



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

"THE BATTLE OF JERICHO"

After receiving help from a woman named Rahab and having the people march around the city for seven days, God brought down the walls of Jericho. By faith Rahab believed God would win the battle, and she asked the spies to show mercy to her family and keep them safe. When the Israelites attacked Jericho, Rahab and her family received mercy and became part of God's people. Jesus has won against sin. Everyone who trusts in Jesus receives mercy and becomes part of God's family forever.

Discipleship Through Scripture + Conversation

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

- 1. After receiving help from a woman named Rahab and having the people march around the city for seven days, God brought down the walls of Jericho.**
 - Why did God's plan involve a deep trust from His people? What does that tell us?
 - Rahab said that "We have HEARD how the LORD...your God is God in heaven above and on the earth below" which means that the news of our LORD was spreading. Why must we share the good news of Jesus? What does it mean to fear the LORD?
 - Read Matthew 1:5. How did God bless Rahab for giving up her previous identity and becoming a daughter of God? Who can enter God's kingdom?
- 2. Jesus has won against sin. Everyone who trusts in Jesus receives mercy and becomes part of God's family forever.**
 - How does God fight for us today? How does that courage and hope?
 - What is the good news? How does it change everything?

Discipleship Through Prayer

Spend time this week praising God for His glory - that He creates everything, sustains everything, and loves with mercy and justice. Pray for God to reveal areas of your heart that you are prone to turn away from Him and His goodness, ask Him to reveal why, and repent of those things. Pray for God to allow the truths of the Gospel to become real to you and to others and to help you turn from sin.

Continue to pray for everything surrounding the coronavirus, politics, gun violence, 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 or Anything in the Teaching?

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 Bible lesson, or send us any of your thoughts. We also love to be praying with and alongside your family, so please send over prayer requests as well.