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# 1.1 God Is Trustworthy

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**Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

You can trust God completely to always be there for you. God has promised He will never leave or give up on those who have accepted Him. God wants you trust Him and seek Him.

**Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "Have you ever eaten something that didn't taste as good as it looked? What was it?"

**Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**PSALM 9:10**

And those who know Your name put their trust in You, for You, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek You.

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Section/Memory Verses:** 1.2 — God is Loving / Romans 8:38-39

**Conversation Starter:** What is the most loving thing that anyone has done for you? Who did it and what did he or she do?

**Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

You are on a journey of discipleship with your child. While that journey will look different over time, you can be confident that God and His Word will remain constant. Do you trust that God will lead you as you lead your child? As God proves Himself trustworthy to you each week, you have a responsibility to do your part. Commit to reading the Bible. Spend time in prayer. Surround yourself with other believers who can walk alongside you. You can trust that God is right there with you and your child on this amazing journey!

**Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Verse in Motion** — With your child, create hand and/or body motions or facial expressions that fit key words in the verse. Do the motions or facial expressions as you repeat the verse aloud several times together.

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# 1.2 God Is Loving

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**Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God loves us so much that He sent Jesus to die on the cross for our sins. When you accept Jesus as Savior, your relationship with God is restored and there is NOTHING that can separate you from God's love.

**Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "What is the most loving thing that anyone has done for you? Who did it and what did he or she do?"

**Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too

**ROMANS 8:38-39**

For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers.

Nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Section/Memory Verses:** 1.3 — God is Faithful / Deuteronomy 7:9

**Conversation Starter:** Have you ever taken a trip in an airplane or been on a roller coaster that has taken you off the ground? How far up in the sky do you think you have been?

**Encouragement for You**

Need some inspiration on the journey?

The disciples sat at the feet of Jesus daily. As they listened and learned from Him, their understanding of God's love for them grew. But sitting at the feet of Jesus takes time. It is easy to get caught up in the busyness of life. Take a minute to think about your past week. Have you been intentional about sitting at the feet of your loving Heavenly Father? Has the craziness of obligations become the master of your time? There is no love that could compare to the unconditional love that God has for you. He wants you to stop, sit at His feet, and rest in His love.

**Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Verse Stack** — Write the verse and reference on 15 plastic disposable cups, putting a few words on each cup. Demonstrate how to stack the cups so that they begin to form a pyramid. Have your child stack the cups in verse order beginning in the bottom left.

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# 1.3 God Is Faithful

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## Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God is faithful to keep His promises! He is faithful to help you grow to be more like Jesus, faithful to forgive, and faithful to help you when you are tempted or having a hard time.

## Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "Have you ever taken a trip in an airplane or been on a roller coaster that has taken you off the ground? How far up in the sky do you think you have been?"

## Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

### **DEUTERONOMY 7:9**

Know therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love Him and keep His commandments, to a thousand generations.

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## Coming Next Week ...

**Section/Memory Verses:** 1.4 — God is Patient / 2 Peter 3:9

**Conversation Starter:** What are three things you had to wait for when you were a child? Which was the most difficult to wait for? Why?

## Encouragement for You

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Do you have a friend who you know will be there for you whenever you call? Knowing you have someone to count on is a comfort when life gets tough. Whether you do or don't, you can always count on God to be completely faithful and true. He always keeps His promises and loves you more deeply than you can understand. No matter your circumstances, God is with you and He will never abandon you. Take some time this week to rest in God's presence and remember His faithfulness!

## Make It Stick

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Change Position** — Have your child read the memory verse while standing on one foot. Read the verse again with his or her arms straight up in the air. Continue to read the verse while having your child change his or her body position each time. Options might be standing on his or her toes, putting his or her hands on top of the head, or swinging his or her arms back and forth.

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# 1.4 God Is Patient

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## Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God wants everyone to repent, turn away from sin, and choose to follow Him. God is patient and wants people to choose Him. We should take every chance we get to tell people the good news of Jesus Christ.

## Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "What are three things you had to wait for when you were a child? Which was the most difficult to wait for? Why?"

## Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

### 2 PETER 3:9

The Lord is not slow to fulfill His promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.

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## Coming Next Week ...

**Section/Memory Verses:** 1.5 — God is Always at Work / Romans 8:28

**Conversation Starter:** Set a timer for one minute and count how many times you feel the beat of your child's pulse in that minute.

## Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

Waiting can be incredibly difficult! It can be easy to put God on a timetable. When waiting for God to do something, we sometimes get impatient and frustrated. But remember, God is never in a hurry and He is never late. God also knows exactly what we need and exactly when we need it. His patience causes Him to act in His perfect time, not ours. Where do you need to trust God's patient and perfect timing? When you are frustrated with God's seeming slowness to act, remember that He has promised to always do what is best according to His infinite wisdom and love.

## Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Vanishing Verse** — Using a dry erase marker, have your child write the verse on a mirror or window. Read the verse several times and then erase a couple of words. Read the verse again two or three times. Erase and repeat again until the verse is completely erased and the verse is memorized.

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# 1.5 God Is Always at Work

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### Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

We can trust God and know that He loves us. God will use everything we go through, good and bad, to help us to become more like Jesus Christ and a part of His bigger plan.

### Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked to set a timer for one minute and count how many times you feel the beat of your child's pulse in that minute.

### Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

#### **ROMANS 8:28**

And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to His purpose.

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### Coming Next Week ...

**Section/Memory Verses:** 1.6 — Review / All Unit One Verses

**Conversation Starter:** Tell your child one thing that you know and love about God.

### Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

Our lives are evidence of what we truly believe. Does your belief in God show up in what you say and do? God asks us to put our faith in Him and trust that He is always at work in our lives. When life gets tough and the rubber hits the road, what do you believe? If life feels out of control because of sickness, death, sin, or loss, do you trust that God is at work? God wants your heart to believe what your head knows. He loves you immeasurably and has a purpose and a plan in every circumstance. What situation do you need to trust God to be at work in?

### Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Pump Up the Volume** — Stretch your arm out to your side to be the volume control dial. Have your child watch you for the volume level as he or she recites the verse. For example, raise your hand for your child to get louder or lower your hand for your child to get softer. Don't do more than one volume per word. Take turns with your child leading the rounds of reciting.

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# 1.6 Unit 1 Review

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

**Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God is always at work in our lives. We can be confident that God is trustworthy, loving, faithful, and patient.

**Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

Your child won't have a question in their handbook because this is a review week, but you can start a conversation by telling your child one thing that you know and love about God.

**Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**PSALM 9:10**

**ROMANS 8:38-39**

**DEUTERONOMY 7:9**

**2 PETER 3:9**

**ROMANS 8:28**

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Section/Memory Verses:** 2.1 — Explanation of God's Grace / 2 Timothy 1:9

**Conversation Starter:** Have you ever seen someone be rescued by a fireman or a policeman? What happened?

**Encouragement for You**

Need some inspiration on the journey?

As you grow in your understanding of who God is, you will grow in your trust, obedience, and love for Him. Read through the Lesson Summary to be reminded of what has been covered in this unit about God. Pray that God would help you deepen your understanding of all that He is and encourage you by what that means for you!

**Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Review: Make it Stick** — Help your child find the verses that he or she has learned in their Bible. Provide sticky notes to mark the verses, and let your child read the verses directly from his or her Bible. Seeing that the verses are actually in the Bible and not just in the handbooks is important. Reading the verses again will help solidify what your child has memorized.

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## The Bible Is Explanation of God's Grace

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### Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God is holy and without sin. Because of our sin we are separated from God. God wants a relationship with us and offers us His grace and free gift of eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "Have you ever seen someone be rescued by a fireman or a policeman? What happened?"

### Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

#### **2 TIMOTHY 1:9**

Who [God] saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of His own purpose and grace, which He gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began.

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### Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.2 — God's Story Shared with Us / John 3:17

**Conversation Starter:** If you made up a story or drew a comic, what would it be about? Who would be the main character?

### Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

God's grace is a beautiful gift to us. We don't deserve God's love and grace and we cannot earn it. But when you have accepted Jesus as Savior, there is freedom to live as God lavishes His grace on you. When we feel like we have failed, we can rest in His grace. If we are enjoying peace and success, we can know that we are being sustained by His grace. God gives us the grace we need to become more like His Son. Take a minute to think about how you have experienced God's grace in your life!

### Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Colors of the Rainbow Verse** — Write out the verse using different colored pencils or markers for words or sentences. Review the colorful verse at least two to three times a day until it is memorized.

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# 2.2 The Bible Is God's Story Shared With Us

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

## Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

The Bible is the true story of God. God is the main character on every page. God's story helps us understand who God is, who we are, and helps us look at the world the way God does.

## Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "If you made up a story or drew a comic, what would it be about? Who would be the main character?"

## Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

### **JOHN 3:17**

For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through Him.

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## Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.3 — God's Love Letter to You / 1 John 4:9

**Conversation Starter:** What is the most interesting letter you've received in the mail?

## Encouragement for You

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

God's story is the greatest story ever told. Not because of the people in the Bible but because of who God is and how He showed Himself as He worked in the lives of people. God is still working in the lives of people today, including yours! The same Holy Spirit that indwelt the believers in the New Testament is in every believer today. God has a purpose and a plan for you. Do you know why God created you and how He wants you to be a part of His story? Can people see God through your story of your life?

