



Reality LA Kids Weekly Devotional Guide

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Remember: this guide is meant to help facilitate conversations and engagement with Jesus throughout the week, so don't feel like you need to do this all in one day!

What We're Learning This Week

"HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS"

Having a healthy relationship with God enables us to have healthy relationships with other people. Even though our sin separates us from God and each other, Jesus made it possible for us to experience healthy relationships with God and each other once again!

Discipleship Through Scripture + Conversation

Talk to your kids about the Bible lesson. Ask them to explain what they learned/what stuck out to them in the video, and expand upon the truths of the Bible that they are bringing up. Some helpful conversations this week could be:

- 1. We ruined the relationship we had with God, but Jesus lived, died, and rose again to restore it.**
 - What is sin? How does sin ruin the relationship God made with us? Why can't we make things right on our own? How does sin affect relationships with other people as well?
 - How did Jesus rescue us from sin? What does that tell us about God? How can we respond to this good news?
- 2. A healthy relationship with God means we are not only His children, but also sisters and brothers with one another.**
 - What does it mean to have a relationship with God? How is that different than just knowing *about* God? What are ways we can help that relationship deepen and grow?
 - What are some ways we can love one another? How can you practice forgiveness, serving, and loving others this week?

Discipleship Through Prayer

Spend time this week praising Jesus for rescuing us from sin and restoring our relationship with God and with one another. Pray for God to reveal things you are tempted to follow instead of Him and ask God for forgiveness/renewal. Pray that God would help you to grow deeper in love and relationship with Him and with others, and pray for tangible ways your family can express that.

Continue to pray for everything surrounding the coronavirus, politics, and racial equality in our country - for safety, for healing, for unity, and for specific people you can serve as a family.

- Ask each member of your family – adults included – to share one thing they would like prayer for. Have someone to pray for that person’s request. Encourage your family to pray for that person for the entire week.

What’s Coming Up?

- Follow us on Instagram for all of our RLA Kids news! Our handle is [@RealityLAKids](#)
- Stay connected on big events and announcements by joining the [RLA Kids page on RLA Connect](#)
- Continue to be informed through the [Family Resources for Current Events](#) page for equipping and resources for all of that.

Do Your Kids Have Questions About the Scripture? Want to See Something in the Videos?

We love hearing from you! You can email kids@realityla.com at any time with any feedback or questions that your kids have about the video lesson (or any of your thoughts)...we would love to read some on our next video and answer them! We also want to see us be silly, so send suggestions in and we will see what we can do. We also love to be praying with and alongside your family, so please send over prayer requests as well (those will be kept off screen, we just want to pray with and for you.)