

HEY CHURCH FAMILY! WE ARE EXCITED TO INTRODUCE OUR NEWEST DEVOTIONAL BOOKLET. THESE BOOKLETS ARE DESIGNED TO COMPLEMENT OUR CURRENT SERMON SERIES AND FOSTER DEEPER ENGAGEMENT WITHIN OUR CHURCH COMMUNITY. EACH WEEK FEATURES FIVE READING AND DEVOTIONAL DAYS, CAREFULLY CRAFTED TO ALIGN WITH THE THEMES OF OUR WEEKLY SUNDAY SERMONS. BY JOURNEYING THROUGH THESE DEVOTIONS TOGETHER, WE AIM TO CREATE A UNIFIED CHURCH EXPERIENCE THAT ENHANCES OUR COLLECTIVE UNDERSTANDING AND APPLICATION OF GOD'S WORD.

EACH DEVOTIONAL INCLUDES A CORRESPONDING SCRIPTURE READING AND A SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE, ENCOURAGING US TO IMMERSE OURSELVES IN GOD'S WORD DAILY. TO GUIDE OUR STUDY, WE WILL BE USING THE H.E.A.R. METHOD, WHICH STANDS FOR HIGHLIGHT, EXPLAIN, APPLY, AND RESPOND.

ADDITIONALLY, EACH WEEK'S DEVOTIONALS ARE DESIGNED TO LEAD INTO THE COMING SUNDAY SERMON. THIS ALLOWS US THE OPPORTUNITY TO THINK THROUGH COMMON THEMES AND TOPICS THAT WILL BE EXPLORED IN THE SERMON. BY STUDYING THESE THEMES THROUGHOUT THE WEEK, WE CAN COME TO SUNDAY SERVICES WITH A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING AND READINESS TO ENGAGE WITH THE MAIN STUDY OF THE TEXT.

OUR HOPE IS THAT THIS DEVOTIONAL BOOKLET WILL NOT ONLY DEEPEN OUR PERSONAL FAITH BUT ALSO STRENGTHEN OUR COLLECTIVE BOND AS A CHURCH FAMILY. BY ENGAGING WITH THE SAME SCRIPTURES AND THEMES, WE CAN SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER IN OUR SPIRITUAL GROWTH. LET'S EMBARK ON THIS JOURNEY TOGETHER, SEEKING TO GROW CLOSER TO GOD AND TO EACH OTHER THROUGH HIS WORD.

THE H.E.A.R. METHOD IS A GREAT TOOL TO STUDY AND EXPLORE GOD'S WORD. EXPLAINED BELOW, YOU CAN USE THIS METHOD AS A GUIDE TO YOUR DAILY BIBLE READING EACH DAY.

H HIGHLIGHT - AS YOU READ THROUGH EACH DAILY PASSAGE, SEVERAL VERSES AND WORDS WILL STAND OUT TO YOU. HIGHLIGHT THEM AND CONSIDER WRITING THEM OUT. YOU CAN EVEN GIVE THEM A TITLE THAT HOLDS MEANING FOR YOU.

E EXPLAIN. EXPLAIN WHAT THE TEXT MEANS. WHY WAS IT WRITTEN? TO WHOM WAS IT ORIGINALLY WRITTEN? HOW DOES IT FIT WITH THE VERSES BEFORE AND AFTER IT? WHAT DOES THE HOLY SPIRIT INTEND TO COMMUNICATE IN THIS TEXT?

A APPLY. WRITE 2 TO 5 SENTENCES ABOUT HOW THE TEXT APPLIES TO YOUR LIFE. THIS BRIDGES THE GAP BETWEEN THE ANCIENT TEXT AND YOUR MODERN LIFE. ASK QUESTIONS SUCH AS: HOW CAN THIS HELP ME? WHAT DO THESE VERSES MEAN TO US TODAY? WHAT WOULD THE APPLICATION OF THIS VERSE LOOK LIKE IN MY LIFE? WHAT IS GOD SAYING TO ME?

R RESPOND. RESPOND TO THE PASSAGE YOU HAVE READ. YOUR RESPONSE MAY TAKE DIFFERENT FORMS AND CHANGE FROM DAY TO DAY, BASED ON YOUR READING. IT MAY BE A PRAYER, EITHER FOR YOUR LIFE OR ON BEHALF OF SOMEONE ELSE. YOU MAY WRITE DOWN A SPECIFIC ACTION STEP YOU NEED TO TAKE. YOU MIGHT DESCRIBE HOW THE PASSAGE CONVICTS YOU TO CHANGE. KEEP IN MIND THAT YOUR RESPONSE TO SCRIPTURE IS ABOUT YOU AND YOU ALONE, NOT OTHER PEOPLE OR SOCIETY AT LARGE.

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THE FOUNDATION OF FELLOWSHIP

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 1:1-10

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 1:7

JOHN TELLS US THAT JESUS IS REAL—HE AND THE OTHER DISCIPLES SAW HIM, TOUCHED HIM, AND LIVED LIFE WITH HIM. THEY WANTED EVERYONE TO KNOW JESUS SO THAT THEY COULD HAVE FRIENDSHIP (FELLOWSHIP) WITH GOD TOO. JOHN REMINDS US THAT GOD IS PURE LIGHT, AND THERE'S NO DARKNESS IN HIM AT ALL. IF WE SAY WE KNOW GOD BUT LIVE LIKE WE DON'T, WE'RE FOOLING OURSELVES. WALKING WITH GOD MEANS LIVING IN HIS LIGHT, BEING HONEST, AND NOT TRYING TO HIDE OUR SIN. THE GOOD NEWS IS THAT GOD ALREADY KNOWS WHEN WE MESS UP, AND HE HAS MADE A WAY TO FORGIVE US. IF WE ADMIT OUR SINS TO HIM, HE PROMISES TO FORGIVE AND CLEAN US FROM ALL THE WRONG STUFF IN OUR HEARTS. WALKING IN THE LIGHT DOESN'T MEAN WE'RE PERFECT—IT MEANS WE DON'T HIDE FROM GOD. INSTEAD, WE TRUST HIM TO FORGIVE US AND HELP US KEEP GROWING.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S ONE THING YOU NEED TO BE HONEST WITH GOD ABOUT TODAY?
- HOW DOES KNOWING GOD FORGIVES YOU HELP YOU FEEL CLOSER TO HIM?