## Make It Stick

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Flipped** — Write the verse in large print on sheets of paper with no more than three to five words per sheet. Lay the sheets on the floor in order, and have your child walk beside them while reading the verse aloud. After a few times, flip one sheet over and have your child walk and recite the verse again. Continue flipping over one sheet at a time until your child has the verse memorized.

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## 2.3

# The Bible Is God's Love Letter to You

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 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

The Bible is God's letter to us that tells us about God and how much He loves us. It tells us how we should live because God knows what is best for us. God wants you to read His letter and learn from it.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "What is the most interesting letter you've received in the mail?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**1 JOHN 4:9**

In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent His only Son into the world, so that we might live through Him.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.4 — God's Instruction to Love Him / Mark 12:30

**Conversation Starter:** Do you like to ask for directions or would you rather try to figure things out on your own?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Finding a handwritten letter in the mailbox is something rare and special. We take time to open it and read it. We appreciate the effort that was put into that letter and feel valued by the sender. God loves and values you so much that He wrote the Bible for you. He loves when you choose to spend time reading it. Reading God's Word draws you close to God. It will show you God's character and help you fall deeper in love with Him. God will reveal His plan and purpose for your life the more time you spend with Him!

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Repeat, Repeat, Repeat** — Have your child put a copy of the verse everywhere he or she spends time (e.g. in the car, in his or her room, in the bathroom, etc.). Every time they see the verse, your child should read the verse out loud three times.

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# 2.4 The Bible Is God's Instruction to Love Him

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 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

The Bible commands you to love God with ALL that you are. You can't love someone that you do not know. You can't know God unless you know what the Bible says about Him.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "Do you like to ask for directions or would you rather try to figure things out on your own?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**MARK 12:30**

And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.5 — God's Expectations Told to Us / Psalm 25:4

**Conversation Starter:** What are the top two expectations you have for me?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

When you love God with all that you are, you are able to love and disciple your family well. But no matter where we are in our spiritual journey, we always have room to grow. How are you being spiritually fed? Do you consistently spend time with God? Is being part of a church body a priority? You can only love and disciple from the overflow of your own growth and journey with God. Your relationship with God should be pursued with your entire being. What's one thing you could adjust to be better able to grow spiritually?

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Jumping Jack** — While doing jumping jacks, have your child recite the verse in time with his or her jumping. Repeat, doing this a few times every day until the verse is memorized.

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## 2.5

## The Bible Is God's Expectations Told to Us

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

If we want to know what God expects of us, we need to ask Him and look in the Bible for answers. God doesn't expect us to be perfect, but He is always there to help us try to be more like Him every day.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "What are the top two expectations you have for me?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**PSALM 25:4**

Make me to know Your ways, O LORD; teach me Your paths.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.6 — God's Tool to Transform Us / Romans 12:2

**Conversation Starter:** Crumple up a piece of foil and make it into the shape of an animal. Have your child guess what the animal is.

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Studying and knowing God's expectations are important. However, knowing God's Word in your head and letting it change your heart are two different things. When we know God's expectations but don't let them penetrate our hearts and souls, we can become proud and hypocritical. How are you helping your child to transfer his or her head knowledge into heart transformation? God wants you to not only know what is in His Word but also to be changed by the power of the Holy Spirit working through His Word.

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Action!** — Using your phone (or if your child has a phone), have him or her record themselves saying the verse. Have him or her play the recording five times every day until your child can say the verse fully on his or her own.

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# 2.6 The Bible Is God's Tool to Transform Us

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 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God changes us by His power when He uses truth from the Bible in our lives. As you learn what is in the Bible and spend time reading it, God will renew your mind and make your thinking be more and more like His.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked to crumple up a piece of foil and make it into the shape of an animal. Have your child guess what the animal is.

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**ROMANS 12:2**

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.7 — God's Good News to the World / Matthew 28:19-20

**Conversation Starter:** If you were given one million dollars, would you keep it all to yourself or spend it all? Would you share it with friends and family?

 **Encouragement for You**

Need some inspiration on the journey?

The moment you become a child of God, He begins shaping you into the image of His Son, Jesus Christ. If you are submitting to God's Word and His authority in your life, you will be transformed by the work of the Holy Spirit. Change can be exciting, painful, and always worth it in the end. In what areas is God transforming you right now? Does your child know how God has changed your life? If not, share your story with him or her this week. Rest in the knowledge that His plan for you is perfect and His transformation is for your good.

 **Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Cover Up** — Write the verse with its reference on a board or large piece of paper. Recite the verse aloud together several times and then cover a word with one or more sticky notes and recite the verse again. Then cover another word and recite the verse again. Repeat this pattern until all words are covered.

