

PARENT PARTNER

WEEKLY PLAN

In His Word



Week 2: The Path

Understanding what is next and what is ahead can feel overwhelming to a student. It is often overwhelming to us as well, but we know we can trust in God. He has always been faithful and true. Scripture uses words like “light” and “path” to describe God’s Word. As you lead your family this week, help them understand that knowing God’s Word allows us to know the God that we can trust to follow.

PRAYER TIME

THIS IS YOUR DAILY SCRIPTURE:

30 God—his way is perfect; the word of the LORD is pure. He is a shield to all who take refuge in him. 31 For who is God besides the LORD? And who is a rock? Only our God. 32 God—he clothes me with strength and makes my way perfect. (Psalms 18:30-32)

THIS IS YOUR DAILY PRAYER:

“God, Your way is perfect; Your Word is pure. You are my shield, and you protect those that run to You. There is no God other than You, Lord. When I’m asked who is my strength, You are my answer. God, thank you for giving me the strength for today and letting me know that Your way is perfect.”

DRIVETIME

CONVERSATION

PARENT PRE-READING: The revelation of your words brings light and gives understanding to the inexperienced. (Psalms 119:130)

CONVERSATION STARTER: I was reading in Psalms 119 and there is a verse says that His Word brings light and gives understanding to the inexperienced. What do you think it means that God's Word brings light?

DINNER TIME

CONVERSATION

STARTING QUESTIONS

Have you ever felt physically lost? What did it feel like? What went through your head?

READ THIS TOGETHER 33 Teach me, LORD, the meaning of your statutes, and I will always keep them. 34 Help me understand your instruction, and I will obey it and follow it with all my heart. 35 Help me stay on the path of your commands, for I take pleasure in it. 36 Turn my heart to your decrees and not to dishonest profit. 37 Turn my eyes from looking at what is worthless; give me life in your ways. 38 Confirm what you said to your servant, for it produces reverence for you. 39 Turn away the disgrace I dread; indeed, your judgments are good. 40 How I long for your precepts! Give me life through your righteousness. (Psalms 119:33-40)

SCRIPTURAL APPLICATION QUESTIONS

As we read this passage, what seems to be the feeling the author has towards God and His Word?

When it comes to spending time with God and knowing His Word, what emotions seem to come up for you? Why do you think this is?

In verse 37, this passage talks about turning our eyes away from what is worthless. Do you feel like there are worthless things that currently have your attention?

In verse 38, this passage talks about producing reverence for God. How might you produce reverence for God?

ACTIVITY TIME

This week we tried to find Scripture that focused on God's Word revealing a path. God's Word is alive and active. When times are difficult and the future is unknown, God Himself can give us direction and purpose. What better way to be reminded of this truth than on a path. You may live in an area with hiking paths, or your path may simply be a sidewalk around your neighborhood, but we want to encourage a family walk. Yet, we want you to do something a little different on this walk. Bring Scripture with you. You might write down a few of your favorite verses or even print out a full chapter. But we encourage you to read His Word on your walk and reflect on it as a family.