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Welcome to Winter 2021 H2H

A few introductory tips about Bible Study with Kids:

- *Remember how important it is to build relationships with the kids you are serving!*
- Bible Reading:
 - Please do not *make* kids read aloud if they don't want to
 - If you do have children read the Bible passages aloud, make sure everyone can hear and/or follow along. The Word should be clearly spoken.
 - A helpful tip: An adult can read but have kids following along in their own Bibles (if age appropriate) and you can stop on occasion and have kids say the word you paused at. This helps them stay engaged...and also allows the Word to be read with clarity and volume
- Try to bring some type of visual to help illustrate the lesson. It goes a long way to capture kids' attention. It can be simple, while still giving them something to focus on and bringing abstract concepts to a concrete level.
- Try to get to these three levels: Observation, Interpretation, Application (as is age appropriate). Within the lesson, each type of question will have "O" "I" or "A" in front of it to help you.
 - Observation: facts, clear understanding of what the passage is about
 - Interpretation: What does it mean? There is only one interpretation. What is the author and God saying? If it's abstract or maybe figurative, try to help kids discern the most simple and clear interpretation. If you are not certain, don't be afraid to say that!
 - Application: There will be many ways to apply scripture! Help the kids make it personal! What can we learn from this for our lives today?! How does this impact my life, my relationship with God, my understanding and knowledge of God?
- Less is More: Please never feel like you must cover everything in the lesson. Doing a good job on one concept is better than racing to "cover" everything.
- During prayer time, do not make children pray aloud if they do not want to.
- *Remember how important it is to build relationships with the kids you are serving!*

Winter 2021 H2H Kids Session #3: Week of January 17-23

Please contact Megan Myers (megbmyers@gmail.com) if you have questions about the lesson or feedback on children's H2H lessons

PREP Ahead:

- Print Coloring Page & Wordsearch (1 copy per student)
- Game: marshmallows

ICEBREAKER (5 min): Would You Rather... Winter Edition

Ask the following "Would You Rather..." questions to break the ice. Would you rather...

- ★ ... build a snowman or make snow angels?
- ★ ... go sledding or go skiing?
- ★ ... have wet socks or wet mittens?
- ★ ... build a snow fort or have a snowball fight?
- ★ ... sit next to a roaring fire on a wintry day or warm up with hot cocoa?

BIBLE DISCUSSION (10-15 min): Titus 1:10-16

- Introduction: Have you ever heard the story of Little Red Riding Hood? (allow answers) Remember how the big, bad wolf wanted to gobble up Little Red Riding Hood and so he tricked her by dressing up as her grandmother. He wanted her to think he was her grandma. But Little Red noticed something wasn't quite right. Grandma's eyes were too big, and her ears were too big. Her teeth were much bigger too. She runs away when she realizes he isn't her grandmother after all. So how does this story go with the lesson today? In the book of Titus, we will be learning about false teachers. As the wolf claimed to be "grandma", these false teachers claim to know God, but their actions show that they really don't.
- Read Titus 1:10-16
 - Q: How are false teachers described in verse 10? (insubordinate, idle talkers, deceivers... briefly describe what each characteristic means for younger age groups)
 - Jesus warned of false teachers in **Matthew 7:15** *Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravenous wolves.*
 - I: Why can it be hard for a person to tell if someone is a "wolf in sheep's clothing?" (Because they might say all the right things and

sometimes even do the right things for a time, but eventually their actions will reveal who they really are).

- Q: Why do these false teachers teach things they shouldn't? (for dishonest gain)
- Q: According to verse 14, what happens to households or people who are influenced by false teachers? (they are ruined, destroyed)
 - I: Why are false teachers so dangerous? (Their teachings confuse others, they distort or discount the gospel so that it may affect someone being saved, false teachings can also cause someone to miss out on the best that God has for them)
- Q: How should a believer respond to a false teacher? (rebuke them)
 - I: Can we just ignore false teachers? (No.. false teachers not only bring destruction on themselves but others too.)
- I: What can help someone recognize and identify false teachers? (teaching should always line up with God's Word and the teachings of Jesus Christ. A false teacher will always promote himself instead of God's Kingdom.)
- A: What are some ways you can protect yourself from being influenced by a false teacher? (make sure a teacher's words and actions represent the Word of God... by studying your Bible, going to church and growing your relationship with Jesus you will be better at detecting those who speak Truth.)

PRAYER (5 min):

Share prayer requests and pray for one another.

GAME (5-10 min): Marshmallow Stack

Items needed: marshmallows

Put a pile of marshmallows on the table. The children will have one minute to build a marshmallow snowman by stacking as many marshmallows they can within the one minute time limit. The player with the most marshmallows stacked wins.



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Matthew 7:15

Titus 1:10-16

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