Intro to Table Cards 2nd Quarter

Hey Families!

Welcome to the 2nd quarter of families in the Word table cards. It is so important to study God's Word as a family. As you study God's Word together I pray you make memories that will last a lifetime. I pray that this will be a fun and life changing event for everyone.

With this intro to table cards here are some supplies you will need: your Bible, highlighters, and tabs.

Grab you families in the Word handout and go ahead and mark you memory verses and your key passages for this quarter with a tab and highlight the verses to help you the rest of the quarter.

Use #Bibledrill to show us your fun tabs and other times you use your table cards. Have fun studying God's Word.

Books of the Bible Section 3: The third section/group/category in the Old Testament is called the Poetry: Job-Song of Solomon.

- 1. What is the 3rd section or category in the Bible called?
 - Poetry (or Wisdom). Job through Song of Solomon is a collection of poetic songs and poems that tell us a lot about God's character.
- 2. Pick a Psalm and read it with your family. Talk about what that Psalm says about God.
- 3. Use the books of the Bible song you have used in the past to help you memorize these books.

Read Nahum 1:1-7and memorize Nahum 1:7

Nahum, a prophet, was instructed by God to write this book as a comfort to Judah. Nahum is called the sequel of Jonah. Jonah went to tell the evil people of Nineveh to repent of their sins, they did but it seemed that their neighbors, the rest of Assyria, did not repent. God is using Nahum to prophesy that one day God will destroy Assyria. The people of Judah were under Assyria's rule at this time and Nahum's prophesy gave them great comfort.

- 1. When you are sad or hurt what is something that gives you comfort?
- 2. What does refuge mean?
 Refuge means to run to something for safety. The people of Judah knew they could find safety and comfort in God and you can too! Jesus Christ is your refuge and comfort. You can place your faith in Him!

Key Passage Matthew 4:1-11 & Memory Verse: Matthew 4:10

After Jesus was baptized the Holy Spirit led Jesus into the wilderness for forty days and forty nights. This is similar to when the Israelites were wandering in the wilderness for forty years. Towards the end of Jesus' time in the desert Jesus was thirsty and hungry. The devil tempted Jesus during this time.

- 1. What is temptation?
- 2. Read Matthew 4:10 again and then read Deuteronomy 6:13.
- 3. Did you know Jesus quotes scripture from memory when He is tempted? Jesus quotes scripture to fight temptation. In Matthew 4:1-11 no one is with Jesus other then Satan. There will be a lot of times in your life when you will face sin and you will be alone. Use God's Word to fight against sin in your life. Pray that you will find a verse that will be your life motto to help you focus on God. Maybe you will choose this verse today or another one. Of course, you can memorize more verses and use those regularly.

Read Matthew 5:14-16 & memorize Matthew 5:16

Activity: Grab a flashlight, a dark room, paper, scissors, and a pen or pencil. Have everyone in your family use their paper and scissors to cut out a cross. Turn the lights out, turn the flashlight on and place your cross on the light of the flashlight to show the cross on the wall. Remind your kids that the world is full of darkness/sin, and Jesus is the light of the world. If you are a Christian the Holy Spirit lives in you, you are His temple, you shine the light of Jesus Christ to everyone you see. Through your good works and your words Jesus is glorified and people will see Him. This does not mean that your good works save you. Your god works flow from your faith in God.

- 1. What are good works?
- 2. How can you shine the light of Jesus Christ?
- 3. What does it mean for God to be glorified?

Pray that you will shine the light of Christ and point people to the cross.

Open your Bibles and Memorize Luke 11:9

- 1. What are the three verbs in this verse? A.S.K. –Ask Seek Knock. It is cool that the first letters of these three very spell out the word A.S.K.
- 2. How can you A.S.K. God something? You A.S.K. God about things and for things through prayer.
- 3. Do you always get what you ask for?
 No, you do not always get what you pray for, remember God is much wiser then we are. He does hear our prayers and it should be a daily habit in your life.

You can pray all throughout the day but write down a time you will dedicate to pray to God. _____

Read and memorize Luke 6:37

- 1. Say one positive thing about school and one negative thing about school. Was it easier to say a negative opinion or a positive opinion? Sometimes it is easier to lean towards a negative opinion than it is to state a positive opinion.
- 2. Do you normally say a negative opinion about someone or a positive opinion? Our verse tells us not to judge others and it starts with talking positive about people.
- 3. Who is the ultimate judge over all of humanity?
- 4. Do you think being the judge is a hard job? It does not sound like a fun job to be the judge over all of humanity but God can handle it and we should let Him do it. Read verse 38 as well. Verses 37 and 38 tell us, as Christians to forgive and give. Our job is to forgive and give while God's task is to judge and condemn because He is righteous and pure.

