

Family Worship Guide Week of April 5th, 2015



One of the ways SC Kids partners with parents to make disciples of Jesus is to provide resources that promote discipleship in the home. This Family Worship Guide is intended to give parents content from this week's lesson to discuss with their children throughout the week.

REVIEW

This Sunday was Resurrection Sunday, the day that Jesus was raised from the dead! Resurrection Sunday is one of the most joyous days for Christians because it means that the Christian faith offers real joy and a real hope (1 Cor. 15:14).

This week's lesson was called "The Resurrection" and comes from Matthew 27:62-28:16. For a children's bible version you can refer to Story 117 of the Gospel Story Bible or "God's Wonderful Surprise" in the Jesus Storybook Bible.

DISCUSS

How was Jesus killed? Where did they put his body?

On a cross and they put his body in a tomb and sealed it shut with a very large stone.

Why were there soldiers guarding the tomb?

So Jesus' body couldn't have been stolen so people couldn't lie about him raising from the dead.

What did the women find when they went to see Jesus?

The stone had been rolled back and Jesus was gone! All that was left was his burial clothes and a message from the angels that Jesus would meet them in Galilee.

What is the most important part of the Bible?

Jesus' death and resurrection. See 1 Corinthians 15:14-17.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

For additional family devotionals you can purchase "Old Story New: Ten Minute Devotions to Draw Your Family to God" at amazon.com or from the Sacred City Bookstore on Sunday.

SING

Singing is a great way for kids to experience and memorize God's Word. Here are a few family favorites: Preschool age - "Cedarmont Kids - Bible Songs" and for Preschool and Elementary age children we recommend the Morning Star Catechism CD (available at the SC bookstore) and Seeds Family Worship.

PRAY

This week pray with great thanks for what Jesus has done! Thank him for enduring the cross to take the punishment for our sins. Thank him for standing in our place (being our substitute) so that we would never have to know the extreme punishment for sin. Thank God for raising from the dead in power and giving us the Holy Spirit to lead us.



Preschool

Q 3: Why did God make you and all things?

A 3: For his own glory. Isaiah 43: 6b-7 "

Bring my sons from afar and my daughters from the ends of the earth-- everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

Lower Elementary

Q 13: Can God do all things?

A 13: Yes; God can do all His holy will.

Isaiah 46:10 I make known the end from the beginning, from ancient times, what is still to come. I say: My purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please.



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