

The Mustard Seed Worksheet

Hard: look up the answers in your Bible • Matthew 13:31–32; 17:20

Name: _____ Date: _____

Look it up in your Bible

Read the verse, then write the answer on the line.

1. What did Jesus put forth unto them? *Read Matthew 13:31.* _____
2. What is the kingdom of heaven like to? *Read Matthew 13:31.* _____
3. Where did the man sow the seed? *Read Matthew 13:31.* _____
4. How small is the mustard seed? *Read Matthew 13:32.* _____
5. What does it become when it is grown? *Read Matthew 13:32.* _____
6. What lodges in its branches? *Read Matthew 13:32.* _____
7. What can faith say to the mountain? *Read Matthew 17:20.* _____
8. What shall be impossible unto you? *Read Matthew 17:20.* _____

Memory verse

Write Matthew 17:20 from memory. The first letter of each word is given.

And J s u t , B o y u : f v l
s u y , l y h f a a g o m s ,
y s s u t m , R h t y p ;
a i s r ; a n s b i u y .

Matthew 17:20 (KJV)

Think about it

What can you trust God with this week? (Matthew 17:20)



Answer key

Look it up in your Bible

1. **Another parable.** (*Matthew 13:31*)
2. **A grain of mustard seed.** (*Matthew 13:31*)
3. **In his field.** (*Matthew 13:31*)
4. **The least of all seeds.** (*Matthew 13:32*)
5. **A tree:** "the greatest among herbs, and becometh a tree." (*Matthew 13:32*)
6. **The birds of the air.** (*Matthew 13:32*)
7. **"Remove hence to yonder place."** (*Matthew 17:20*)
8. **Nothing:** "nothing shall be impossible unto you." (*Matthew 17:20*)

Memory verse

"And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief: for verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you." *Matthew 17:20 (KJV)*

Think about it

Answers will vary. Let kids name real things (a sick family member, a hard test, a friend who needs Jesus) and pray about them together. Jesus said even faith as a grain of mustard seed, the least of all seeds, matters (*Matthew 13:32; 17:20*).

For the teacher

Time: about 20 minutes • **Ages:** grades 3–5

- **Bibles:** each child (or each pair) needs a King James Bible open to Matthew 13 and Matthew 17.
- **Old Bible words explained:** parable = a story Jesus told to teach, sowed = planted, herbs = garden plants, becometh = becomes, lodge = stay, thereof = of it, unbelief = not believing, verily = truly, hence = from here, yonder = over there.
- **Talk about it:** "Nothing shall be impossible unto you" (*Matthew 17:20*). Ask kids to share their "think about it" answers.
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Mustard Seed Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/mustard-seed-lesson.