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# 2.7 The Bible Is God's Good News to the World

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

## Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

We are told to go and tell people the good news that is in the Bible so that they can accept Jesus as Savior and become His followers. You don't have to share God's good news on your own; Jesus is with you wherever you go.

## Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "If you were given one million dollars, would you keep it all to yourself or spend it all? Would you share it with friends and family?"

## Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

### **MATTHEW 28:19-20**

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.

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## Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 2.8 — Review / All Unit Two Verses

**Conversation Starter:** Tell your child your favorite part about reading the Bible.

## Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

Each person created is a unique individual. Even with all of our differences there is a commonality; we are all sinners who can be or already have been saved by grace. Once we are children of God, we each have incredible potential to impact the world for Christ ... that includes both you and your child! Do you believe that God will work mightily in your family to share God's gift of salvation with the world? How has God uniquely gifted each person in your family to share the gospel? What family and friends can your family begin sharing with today?

## Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Toss Across** — Have your child toss a bean bag across the circle to you. Each person who has the bean bag tossed to him or her should say one word of the verse. See how fast you and your child can say the verse.

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# 2.8 Unit 2 Review

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### Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God gave us the Bible so that we could know Him and understand His story of grace. He uses the Bible to transform us as we learn to obey His instructions and expectations. God wants us to share the good news in the Bible with the world!

### Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

Your child won't have a question in their handbook because this is a review week, but you can start a conversation by telling your child your favorite part about reading the Bible.

### Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**2 TIMOTHY 1:9**

**JOHN 3:17**

**1 JOHN 4:9**

**MARK 12:30**

**PSALM 25:4**

**ROMANS 12:2**

**MATTHEW 28:19-20**

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### Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.1 — Jesus Reigns / Luke 19:38

**Conversation Starter:** Have you ever attended a celebration that honored someone? Who was being honored and what was being celebrated?

### Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

How do you view the Bible? Is it just another book or is it God's Word that contains all you need and can transform your life? The physical pages aren't magical or mystical, but there is power in the words of God that you read. To grow in your relationship with God, you need to be reading and studying God's Word. Are you diligent and disciplined to read the Bible every day? God wants you to know Him and His Word. How can you rearrange your time and schedule to spend more time with God in His Word?

### Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Review: Make It Stick** — At this point, you probably know how your child best learns verses. Make note on anything you have learned from your child about memorizing. Write down any techniques that proved beneficial for your child. Keep that list and any other ideas handy.

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# 3.1 Jesus Reigns

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

## Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

During the triumphal entry, people praised Jesus as He entered Jerusalem. They didn't understand that Jesus came as their Savior and King of Kings not just to be the ruler of a country. Jesus is King over everything.

## Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "Have you ever attended a celebration that honored someone? Who was being honored and what was being celebrated?"

## Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

### **LUKE 19:38**

Saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

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## Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.2 — Jesus Serves / Mark 10:45

**Conversation Starter:** What is the one chore you don't like doing around the house? Why do you not like it? Why do you do it anyway?

## Encouragement for You

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Not all discipleship happens gathered around an open Bible in a quiet room while having deep theological discussions. Even though you may wish that your child would sit still, listen with rapt attention, and ask questions you are prepared to answer, that may not happen. More often than not, discipleship takes place in shorter conversations, amidst chaos and noise. In fact, Jesus often taught His disciples as they walked, fished, worked, or talked over a meal. What expectations do you need to release so that you can see more opportunities to have conversations with your child that are peppered with God's truth, love, and grace?

## Make It Stick

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Sing-a-long** — Try setting the words of the verse to a familiar tune. Teach the song to your child, and practice it together a few times.

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# 3.2 Jesus Serves

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

**Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

Jesus showed His disciples, and us, how we should love and serve others when He washed their feet. If you have Jesus as your Savior, you will serve Jesus by serving others.

**Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "What is the one chore you don't like doing around the house? Why do you not like it? Why do you do it anyway?"

**Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**MARK 10:45**

For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.3 — Jesus Prays / Luke 22:41-42

**Conversation Starter:** Whom do you talk with when you have a bad day? How does that person help you?

**Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Being a parent is an incredible privilege and responsibility. It brings moments of both great joy and great frustration, sometimes in the same day. Life is so hectic that it can be easy to go through the motions without intentionality. But parenting should be purposeful and an act of service to God; it isn't just a checklist that needs to get done. Be encouraged. What you do does not go unnoticed. God sees every sacrifice you make and the time you spend intentionally serving your family. Your child is looking to you as an example and is learning from you what it means to serve.

**Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Verse Recorder** — Have your child record himself or herself saying the verse five times perfectly, in five different kinds of voices. Have your child watch the video and then try to repeat the verse on his or her own. Watch and repeat until your child has the verse memorized.