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THE CALL TO WALK WORTHY

SCRIPTURE READING: EPHESIANS 5:6–14

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 1:7

PAUL SAYS WE SHOULD COPY GOD LIKE KIDS COPY THEIR PARENTS. JUST LIKE JESUS LOVED US AND GAVE HIMSELF FOR US, WE SHOULD LIVE WITH LOVE TOO. THAT MEANS CHOOSING TO STAY AWAY FROM THINGS THAT BRING DARKNESS—LIKE LYING, BEING GREEDY, OR HURTING OTHERS—AND INSTEAD DOING THINGS THAT SHOW GOD’S LIGHT. WHEN WE LIVE IN THE LIGHT, WE HELP OTHERS SEE WHAT IS GOOD AND TRUE. PAUL EVEN SAYS, “WAKE UP, SLEEPER, RISE UP FROM THE DEAD, AND CHRIST WILL SHINE ON YOU.” THAT’S LIKE SAYING: “DON’T SLEEPWALK THROUGH LIFE IN DARKNESS. WAKE UP AND LIVE IN JESUS’ LIGHT!” LIVING THIS WAY TAKES COURAGE, BECAUSE SOMETIMES DARKNESS LOOKS EASIER. BUT WHEN WE LET GOD’S LIGHT SHINE THROUGH US, WE HELP OTHERS SEE HIM TOO.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY’S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT’S ONE WAY YOU CAN “SHINE” LIKE JESUS AT SCHOOL OR AT HOME THIS WEEK?
- IS THERE ANYTHING YOU NEED TO STOP DOING BECAUSE IT PULLS YOU TOWARD DARKNESS INSTEAD OF LIGHT?

FELLOWSHIP THROUGH OBEDIENCE

SCRIPTURE READING: JOHN 15:1-11

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 1:7

JESUS SAYS HE IS LIKE A VINE, AND WE ARE LIKE BRANCHES. BRANCHES CAN'T LIVE OR GROW FRUIT UNLESS THEY STAY CONNECTED TO THE VINE. IN THE SAME WAY, WE CAN'T LIVE THE LIFE GOD WANTS FOR US UNLESS WE STAY CONNECTED TO JESUS. HE SAYS, "REMAIN IN ME, AND I IN YOU." THAT MEANS SPENDING TIME WITH HIM THROUGH PRAYER, READING THE BIBLE, AND OBEYING WHAT HE TEACHES. WHEN WE STAY CONNECTED, GOOD THINGS (FRUIT) START SHOWING UP IN OUR LIVES—THINGS LIKE KINDNESS, JOY, AND LOVE. BUT WHEN WE TRY TO LIVE WITHOUT HIM, WE GET WEAK AND DRIED OUT, LIKE A BRANCH THAT'S CUT OFF. JESUS PROMISES THAT IF WE STAY CLOSE TO HIM, OUR LIVES WILL BE FULL OF JOY. WALKING IN THE LIGHT MEANS CHOOSING TO STICK WITH JESUS EVERY DAY.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT ARE SOME WAYS YOU CAN "STAY CONNECTED" TO JESUS THIS WEEK?
- WHICH "FRUIT" OF THE SPIRIT (LIKE LOVE, JOY, PEACE, PATIENCE) DO YOU WANT TO SEE MORE OF IN YOUR LIFE?

LIGHT FOR THE JOURNEY

SCRIPTURE READING: PSALM 119:97-112

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 1:7

THE PSALMIST SAYS GOD'S WORD IS LIKE A LAMP FOR HIS FEET AND A LIGHT ON HIS PATH. IMAGINE TRYING TO WALK THROUGH A DARK FOREST AT NIGHT WITHOUT A FLASHLIGHT —YOU'D TRIP AND GET LOST FAST! THAT'S WHAT LIFE IS LIKE WITHOUT GOD'S WORD. BUT WHEN WE LET THE BIBLE GUIDE US, IT SHOWS US THE RIGHT WAY TO GO. GOD'S WORD ALSO GIVES WISDOM. THE PSALMIST SAYS IT MAKES HIM WISER THAN HIS ENEMIES, HIS TEACHERS, AND EVEN OLDER PEOPLE. WHY? BECAUSE GOD'S TRUTH NEVER CHANGES. THE BIBLE HELPS US SEE WHAT'S RIGHT AND WRONG, EVEN WHEN THE WORLD TRIES TO CONFUSE US. WALKING IN THE LIGHT MEANS LETTING THE BIBLE BE OUR GUIDE IN EVERY CHOICE WE MAKE.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW CAN YOU USE GOD'S WORD LIKE A "FLASHLIGHT" IN YOUR DAILY LIFE?
- WHAT'S ONE BIBLE VERSE THAT HELPS GUIDE YOU WHEN YOU FEEL UNSURE OR LOST?

