

WEEK 7 – PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN – ROCK SOLID

Lesson in a Word: Surrender

What Should I See?

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Memory Verse:

Do what God's teaching says. James 1:22a NCV

What's The Key?

When we do the right things that we are taught from the Bible, we are choosing what is best. We become wiser and better people when we obey God.

What's That To Me?

To really obey God and His teachings, sometimes we need to give up what we want in order to do what God wants. When we make bad choices, it keeps us from doing what God wants. Surrendering to God means giving up to Him.

How Should I Be?

We can give up bad attitudes and poor choices so that we can truly get going the right way with God. We can choose to read the Bible and pray so that we can learn more about God. The more we give up and obey God, the more we get out of life!

Practice Point:

**Give up to God can be hard to do,
Trust in Him to see you through!**

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teaching says.”

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Give Up!

Friday – Read the Bible story to your child:

Daniel and the Lions

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Saturday – Memorize Bible verse with your child:

“Do what God’s teaching says.” James 1:22a NCV

Sunday – Pray with your child:

It's hard to listen when we are distracted. When we pray, we close our eyes so we are not looking around. We fold our hands so we are not busy playing with toys.

Dear Jesus, Help me to give up my own ways so that I can follow You more closely.
Please forgive me for the things I do wrong. Please come and live in my heart so that
You will be the Lord of my life. I want to live my life for You. Amen.

Monday – Play “Give Up” with your child:

Take a walk outside with your child. Talk about all the different things that God made around us. Think about what it would be like to “give up” having a certain animal around, like a pet.

Tuesday – Be with your child:

Have your child paint or color a picture of him or herself standing up for Jesus in their favorite place (such as the beach or in the mountains). Put the picture up where it can remind them to stand up and trust Jesus every day.

Wed. – Memorize Bible verse with your child

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TALK TO US! WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

(We will remove and keep this form. No one will see this except for your Kids Rock teacher. **You must turn this in to receive all points for turning in your packet.** Answers may be as short as one sentence, but please write SOMETHING and be honest! You do not have to have a prayer request, comment, and question. Circle at least one each week though; even if you just circle 'comment' and write, 'I liked Tuesdays activity.' *Parents of preschoolers and kindergarteners:* You can help your child write their answers and / or give us your thoughts.)

Name (First and Last): _____

How has God spoken to you this week?

How have you responded to what He has said?

I HAVE A...

(circle all that apply)

Prayer Request

Comment

Question

Please write your prayer requests, questions and/or comments on the back.

**Thanks for coming to Kids Rock this week!
We had a great time. We hope you did too.
We will see you next time!**