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# 3.3 Jesus Prays

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

When Jesus knew it was almost time for Him to be arrested, He was very troubled and took time to pray. Prayer is the safe place you can tell God everything good and bad that you are thinking and feeling.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "Whom do you talk with when you have a bad day? How does that person help you?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**LUKE 22:41-42**

And He withdrew from them about a stone's throw, and knelt down and prayed.

Saying, "Father, if You are willing, remove this cup from Me. Nevertheless, not My will, but Yours, be done."

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.4 — Jesus Sacrifices / Ephesians 5:2

**Conversation Starter:** Have you ever had to give something up for someone else? What did you give up and whom did you give it up for?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

God hears us when we pray. He wants us to spend time talking with Him every day. How much importance do you place on prayer? Do you get away like Jesus did to spend time with God? Do you honor the time you have with the King of Kings with respect or are you complacent? Your perspective on prayer will be contagious with your child. Pray with confidence that God will hear and answer you. As you pray the impossible and accept God's will in every situation, your child will see your faith. What would your family look like if prayer were your top priority?

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Verse Unscramble** — Type the verse with its reference in large letters and print it on paper. Cut the verse into strips so each strip contains two to three words. Mix up the strips and put them into a baggie or envelope. Allow your child to practice the verse by putting the strips in order. Have your child then practice reciting the verse aloud.

**SECTION 3.3 COMPLETED**


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# 3.4 Jesus Sacrifices

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

**Lesson Summary**

*Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!*

Jesus loves you more than you can imagine. Jesus died on the cross in your place so that you can have a relationship with God. Jesus is the only one who could have made that sacrifice because He is perfect and He is God.

**Conversation Starter**

*Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.*

You will be asked: "Have you ever had to give something up for someone else? What did you give up and whom did you give it up for?"

**Memory Verse**

*Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!*

**EPHESIANS 5:2**

*And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.*

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.5 — Jesus Lives Again / Matthew 28:6

**Conversation Starter:** How do you share great news with people? Who are the first people you tell?

**Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Have you ever been to a sporting event where everyone was cheering and going crazy for their team? People scream and yell and lose their voices over their team's success. Successful plays and talented players are celebrated. Social media trends with exciting games, plays, and scores. But sporting events are temporal; they last a few hours at most and are soon forgotten. Our relationship and walk with God is eternal. Every day God is working in your life and doing great things. How can you stop and cheer for all that God has done?

**Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Clap it Out** — Clap a beat to go along with the verse. Say the verse out loud with your child to the beat and repeat it several times a day until the verse is memorized.

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# 3.5 Jesus Lives Again

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

Jesus is God and has power over death. When two women went to the tomb where Jesus had been buried, an angel told them to go tell the disciples Jesus was alive. God wants us to be filled with joy because Jesus is alive.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "How do you share great news with people? Who are the first people you tell?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**MATTHEW 28:6**

He is not here, for He has risen, as He said. Come, see the place where He lay.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.6 — Jesus Restores / 1 Peter 5:10

**Conversation Starter:** How do you make things better when you have a fight with a friend? What do you do or say?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

As a believer, you have the best reason to have hope — Jesus Christ is alive and you are forgiven! Our hope in Jesus' resurrection is an anchor for our soul (Hebrews 6:19) and a promise of things yet to come. We can rest in the confidence that Jesus has conquered death and our eternity is secure in Him. Do you cling to the promise of your salvation? You can face tomorrow with confidence knowing that Jesus conquered death and sin and you are a child of God. Set your hope on your living Savior! He has risen, He has risen indeed!

 **Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Verse Puzzles** — There are many websites that offer templates to make your own puzzles or word games to aid learning. Try the Discover Education Puzzle Maker website: [discoveryeducation.com/free-puzzlemaker](http://discoveryeducation.com/free-puzzlemaker). Here you can type in the week's verse to create various puzzles.\*

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# 3.6 Jesus Restores

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God uses the hard things we go through to make us more like Jesus. Peter learned what it meant to stand up and say that he knew Jesus even when others might hate him for it.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "How do you make things better when you have a fight with a friend? What do you do or say?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**1 PETER 5:10**

And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.7 — Jesus Gives / Acts 1:8

**Conversation Starter:** Have you ever had to tell a boss or someone in authority some important facts about something that you saw happen? What was it about?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

God's desire for us to grow never fades. Jesus demonstrated His commitment and patience with His disciples repeatedly. And He has that same commitment and patience for you and your spiritual journey. God has begun a good work in you, and He is faithful to bring that work to completion (Philippians 1:6). As believers, we don't need to dwell on guilt and the ways that we have failed God. We are redeemed and restored. We should press on in our journey to be more like Jesus (Philippians 3:12-14). Are you living your life in a place of forgiveness and restoration?

