



Parent Tools



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Vocabulary

Pentateuch:

The First Five Books of the Bible

Historical:

Really happened in the past

Theme:

A subject that keeps coming up

Inspired:

Directed by the Holy Spirit

Equipping:

Providing what is needed (*before it is needed*)

Cut these out (Laminate if you can) , glue back-to-back, punch a hole at the top and hang around your rearview mirror for Car Chats!



Car Chats

1. Why do you think God gave us the Bible?

2. Tell me your favorite Bible story in the Old Testament!

3. Tell me your favorite Bible story from the New Testament and what we could learn from that!

4. What did you read in your Bible and what was God saying to you through spending time with Him?

PRAYING WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS!



One way to pray powerful prayers is to find a verse in the Bible, personalize it, then pray it for your family member, your team, your church, your neighborhood, or whoever God puts on your heart! Then, don't limit yourself to just the verse - as thoughts come to your mind that line up with that verse or others ways you could pray for that person/group, then pray that out also!

"Lord, thank You for loving us so well. I pray that _____ would be so rooted and grounded in Your love that they would begin to understand how huge Your love is - both to them and to flow through them. They would be so over-filled with Your love that they are filled to the fullness of You! (Based on Ephesians 3:17-19)

"Dear Jesus, can You prepare and send some of Your followers into _____'s life? They need to know You." (Based on Matthew 9:27-28)

"God, Jesus prayed that I would have Your joy made full in me. Can You show me what Your Word says that will help me think the way You want, and enter into Your joy?" (*Pray this for others, too!*) (Based on John 15:11 & John 17:13)

"Father, the Bible says You are able to do way more than we could ever ask, think, dream or even imagine, through Your power that you want to work in and through me. Help me to see myself that way." (Based on Ephesians 3:20)

Now, find a verse or two that you want to pray out and work together to pray those verses!

Table Talk Cards. Let these stir up Godly discussions at your breakfast, lunch or dinner table. Add these to a recipe box and build on them with the monthly memory verse, future months discussions and other FUN ideas and scriptures you find and add! Add in movies, favorite characters from books and more! The possibilities are endless!



Funny Family!

WHICH BOOK OF THE BIBLE WAS NAMED AFTER A COFFEE SHOP?

- Hebrews

HOW MANY CARS ARE IN THE BIBLE?

- 3. God drove

Adam and Eve out of the Garden in a Fury. David's Triumph was heard throughout the land. And, the Bible says the apostles were all in one Accord.

Review

HOW MUCH OF THE BIBLE IS INSPIRED BY GOD?

- All of it!

WAS THE NEW TESTAMENT WRITTEN BEFORE OR AFTER JESUS WAS BORN?

- After

WHICH TESTAMENT TELLS US ABOUT NOAH?

- Old Testament

WHICH TESTAMENT TELLS US ABOUT PAUL'S MISSIONARY JOURNEYS?

- New Testament

WHICH TESTAMENT SHOULD WE READ?

- Both of them!

What does the Bible say?

Print off the Bible Topics pages, then cut them out.

Then place all the subjects into a bowl, bag, or some other container, preferably one that will not allow the kids to choose the card they draw.

When your family is together, either choose one that fits the conversation or concerns of the day, or allow one person to randomly pull a card from the container.

Read the verses out-loud, then talk about how those verses should determine our perspectives.

Conversations

IF YOU COULD GO BACK IN TIME TO BE A PART OF JUST ONE BOOK OF THE BIBLE, WHICH BOOK WOULD YOU CHOOSE?

WHICH PERSON FROM THE BIBLE (OTHER THAN JESUS) WOULD YOU LOVE TO TALK WITH?

IF YOU COULD MAKE UP THE NAME OF A BOOK OF THE BIBLE, WHAT WOULD IT BE AND WHY?

WHICH PERSON IN THE BIBLE DO YOU WISH YOU COULD BE MORE LIKE?

WHO IS ONE PERSON IN THE BIBLE THAT YOU HAVE LEARNED FROM? WHAT DID YOU LEARN?

