



God Loves Everyone And So Should I!

From To The Depths Lesson 1

LEADERSHIP TRAIT - LOVE

Great leaders love others through their words and actions.

LEADERSHIP GOAL

Your children will learn that God wants them to show His love to everyone through their actions.

LEADERSHIP LESSON

James 2:8-9, The Good Samaritan - Luke 10:30-35

WHAT DO I DO?

Have your children watch the Leadership Video, *God Loves Everyone And So Should I*.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR THIS LESSON:

- Have your children read the Leadership Lesson, found in Luke 10:30-35.
- Have your children complete the Leadership Questions.
- Watch the Leadership Video as a family.
- Do the Optional Family Activity.

OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: MY PRECIOUS

Have family members gather favorite or prized possessions that are precious to them. Items could be toys, stuffed animals, books, jewelry, clothing, or anything that is precious to them. Have the family members describe how they feel about the items and what makes them special or their favorite. Then discuss how each family member feels about the items that other family members chose. Are those items precious to you too?

Discuss that even though those items might not seem as important or precious to us, we should consider them important and precious because they are loved by our family members. Then have family members imagine what it would be like if the items were in danger of being broken, destroyed, or lost. What would they do to save or protect them? What would they do to try to replace or repair them?

Just like these items are all precious to us because they are loved by one or more members of our family, all people should be precious to us because they are loved by our Heavenly Father, God. Just as we should treat these special items with love and respect because they are precious to our family members, we should treat all people with love and respect because they are precious to God.

MEMORY VERSE:

Help your child memorize this verse.

"For the whole law can be summed up in this one command: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'"

Galatians 5:14 (NLT)



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Main Point: God Loves Everyone And So Should I!

Read the Bible Lesson about The Good Samaritan in Luke 10:30-35. Then watch the Leadership Video and answer the questions below.

1. In the Bible Lesson, who was the only one to stop and help the Jewish man?
 - A. The Samaritan.
 - B. The Priest.
 - C. The Temple Assistant.
 - D. The bandits.

2. True or false? Samaritans and Jews liked each other.

3. How did the Samaritan man show love to the injured Jewish man?
 - A. He passed by on the other side of the road.
 - B. He bandaged his wounds, took him to an inn, and paid for him to get better.
 - C. He prayed that God would help him.
 - D. He got the man's money back from the bandits.



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4. Why did Jesus tell us this story?
 - A. To entertain us for a little while.
 - B. To give a history lesson about the Jews and Samaritans.
 - C. Because he felt like telling a story.
 - D. To help us know how to show love others.

5. Why should we show love to everyone and not just to the people who are like us?
 - A. Because everyone loves us.
 - B. Because loving people who are different is easy.
 - C. Because God loves everyone.
 - D. Because showing love always gets us what we want.

We can learn from the example of the Good Samaritan in the Bible to help us remember how to treat other people. Even when people are mean to you, or if you meet someone who is different from you, you should show love to them.

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Answer Key

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1. A
2. False
3. B
4. D
5. C