

Spies!

Lesson 3

Saved by Faith - A Study through Galatians for Kids!

Galatians 2:1-10

Discussion

Questions

After reading this lesson's scripture, discuss these with your kids!

1. Why did Paul want to double check that he was preaching the same gospel as the other apostles in Jerusalem? (v. 2)
2. There were false teachers who didn't want Paul to preach that there is freedom in Jesus Christ. Did Paul give in to their teaching? (verses 4-5)
3. James, Peter and John accepted Paul's gospel and gave him the right hand of fellowship. What was it they wanted Paul to remember when he preached to the Gentiles? (v. 10)

Craft Time

Items Needed:

- Flowers/plants
- White paper & glue
- Markers
- Plastic wrap & tape

"Preserved for You!" – Paul wanted to make sure the gospel was preserved for the churches in Galatia. To learn about preservation, make a preserved piece of art with flowers which can remind us to preserve the gospel for others to hear!

- First, find some flowers or plants. Glue or tape them onto a piece of white paper.
- Next, decorate around the flowers with markers and write on the bottom of the paper, "so that the truth of the gospel might be preserved for you." Galatians 2:5b.
- Finally, preserve the art work by sealing it with a piece of plastic wrap and tape.

Let's Play

Items Needed:

- Paper scroll
- 4 paper cups
- Prizes

"Right Hand" Relay Races! Paul was given the right hand of fellowship by the apostles. Play some right-handed relay races!

- First, create a playing field by clearing out a room. Place two paper cups 5-feet apart to be the start line. Place two paper cups about 10-feet away, also 5-feet apart to be the turnaround point.
- Next, split the family into two teams each lining up at the starting point. Give the first person in line a paper scroll.
- Finally, on "Go" the first one in line runs to the turnaround cup and back again to hand off the scroll to the right hand of the next person in line. Continue playing until everyone has completed the relay race. First team done, wins! Give them a prize!

Bonus!

Have extra time?

Here's an idea to try!

"Care Packages"– The apostles wanted Paul to remember the poor. Jesus wants us to also remember the poor. Make some care packages to pass out to people who could use them. Some care package ideas are: a gallon zip lock bag filled with water bottles, granola bars, socks, trial sized soaps and lotions, small snacks and encouraging cards.