

faith & family

Life Source

Family Devotions

Hopefully your preteen is beginning to develop a habit of personal devotions. But there are still plenty of times when your input is needed—and valued. Encourage your child to read the daily Scriptures. Read the verses yourself. Use the questions to help your preteen understand the verses and apply them to life. Discover and learn from God’s Word—together!

- **SUNDAY**—Read Joshua 6:17-19.
What rules did God give the Israelites about what should be done with everything found in the city of Jericho? Why do you think it is important to follow God’s rules?
- **MONDAY**—Read Joshua 7:1-5, 19-21.
What happened in the battle against Ai? What did Achan do wrong? How can one sin lead to trouble for others or in other areas of your life?
- **TUESDAY**—Read Joshua 7:10-13.
What did God say had to be done before He would bless Israel again? How do you think God feels about unconfessed sins?
- **WEDNESDAY**—Read Joshua 7:24-26.
How complete was the punishment of Achan? What did God do to remove the punishment we deserve for our sins? (Read John 3:16.)
- **THURSDAY**—Read Hebrews 12:4-11.
Have you ever been disciplined? Did you deserve it? What does the fact that God allows you to feel the consequences of your sins say about how much He cares for you?
- **FRIDAY**—Read 1 Corinthians 15:33, 34.
How much do you think other people influence your life and the choices you make? Do the people you spend most of your time with lead you closer to God or farther away from Him?
- **SATURDAY**—Read Galatians 6:7, 8.
What is the result of living the way the world says to live? What is the result of living the way God says to live? Which way do you try to live?

POWER SURGE

Find these verses in the Bible.
Together, memorize the verses.
Romans 3:23; 6:23;
James 4:7, 8

Talk to God! He’s waiting to hear from you!