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**Day 1**

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| **Faith Fact**  I will obey God’s Word.  **Faith Verse**  2 Timothy 3:16 (NLT)  All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true.  **Question of the Day: How can I know right from wrong?** |

**Read about It**

**Read:** 2 Timothy 3:16–17

Have you ever tried playing a game with no rules? Or maybe everyone followed their own rules for the game? It’s crazy and can be frustrating for everyone! It makes the game difficult to play and takes away the fun. When you buy a game, the rules are included to help you know how to play the game properly so that you can get the most fun out of it.

God’s Word functions as our rulebook for life. It shows us how to live. God knows what’s best for us, and He wants to equip us and to prepare us to live for Him. When we God’s Word, we are obeying truth, and we can experience the full life that God has for us.

**Talk about It**

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| **Question 1.** Where does Scripture come from?  **Answer 1.** All Scripture is inspired by God. (2 Timothy 3:16) |
| **Question 2.** What is God’s Word useful for?  **Answer 2.** God’s Word is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. (2 Timothy 3:16) |
| **Question 3.** What does God use His Word to prepare and equip us to do?  **Answer 3.** To do good works (2 Timothy 3:17) |
| **Question 4.** What areas of your life do you think God’s Word is working to correct and change today?  **Answer 4.** Answers may vary. |
| **Question 5.** What good works do you think God is preparing and equipping you to do?  **Answer 5.** Answers may vary. |

**Pray about It**

God, thank You for giving us Your Word. Help me to allow Your Word to correct the things in my life that are wrong. Help me to learn and obey all the things in Your Word that are right and true. Amen.

**Day 2**

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| **Faith Fact**  I will obey God’s Word.  **Faith Verse**  2 Timothy 3:16 (NLT)  All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true.  **Question of the Day: Why should I obey God’s Word?** |

**Read about It**

**Read:** 2 Timothy 3:14–15

“Brush your teeth at least twice a day to keep your teeth healthy.” “Don’t eat too much junk food or you’ll get a stomachache.” These are things that, hopefully, you have been taught since you were young. You know they are true because you can trust the person who taught them to you. And you understand the real consequences of not obeying them.

As you learn God’s Word, it’s important that you obey it and do what it says. God’s Word is true and can be trusted. We can count on all the good things God’s Word promises, and we can also count on the consequences of not obeying God’s Word. Remain faithful to the truths you are learning in God’s Word and follow them with all your heart.

**Talk about It**

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| **Question 1.** What does 2 Timothy 3:14 say we should do with the things we are being taught about God’s Word?  **Answer 1.** Remain faithful to them. |
| **Question 2.** What happens when we learn God’s Word?  **Answer 2.** It gives us wisdom to receive salvation. (2 Timothy 3:15) Additional answers may vary. |
| **Question 3.** What happens when we don’t obey God’s Word?  **Answer 3.** Answers will vary. |
| **Question 4.** What is God is saying to you about obedience?  **Answer 4.** Answers will vary. |
| **Question 5.** How can you stay faithful to the truths you are being taught in God’s Word?  **Answer 5.** Answers will vary. |

**Pray about It**

God, thank You for speaking to me through Your Word. Help me to trust that Your Word is true and help me remain faithful to the things found in it. Amen.

**Day 3**

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| **Faith Fact**  I will obey God’s Word.  **Faith Verse**  2 Timothy 3:16 (NLT)  All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true.  **Question of the Day: Why should I obey God’s Word first?** |

**Read about It**

**Read:** Psalm 33:4

Think about a time when someone told you they would do something, but then they didn’t do it. How did it make you feel? *(Allow responses.)* It can be really frustrating when we trust someone to do something, and they don’t follow through. People fail because people are human.

However, God is not like humans in that way. His Word is true and has been proven true over and over again. Because God cannot fail, we can trust His Word and everything He does. This should give us confidence when it comes to obeying His Word. We aren’t just obeying the words of someone who might not follow through—we are obeying the one true God. And we should obey it in every part of our lives.

**Talk about It**

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| **Question 1.** What did today’s Bible passage tell us about what the Lord says?  **Answer 1.** It is true. (Psalm 33:4) |
| **Question 2.** How much of what God does can we trust?  **Answer 2.** Everything (Psalm 33:4) |
| **Question 3.** How does it make you feel to know God can be trusted in all He does?  **Answer 3.** Answers will vary. |
| **Question 4.** What parts of God’s Word do you need help trusting?  **Answer 4.** Answers may vary. |
| **Question 5.** What parts of God’s Word do you need help obeying?  **Answer 5.** Answers will vary. |

**Pray about It**

God, thank You that Your Word is true and that You are always faithful to do what You say You’re going to do. Help me to be obedient to Your Word and trust You with every part of my life. Amen.

**Day 4**

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| **Faith Fact**  I will obey God’s Word.  **Faith Verse**  2 Timothy 3:16 (NLT)  All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true.  **Question of the Day: How does obeying God’s Word protect me?** |

**Read about It**

**Read:** Proverbs 30:5–6

Imagine for a moment that you’re running an obstacle course while arrows are being shot at you. You’re climbing walls, crawling under nets, and jumping barricades, and the arrows just keep flying. Imagine how hard it would be to complete the course while you worried about all the arrows.

Life is a lot like an obstacle course. Satan, our enemy, constantly shoots arrows at us to try to trip us up. However, because every word of God proves true, God is a shield to those who take refuge in Him. When we choose to obey God’s Word, God covers us with His protection and helps us move through life the way He wants us to.

**Talk about It**

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| **Question 1.** How much of God’s Word is true?  **Answer 1.** Every word of God is true. (Proverbs 30:5) |
| **Question 2.** What may happen if you try to say God said something that He didn’t?  **Answer 2.** God can let others know that you are lying. (Proverbs 30:6) |
| **Question 3.** What does God do for those who come to Him for protection?  **Answer 3.** He is a shield to all who come to Him for protection. (Proverbs 30:5) |
| **Question 4.** How can obeying God’s Word protect us?  **Answer 4.** Answers may vary. |
| **Question 5.** What is one thing you can do today to be more obedient to God’s Word?  **Answer 5.** Answers will vary. |

**Pray about It**

God, please help me to obey every part of Your Word. Thank You that Your Word is true and shields me from the attacks of the enemy. Amen.