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How Jesus makes us part of God's story.



Homelink

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Series Memory Verse:

“Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.”

- Acts 4:12

One Big Thing:

Jesus is our perfect hero.

Review:

This week, we continued to talk about God's great, big, huge, and best of all TRUE story. We reviewed how God rescued His people from slavery in Egypt and briefly discussed how God led them to the desert. In the desert, God was teaching them about how to love Him and to love others. God was preparing them to be a blessing to the nations. Sadly, after God's people received the land and the kingdom He had promised, they forgot about being a blessing to others. Because of sin, they failed to show the world what God was like. This did not surprise God. God had always planned to send the perfect hero, Jesus.

At just the right time, God fulfilled His promise in the garden by sending Jesus through a humble girl named Mary. As Jesus grew from a baby into a man, He obeyed His parents perfectly, loved people perfectly, and loved God perfectly. He succeeded in every way that we could not. When Jesus died on the cross He was paying for our sins and when He rose from the dead he was rescuing everyone who would put their trust in Him. That is why Jesus is our perfect hero.





Good Questions to Ask:

1. **Q:** Why did God lead His people into the desert for so long?

A: God was teaching His people how to love Him and others. He was training them to be a blessing.

2. **Q:** Why did God's people fail to obey Him?

A: Because of sin, they failed to love God and others as they should.

3. **Q:** Name some ways that we fail to love God and others perfectly. Examples may include not wanting to learn about or talk to God, not wanting to obey our parents, saying unkind things about someone, not sharing or feeling hatred toward someone we should love.

A: When we fail, Jesus wants us to come to Him for forgiveness and help.

Pray together as a family:

"Father, thank You for making us a part of Your big, huge story through Jesus. Help us to remember that even though we are not perfect, we can come to you for forgiveness and help. Help us remember that you are perfect in our place"



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