LIVING IN THE LIGHT OF FELLOWSHIP

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 THESSALONIANS 5:4–24

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 1:7

PAUL TELLS BELIEVERS THAT THEY ARE “CHILDREN OF THE LIGHT.” THAT MEANS WE DON’T LIVE IN THE DARKNESS ANYMORE—WE BELONG TO JESUS. HE ENCOURAGES THE CHURCH TO STAY ALERT, BE STRONG, AND WEAR THE ARMOR OF FAITH, LOVE, AND HOPE. HE ALSO REMINDS THEM THAT WE AREN’T MEANT TO DO THIS ALONE—WE SHOULD BUILD EACH OTHER UP AND LIVE IN PEACE TOGETHER.

PAUL GIVES SOME REALLY GOOD ADVICE AT THE END OF THE CHAPTER: REJOICE ALWAYS, PRAY CONSTANTLY, AND GIVE THANKS IN EVERYTHING. THOSE HABITS KEEP US WALKING IN THE LIGHT AND HELP US STAY CLOSE TO GOD. BEST OF ALL, PAUL REMINDS US THAT GOD IS FAITHFUL—HE WILL FINISH THE GOOD WORK HE STARTED IN US. WALKING IN THE LIGHT ISN’T JUST ABOUT “ME AND GOD.” IT’S ALSO ABOUT HELPING OTHERS FOLLOW HIM TOO.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY’S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- IN WHAT WAYS CAN YOU ENCOURAGE AND BUILD UP OTHERS IN YOUR CHURCH COMMUNITY THIS WEEK?
- WHICH OF PAUL’S FINAL INSTRUCTIONS (REJOICE ALWAYS, PRAY CONSTANTLY, GIVE THANKS, ETC.) DO YOU NEED TO EMPHASIZE MORE IN YOUR LIFE?

WALKING AS JESUS WALKED

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 2:1–11

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 2:3

HAVE YOU EVER TRIED TO WALK IN SOMEONE ELSE'S FOOTPRINTS ON THE BEACH? THAT'S A PICTURE OF WHAT IT MEANS TO "WALK LIKE JESUS." JOHN TELLS US THAT IF WE SAY WE KNOW JESUS, OUR LIVES SHOULD LOOK LIKE HIS. THAT MEANS CHOOSING LOVE OVER HATE, KINDNESS OVER ANGER, AND FORGIVENESS INSTEAD OF HOLDING GRUDGES. OBEYING GOD'S COMMANDS IS HOW WE SHOW WE'RE REALLY FOLLOWING HIM. WE WON'T DO THIS PERFECTLY—ONLY JESUS WAS PERFECT. BUT EVERY TIME WE MAKE THE CHOICE TO LOVE A SIBLING, TO LISTEN TO OUR PARENTS, OR TO FORGIVE A FRIEND, WE ARE STEPPING INTO JESUS' FOOTPRINTS. THE MORE WE DO THIS, THE BRIGHTER HIS LIGHT SHINES THROUGH US. THE WORLD SHOULD SEE JESUS IN THE WAY WE LIVE.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S ONE WAY YOU CAN "WALK LIKE JESUS" AT HOME OR SCHOOL TODAY?
- IS THERE SOMEONE YOU NEED TO SHOW KINDNESS OR FORGIVENESS TO THIS WEEK?

THE CALL TO LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING: JOHN 14:15–24

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 2:3

JESUS SAID, “IF YOU LOVE ME, YOU WILL KEEP MY COMMANDS.” THINK ABOUT IT: WHEN YOU LOVE YOUR PARENTS, YOU WANT TO LISTEN TO THEM AND DO WHAT THEY ASK. IT’S THE SAME WITH GOD. LOVING HIM MEANS OBEYING HIM. BUT HERE’S THE AWESOME PART—JESUS PROMISED US THE HOLY SPIRIT TO HELP US OBEY. WE’RE NOT LEFT TO FIGURE IT OUT ON OUR OWN. SOMETIMES OBEDIENCE FEELS HARD. MAYBE EVERYONE ELSE IS DOING SOMETHING YOU KNOW ISN’T RIGHT, OR MAYBE YOU JUST DON’T FEEL LIKE LISTENING. THAT’S WHEN WE NEED TO REMEMBER THE SPIRIT IS WITH US, GIVING US STRENGTH AND REMINDING US OF GOD’S WORD. THE MORE WE LOVE JESUS, THE MORE WE’LL WANT TO OBEY HIM—NOT BECAUSE WE HAVE TO, BUT BECAUSE WE WANT TO.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY’S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT’S ONE COMMAND OF JESUS THAT FEELS HARD FOR YOU TO OBEY RIGHT NOW?
- HOW CAN YOU ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT TO HELP YOU OBEY JESUS THIS WEEK?

WARNING AGAINST THE WORLD

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 2:15–17

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 2:3

JOHN TELLS US NOT TO LOVE THE WORLD OR THE THINGS IN IT. HE DOESN'T MEAN THE TREES, OCEANS, AND ANIMALS GOD MADE—HE'S TALKING ABOUT THE WORLD'S WAY OF LIVING. THE WORLD SAYS STUFF LIKE "GET MORE THINGS," "BE THE MOST POPULAR," OR "DO WHATEVER MAKES YOU HAPPY, EVEN IF IT'S WRONG." THOSE THINGS DON'T LAST. BUT WHEN WE OBEY GOD, WE ARE PART OF SOMETHING THAT LASTS FOREVER. THINK ABOUT A VIDEO GAME THAT GETS OLD AFTER A WHILE. AT FIRST, IT FEELS AWESOME. BUT THEN A NEW GAME COMES OUT, AND SUDDENLY THE OLD ONE DOESN'T MATTER. THAT'S WHAT THE WORLD'S STUFF IS LIKE—IT DOESN'T LAST. GOD'S WAY NEVER GETS OLD AND NEVER ENDS. CHOOSING OBEDIENCE TO HIM OVER THE WORLD'S WAY IS THE BEST CHOICE WE CAN EVER MAKE.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT ARE SOME "WORLDLY THINGS" THAT COULD DISTRACT YOU FROM OBEYING GOD?
- HOW CAN REMEMBERING ETERNITY HELP YOU MAKE BETTER CHOICES TODAY?