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Race the Toss** — Have your child toss a ball or small object into the air and catch it. Each time he or she does, have your child say a couple words of the verse. Repeat until your child has said the entire verse. As your child gets better and better at saying the verse, have him or her race against himself or herself to see how much of the verse can be said while the ball is in the air.

**SECTION 3.6 COMPLETED**


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# 3.7 Jesus Gives

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

**Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

Jesus told His disciples that they were going to receive the Holy Spirit and be His witnesses. Many people heard about Jesus because the Holy Spirit empowered the disciples. With the power of God, we can be the witnesses He needs us to be.

**Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "Have you ever had to tell a boss or someone in authority some important facts about something that you saw happen? What was it about?"

**Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**ACTS 1:8**

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 3.8 — Review / All Unit Three Verses

**Conversation Starter:** Tell your child what Jesus means to you.

**Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Has your family fallen into familiar routines? Does your child see a pattern of discipleship in your family? Is the Holy Spirit leading all that your family does? There is comfort and familiarity in routine, especially in the middle of chaos. But sometimes routine can become boring, and repetition breeds a lack of intentionality and just going through the motions. At that point, we begin to depend on ourselves and not God. If your family's discipleship has grown stale, throw in something unexpected, like a different way to experience the Bible together, and let the Holy Spirit use the opportunity to grow your family!

**Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**First Letters** — Write the memory verse with its reference on the board. Read the verse several times with your child. Then erase each word, leaving only the first letter of the word. Let your child recite the verse, looking at the letters to remind them of each word. (You can erase all words at once or erase only a few words at a time after each verse recitation.) Keep practicing until your child can say the verse without any letters.

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# 3.8 Unit 3 Review

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

### Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

Jesus is the King of Kings but also our greatest example of serving others. Through His sacrifice on the cross and then living again, we can have a relationship with God. Jesus promised the Holy Spirit would empower the disciples after He went back to heaven.

### Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

Your child won't have a question in their handbook because this is a review week, but you can start a conversation by telling your child what Jesus means to you.

### Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**LUKE 19:38**

**MARK 10:45**

**LUKE 22:41-42**

**EPHESIANS 5:2**

**MATTHEW 28:6**

**1 PETER 5:10**

**ACTS 1:8**

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### Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.1 — Discovery of Love / Galatians 5:14

**Conversation Starter:** Think about an interesting neighbor you have had or someone you've had to sit by. What was he or she like?

### Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

You and your child have spent the past weeks learning about Jesus' life while He lived as a man here on earth. Learning more about Jesus can lead us to a new appreciation for what Jesus has done for us. When we consider the sacrifice that Jesus made and the incredible grace that He has shown, we grow in our understanding of God's great love for us and want to show grace and love to others. How can remembering what Jesus has done help you in your relationships this week?

### Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Review: Make It Stick** — Every person is unique and created differently. If your child is having difficulty memorizing, experiment with him or her. Does your child need to be moving while memorizing or reciting? Could your child walk in place or in a small area? Does your child need all distractions blocked out? Have your child cover his or her eyes and/or ears. Be creative and help your child figure out what works best!

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# 4.1 Discovery Of Love

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

**Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

When you have Jesus as your Savior, you will live a life that shows people who God is and how He loves people. To love people well, you need to depend on God and the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "Think about an interesting neighbor you have had or someone you've had to sit by. What was he or she like?"

**Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**GALATIANS 5:14**

For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

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**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.2 — Discovery of Joy / Psalm 16:11

**Conversation Starter:** Name three things that can float and three things that sink.

**Encouragement for You**

Need some inspiration on the journey?

Our society often equates love with how we feel about someone. But love is not just a feeling or emotion; love is often a choice we make to do something in spite of our feelings. In our humanness, loving others can be difficult. As you depend on God's perfect love, He will help you love others. Remember, the God of the universe loved you so much that He sent His Son to die on the cross for you. That is the best example of sacrificial and intentional love. How can you bear the fruit of love more intentionally this week?

**Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Toss Across** — Have your child toss a beanbag across the circle to you. Each person who has the beanbag tossed to him or her should say one word of the verse. See how fast you and your child can say the verse.

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# 4.2 Discovery Of Joy

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

When we trust Jesus as our Savior, God gives us grace to have joy when life is good and when it isn't. When people see your joy, they will want to have what you have!

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked to name three things that float and three things that sink.

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**PSALM 16:11**

You make known to me the path of life; in Your presence there is fullness of joy; at Your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.3 — Discovery of Peace and Patience / 2 Thessalonians 3:16

**Conversation Starter:** "What is the most peaceful place you have ever been? Where were you and what made it so peaceful?"

