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God Talk At Home

This Week's Kingdom Quest Lesson:

Jesus Is the Bread of Life

Take Home Point:

Jesus is food for your spirit.

Drive Time Home

Tickler Question: What was Gordy's favorite sandwich? (*Peanut butter, jelly, pickles, cheese, bologna!*) Jesus said that we need more than physical food. We need food for our spirits. Who is the bread of life that is food for our spirits? (*Jesus.*)

Select questions and adapt for your family.

God Time at Home

FOR STARTERS: Say: "Tell about a time you were the hungriest you've ever been!" Serve snacks as you discuss. Then ask, "What do you think it feels like to be hungry in your spirit instead of just hungry in your body?" (*We need a connection to God.*)

READ THE BIBLE: John 6:1-42

KEY VERSE: John 6:35, "*I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never become hungry, and whoever believes in me will never become thirsty.*"

TALK ABOUT IT: In the Bible event, there was a large crowd of how many people? (*John 6:10. Five thousand men, not counting women and children.*) One boy offered his lunch. What did he have to offer? (*John 6:9. Five loaves of bread and two small fish.*) Before Jesus gave the loaves to the people, he did what first? (*John 6:11. Jesus gave thanks.*) When Jesus distributed the food, everyone had all they wanted to eat. How much food did they collect as leftovers? (*John 6:13. Twelve baskets.*) After that, why did people come looking for Jesus? (*John 6:26. They wanted more food handouts.*)

In verse 27, Jesus said, "*Work for the food that lasts into eternal life. This is the food the Son of Man will give you.*" What do you think he meant? In John 6:35, what kind of food did Jesus say he was? (*The bread of life.*) What do you think he meant by that? What did he say would happen to those who come to him and believe in him? (*They would never go hungry or thirsty.*) What do you think he meant by that? Compare food that perishes with food that lasts forever. How are they alike? How are they different? (*They both provide nourishment and we need both. One is for our physical bodies and one is for our spiritual self.*) When your spirit is hungry, how does Jesus, the "bread of life," come into your life? (*Simply by trusting him as your Savior and wanting to follow him.*)

PRAYER POWER: Thank God for giving us a life with Jesus. Thank him that Jesus gives us spiritual food that satisfies us forever.

Family Time Option

One day this week, try...

FAMILY TIME OPTIONS: Talk to your church to see if you can help volunteer as a family working in the church's food pantry, or perhaps volunteer at a homeless shelter helping prepare or serve meals. Talk about how you are sharing the message that Jesus Is the bread of life that feeds our spirits.

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