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Dear Family,

For the next six weeks we'll be focusing on the question "Who's Number One?" by looking at several Bible stories and teaching from *Q&A: A Summary of Biblical Teachings*. These are the passages and themes your young teen will be exploring:

- Session 1: Exodus 20:17; God Clothes the Grass of the Field (Learning to Be Content) 😊
- Session 2: Mark 10:17-30; 1 John 3:21-24; The Rich Young Ruler (Growing in Faith) 💰
- Session 3: Mark 12:1-12; Parable of the Vineyard (Jesus is King of Kings) 🏠
- Session 4: Matthew 25:14-30; Parable of the Talents (Following Jesus) 🏠
- Session 5: James 2:1-4, 8-9; Show No Favoritism (Love All People) 👥
- Session 6: Matthew 18:1-7; The Greatest in the Kingdom (Respect Human Life) 🙏

## Pass It On

**Here are some ideas for how you might engage your child in a faith discussion:**

- Work together with your son or daughter to make a "gratitude list": five to ten things for which you're thankful. Make sure your child sees that he or she is included in the list! Let your child hear you say a short prayer thanking God for providing for the needs of your family. (Session 1)
- Share with your child a question you would ask Jesus if given the chance. (Session 2)
- As a way to pray for God's kingdom to come, commit to saying the Lord's Prayer together each day. (Session 3)
- Take the time to share with your son or daughter one way you live out your responsibility as a member of God's kingdom. How are you using the talents and gifts God has given you? (Session 4)
- If this is not a part of your child's normal experience, take him or her somewhere where they might see or interact with a diverse group of people. Talk together about ways in which all people are the same and are to be respected and loved as children of God. (Session 5)
- Discuss together a way in which your family could serve in mission together and provide care for a person or family in your community that is in need. (Session 6)

Sincerely,

P.S. Check out [www.NurtureKidsFaith.org](http://www.NurtureKidsFaith.org) for more-faith building ideas for your home!

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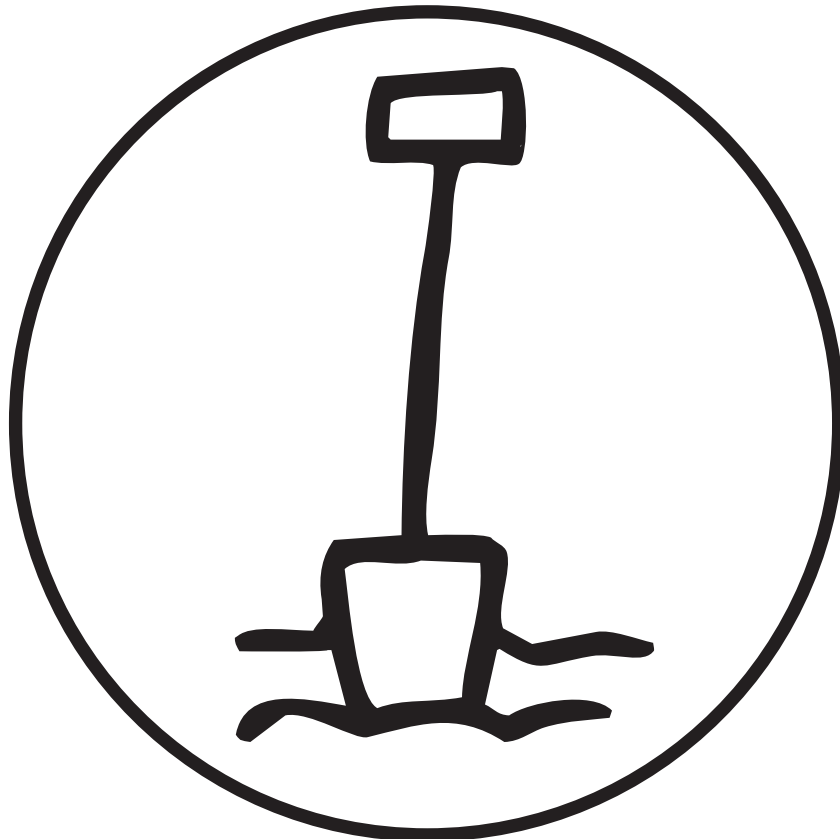
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Dwell Year 2, Unit 4, Session 4



Dive Year 2, Unit 4, Session 5



Dive Year 2, Unit 4, Session 6

You are great  
with computers.

You play the guitar.

You like to talk on the phone.

Math comes easily to you.

You write poetry.

You make friends easily.

You are a peacemaker.

You are a good singer.



You have a steady allowance  
or get paid for work you do.

Your bike takes  
you everywhere.

You are good with children.

You are great at sports.

You love to read,  
and you're good at it.

You are a good cook.

You're good at caring  
for animals.

You have a green thumb—  
every plant you touch grows!



You are very creative, always working on a new project.

You are great with video, always making movies.

You take excellent photos.

Everyone tells you you're a good listener.

You are great at organizing things.

You are great at building and fixing things.



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