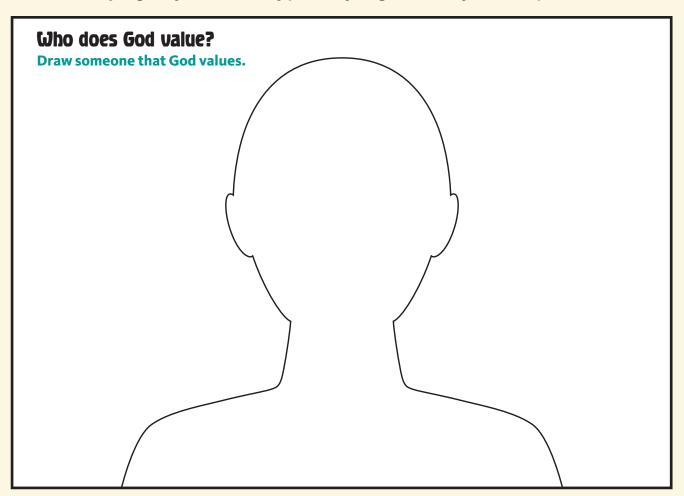
**G'day, blokes and sheilas!** (Do you remember what those fun Aussie words mean? Guys and girls!) As you traveled to the Australian coast today, you met Bill the platypus. Just like he's a very unique creature, every person in the world is unique and valued by God, too!

In your Bible lesson, you learned about Jesus' birth. Every baby is special, but Jesus was the most special baby ever! Not everyone was excited about his birth, though. When he realized that Jesus was special, King Herod wanted to kill Jesus. He wanted to be the only special person around. God values all people. But some people, like King Herod, don't treat others well. King Herod couldn't find out where Jesus was, so he had all of the boys two years or younger in Bethlehem killed. (Jesus wasn't there, though—he was in Egypt.) Herod didn't have the right

view of life. But God considers every life valuable, and we should too!

God values you greatly. Each and every person—young, old, healthy, sick—is a priceless treasure.



God values every person, and we should too! What can you do to treat each person with respect and kindness?

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## **Today's Verse**

And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them. Luke 6:31

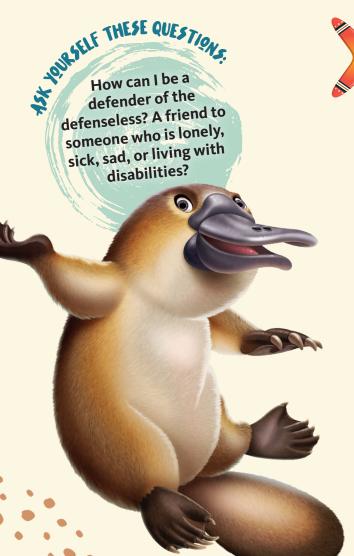
## Tomorrow's Verse

Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live." John 11:25

## **Check Your Touch**

Say your verse while touching your elbow to your knee, your hand to your foot, your nose to your leg, your ear to your wrist, then your ring finger to your middle back. Can you think of a combo to try while saying your verse?

Try the Challenge again, this time saying tomorrow's verse.



## GO AND DO ~~~

- > Check out Psalm 41:1, Psalm 82:3, Proverbs 31:8–9, Isaiah 1:17, Matthew 25:40, and James 1:27. What do these verses teach us about protecting and helping those in need?
- >> Think of someone you know who lives with a disability. Have you found out what you may have in common with them? Take some time to get to know them! (Depending on the level of ability, this may require adult supervision.)
- >> Think of someone who needs special care, such as a person in a nursing home or a hospital or who uses a wheelchair. It could be a pregnant mom, a newborn baby, or a single mom who cares for her family by herself. Talk to your parent or guardian about ways you can get to know them, and find out how you can help.
- >> Talk to God and ask him to help you know how to help others. Use Luke 6:31 to guide your prayer.
- >> Check Answers VBS.com/zrkids for more fun information!