If the Savior Stood Beside Me

Verse 1

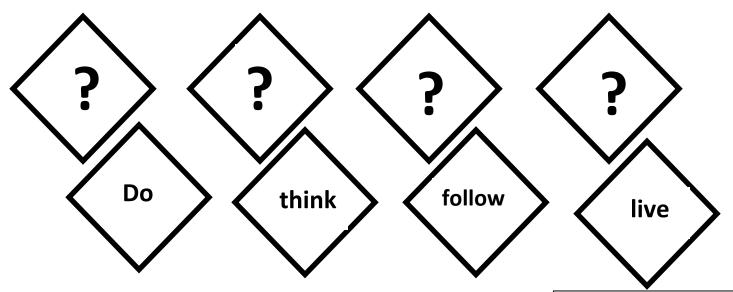
Display the picture of Jesus with the boy and ask – If Jesus was right by you all the time, would it be easier to choose the right? If Jesus went with you to school do you think you would act the same as you usually do? If he came to your house would you watch the same TV shows or videos that you usually do? If he came with you when you were with your friends would you use the same words that you usually do? (Gospel Art Kit 216—cropped)

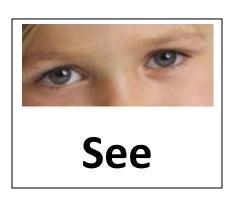


Have four 2-sided signs as below. On one side is a question mark, and on the other side is a key word for that question. Hold up the question mark sign and tell the children there are four questions the song asks. Have four children come up and hold the signs with the question marks toward the children. Tell them not to turn their sign around until the children have guessed their question.

Say "As I sing this song, I want you to listen for four questions that the song asks.

As the children tell you each question have the child holding the sign with that word turn it around to show the word. Then sing the question for them again and have them sing it back to you.





For the last line of the song Put a picture of a child next to a larger picture of the Savior (Gospel Art kit 240) to represent "the Savior standing nigh watching over me."

For younger children you might include a visual with the word "see" and a picture of eyes to represent "If I could see" (the Savior standing nigh).



The Savior standing nigh watching over me