

PRELUDE

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25 MINUTES

## HEAR FROM GOD MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITY



## Memory Verse

### BIBLE STORY

**I Don't Want to Miss a Thing**  
Father and Older Brother  
Luke 15:21-32

### MEMORY VERSE

Bear with each other and  
forgive one another if any of  
you has a grievance against  
someone. Forgive as the Lord  
forgave you.  
Colossians 3:13, NIV

### LIFE APP

**Forgiveness—Deciding that  
someone who has wronged  
you doesn't have to pay**

### BOTTOM LINE

**When you don't forgive,  
you miss out.**

### BASIC TRUTH

**I should treat others the way  
I want to be treated.**

### 3. MEMORY VERSE BUILDING

**WHAT YOU NEED:** A Bible marked at Colossians 3:13, "Memory Verse Phrases" Activity Page, and scissors

#### WHAT YOU DO:

- Ask someone open the Bible to Colossians 3:13 and read it aloud.
- Give each child a set of "Memory Verse Phrases," and scissors.
- Instruct the kids to cut out the phrases.
- When finished, encourage kids to mix up the strips of paper, and have the kids put it back in order.

#### WHAT YOU SAY:

"Forgiveness is important! And we know that's true because God is the ultimate forgiver! This verse is such a great one to remember always. Let's choose to forgive and fix the relationships with the people around us, with God's help. Because **when you don't forgive, you miss out.**"

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**What to Do:**

Print one set for each kid. Discard or recycle the empty pieces.

**Memory Verse Phrases, NIV**

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