

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 Luke 15:11-16.
How did the younger son use what he had been given by his father? Have you ever spent money foolishly? How can God help you make wise choices?
- **MONDAY**—Read Luke 15:17-20.
The son accepted responsibility for the mistakes he had made. What will God do when you accept responsibility and honestly admit your mistakes to Him?
- **TUESDAY**—Read Luke 15:21-24.
How long did it take for the father to welcome his returning son? What does this story teach about God’s willingness to forgive us?
- **WEDNESDAY**—Read Acts 2:38-41.
What did Peter say had to be done for sin to be forgiven? How many people have the promise of being forgiven if they follow God’s plan?
- **THURSDAY**—Read Romans 3:22-26.
Who needs to be forgiven of sin? How did Jesus demonstrate God’s justice?
- **FRIDAY**—Read 2 Corinthians 7:8-10.
Paul’s first letter to the Corinthians called for them to get rid of the sin in their lives. According to these verses, did the Corinthians listen to Paul? Why is it important to be sorry for our sins?
- **SATURDAY**—Read 2 Timothy 2:20, 21.
Timothy said that in a house some things are useful, while others are not. What can you do to make yourself useful to God?

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!