LOVE

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance.

Ephesians 3:17-19

Then Christ will make his home in your hearts as you trust in him. Your roots will grow down into God's love and keep you strong. 18 And may you have the power to understand, as all God's people should, how wide, how long, how high, and how deep his love is. 19 May you experience the love of Christ, though it is too great to understand fully. Then you will be made complete with all the fullness of life and power that comes from God.

1 Corinthians 16:14

And do everything with love.



FRIENDS

Proverbs 13:20

Walk with the wise and become wise; associate with fools and get in trouble.

Proverbs 22:24-25

Don't befriend angry people or associate with hot-tempered people, or you will learn to be like them and endanger your soul.

Luke 6:31-32, 35

Do to others as you would like them to do to you. If you love only those who love you, why should you get credit for that? Even sinners love those who love them! Love your enemies! Do good to them. Lend to them without expecting to be repaid. Then your reward from heaven will be very great, and you will truly be acting as children of the Most High, for He is kind to those who are unthankful and wicked.

Proverbs 22:11

Whoever loves a pure heart and gracious speech will have the king as a friend.



PEACE

2 Thessalonians 3:16

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

Isaiah 26:3

You will keep in perfect peace all who trust in You, all whose thoughts are fixed on You!

Philippians 4:6

Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus. *(The next 2 verses are awesome as well!)*

John 14:27

(This is Jesus talking!)

"I am leaving you with a gift—peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give is a gift the world cannot give. So don't be troubled or afraid."



MONEY

Proverbs 13:22

Good people leave an inheritance to their grandchildren, but the sinner's wealth passes to the godly.

Proverbs 13:11

Wealth from get-rich-quick schemes quickly disappears; wealth from hard work grows over time.

Philippians 4:19

And this same God who takes care of me will supply all your needs from His glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus.

Luke 6:38

Give, and you will receive. Your gift will return to you in full—pressed down, shaken together to make room for more, running over, and poured into your lap. The amount you give will determine the amount you get back.



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BULLIES

Matthew 5:44-47

But I say, love your enemies! Pray for those who persecute you! In that way, you will be acting as true children of your Father in heaven. For He gives His sunlight to both the evil and the good, and He sends rain on the just and the unjust alike. If you love only those who love you, what reward is there for that? Even corrupt tax collectors do that much. If you are kind only to your friends, how are you different from anyone else? Even the unsaved do that.

Ephesians 6:12

For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places.

Romans 12:14

Bless those who persecute you. Don't curse them; pray that God will bless them.

1 Corinthians 16:14

And do everything with love.



John 10:10
The thief's purpose is to steal and kill and destroy. My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life.



LISTENING

James 1:19

Understand this, my dear brothers and sisters: You must all be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to get angry.

Proverbs 18:13, 15

Spouting off before listening to the facts is both shameful and foolish. Intelligent people are always ready to learn. Their ears are open for knowledge.

Proverbs 12:15

Fools think their own way is right, but the wise listen to others.

John 10:3-5

The gatekeeper opens the gate for Him, and the sheep recognize His voice and come to Him. He calls His own sheep by name and leads them out. After He has gathered His own flock, He walks ahead of them, and they follow Him because they know His voice. They won't follow a stranger; they will run from him because they don't know his voice."



HEALING

1 Peter 2:24

He personally carried our sins in His body on the cross so that we can be dead to sin and live for what is right. By His wounds you are healed.

Psalms 103:2-5

Let all that I am praise the Lord; may I never forget the good things He does for me. He forgives all my sins and heals all my diseases. He redeems me from death and crowns me with love and tender mercies. He fills my life with good things. My youth is renewed like the eagle's!

Proverbs 17:22

A cheerful heart is good medicine, but a broken spirit saps a person's strength.

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JOY

Romans 14:17

For the Kingdom of God is not a matter of what we eat or drink, but of living a life of goodness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.

1 Chronicles 16:27

Honor and majesty surround Him; strength and joy fill His dwelling.

