

Intro to Table Cards

Hey Families!

Welcome to the 3rd quarter of Families in the Word table cards. This is an important task you are undertaking as a family to study God's Word. I am so proud of you for taking this task seriously. As you study God's Word together, I pray you make memories that will last a lifetime. I pray this will be a fun and lifechanging event for everyone.

Let's start with an activity: Grab a pen/pencil, scissors, and paper/notecards. Write the books of the New Testament on individual notecards or slips of paper. Once you are done practice putting them in order and you can even time your family or individuals to see how fast you can put them in order. Have fun!

Use **#BibleDrill** to show us your fun table card activities and other times you use your table cards. Have fun studying God's Word together!

Read John 8:31-38 and Memorize **John 8:32**

1. **Activity: Play freeze tag with your family**

There are different ways to play freeze tag: (1) The tagger can just freeze everyone. Once everyone is frozen, the tagger wins. (2) There is a tagger and there is a doctor. The tagger freezes people, and the doctor unfreezes people. What happens when the doctor can never be frozen?

2. Who is the doctor in life that can set you free?

The truth is Jesus is the only one that can set you free from your sin. Jesus was speaking to the Pharisees here and He is telling them they can be set free from their sins if they believe in the truth of the gospel.

3. The Pharisees said they were descendants of Abraham and that they were not in bondage, is this true?

No, in fact, the Israelites were in bondage in Israel, Babylon, Assyria, Persia, and in many other places throughout the old Testament. Plus, Abraham obeyed God and the Pharisees did not.

4. Will you accept and obey God's truth today?

Books of the Bible: **Section 1-NT**

The first section/group/category in the New Testament is called

Gospels: Matthew-John

Write down the authors of the Gospels and their purpose. Find the answers on Facebook (Alabama Bible Drill) and on Instagram (Families_In_The_Word)

Matthew _____

Mark _____

Luke _____

John _____

Read the Key Passage

The Great Commandments: Mark:12:28-34

Memorize the title and Key Passage: **The Great Commandments: Mark 12:28-34**

1. What are some big rules in your house?

2. If you were in charge what would be some of your rules?

Jesus has big rules for us. He calls them commandments.

3. Does God give us commandments so we won't have fun?

No, God gives us these commandments so we can have a better relationship with Him and a better relationship with those He loves.

4. Why should you follow these commandments?

You should follow these commandments not out of an obligation but because you want a better relationship with your Savior and Lord.

5. How can you follow these commandments today?

Read John 15:12-14 and Memorize **John 15:13**

1. **Who are your best friends? Do you tell your best friends your secrets? Do you protect your best friends?**
2. **The Greek word for friend, philos (φίλων), here means “inner court” or the inner circle around the king? Who was Jesus’ inner circle?**
The disciples were Jesus’ inner circle and they not only kept his secrets but they obeyed Him.
3. **This verse tells us to lay down our lives for our friends, How do we do that?**

Jesus laid down His life for His friends and His enemies. This does not mean we lay down our lives for people like Jesus did, but it means we set our own emotions and feelings down and treat others with love and kindness just like God reveals in the Bible. Write ways you can show love to others.

Books of the Bible: **Section 2-NT**

Look up this video and answer the questions below on a notecard or a piece of paper: *“God’s Story: Acts by Crossroads Kids’ Club.”*

1. What power was Jesus going to leave for the disciples?
2. Where would Jesus send the disciples?
3. Who tried to stop the early church?
4. Why was Stephen put to death?
5. Who is the good news of Jesus for?
6. Who saw Jesus with his own eyes?
7. Who are the two men who played a big role in the early church?
8. The second section of the New Testament, Acts, is called _____. (This is not in the video.) It is the history of the early church.

Read Acts 1:6-9 and Memorize **Acts 1:8**

1. **What is the Holy Spirit?**
2. **Who receives the power of the Holy Spirit?**
3. **How does the Holy Spirit help repentant believers in Christ?**
4. **Activity: Grab a piece of paper and a pencil for each family member. Draw four circles like this but bigger....**

Inner Circle - write Jerusalem

Second Circle - write Judea

Third Circle - write Samaria

Fourth Circle - write ends of the earth

Now, write this starting on the inner circle, your town, your state, and U.S.A.



Pray about how the Holy Spirit can guide you to spread the Gospel in these four areas.

Read **The Birth of Jesus: Luke 2:1-7**

Memorize the title and Key Passage: **The Birth of Jesus: Luke 2:1-7**

I am sure the birth of Jesus is very familiar to you and your family, so make a book you can cherish each year.

Activity: Here are the supplies you will need: paper, a hole punch, markers or crayons, and a folder or ribbon. Make this as a family and have everyone join in the fun!

Here are your page titles and you can write the scripture below:

1. A Decree was sent out (v.1-2)
2. Everyone went to their own town (v.3)
3. Joseph and Mary went to Bethlehem (v.4-5)
4. Mary gave birth to baby Jesus (v.6)
5. Mary wrapped Him and placed Him in a manger (v.7)

Read **The Parable of the prodigal Son: Luke 15:11-32**

Memorize the title and Key Passage: **The Parable of the Prodigal Son: Luke 15:11-32**

Activity: Here are the supplies you will need: a white piece of paper, markers or crayons, scissors, and a brown bag or some kind of bag. Draw a picture of the items below. Each picture goes along with your parable for the day. Once you finish drawing your pictures, cut them out and place them in your bag. Now, shake the pictures and pull them out and place them in the correct order. Tell the parable in your own word.

1. **Two sons**
2. **Money**
3. **Famine**
4. **Pigs**
5. **A man that is hungry**
6. **A father hugging his son**
7. **Angry**
8. **Celebration**

Which brother are you in the parable?
The one who left and came back or the one who stayed and was angry? In life at one point we might be the older brother or the younger brother but the good thing is God always loves us. God is always our father who cares for us and runs after us when we come home.

Read Romans 14:10-12 and Memorize **Romans 14:12**

1. **Have you ever judged someone?**

Paul is reminding people here that we should not judge others.

2. **Who is the one that will judge you in the end?**

3. **How can we prepare for judgement day?**

Make Jesus the Lord of your life and obey Him.
You will be the only one that will give account of yourself and no one else.

4. **Is Jesus the Lord of your life? Have you repented of your sins?**