



I Will Take Care Of God's Creation!

From Port Of Call Jr.
Lesson 4

LEADERSHIP TRAIT - RESPONSIBILITY

Great leaders know that they have a job to do and they do it.

LEADERSHIP LESSON

Your children will learn that it is important to take care of God's creation!

LEADERSHIP STORY

Noah took care of the animals on the boat - Genesis 6:17-21, 7:1-10

WHAT DO I DO?

Have your children watch the Leadership Video, *I Will Take Care Of God's Creation*.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR THIS LESSON

- Ask your children the Leadership Questions.
- Read the Leadership Story, found in Genesis 6:17-21, 7:1-10, to your children.
- Do the Optional Family Activity.

OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Give each person in the family a piece of paper and some crayons or markers. Ask everyone to draw a picture of something in God's creation.

After the drawings are finished, ask each person to tell the family how he or she would take care of God's creation. Be prepared to give some suggestions such as: Flowers - plant and water them, Pets - take care of them, The Earth - pick up trash.

Write down everyone's answers and then hang the pictures on the refrigerator to remind your family of the ways they can take care of God's creation. Throughout the week remind your family of the pictures they made and take time to ask God to help you take care of His creation!

MEMORY VERSE:

Help your children memorize this verse.

"You must be careful to obey all the commands of the LORD your God, following his instructions in every detail."

Deuteronomy 5:32b (NLT)



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Main Point: I Will Take Care Of God's Creation!

Child Leadership Questions:

1. What job did Aunt Jesse give Shelby and Sydney to do?
(Feed the birds on the cruise ship.)
2. Shelby and Sydney were supposed to feed the birds some birdseed. What did they feed the birds instead?
(Cookies.)
3. In the Bible Story, God gave Noah a job. What was that job?
(Take care of the animals.)
4. How did Noah take care of the animals?
(He fed them the right kinds of foods. Made sure they were safe on the boat. Cleaned up after them.)
5. Noah had a job to take care of God's creation. You have the same job. How can you take care of God's creation?
(Take care of your pets. Pick up trash. Clean the weeds out of the garden.)

Noah knew that it was important to take care of God's creation. We can also take care of God's creation by picking up trash, taking care of our pets, and by watering our plants. Find one way to take care of God's creation this week!