



Gospel Light®

HOME DISCUSSION GUIDE
for ages 10-12

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Lesson 7

What's Important?

God sends from heaven and saves me.

See Psalm 57:3

At mealtime one night we went around the table, each one taking a turn completing this sentence by naming a possession, "If I had to, I could do without ...". We continued going around until we had gotten down to the bare bones and determined what things we really needed. The kids stopped short, saying there were some things they just would not do without. This insight provided a springboard for discussion on what they valued and why. We wondered how Job might have felt losing everything and thought about what was most important to him. When it came down to it, we concluded: **Nothing compares to God's help, security, and salvation.**

Try This:

We review with our kids what to do in case of an emergency such as an earthquake, tornado or fire. We talk about what we would make sure to take and what we should leave and why. In addition to being prepared for an emergency, it helps us to remember what's most important in our lives and what we need to hold loosely.