LOVING ONE ANOTHER

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 13:1–13

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 2:3

THE BIBLE SAYS WE CAN DO AMAZING THINGS, LIKE PREACH, GIVE MONEY, OR EVEN SACRIFICE EVERYTHING—BUT IF WE DON'T HAVE LOVE, IT MEANS NOTHING. LOVE IS PATIENT, KIND, NOT SELFISH, AND NEVER GIVES UP. REAL LOVE IS MORE POWERFUL THAN TALENT, KNOWLEDGE, OR POPULARITY. IT'S THE GREATEST THING WE CAN GIVE TO GOD AND TO PEOPLE. SOMETIMES WE OBEY RULES JUST TO “LOOK GOOD” OR BECAUSE WE HAVE TO. BUT GOD WANTS OUR OBEDIENCE TO COME FROM LOVE. FOR EXAMPLE, WHEN YOU SHARE WITH A FRIEND, ARE YOU DOING IT BECAUSE YOU WANT PRAISE OR BECAUSE YOU LOVE THEM? LOVE IS WHAT MAKES OBEDIENCE REAL. WHEN WE LOVE LIKE JESUS, PEOPLE CAN SEE HIM SHINING THROUGH US.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW CAN YOU SHOW LOVE TO SOMEONE IN YOUR FAMILY THIS WEEK?
- DO YOU EVER OBEY JUST TO “LOOK GOOD”? HOW CAN YOU SHIFT YOUR HEART TOWARD LOVE INSTEAD?

CHOOSING OBEDIENCE OVER CONFORMITY

SCRIPTURE READING: ROMANS 12:1-8

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 2:3

PAUL SAYS WE SHOULD GIVE OUR WHOLE LIVES TO GOD— THAT'S WHAT REAL WORSHIP LOOKS LIKE. HE ALSO SAYS DON'T COPY THE WORLD, BUT BE TRANSFORMED BY LETTING GOD CHANGE THE WAY YOU THINK. THE WORLD WANTS US TO FIT IN, BUT JESUS CALLS US TO STAND OUT. BEING A "LIVING SACRIFICE" MEANS SAYING, "GOD, I WANT MY LIFE TO BELONG TO YOU."

THIS SHOWS UP IN SMALL THINGS EVERY DAY. MAYBE IT'S CHOOSING HONESTY INSTEAD OF CHEATING, KINDNESS INSTEAD OF BULLYING, OR HELPING SOMEONE INSTEAD OF IGNORING THEM. WHEN WE OBEY GOD INSTEAD OF JUST BLENDING IN WITH EVERYONE ELSE, WE SHINE AS HIS LIGHT IN A DARK WORLD. FOLLOWING JESUS MAY COST US SOMETIMES, BUT IT'S ALWAYS WORTH IT BECAUSE HIS WAY IS THE BEST WAY.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO YOU TO GIVE YOUR WHOLE LIFE TO GOD?
- WHAT'S ONE WAY YOU CAN CHOOSE GOD'S WAY INSTEAD OF THE WORLD'S WAY THIS WEEK?

GOD'S GREAT LOVE FOR HIS CHILDREN

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 3:1–24

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 3:1

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO WAS ADOPTED? MAYBE THAT SOMEONE IS YOU! THE BIBLE SAYS GOD'S LOVE IS SO BIG THAT HE ADOPTS US TO BE A PART OF HIS FAMILY. THAT MEANS YOU DON'T HAVE TO WONDER IF YOU BELONG—GOD SAYS YOU DO! BECAUSE WE'RE HIS KIDS, WE SHOULD LIVE IN A WAY THAT SHOWS OTHERS WHAT HE'S LIKE. THAT MEANS MAKING CHOICES THAT HONOR HIM INSTEAD OF GIVING IN TO SIN ALL THE TIME. BEING GOD'S CHILD DOESN'T MEAN WE'RE PERFECT. WE'LL STILL MESS UP. BUT LITTLE BY LITTLE, GOD CHANGES US TO LOOK MORE LIKE JESUS. WHEN PEOPLE SEE KINDNESS, HONESTY, AND LOVE IN OUR LIVES, THEY SEE THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN GOD'S CHILDREN AND THE WORLD. YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL YOU'RE GROWN UP—RIGHT NOW, YOU CAN SHOW THE WORLD YOU'RE GOD'S KID BY THE WAY YOU LIVE!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW DOES IT MAKE YOU FEEL KNOWING YOU ARE PART OF GOD'S FAMILY?
- WHAT IS ONE WAY YOU CAN LIVE DIFFERENTLY THIS WEEK BECAUSE YOU BELONG TO HIM?

LED BY THE SPIRIT

SCRIPTURE READING: ROMANS 8:12-17

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 3:1

WHEN YOU PLAY A GAME, HAVING A COACH OR GUIDE HELPS YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO. GOD GIVES US SOMETHING EVEN BETTER—HIS SPIRIT! THE BIBLE SAYS WHEN WE FOLLOW JESUS, WE'RE ADOPTED INTO GOD'S FAMILY, AND HIS SPIRIT HELPS US LIVE LIKE HIS CHILDREN. INSTEAD OF BEING AFRAID OR STUCK IN SIN, WE CAN CALL GOD "FATHER" AND TRUST HIM. THAT MEANS YOU'RE NEVER ALONE. GOD'S SPIRIT HELPS YOU MAKE GOOD CHOICES, GIVES YOU COURAGE, AND REMINDS YOU THAT YOU BELONG TO HIM. EVEN WHEN LIFE IS HARD, YOU CAN REMEMBER THAT YOU'RE GOD'S CHILD, AND NOTHING CAN TAKE THAT AWAY. ONE DAY, YOU'LL GET TO SHARE IN ALL OF GOD'S AMAZING PROMISES FOREVER. FOR NOW, YOU CAN WALK WITH CONFIDENCE, KNOWING YOUR FATHER IS ALWAYS WITH YOU!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHEN HAVE YOU FELT GOD'S SPIRIT HELPING YOU MAKE THE RIGHT CHOICE?
- HOW DOES KNOWING YOU'RE ADOPTED INTO GOD'S FAMILY HELP YOU WHEN YOU FEEL AFRAID?

