



February 2, 2025 I Am Loved Leader Weekly Devotion

Leader Notes

Bible Passage: God Loved Adam and Eve- Genesis 2-3

Bottom Line: God Loved First

Leader Context: God’s loved us first, and His love is best, bigger than anything, and goes on forever. (Read Genesis 3:22-23.) In His love, God sent Adam and Eve out of the garden so they would not eat from the tree of life and live forever in their broken state. It was part of the consequence of their sin, but it was also the most loving thing He could do for them. God made away for them to be reconciled through Jesus. This week, we are teaching kids that, even though there is punishment for their sin, God showed incredible love. We get to teach kids that we can never earn or deserve love because God loved us first.

THE WIN FOR SUNDAY GROUPS: Give kids a first look at The Bible, Jesus, and our need for a Savior by embracing their physical needs or engaging their interests. Use The Code when necessary to help redirect kids and build relationships.

Study

Read: Genesis 3

Highlight: Genesis 3:22-23

Reflect: How do you see God’s love reflected through sin’s consequence?

1. Growth in humility and honesty
2. Conviction of sin that leads to life change
3. Deeper dependence on God

Pray: God, thank You for loving me even when I sin. Help me see Your love when I face consequences for sin. Help me to always remember Your amazing love and that You loved me first.

Connect: What is something good that has come out of something bad? How does this show the love and character of God?

Leader Tips

We get to teach kids about the amazing love of God this February with the Theme *Power Up*. Our Simple Truth is, “I Am Loved.” This truth really took root in my life during High School. I attended an event called Happening and through that experience, I physically experienced agape love. I believe kids at any age can know this and have seen it in my kids lives for sure. As you prepare to lead this month, take some time to ask God to remind you what agape love looks and feels like so you can help kids know about God’s love. Kids will learn that God loved first, He loves best, more, and always! We know this month will power kids up to love and follow God. Check out these resources to help you grow in leadership

Leader Training Video- [Five Ways to Lead Kids in Love](#)

Blog- [How God’s Love Changes Us](#)

Podcast: Check out the Hyfi Preschool and Kids [Weekly Training Podcast](#). New episodes drop every Tuesday!