

Guess How Many Jellybeans

“And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you.” Psalm 9:10 (ESV)

Object:

The object of this game is for the students to attempt to guess how many jellybeans are in the giant jellybean filled container. The disciples never realized how much that Jesus would one day endure for them. Jesus told them exactly what was going to happen. Not only did they not know that He was going to die for them, they could not have even dreamed about the torture and pain that He would endure for them, as well. But Jesus knew. He knew everything and every moment that He was going to have to endure. He gladly did it for everyone because He loves us. We know that there are jellybeans in the jar but we don't know how many and what kind of jellybeans there are inside the container. We will find out!

Supplies:

- Big bags of jelly beans (any kind)
- 2-3 Different shaped large glass jars with lids
- Small sheets of paper
- Pens or pencils

Preparation:

Fill each jar with as many jellybeans as it can hold

How to Play:

Explain to students that they will each be given a chance to guess how many jellybeans are in each jar. They will write their name and their guess of quantity of jelly beans on a sheet of paper and hand it to a leader at each jar. The student that has the closest guess wins the jar of jellybeans!

Leader Script:

Jesus told the disciples exactly what was going to happen to Him. He told them that one day He was going to lay down His life for all mankind to be free from sin and death forever. The disciples had to trust Him completely, and they understood that what He said was truth. Sometimes it can be hard to trust in someone and it can be hard sometimes to trust God. But know this, Christ came and died to free you. He endured all of the world's sin so that we can be free. He died a death we deserved and lived a life we could never live. Even when life is hard, we need to remind ourselves that Jesus overcame death. He can help us overcome anything in this world.

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