

Together Time

Bartimaeus Follows Jesus: Luke 18:35-43; Mark 10:46-52

Family Talk

Listening to God and doing right are two important

aspects of a Christian's life. As a parent, it is important to let your child know that people can listen to and hear the teachings of God through reading His Word, the Bible.

Your child needs to see you reading God's Word. It is during one of those times that your child may ask, "What are you doing?" This teachable moment will give you the opportunity to answer, "I'm reading from the Bible and learning what God wants me to do." Your child will remember your example throughout his lifetime.

Bible Memory FUN

Matthew 4:19

Find this verse in a family Bible. Make a family train by linking arms. Follow one another through the house and say the Bible words as you go.

This week, help your child remember:

Jesus wants us to follow Him.



Family Fun...

Follow Me. Blindfold one person, representing Bartimaeus. Another family member can play the part of Jesus and call out his location. The blindfolded person must locate "Jesus" by listening to the voice. Other family members can help the blindfolded person find Jesus. After everyone has had a turn being Bartimaeus, talk about how it felt to be blind. How did it feel to be able to see again?

Daily Talks with God

Use these thoughts at mealtimes, bedtimes, or other times when you pray with your child this week.

Jesus had power to help Bartimaeus.

Thank You, God, that I can see (name a favorite object).

Dear God, please help (name of someone who has a special need).

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