

God Talk at Home

Ages 4-5-K

This Week's Lesson:

God Gives the Ten Commandments

Take Home Point:

(Parents Say) God's rules are cool!

(Kids Say) Obey them.

DRIVE TIME HOME

PARENTS, ASK ME WHAT I DID TODAY IN KINGDOM QUEST.

- Learned about God giving the Ten Commandments through an imagination theater presentation of the Bible event.
- Ate pretzels and squirt cheese. We learned that remembering the commandments are about love, which makes them sweeter.
- Played a game, "Heartscotch" and discovered that the cross of Jesus Xs out our sins.

DRIVE TIME HOME

PARENTS, ASK ME WHAT I DID TODAY IN KIDS CHURCH.

- Heard our "Moses" tell about God and the giving of the Ten Commandments to the Israelites.
- Made Townhouse crackers into "stone tablets." Our squeeze cheese was our pencil as we wrote on our tablets.
- Made copies of our hands to remind us to obey God.

FAMILY DEVOTIONS: Read the Bible Event or Bible Verse

"God Gives the Ten Commandments" in an early reader Bible or read and summarize Exodus 19:20-20:20.

JESUS LINK:

Jesus kept God's laws perfectly—then died for our sins.

TALK ABOUT IT:

- What are the two parts of God's law?
- How do we show love to God and to others?
- What was the greatest way God showed us his love for us?

PRAYER POWER:

Ask God to help you show love to him and to other people. Tell him your sins and ask him for the forgiveness of Jesus.

FAMILY TIME OPTIONS:

Give your child three rules and then explain why they are rules of love. For example, one rule is that "you cannot cross the street alone. It is a love rule because I love you and do not want you to get hit by a car." Then have your child tell you three ways in which you can make him or her feel loved. Pick one of those three ways and do it for your child. Then give your child a hug and tell your child you love him and God loves him too.

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