

# faith & family

## Life Source

### Family Devotions

Hopefully your preteen is beginning to develop a habit of personal devotions. But there are still plenty of times when your input is needed—and valued. Encourage your child to read the daily Scriptures. Read the verses yourself. Use the questions to help your preteen understand the verses and apply them to life. Discover and learn from God’s Word—together!

○ **SUNDAY**—Read John 3:16-21.

What was God’s purpose in sending Jesus into the world? What is the result of believing in Jesus? What is the result of not believing in Him?

○ **MONDAY**—Read John 10:10-18.

How does Jesus describe His reason for coming to earth? What do you think it means to have life “to the full”? In what ways do you see that Jesus is like a shepherd?

○ **TUESDAY**—Read 1 John 3:1-6.

What does it mean to you to say that you are a “child of God”? How does it demonstrate God’s love that He made us His children? How should our lives change because of the hope Jesus gives us?

○ **WEDNESDAY**—Read 1 John 4:7-12.

What is the greatest example of love? How does God’s love affect us? How should our love reflect God’s love for us?

○ **THURSDAY**—Read 1 John 5:11-13.

What does “eternal life” mean to you? Why is it important to know that we have eternal life? Why is it important to share the story of Jesus with others?

○ **FRIDAY**—Read Romans 6:5-10.

When we “die with Christ,” it means that we don’t live the way the world does. How does it help us to know that Jesus gives us power over sin?

○ **SATURDAY**—Read Romans 8:10-14.

In what ways should our lives change when the Holy Spirit lives in us? (See Galatians 5:22, 23.) In what circumstances do you think you need to allow the Holy Spirit to lead you more?



**POWER SURGE**

Find this verse in the Bible. Together, memorize the verse.

**Acts 4:12**

Talk to God! He’s waiting to hear from you!