

FAMILY DEVOTION

BE DIFFERENT
“Stay Fired Up!”



“Let’s Stay Fired Up!”



“Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord.” - Romans 12:11 (NIV)

Say:

The Bible teaches us that following God is not a quick race but a long journey - like a really long run. We have to be able to make it to the finish line without running out of zeal and passion for Jesus!

Think about zeal and excitement for Jesus like a campfire. To keep it burning bright, we need to take care of it. We can feed it with God’s Word, keep it hot with prayer, and protect it from distractions that can blow it out.

Read:

Luke 2:41-52

Discuss:

- Who was the young boy?
- Who was looking for Jesus?
- What was Jesus doing when his parents found them?
- Did the teachers receive Jesus’ teaching?

Say:

This story shows us that being excited for God is not just about feelings. It’s also about the choices we make every day and what we do that is true to God’s Word.

Even when life gets hard, we must remember to “Stay Fired Up” for God! He is always there to help our hearts shine bright!

Discuss:

- Is it our responsibility to keep our fire for God burning?
- What are some ways we can do that?

Pray:

Pray that your children will pray every day to stay connected to God, study His Word to keep their heart fueled, and serve others to spread the fire. Pray that they will use the fire of God to impact their family, school, and community!