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For Children Ages 6 Through 8



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Dear Boys and Girls,

Do you look up to someone—maybe a parent or teacher? Do you trust them and believe they know what is best for you? Do you listen to what they tell you because they know more than you do and you want to please them?

God wants to spend time with you so that you can know and trust Him. He loves you more than anything in heaven or on earth, and He wants the very best for you. There are exciting things He wants to teach you. God knows everything about everything; so He deserves all your praise, trust, and obedience. Your obedience brings Him and you joy.

Jesus came, died, and rose from the dead just to help you understand God's great love for you.

TO THE TEACHER

Spring lends itself to so many illustrations to help children understand about their relationship with God.

As you speak of God's provision, are there any stories you can share of times in your own life when you prayed for something and God met that need? Take prayer requests, and watch the children's faith grow.

Use a relationship rope to explain the three following strands (all equally important) in our relationship with God:

1. When we pray and read the Bible, we are **BUILDING** that relationship. We are getting to know the Father and interacting with Him as a child with a parent.
2. When we praise God and give Him glory, we are **TELLING** Him, "I love You" with our heart and mouth.
3. When we obey and when we care for others, we are **SHOWING** our love for God.

You have the honor of helping children fall in love with a God they can trust and love forever.

Hope on the Highway

“Uh-oh,” Dad said as the car sputtered and rolled to a stop.

“What’s wrong, Dad?” Miguel asked his father. He looked up and down the long desert road. There were no cars in sight.

“I think we’ve run out of gas. The fuel gauge must be broken.”

“What will we do?” Miguel asked.

“The first thing we need to do is pray,” his father answered.

“I’ll pray, Dad!” Miguel said. “Dear Lord, I know we are alone on this desert road, but You can send someone to help. Thank You for our car, and thank You for Your answer to prayer. Amen.”

“Now we wait,” Dad said.

Miguel enjoyed the time with his father. Dad smiled at his son. “I’m thinking of another time a father and son were alone together and had to trust God to provide. Do you remember the story of Abraham and Isaac on the mountain, son?”

“When God provided a ram for the sacrifice because Abraham trusted in Him?” (see Genesis 22:1-14).

“That’s right. And we are going to trust Him to provide, just as Abraham did.” Dad smiled.

Just then, a truck pulled up behind them. The kind driver had some gas in a red can and offered help. Before long, Miguel and his father were on their way. God had provided.