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

God calls us to a life filled with joy. Are you able to rejoice always? Is your joy dependent on circumstances and people? Joy is not a plastered smile or constant laughing. Joy is the banner you wave when God is sitting on the throne as King of your life. It is a dependence on God and His hope that brings His peace. Your attitude and countenance can have an incredible impact on others. Does your life radiate joy? Take a few minutes to pray and ask God to fill you with joy and stay focused on Him in spite of your circumstances.

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Repeat, Repeat, Repeat** — Have your child put a copy of the verse everywhere he or she spends time (e.g. in the car, in his or her room, in the bathroom, etc.). Every time they see the verse, your child should read the verse out loud three times.

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## SECTION

# 4.3 Discovery Of Peace and Patience

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

Since God loves us and He is the God of peace, He wants us to have His peace. We can never be truly at peace or have patience with ourselves or with others without God.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.

You will be asked: "What is the most peaceful place you have ever been? Where were you and what made it so peaceful?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**2 THESSALONIANS 3:16**

Now may the Lord of peace Himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.4 — Discovery of Kindness and Goodness / Ephesians 2:10

**Conversation Starter:** What have you done for someone else that you didn't expect something nice in return? Whom did you do it for and what did you do?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

In the Bible, Jesus showed patience with His disciples over and over again. Being patient with circumstances and people isn't always easy. We live in a chaotic world, and we desperately need God daily. Parenting, in particular, is filled with situations demanding our flexibility and patience. When things don't go the way you intended or you are frustrated with others, do you pray for a Christ-like patient attitude and ask the Holy Spirit to guide you? When we submit to God's authority and will, His peace and patience will flow through us.

 **Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Change Position** — Have your child read the memory verse while standing on one foot. Read the verse again with his or her arms straight up in the air. Continue to read the verse while having your child change his or her body position each time. Options might be standing on his or her toes, putting his or her hands on top of the head, or swinging his or her arms back and forth.

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## 4.4

Discovery Of  
Kindness and Goodness

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

We can only be truly kind and good by the power of the Holy Spirit. You are an example of goodness when you make the choices God wants you to make, and you are also showing kindness to others.

 Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "What have you done for someone else that you didn't expect something nice in return? Whom did you do it for and what did you do?"

 Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**EPHESIANS 2:10**

For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.5 — Discovery of Faithfulness / Colossians 1:10

**Conversation Starter:** Play follow the leader. Take turns being the leader. Who had a harder time following the leader exactly? Who liked being the leader and who liked being the follower?

 Encouragement for You

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

While you are discipling your child each day, it is important to remember that you are on your own spiritual journey too. When your relationship with God is growing, God can use you more effectively. How well are you worshipping God in this season of life? How can you stay focused on the goodness of God without the distractions of life getting in the way of your relationship? No matter what you face daily, God is still good. Pray that God would help you understand how good He is and to worship Him fully this week.

 Make It Stick

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Pump Up the Volume!** — Stretch your arm out to your side to be the volume control dial. Have your child watch you for the volume level as he or she recites the verse. For example, raise your hand for your child to get louder or lower your hand for your child to get softer. Don't do more than one volume per word. Take turns with your child leading the rounds of reciting.

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**4.5** **Discovery Of Faithfulness**

*As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!*

**Lesson Summary**

*Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!*

The first step in being faithful is accepting Jesus as your Savior. Being faithful is a daily choice to follow Jesus. When you are faithful, you will fall more in love with God, and God will bless you!

**Conversation Starter**

*Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.*

You will be asked to play follow the leader. Take turns being the leader. Who had a harder time following the leader exactly? Who liked being the leader and who liked being the follower?

**Memory Verse**

*Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!*

**COLOSSIANS 1:10**

*So as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to Him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God.*

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.6 — Discovery of Gentleness and Self-Control / 1 Timothy 6:11

**Conversation Starter:** What is your favorite dessert? Imagine it is sitting on a plate right in front of you. Would you eat all of it as fast as you could, or would you take time eating it and save some for later?

**Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Have faith ... God is working in your life! You grow in faith when you spend time with God each day. You grow in faith when you pray for that which only God can accomplish. You grow in faith when you selflessly serve your family. God knows when you are faithful in spite of your feelings, and He comes alongside you to help you when you are not. God has given you the grace you need to accomplish His purposes in your life. He will empower you for every good work so that Jesus Christ will be glorified in and through you. He will grow your faith!

**Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Flipped** — Write the verse in large print on sheets of paper with no more than three to five words per sheet. Lay the sheets on the floor in order, and have your child walk beside them while reading the verse aloud. After a few times, flip one sheet over and have your child walk and recite the verse again. Continue flipping over one sheet at a time until your child has the verse memorized.

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## SECTION

# 4.6 Discovery Of Gentleness and Self-Control

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

## Lesson Summary

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

God gives us grace to have gentleness and self-control. Gentleness is a humble and gentle attitude that doesn't seek revenge. Having self-control means not doing what your sinful nature may want to do.

