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Peak 5: - A Trustworthy Guide

Peak: 5 | Lesson: 4 | Grades: 1-5

We believe that you are your child's first and most important spiritual leader. To support you that mission, we have created this tool to go along with each lesson your grade school age children are learning at Quest on Sundays.

//////////////// SECTION VERSE

PROVERBS 3:5-6

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Do not depend on your own understanding. In all your ways remember Him. Then He will make your paths smooth and straight.”

//////////////// LESSON VERSE

EPHESIANS 4:6

“There is one God and Father of all. He is over everything. He is through everything. He is in everything.”



• **Make God the center of everything and He will guide you on the best path**

PRAYER

Ask God to help you give Him control of every part of your life, and to trust His guidance.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What does it mean to acknowledge God in all your ways?
- ★ How do you make Jesus the center of your life?
- ★ How can you learn to trust God? (knowledge+experience=trust)
- ❖ What things do you let take Jesus' place on the throne?

LIVE IT OUT!

- Have a family sharing time to talk about when you should be seeking God's guidance.
- Make a list of your gifts, talents, possessions, and hobbies. How can you dedicate each of these to the Lord?



PARENT DEVOTIONAL.

SO EAT AND DRINK AND DO EVERYTHING ELSE FOR THE GLORY OF GOD.

- 1 CORINTHIANS 10:31

SOUL SHERPA, LESSON 4: Who is on the throne?

Biblical “Acknowledgement” - Knowing Intimately & Experientially

How many times have you heard something like this, “God first, others second, I’m third,” or, “God, country, family.” Maybe you’ve even said something similar or worn the t-shirt. I know I have. At first glance it seems like a godly enough thing to say and it sure feels good to think we have our priorities straight. Unfortunately it is not at all what God’s Word teaches us. God’s place isn’t first in a list of other lower priorities. He is the center and essence of every priority. We need to make sure that our children are not subjected to this wrong thinking. Whenever love for God is mentioned in scripture it is with all encompassing phrases like, “with all your heart, soul, mind and strength” or “in all your ways acknowledge Him,” or “one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all,” or “all things have been created through Him and for Him.” There is no sacred and secular for the Christian.

“If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen.” (1 Peter 4:11)

Now matter what we do, we are called to do it as a representation of Christ. What would Jesus be like as a schoolteacher, a lawyer, an IT professional, or a manager? What would Jesus be like as a parent, a son or daughter, a husband or wife, brother, or friend? In all our ways, in all our decisions, in all our activities, in all our roles and thoughts, acknowledge Him. This is not an acknowledging in the shallow English meaning either. The Hebrew word means to know intimately by experience. Search your heart this week. Are you knowing God intimately by experience in all your ways?

MEDITATING ON THE WORD

1 Peter 4:11
Mark 12:30
Ephesians 4:5-6
Colossians 1:16, 3:17
Psalm 34:8