John 17:13

"Now I am coming to you. I told them many things while I was with them in this world so they would be filled with My joy.

Nehemiah 8:10

Don't be dejected and sad, for the joy of the Lord is your strength!

1 Thessalonians 5:16

Always be joyful.



New or Old Testament?

Grab either your Books of the Bible cards or go to the Table of Contents in your own Bible.

Assign one wall (or fence line) as Old Testament and the other as the New Testament, and have the kids stand between the two.

Then, call out a Book of the Bible. Everyone must run to the side they think is correct.

Anyone who answers correctly gets one point. The first player who scores 10 points wins.

(this is a great one for burning off excess energy!)

Alternative option:

Stack all the Books of the Bible cards or strips (found in the next pages) in a pile in the middle. Have a bucket, bin or some type of container for New Testament, and another for the Old Testament.

Time your child to see how fast they can organize the books into the correct bin.

Try again as often as you want, having them race their previous time!

OLD

TESTAMENT

NEW

TESTAMENT

GENESIS
EXODUS
LEVITICUS
NUMBERS
DEUTERONOMY

JOSHUA
JUDGES
RUTH
1 SAMUEL
2 SAMUEL

1 KINGS
2 KINGS
1 CHRONICLES
2 CHRONICLES
EZRA

NEHEMIAH
ESTHER
JOB
PSALMS
PROVERBS

ECCLIESIASTES

SONG OF SONGS

ISAIAH

JEREMIAH

LAMENTATIONS

EZEKIEL
DANIEL
HOSEA
JOEL
AMOS

OBADIAH
JONAH
MICAH
NAHUM
HABAKKUK

ZEPHANIAH
HAGGAI
ZECHARIAH
MALACHI
MATTHEW

MARK
LUKE
JOHN
ACTS
ROMANS

1 CORINTHIANS
2 CORINTHIANS
GALATIANS
EPHESIANS
PHILIPPIANS

COLOSSIANS

1 THESSALONIANS

2 THESSALONIANS

1 TIMOTHY

2 TIMOTHY

TITUS
PHILEMON
HEBREWS
JAMES
1 PETER

2 PETER

1 JOHN

2 JOHN

3 JOHN

JUDE

REVELATION

BIBLE BINGO

Jeremiah	Acts	Exodus	1 Corinthians	Jude
Hosea	Genesis	Luke	Galatians	Revelation
Esther	Malachi	FREE	Colossians	John
Zechariah	Romans	Numbers	3 John	2 Thessalonians
Numbers	Philippians	Ezra	Proverbs	Isaiah

BIBLE BINGO

Psalms	Leviticus	Matthew	1 Timothy	2 Peter
Joel	Deuteronomy	Mark	Ephesians	Genesis
Job	Jude	FREE	Galatians	Philemon
1 Kings	1 John	Joshua	3 John	2 Thessalonians
Numbers	Acts	Ezra	Zephaniah	Judges

BIBLE BINGO

Philemon	2 Kings	Nehemiah	1 Samuel	Ecclesiastes
Jeremiah	Judges	2 John	Daniel	Titus
Romans	Ezekiel	FREE	Leviticus	Philemon
Ruth	Song of Solomon	Hebrews	2 Chronicles	Jonah
Habakkuk	James	Haggai	Lamentations	Nahum

BIBLE BINGO

Esther	Acts	3 John	Habakkuk	Jude
Ruth	Song of Solomon	Haggai	2 Chronicles	Jonah
Jeremiah	John	FREE	Colossians	Malachi
1 Kings	1 John	Joshua	Exodus	2 Thessalonians
1 Corinthians	James	Hebrews	Lamentations	Nahum

BIBLE BINGO

Song of Songs	Matthew	Hosea	2 Corinthians	Isaiah
Psalms	2 Samuel	Colossians	Numbers	Titus
Judges	1 Timothy	FREE	1 Peter	Ruth
Jude	Genesis	Revelation	Obadiah	Nehemiah
Amos	Hebrews	Jonah	1 Kings	Romans