



Family Time with God Week 3—Obey Every Day

YOU WILL NEED: No items needed; A Bible marked at Exodus 24:7 and 1 Peter 1:15-16

REPEAT after you: “Obey Every Day!”
SAY IT in a whisper: “Obey Every Day!”
SAY IT as loud as you can: “Obey Every Day!”
SAY IT in a country voice: “Obey Every Day!”
SAY IT in a weird voice: “Obey Every Day!”

Read Exodus 24:7 from your Bible.

SAY: God through Moses had given the people of Israel His law and in this verse the people are saying that they are willing to obey everything the Lord commanded.

ASK: How well do you think you obey what God has told you to do?

SAY: We are going to play a game where you are going to have to make some choices, but I’m not going to tell you how to win the game. Does that sound fair? (Of course not.) So, let’s play!

- Choose the number 1 or 2—Make a choice.
- Choose to walk to the wall on my right or the wall on my left—Make a choice.
- Choose the color red or the color green—Make a choice.
- Choose to put your hands up or your hand down—Make a choice.
- Choose to quack like a duck or to bark like a dog—Make a choice.
- Choose to hop up and down 5 times or to sit down and pick your nose—Make a choice.
- Choose to say, “Book” five times real fast or to say, “Unique New York” three times real fast.

ASK: Do you think you won the game?

SAY: You don’t know if you won or not because nobody ever told you the rules, but in life the Bible tells us the rules for living. He also tells us how to win everyday by following Jesus. That’s how we know how to make good choices, by how God tells us to live.

ASK: What are some things that God tells us to do in the Bible? (i.e., follow Jesus, give to God, treat others right, tell the truth, etc.)

ASK: What are some things that God tells us NOT to do in the Bible? (i.e., don’t use God’s name in vain, don’t lie, don’t steal, etc.)

SAY: God has told you how to live and how to make good choices. A minute ago, it didn't matter if you chose red or green, or this wall or that wall, but it matters every day whether you choose to live the way God wants you to live.

REPEAT after you: "Obey Every Day!"

Read 1 Peter 1:15-16 from your Bible.

KEY: God wants you to have His character, which means that God wants you to be just like Him—holy in every way.

PRAY and ask God to help you to be like Him, to be holy and to make good choices and to obey every day.