GOD'S LOVE FOR THE LOST

SCRIPTURE READING: EPHESIANS 5:6–14

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 3:1

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN IN A REALLY DARK ROOM? IT'S HARD TO SEE ANYTHING UNTIL SOMEONE TURNS ON THE LIGHT. THE BIBLE SAYS BEFORE WE KNEW JESUS, WE LIVED IN DARKNESS. BUT NOW THAT WE BELONG TO HIM, WE ARE CHILDREN OF LIGHT! THAT MEANS WE SHOULD LIVE IN A WAY THAT SHOWS GOD'S GOODNESS, TRUTH, AND LOVE. LIVING AS LIGHT MIGHT MAKE US DIFFERENT FROM THE WORLD AROUND US, AND THAT'S OKAY. WHEN YOU CHOOSE KINDNESS INSTEAD OF BEING MEAN, HONESTY INSTEAD OF LYING, OR HELPING INSTEAD OF IGNORING SOMEONE—GOD'S LIGHT SHINES THROUGH YOU. IT'S LIKE TURNING ON A LIGHT SO OTHERS CAN SEE GOD BETTER. YOU GET TO BE PART OF LIGHTING UP A DARK WORLD!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S ONE WAY YOU CAN "SHINE YOUR LIGHT" FOR JESUS AT SCHOOL OR AT HOME THIS WEEK?
- WHY DO YOU THINK GOD WANTS HIS CHILDREN TO STAND OUT FROM THE DARKNESS?

IMITATING THE FATHER'S HOLINESS

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 PETER 1:13–19

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 3:1

THINK ABOUT A FAMILY YOU KNOW—SOMETIMES KIDS ACT LIKE THEIR PARENTS, RIGHT? THEY MAY HAVE THE SAME SMILE, LAUGH, OR EVEN THE SAME HABITS. THE BIBLE SAYS SINCE GOD IS OUR FATHER, WE SHOULD TRY TO LIVE LIKE HIM. GOD IS HOLY, WHICH MEANS HE'S SET APART AND PERFECT. AS HIS KIDS, WE SHOULD LIVE IN A WAY THAT'S DIFFERENT FROM THE WORLD—DIFFERENT BECAUSE OF LOVE, HONESTY, AND RESPECT FOR HIM. JESUS PAID A HUGE PRICE TO BRING US INTO GOD'S FAMILY. HE GAVE HIS OWN LIFE SO WE COULD BE FORGIVEN. WHEN WE REMEMBER HOW MUCH GOD DID FOR US, IT SHOULD MAKE US WANT TO LIVE IN A WAY THAT MAKES HIM PROUD. YOU DON'T HAVE TO COPY THE WORLD—YOU GET TO COPY YOUR FATHER IN HEAVEN!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT IS ONE "GOD-LIKE" QUALITY YOU WANT PEOPLE TO SEE IN YOUR LIFE?
- HOW DOES REMEMBERING JESUS' SACRIFICE HELP YOU LIVE FOR GOD EACH DAY?

REFLECTING THE FATHER'S LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING: JOHN 13:31–35

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 3:1

BEFORE JESUS WENT TO THE CROSS, HE TOLD HIS DISCIPLES SOMETHING IMPORTANT: THE WORLD WOULD KNOW THEY WERE HIS FOLLOWERS BY THE WAY THEY LOVED EACH OTHER. LOVE IS THE NUMBER ONE WAY PEOPLE WILL KNOW YOU BELONG TO GOD'S FAMILY. THAT MEANS SHOWING KINDNESS, FORGIVENESS, AND CARE—EVEN WHEN IT'S NOT EASY. JESUS ALSO PROMISED HE WOULDN'T LEAVE US ALONE. HE GAVE US THE HOLY SPIRIT TO HELP US LOVE LIKE HE LOVES. LOVE ISN'T JUST SAYING NICE WORDS—IT'S DOING THINGS THAT SHOW PEOPLE THEY MATTER. WHEN YOU LOVE LIKE GOD'S CHILD, PEOPLE AROUND YOU GET A SMALL GLIMPSE OF WHAT GOD'S LOVE IS LIKE. IMAGINE HOW BRIGHT THE WORLD COULD BE IF ALL OF GOD'S KIDS SHOWED HIS LOVE EVERY DAY!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHO IS SOMEONE IN YOUR LIFE THAT MIGHT NEED TO SEE GOD'S LOVE THROUGH YOU THIS WEEK?
- WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO YOU THAT PEOPLE WILL KNOW YOU'RE GOD'S CHILD BY THE WAY YOU LOVE?

GOD IS LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 4:7-21

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 4:18

THE BIBLE TELLS US THAT LOVE COMES FROM GOD. THAT MEANS REAL LOVE DOESN'T JUST COME FROM PEOPLE'S FEELINGS—IT STARTS WITH HIM! GOD SHOWED HIS LOVE BY SENDING JESUS TO TAKE AWAY OUR SINS, EVEN WHEN WE DIDN'T DESERVE IT. WHEN WE CHOOSE TO LOVE OTHERS, IT'S LIKE WE'RE SHOWING A LITTLE PICTURE OF GOD TO THE WORLD. HIS SPIRIT IS IN US, HELPING US TO LOVE EVEN WHEN IT'S HARD.

