Game Plan - Growing Stronger in Faith Every Day

Visit the Parent Cue app (available for iOS and Android) to watch this week's Bible story. Download it for free at parentcue.org/app. Even if you already saw it at church, feel free to check it out again! After watching So&So, write one thing that: 1. You liked: 2. You learned: 3. You'd like to know:

DAY 2: WHY TALKING ABOUT GOD MATTERS Read Romans 10:14–15

God can use any way to share His message, but God chooses people, people like you, to talk about Him. Talking about God might be telling a friend something you learned from the Bible, sharing how God helped you, or answering a question about what you believe. Even the smallest conversation can help someone know God better, maybe for the first time. This week, we'll learn how to take those first steps, You don't need perfect words, just a willing heart. The Holy Spirit will give you courage and help you know what to say.

"One thing I know about God is	• **
"One person I can tell this to is	
"I can start the conversation by saying	

DAY 3: PRACTICE KIND WORDS AT HOME Read Colossians 4:5-6

Paul tells believers to let their words be full of grace. That means our words should be kind, helpful, and point people toward Jesus. Home is the perfect place to practice this. You already know your family well, but sometimes that makes it easier to speak without thinking. Practicing kind words at home can help you speak about God with kindness everywhere you go. Today, before you say something, pause for a few seconds and ask yourself, "Will this build the other person up?" If not, change your words. If you don't know what to say, you can always choose to listen. The more you practice speaking with grace at home, the easier it will be to speak about God with others. Kind words prepare the way for good conversations.

After dinner or before bed, each person says one kind sentence to someone in the room. Here are some examples.

"I noticed you	
"Thank you for	•
"I appreciate how you	

DAY 4: REPRESENT JESUS TODAY Read 2 Corinthians 5:20

In 2 Corinthians 5:20, believers are called Christ's ambassadors. An ambassador represents someone everywhere they go. How? Talk to God first. Ask the Holy Spirit for help. Hear from God by remembering what the Bible says. Pray again for courage. Then live for God by speaking with grace and truth. Prepare one sentence you can share, like, "God listens when I pray." Prepare one question you can ask, like, "What do you think about God?" If you do not know an answer, say, "I am learning," and look it up with a trusted adult. After you share, listen well. Thank God for the chance to grow, and plan your next conversation.

Circle the words that describe your next step: Listen – Share – Invite – Pray – Ignore

DAY 5: KEEP THE CONVERSATION GOING Read 1 Peter 3:15

This week, you've learned how to practice talking about God, starting simple, sharing at home, and representing jesus wherever you go. First Peter 3:15 says to always be ready to give an answer for the hope you have, but to do it with gentleness and respect. That means being ready to share in a way that points people toward Jesus, not away from Him. As you go into a new week, think about one person you can share with and one way you can show God's love in your words and actions. Let this week be the start, not the finish, of practicing talking about God.

Smile at someone who looks discouraged, pray for a country that God puts on your heart, or even just be nice to your siblings and parents. Your words and actions can point hearts to Jesus.

"God, help me keep the conversation going. Give me courage, kindness, and clear words so others can see You through me. In Jesus' name, amen."

Journal Spend some time thinking about the question below and journal your thoughts or share them with a parent. Who can you talk to about God?