## Conversation Starter

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook [Start Here](#) activity each week.

You will be asked: "What is your favorite dessert? Imagine it is sitting on a plate right in front of you. Would you eat all of it as fast as you could, or would you take time eating it and save some for later?"

## Memory Verse

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

### 1 TIMOTHY 6:11

But as for you, O man of God, flee these things. Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness.

## Coming Next Week ...

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.7 — Discovery of Grace / Galatians 5:22-23

**Conversation Starter:** What is your favorite smell? Why do you like that smell the most? Does it remind you of anything specific?

## Encouragement for You

Need some inspiration on the journey?

There is no such thing as a perfect parent. Only Jesus is perfect. You will make mistakes along the way as you lead your child. That is a reality of being human and not God. However, how you react in those moments can make a difference in your child's spiritual journey. If we let it, our humanness can get in the way of what God wants us to do and who He wants us to be. But when we allow the Holy Spirit to control our lives, He can take our imperfections and mistakes and make something beautiful out of them.

## Make It Stick

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Vanishing Verse** — Using a dry erase marker, have your child write the verse on a mirror or window. Read the verse several times and then erase a couple of words. Read the verse again two or three times. Erase and repeat again until the verse is completely erased and the verse is memorized.

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## SECTION

# 4.7 Discovery Of Grace

As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!

 **Lesson Summary**

Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!

The fruit of the Spirit comes from the Holy Spirit and is proof of a relationship with God and a love for God. Growing in grace means others will see the fruit of the Spirit in your actions, attitudes, and words.

 **Conversation Starter**

Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook *Start Here* activity each week.

You will be asked: "What is your favorite smell? Why do you like that smell the most? Does it remind you of anything specific?"

 **Memory Verse**

Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!

**GALATIANS 5:22-23**

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness.

Gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

**Coming Next Week ...**

**Lesson/Memory Verses:** 4.8 — Review / All Unit Four Verses

**Conversation Starter:** Tell your child about a time when God helped you have the fruit of the Spirit. What happened and how did God help you?

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

The fruit of the Spirit is present in our lives when we are abiding in Christ and are spiritually healthy. The attributes named in Galatians 5:22-23 are signs that God is doing a work in our lives. Think about what that would look like on a daily basis. Does your joy fluctuate depending on the craziness of life? Do you show peace and patience in spite of the good and difficult? Is your service filled with goodness and kindness? Spend time with God to grow in these things. Be honest when you fail, and ask for forgiveness from Him and from others. Your child sees your example of how you discover God's grace, and it will influence his or her spiritual growth too!

 **Make It Stick**

Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!

**Verse Recorder** — Have your child record himself or herself saying the verse five times perfectly, in five different kinds of voices. Have your child watch the video and then try to repeat the verse on his or her own. Watch and repeat until your child has the verse memorized.

**SECTION 4.7 COMPLETED**


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## SECTION

# 4.8 Unit 4 Review

*As you complete each section, check off the box. When all sections are done, sign off or have your child sign off just like you sign off on his or hers!*

 **Lesson Summary**

*Do you want to know what your child learned this week? Read this lesson summary and reflect on what you think about this topic!*

The fruit of the Spirit is godly attitudes that show up in the lives of anyone who has accepted Jesus Christ as Savior. Over time, God will grow those attitudes in the life of every believer.

 **Conversation Starter**

*Your child will ask you to share from your personal experience! These also appear in the kid's handbook Start Here activity each week.*

Your child won't have a question in their handbook because this is a review week, but you can start a conversation by telling your child about a time when God helped you have the fruit of the Spirit. What happened and how did God help you?

 **Memory Verse**

*Are you curious what your child is memorizing this week? See if you can memorize the verse(s) too!*

**GALATIANS 5:14**    **PSALM 16:11**    **2 THESSALONIANS 3:16**  
**EPHESIANS 2:10**    **COLOSSIANS 1:10**    **1 TIMOTHY 6:11**  
**GALATIANS 5:22-23**

 **Encouragement for You**

*Need some inspiration on the journey?*

Your child has just finished learning a great deal about God, the Bible, redemption, and ways to have an active faith. You have also been on a journey along with him or her, and it's time to celebrate what God is doing in your life. As you look back, what is the one insight that you want to take with you?

 **Make It Stick**

*Do you need a creative activity to help with memorizing verses? Read this suggested activity and look for a time this week when you can do this with your child!*

**Review: Make It Stick** — Help your child find the verses that they have learned in their Bible. Give him or her sticky notes to mark the verses, and read the verses directly from the Bible. Seeing that the verses are actually in the Bible and not just in a handbook is important. Reading the verses again will help solidify what has been memorized.

**SECTION 4.8 COMPLETED**


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