

FAMILY DEVOTION!

“Lessons From Mordecai”



“God Will Honor Those Who Do What’s Right!”



“So let’s not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don’t give up.” – Galatians 6:9

This week, we start a brand new series called, “You Only Live Once”, or “YOLO.” We’re learning some important lessons about making our lives count! Since we only live once, we need to make sure we do our very best to honor God with our life and remain faithful to Him.

Say:

In the Bible Story this week, we learned from a man named Mordecai in the book of Esther. We learned from his example of caring for others, doing the right thing no matter what, and remaining faithful to God.

Ask/Discuss:

- What are some ways you can show others you care about them?
- What are some things you can do because they’re the right things to do, even though you may not enjoy doing them? (*i.e. chores, school, etc.*)

Say:

We should never grow tired from doing the right thing. Instead, we should stay faithful to God because, just at the right time, God will honor and bless our faithfulness.

Activity:

Have your children do some of the things they discussed earlier when asked some ways they could show others they care about them. Perhaps, they could write a card to someone, do a craft to give as a gift to someone, help clean something for someone, lighten someone’s load, or simply share kind words with someone who needs encouragement.

Say:

Because you’ve done these things, God said He’ll bless your faithfulness to Him and your faithfulness in doing the right thing no matter what!

Pray:

Pray for your children to care for others and always do the right thing - no matter what. Pray, as they care for others and do right, God will honor their faithfulness.