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Lesson #3-29
Luke 16:19-31

Family Discussions

Use the questions below or other questions you think of to discuss today's Scripture reading (listed above) with your family.

- ✞ Where do you see the message that "It is GOOD" in this Scripture?
- ✞ What does this Scripture have to do with our lives today?
- ✞ What part of this Scripture is the most interesting to you? Why?

Family Devotions

As you hear and study these stories each week, consider what God has to say to you and your family. What is God's message to us? How should we respond?

Sunday—Read Luke 16:19-31 The parable of the rich man and Lazarus reminds us that God loves everyone, especially those who feel abandoned. Make a list of people in your community who might feel abandoned. How can you show love to them?
Monday—Read Luke 16:1-13 We are reminded that serving God is important. What is one way you can serve God this week? Plan a small project for your family to do together.
Tuesday—Read Luke 16:14-18 We are all encouraged to serve God and live in God's kingdom. Try reading or listening to the Bible passage in a different translation, which you can find online. Is it easier or harder to understand? Why?
Wednesday—Read Luke 17:11-19 Though ten men were healed of leprosy, only one—the outsider—praised and thanked God for the miracle. Draw a picture of something you would like to praise and thank God for today.
Thursday—Read Luke 18:1-14 Jesus tells two parables. The first is about a widow asking for justice who receives it because of her persistence. The second compares the empty prayer of a self-righteous Pharisee and a repentant prayer of a tax collector. Act out these stories.
Friday—Read Luke 18:15-17 Even when the disciples try to turn them away, Jesus blesses the children. Get a bowl of water. Dip your finger in the water and use it to trace a cross on each other's forehead or hand, while you bless each member of your family.
Saturday—Read Luke 18:18-30 Sometimes, being a follower of Jesus means giving our whole lives to God. Think of one thing you might be able to "give up" today or tomorrow to help you focus more on God. Use the time you would spend doing that activity for prayer and listening to God.

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