GOD'S LOVE ALSO TAKES AWAY FEAR. IF YOU'VE EVER BEEN SCARED OF BEING PUNISHED OR WORRIED ABOUT MESSING UP, REMEMBER THIS: GOD'S LOVE IS STRONGER THAN FEAR. BECAUSE OF JESUS, YOU DON'T NEED TO BE AFRAID OF JUDGMENT. INSTEAD, YOU CAN BE CONFIDENT THAT GOD LOVES YOU NO MATTER WHAT. AND BECAUSE HE LOVES US, WE ARE CALLED TO LOVE OTHER PEOPLE TOO—NOT JUST THE ONES WHO ARE EASY TO LOVE.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S ONE WAY GOD'S LOVE HAS HELPED YOU WHEN YOU WERE SCARED?
- WHO IS SOMEONE AT SCHOOL OR IN YOUR FAMILY YOU CAN SHOW LOVE TO THIS WEEK?

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TESTING THE SPIRITS

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 4:1–6

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 4:18

HAVE YOU EVER HEARD ADVICE FROM SOMEONE THAT SOUNDED GOOD BUT WASN'T REALLY THE RIGHT THING TO DO? THAT'S WHY JOHN TELLS US TO "TEST THE SPIRITS." NOT EVERYTHING WE HEAR—ON YOUTUBE, FROM FRIENDS, OR EVEN AT SCHOOL—MATCHES WHAT GOD SAYS. WE NEED TO CHECK: DOES THIS AGREE WITH THE TRUTH ABOUT JESUS? ANYTHING THAT DOESN'T LINE UP WITH GOD'S WORD ISN'T FROM HIM. SOMETIMES THE WORLD'S MESSAGES ARE LOUD, BUT WE DON'T NEED TO BE AFRAID. JOHN REMINDS US THAT PEOPLE WHO HAVE A RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS, ALREADY HAVE THE HOLY SPIRIT LIVING IN THEM. THE HOLY SPIRIT IS STRONGER THAN ANY LIE OUT THERE. THAT MEANS YOU CAN STAND FIRM AND KNOW THE TRUTH, EVEN WHEN OTHERS DON'T. GOD'S PERFECT LOVE HELPS US NOT TO FEAR, AND HIS SPIRIT HELPS US SPOT WHAT'S REAL AND WHAT'S FAKE.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S SOMETHING YOU'VE HEARD RECENTLY THAT YOU HAD TO CHECK AGAINST GOD'S WORD?
- HOW CAN YOU MAKE SURE THE VOICES YOU LISTEN TO ARE POINTING YOU CLOSER TO JESUS?

GOD'S LOVE POURED OUT

SCRIPTURE READING: ROMANS 5:1-11

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 4:18

SOMETIMES WE FEEL LIKE WE NEED TO BE “GOOD ENOUGH” BEFORE GOD WILL LOVE US. BUT THE BIBLE SAYS THAT WHILE WE WERE STILL SINNERS, CHRIST DIED FOR US. THAT MEANS GOD LOVED US BEFORE WE EVER LOVED HIM BACK! HIS LOVE ISN'T BASED ON WHAT WE DO—IT'S BASED ON WHO HE IS. THIS KIND OF LOVE GIVES US PEACE, EVEN WHEN LIFE IS HARD. SCHOOL STRESS, FAMILY PROBLEMS, OR FRIEND DRAMA CAN FEEL OVERWHELMING. BUT GOD'S LOVE HAS BEEN POURED INTO OUR HEARTS THROUGH THE HOLY SPIRIT. THAT LOVE REMINDS US THAT WE BELONG TO HIM, NO MATTER WHAT. HIS PERFECT LOVE CASTS OUT FEAR, BECAUSE WE KNOW HE WILL NEVER LEAVE US.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW DOES KNOWING GOD LOVED YOU BEFORE YOU LOVED HIM CHANGE THE WAY YOU SEE YOURSELF?
- WHAT'S ONE PROBLEM IN YOUR LIFE WHERE YOU NEED TO REMEMBER GOD'S LOVE TODAY?

SHINE LIKE STARS

SCRIPTURE READING: PHILIPPIANS 2:14–16

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 4:18

HAVE YOU EVER LOOKED UP AT THE NIGHT SKY AND SEEN HOW BRIGHT THE STARS SHINE AGAINST THE DARKNESS? PAUL TELLS US THAT'S WHAT OUR LIVES SHOULD LOOK LIKE WHEN WE FOLLOW JESUS! HE SAYS TO "DO EVERYTHING WITHOUT GRUMBLING AND ARGUING" SO THAT WE CAN SHINE LIKE STARS IN THE WORLD. THAT MEANS INSTEAD OF COMPLAINING ABOUT CHORES, HOMEWORK, OR RULES, WE CAN CHOOSE JOY AND KINDNESS TO SHOW OTHERS WE BELONG TO GOD. WHEN WE LIVE WITH LOVE, KINDNESS, AND HONESTY, PEOPLE NOTICE. IT'S LIKE BEING THE ONE FRIEND WHO ENCOURAGES INSTEAD OF TEARS DOWN, OR THE STUDENT WHO HELPS INSTEAD OF MOCKS. PAUL SAYS THIS HAPPENS WHEN WE "HOLD FIRMLY TO THE WORD OF LIFE." THAT MEANS WE STICK CLOSE TO GOD'S WORD, LETTING IT GUIDE US IN EVERY CHOICE. GOD'S PERFECT LOVE NOT ONLY GIVES US COURAGE BUT ALSO HELPS US SHINE HIS LIGHT FOR OTHERS TO SEE. EVERY TIME YOU CHOOSE LOVE INSTEAD OF ARGUING, YOU'RE SHINING LIKE A STAR FOR JESUS!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S ONE AREA OF YOUR LIFE WHERE YOU CATCH YOURSELF COMPLAINING A LOT? HOW COULD YOU SHINE DIFFERENTLY?
- HOW CAN YOU BE A "STAR" AT SCHOOL OR WITH YOUR FRIENDS THIS WEEK BY SHOWING GOD'S LOVE?

