



I Will Be Humble!

From Power Up Lesson 5

LEADERSHIP TRAIT - HUMILITY

Great leaders are humble enough to accept advice and criticism from others.

LEADERSHIP LESSON

Your children will learn that when they are humble, things will go better for them.

LEADERSHIP STORY

King Uzziah enters the Temple. (2 Chronicles 26)

WHAT DO I DO?

Have your children read the Leadership Story. Next, have your children watch the Leadership Video and complete the Child Leadership Questions. If you want to do the Optional Family Activity, have the whole family watch the Leadership Video, then lead your family through the Optional Family Activity.

OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: HUMBLE/PRIDE PUDDING

To help your family understand the importance of being humble, gather two bowls of pudding, spoons, and about 6 assorted items from your pantry. (These items might include graham crackers, chocolate sprinkles, salt, pepper, vegetables, marshmallows, and fruit.) Read the following situations to your family, then add the ingredients to the Pride Pudding.

- You are really good at soccer and made a goal at your last game. If you thank God for helping you make the goal, you are being humble. Add some graham crackers to the Humble Pudding. If you decide to brag about your goal to your teammates, that would be prideful. So, add some salt to the pride pudding.
- You got a good grade on a test because your friend helped you study. If you thank your friend, you are being humble. If you brag that you did it on your own, you are prideful.
- You got picked to be in the school musical. If you tell your teacher that you appreciate all the help she gave you, you are being humble. If you tell everyone that the teacher didn't help you, but you have raw talent, you are being prideful.

Once the puddings are made, ask each person to taste both of them. Ask the following questions when you are finished: Which pudding tasted better? Why did the Humble Pudding taste better?

The Humble Pudding tasted better because it included the good ingredients added when you were humble. Remind your family that when we choose to be humble things will go better in our lives. When Uzziah was humble things were going well, but when he was prideful and did his own thing, he lost everything he had.

MEMORY VERSE:

Help your child memorize this verse.

"But those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted." Matthew 23:12 (NLT)



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Read the Leadership Story about King Uzziah in 2 Chronicles 26. When you are finished, watch the Leadership Video. Then, read the items below and write your responses in the space provided.

1. What did Pastor Mike say can be a dangerous thing?
2. What are some things we can become prideful of?
3. Fill in the blank. When pride creeps in, you think you are _____ than the people around you. You start bragging about how good you are and believe you are always right.
4. What was the name of the prideful king in our Leadership Story? Circle the correct answer.
A. John.
B. Uzziah.
C. David.
5. How old was Uzziah when he became king?
6. True or False. God was with Uzziah and gave him much success.



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7. God gave Uzziah success in _____. Circle ALL that apply.
 - A. Battles with the Philistines.
 - B. Building new cities and forts.
 - C. Digging wells.
 - D. Having many farms and vineyards.
 - E. Being the most powerful army in the land.

8. With God's help and protection, King Uzziah could not be _____.

9. True or False. Uzziah became prideful.

10. What did Uzziah do that was disobedient to God?
 - A. He went into the sanctuary of the Lord's temple and burned incense to the Lord.
 - B. He ate meat.
 - C. He did not obey his parents.

11. Fill in the blank. Burning incense to the Lord was a form of _____.

12. Who were the only ones who were supposed to burn incense in the Lord's temple?

13. True or False. King Uzziah apologized to the priest.

14. King Uzziah knew he was breaking the rules, but he had become so prideful, he did not think he had to do what the rules said. What broke out on Uzziah's forehead?



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15. What is leprosy? Circle the correct answer.

- A. A skin disease.
- B. A fruit.
- C. A sad person.

God was punishing Uzziah for breaking His rules. Uzziah could no longer be king and his son had to take over for him.

16. Fill in the blank. You may have a lot of success in something, but do not let yourself become so prideful you don't listen to the advice of others. Be _____. Listen to _____. Keep your guard up against_____.

Think about some areas in your life where you might be tempted to feel prideful. You might be tempted to feel prideful about your skills as a musician. Or maybe you are really good at math and always get good grades. Write down one or two of those things and then talk to your parents about those areas. Ask your parents to help you think of some ways to stay humble in each situation. Even though we don't have to worry about ending up with leprosy like King Uzziah did, pride can still cause a lot of damage in our lives. Choose to be humble, and things will go better for you.

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1. Pride.
2. Good grades. Drawing a good picture. Beating friends in a race, etc.
3. Better.
4. B.
5. 16.
6. True.
7. A. B. C. D. E.
8. Defeated.
9. True.
10. A.
11. Worship.
12. The Priests.
13. False.
14. Leprosy.
15. A.
16. Humble. Others. Pride.