Pray that you will glorify God by forgiving those who hurt you and giving to those in need. Pray that this will lead to a positive well-being of those

Read the Sermon on the Mount Matthew 5:1-12 Memorize the title and key passage: Sermon on the Mount Matthew 5-7

- 1. What does the word "blessed" mean?

 Blessed means that God shows His grace or favor to His children. This favor might occur on earth but it will definitely happen in Heaven.
- 2. Underline or highlight the short words or phrases behind "Blessed are the". People who fall into these categories, that you highlighted or underlined, are those who recognize the fact that they need Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. These people will face hardship but they will be blessed through God.
- 3. Focus on the words "poor in Spirit", what do you think that means? The "poor in Spirit" realize that they need God's help. This is the same with all of the words you highlighted or underlined earlier. Jesus recognizes your heart and embraces those who have repented and believe in Him.

Set aside time to read Matthew 5-7, when you can. This is the longest recorded sermon by Jesus. This Sermon is a goal that Christians are to attempt to live by each day. Pray that you will live a faithful life for God.

The Books of the Bible Section 4: The forth section/group/category in the Old Testament is called the Major prophets: Isaiah-Daniel

Question Card (answers on another card)

Answer these questions as a family or have everyone answer on their own piece of paper.

- 1. True or False, A prophet is a messenger from God whom God speaks to normally through a vision or a dream to give a message to a group of people, a city, or one single person.
- 2. True or False, God used an e-mail to tell Daniel about King Nebuchadnezzars dreams.
- 3. True or False, the major prophets in the Bible worship different gods not just one.
- 4. True or False, Daniel is known for being thrown into the lions den and God shut the lions mouths.
- 5. These prophets regularly told the Israelites to stop worshipping idols.
- 6. In a vision, a seraphim, brought a hot coal and touched Jeremiah's mouth.

Read and memorize John 15:12

- 1. What is a commandment?
- 2. Why does God give us commandments? God gives us commandments to help us and keep us safe. Commandments also remind us to love God and love others.
- 3. How can we love each other as God loves us? Jesus' love means to lay down your life for one another and to love each other as Jesus loves His disciples.

Answer Card

- 1. True or False, A prophet is a messenger from God whom God speaks to normally through a vision or a dream to give a message to a group of people, a city, or one single person. (True)
- 2. True or False, God used an e-mail to tell Daniel about King Nebuchadnezzars dreams. (False, God told Daniel in a vision.)
- 3. True or False, the major prophets in the Bible worship different gods not just one. (False, worship one God)
- 4. True or False, Daniel is known for being thrown into the lions den and God shut the lions mouths. (True)
- 5. These prophets regularly told the Israelites to stop worshipping idols (True).
- 6. In a vision, a seraphim, brought a hot coal and touched Jeremiah's mouth (False, Isaiah)

Read Acts 16: 25-34, memorize Acts 16:31

Paul and Silas are in prison in this story. They are in prison because they cast out an evil spirit that possessed a slave girl. The slave owners were upset because the slave girl was their means of income.

- 1. What did Paul and Silas do in prison?
- 2. Why was the jailer about to kill himself?
 There was an earthquake and the doors of the prison opened. If the prisoners escaped the jailer would have died anyway.
- 3. Did the prisoners escape? No, they did not escape. In the jailers surprise the Holy Spirit moved in his heart and He wanted to be saved. This brings us to our memory verse for today. The jailer obviously had a heart change that was repentant towards the Lord. He came to believe in Jesus as His Lord and Savior, him and his household.
- 4. Pray that you will understand what the Holy Spirit wants you to do next in life

The Books of the Bible: Section 5 The fifth section/group/category in the Old Testament is called the Minor prophets: Hosea-Malachi

- 1. Look at your table of contents in your Bible, what do you know about these books?
- 2. What does the word minor mean?
 It means small. Just because these books are small does not mean they are not important because all of God's Word is important. The minor prophets are just short or small books.
- 3. Who is a prophet?
- Activity: Grab a notecard or a piece of paper and a pen or pencil for this next activity. Practice writing the minor prophets and see who can do it from memory.

Read and memorize John 3:16

- 1. What is something you love to play with? What is something you love to eat?
- 2. What does the word love mean?
- 3. Did you know that God loves you more than anything? God loves you so much that He sent Jesus, as the perfect sacrifice, to die on the cross for your sins. God's love is different then what you love to eat or play with. God's love is an *agape* love, that means it is sacrificial.
- 4. Can you earn God's love? No, you cannot earn God's love it is freely given to you. How awesome is that?!
- 5. Look up this song to help you memorize John 3:16. Seeds Family Worship: For God So Loved the World