LIVING BY THE SPIRIT

SCRIPTURE READING: GALATIANS 5:22–26

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 4:18

HAVE YOU EVER SEEN A FRUIT TREE? WHEN IT'S HEALTHY, IT GROWS GOOD FRUIT. PAUL SAYS THAT WHEN WE FOLLOW JESUS AND LIVE BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, WE GROW "FRUIT" TOO—NOT APPLES OR ORANGES, BUT THINGS LIKE LOVE, JOY, PEACE, PATIENCE, KINDNESS, GOODNESS, FAITHFULNESS, GENTLENESS, AND SELF-CONTROL. LOVE IS LISTED FIRST BECAUSE IT'S THE BIGGEST AND MOST IMPORTANT PART OF LIVING GOD'S WAY. BUT PAUL ALSO SAYS WE SHOULDN'T BE PROUD OR TRY TO STIR UP FIGHTS. THAT'S NOT WHAT LOVE LOOKS LIKE. INSTEAD, WE ARE CALLED TO "KEEP IN STEP WITH THE SPIRIT." IMAGINE WALKING WITH A FRIEND—YOU STAY CLOSE, MATCH THEIR PACE, AND GO IN THE SAME DIRECTION. THAT'S WHAT IT'S LIKE TO WALK WITH GOD'S SPIRIT. THE MORE WE STICK WITH HIM, THE MORE GOOD FRUIT WILL GROW IN US. AND JUST LIKE A TREE SHOWS WHAT KIND OF FRUIT IT HAS, OUR LIVES SHOW OTHERS WHAT'S IN OUR HEARTS. WHEN WE LIVE IN GOD'S LOVE, PEOPLE CAN SEE JESUS SHINING THROUGH US.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHICH FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IS EASIEST FOR YOU? WHICH ONE IS HARDEST?
- HOW CAN YOU "STAY IN STEP WITH THE SPIRIT" AT SCHOOL, AT HOME, OR WITH FRIENDS THIS WEEK?

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THE TESTIMONY OF GOD'S SON

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 JOHN 5:1–21

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 5:13

DO YOU EVER WONDER IF GOD REALLY LOVES YOU OR IF YOU'LL REALLY GET TO LIVE FOREVER WITH HIM ONE DAY? JOHN WROTE THIS CHAPTER SO WE WOULDN'T HAVE TO GUESS. HE SAYS THAT IF YOU BELIEVE JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD, THEN YOU BELONG TO GOD'S FAMILY! AND WHEN YOU'RE IN GOD'S FAMILY, YOU CAN BE SURE YOU HAVE ETERNAL LIFE. IT'S NOT ABOUT HOW PERFECT YOU ARE—IT'S ABOUT TRUSTING THE PROMISE THAT GOD GAVE.

THINK OF IT LIKE THIS: WHEN YOUR PARENTS PROMISE TO PICK YOU UP FROM SCHOOL, YOU TRUST THEM, RIGHT? YOU DON'T SIT THERE WORRYING ALL DAY THAT THEY'LL FORGET. IN THE SAME WAY, GOD MADE A PROMISE ABOUT ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH HIS SON. HE EVEN GAVE PROOF THROUGH JESUS' DEATH, RESURRECTION, AND THE HOLY SPIRIT LIVING IN US. IF YOU BELIEVE IN JESUS AND ACCEPT HIM AS YOUR LORD AND SAVIOR, YOU CAN LIVE EVERY DAY WITH CONFIDENCE—GOD KEEPS HIS PROMISES!

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHY IS IT IMPORTANT THAT GOD HIMSELF PROMISES ETERNAL LIFE?
- HOW DOES BELIEVING IN JESUS GIVE YOU CONFIDENCE WHEN YOU FEEL UNSURE?

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THE GIFT OF GRACE

SCRIPTURE READING: EPHESIANS 2:4–10

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 5:13

IMAGINE IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY. YOU DON'T HAVE TO DO CHORES OR HOMEWORK TO GET YOUR GIFT. YOUR PARENTS GIVE IT TO YOU BECAUSE THEY LOVE YOU! THAT'S WHAT SALVATION IS LIKE. PAUL TELLS US IN EPHESIANS THAT WE ARE SAVED BY GRACE—IT'S A GIFT FROM GOD, NOT SOMETHING WE CAN EARN BY BEING "GOOD ENOUGH." WE CAN'T BRAG ABOUT IT BECAUSE IT'S 100% GOD'S GIFT THROUGH JESUS. ALL WE NEED TO DO IS ACCEPT JESUS AS OUR SAVIOR AND TURN AWAY FROM OUR SINS.

SOMETIMES WE MIGHT THINK, "IF I JUST TRY HARDER, MAYBE GOD WILL LOVE ME MORE." BUT THE TRUTH IS, GOD ALREADY LOVES YOU FULLY! ETERNAL LIFE ISN'T SOMETHING YOU WIN LIKE A PRIZE; IT'S SOMETHING YOU RECEIVE BECAUSE OF GOD'S KINDNESS. AND HERE'S THE COOL PART: GOD ALSO HAS SPECIAL PLANS FOR YOU. HE CREATED YOU TO DO GOOD THINGS—NOT TO EARN SALVATION, BUT TO SHOW HIS LOVE TO THE WORLD.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW IS GOD'S GRACE DIFFERENT FROM EARNING SOMETHING BY WORKING HARD?
- WHAT'S ONE GOOD THING YOU CAN DO THIS WEEK TO SHOW GOD'S LOVE?

