

How can knowing who Jesus is change your life?



KNOWLEDGE

LEARNING SOMETHING NEW SO YOU CAN BE BETTER AT WHATEVER YOU DO

DAY 5

When we read about Jesus' life in the books of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, we learn a lot about Jesus' character. But life isn't always easy, and sometimes we might forget what we know about Jesus.

Read the common scenarios below and then draw a line to connect them to an attribute of Jesus that might help you in that situation. (Tip: Some of these might have more than one answer . . .)

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| You're scared to try a new activity | Peacemaker |
| Your friend gets really sick | All-powerful |
| You get the "mean teacher" | Compassionate |
| You fall down in front of the class | Healer |
| You get a bad grade on your test | Merciful |
| You get in trouble at home | Always present |
| You're fighting with your brother or sister | Forgiving |

Circle one of the scenarios above that you sometimes face. How does knowing the matching attribute of Jesus change how you face that situation? _____

DAY 1

Go to Studio252.tv and watch this week's episode of The So & So Show. (Click on Fun2Watch! then The So & So Show.)

Even if you already saw it at church, feel free to check it out again!

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After watching, write one thing that . . .

1) YOU LIKED: _____

2) YOU LEARNED: _____

3) YOU'D LIKE TO KNOW: _____

DAY 2

READ JOHN 1:29-39

As you read John 1:29-39, circle every time you read God, Jesus, the Holy Spirit, or a word referring to them.

How many times does John talk about God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit in these few verses? _____

It's clear that John's life was changed by meeting Jesus—it's all He could talk about!

John was already doing his best to serve God, but then he met Jesus and things got really serious. John not only got to know God better through Jesus, but he also encouraged others to get to know God better by following Jesus!

THE SAME IS TRUE FOR YOU TODAY. IF YOU WANT TO KNOW GOD, START WITH JESUS.

DAY 3

Did you know that people used to give a sacrifice to get right before God? It was a complicated process involving animals, priests, oil, and a lot of strict rules.

BUT NOW, WHEN WE PRAY, WE CAN TALK DIRECTLY TO GOD. WHY? BECAUSE OF JESUS!

When Jesus came, He bridged the gap between God and us, and now we can talk to God anytime we want. If we mess up, we can ask God for forgiveness without any high priest or animal sacrifice. If we need God's help, we can ask Him for it. If we just want to tell God that we love Him and thank Him for His blessings, we don't have to wait for a formal ceremony to tell Him. Jesus made it possible for us to really know God and have a relationship with Him.

Take a minute to tell God something that no one else knows. Maybe it's something you need to ask forgiveness for, or it's something you're scared or worried about that you haven't shared with anyone else.

Then thank God for sending Jesus so you could go directly to Him, and tell Him that you want to know Him better.

DAY 4

RE-READ JOHN 1:35-42.

Andrew was nearby, along with another soon-to-be disciple of Jesus, when John the Baptist pointed out Jesus and called Him the Lamb of God.

Notice the first thing Andrew did when He realized who Jesus was: he went to find his brother to tell him the good news—that he had found the Messiah, the Savior of the world!

When you get to know Jesus, and you understand that He is the way to God, it's kind of hard to keep that to yourself!

Who do you know that needs to know Who Jesus is, and that He came so we can have a relationship with God? _____

Andrew shared the good news in a pretty simple way: he just went and found his brother and told him that he had met Jesus. How can you share the good news with your friend or family member?

Now, go and put your plan into action.

Remember to keep it simple, and don't be scared to share the great news that Jesus came to save all of us.