Save All People

(tune: "Do You Know the Muffin Man?")

Jesus went to Gethsemane, Gethsemane, Gethsemane.

Where He met the enemy,

So He could save all people.

Jesus went and did not fight, did not fight, did not fight.

The enemies took Him away that night,

So He could save all people.

Jesus knew and it was clear, it was clear, it was clear.

The time to suffer and die was near,

So He could save all people.

### Jesus Forgives My Sins

(tune: "Row, Row, Row Your Boat")

Jesus forgives my sins.

The Bible says it's true.

Jesus forgives my sins

And Jesus forgives you.

### Good Friday Thanks

(tune: "Happy Birthday to You")

We thank You we do. We thank You we do.

We thank You dear Jesus. We thank You we do.

### Passion Praise

God sees what Jesus did,

When He looks at me.

Jesus took away my sins.

I praise Him happily!!

point up then make a cross

point to self

make a cross

clap hands together / raise them higher and higher

## The Resurrection of Jesus

### Christ Is Risen! Jesus Is Alive!

(tune: "London Bridge")

Clap your hands and shout hooray,

Shout hooray, shout hooray.

Clap your hands and shout hooray,

Jesus is alive!

(Repeat over and over replacing "clap your hands" with a new action!!)

### Jesus Died / Empty Inside

(tune: "Are You Sleeping?")

Here's the cross. Here's the cross.

Jesus died. Jesus died.

Here's the tomb. Here's the tomb.

Empty inside!! Empty inside!!

Make a cross with fingers.

Sign language for "Jesus".

Put fingertips together.

Hold hands out, palms up.

## **J-E-S-U-S**

(tune: "B-I-N-G-O")

Jesus my Savior died for me  
And I will praise Him happily!  
J-E-S-U-S  
Thank you! Thank you, Jesus!

## **If You're Saved and You Know It**

(tune: "If You're Happy and You Know It")

If you're saved and you know it  
Say, Amen! Amen!  
If you're saved and you know it  
Say, Amen! Amen!  
If you're saved and you know it  
Then your life will surely show it.  
If you're saved and you know it  
Say, Amen! Amen!  
  
If you're saved and you know it  
Clap your hands. (clap, clap)  
Repeat

If you're saved and you know it  
Stomp your feet. (stomp, stomp)  
Repeat

If you're saved and you know it  
Do all three! (Amen! clap, clap, stomp, stomp)  
Repeat

## **Prayer**

(tune: "Are You Sleeping?")  
We are thankful. - We are thankful.  
For our food - For our food  
And our many blessings - And our many blessings  
Thank you, Lord! - Thank you, Lord!

## **Easter Fun**

### **Coloring Eggs**

(tune: "Six Little Ducks")

Coloring eggs is what I like to do.  
I like them green and yellow, too.  
But the one little egg that rhymes with *ink*  
It's my favorite!  
It's the color *pink*.

Suggestion: Replace the italic words with other colors and rhymes to continue the song

### **Jelly Beans**

(tune: "Ten Little Indians")

Pick up a jelly bean and put it in my mouth,  
Pick up a jelly bean and put it in my mouth,  
Pick up a jelly bean and put it in my mouth,  
This color rhymes with *fellow*.

Suggestion: Name the color and continue by replacing italic word.

### **Robbie the Rabbit**

Robbie the rabbit is fat, fat, fat!  
His soft little paws, they go pat, pat, pat!  
His soft little ears, they go flop, flop, flop!  
And when Robbie runs, he goes hop, hop, hop!

show a fat tummy  
pat "hand paws" together  
use hands to show "ears" on top of head  
HOP!!!!!!