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UNSHAKABLE CONFIDENCE

SCRIPTURE READING: ROMANS 8:31–39

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 5:13

HAVE YOU EVER FELT WORRIED THAT MAYBE YOU'RE NOT GOOD ENOUGH FOR GOD? PAUL REMINDS US IN ROMANS THAT NOTHING—ABSOLUTELY NOTHING—CAN SEPARATE US FROM GOD'S LOVE IN JESUS. NOT BULLIES, NOT TOUGH DAYS AT SCHOOL, NOT MISTAKES, NOT EVEN DEATH. GOD'S LOVE IS STRONGER THAN ALL OF IT!

THINK OF A STRONG SUPER GLUE THAT NEVER LETS GO. THAT'S HOW GOD'S LOVE HOLDS YOU. JESUS ALREADY WON THE BIGGEST BATTLE—HE DIED AND CAME BACK TO LIFE FOR US. BECAUSE OF THAT, WE DON'T HAVE TO BE SCARED OF LOSING GOD'S LOVE. WE CAN BE SURE HE IS ALWAYS WITH US. EVEN WHEN LIFE FEELS HARD, WE CAN SAY LIKE PAUL, "WE ARE MORE THAN CONQUERORS THROUGH HIM WHO LOVED US!"

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- WHAT'S SOMETHING THAT SOMETIMES MAKES YOU FEEL SEPARATED FROM GOD'S LOVE?
- HOW DOES IT MAKE YOU FEEL KNOWING JESUS IS ALWAYS HOLDING ON TO YOU?

THE LIVING HOPE

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 PETER 1:3–9

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 5:13

PETER TELLS US THAT BECAUSE JESUS ROSE FROM THE DEAD, WE HAVE A LIVING HOPE. THAT MEANS OUR HOPE ISN'T WEAK OR FAKE—IT'S REAL AND ALIVE! WE HAVE AN INHERITANCE WAITING IN HEAVEN THAT WILL NEVER SPOIL OR FADE AWAY. IT'S LIKE HAVING A TREASURE THAT CAN'T EVER BE STOLEN OR RUINED. LIFE ISN'T ALWAYS EASY. SOMETIMES WE GO THROUGH TOUGH TIMES, AND IT FEELS LIKE OUR FAITH IS BEING TESTED. BUT PETER SAYS THOSE MOMENTS ARE LIKE FIRE REFINING GOLD—THEY ACTUALLY MAKE OUR FAITH STRONGER AND MORE VALUABLE. EVEN IF WE CAN'T SEE JESUS RIGHT NOW, WE CAN STILL TRUST HIM AND FIND JOY IN KNOWING THAT THE END OF OUR FAITH IS ETERNAL LIFE. THAT'S A HOPE YOU CAN COUNT ON EVERY SINGLE DAY.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW DOES KNOWING YOU HAVE A TREASURE IN HEAVEN HELP YOU WHEN LIFE IS TOUGH?
- WHAT ARE SOME WAYS YOU CAN KEEP YOUR HOPE ALIVE IN JESUS THIS WEEK?

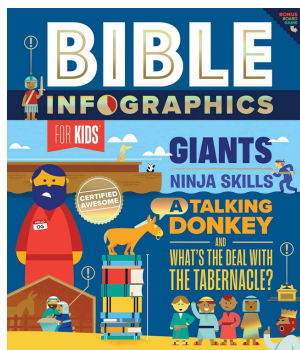
ETERNAL LIFE IN CHRIST ALONE

SCRIPTURE READING: JOHN 10:22–30

SCRIPTURE MEMORY: 1 JOHN 5:13

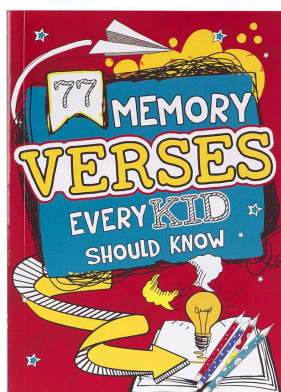
JESUS SAID THAT HIS FOLLOWERS ARE LIKE SHEEP, AND HE IS THE GOOD SHEPHERD. SHEEP KNOW THEIR SHEPHERD'S VOICE AND FOLLOW HIM. JESUS PROMISES THAT WHEN WE FOLLOW HIM, HE GIVES US ETERNAL LIFE—AND NO ONE CAN SNATCH US OUT OF HIS HAND. THAT MEANS YOU ARE SAFE AND SECURE WITH HIM FOREVER. THINK ABOUT HOLDING YOUR FAVORITE TOY TIGHTLY SO IT DOESN'T DROP. JESUS' GRIP ON US IS EVEN STRONGER THAN THAT! WE DON'T HAVE TO BE AFRAID OF LOSING ETERNAL LIFE, BECAUSE IT DOESN'T DEPEND ON OUR STRENGTH. IT DEPENDS ON HIS. AND SINCE JESUS AND THE FATHER ARE ONE, WE CAN TRUST THAT GOD'S POWER KEEPS US SAFE. ETERNAL LIFE IS FOREVER, AND IT'S IN HIS HANDS—NOT OURS.

- WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU SAW IN TODAY'S PASSAGE THAT YOU CAN APPLY TO YOUR OWN LIFE?
- HOW DOES IT MAKE YOU FEEL TO KNOW JESUS WILL NEVER LET YOU GO?
- WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO YOU THAT JESUS KNOWS YOU BY NAME?



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