

Together Time

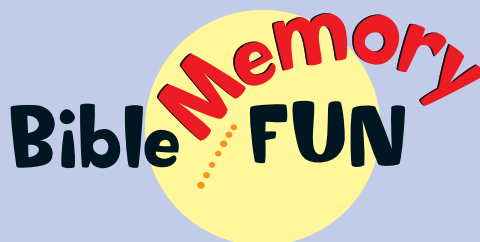
Jesus Teaches About Helping: Matthew 7:12; Luke 10:25-27



Developing a habit of demonstrating kind acts and using kind

words is an important part of the growth process for children. In order for this growth to take place, kindness must be modeled in the home. In our fast-paced world, it is easy to overlook even simple acts and words of kindness.

Kindness requires an investment of time and energy. Take advantage of opportunities to demonstrate kindness this week. Say please and thank you. Serve someone an unexpected drink of hot chocolate. Give a compliment. The investment of your time and energy will benefit your family for years to come. Continue to focus on kindness until it becomes a regular part of home activities.



John 14:23

Find this verse in a family Bible. Together as a family, make up a song or cheer that includes the Bible Memory. Sing the song or say the cheer throughout the week.

This week, help your child remember:

We can help others.



Act of Kindness. As a family, choose a way to show kindness to someone in your neighborhood this week. Is there an elderly woman who needs help with a specific chore? Would someone benefit from a home-cooked meal? Explore the possibilities of people who need help, and then act with kindness on that area of need.



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

Thank You, God, for helping me.

God, help me to obey Your teaching.

I want to help others like the man from Samaria did!

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