

ABC's of Salvations Parent's Guide

God Rules: The Bible tells us that God created everything, including you and me, and He is in charge of everything. Genesis 1:1; Revelation 4:11; Colossians 1:16-17

We Sinned: We all choose to disobey God. The Bible calls this sin. Sin separates us from God and deserves God's punishment of death. That's bad news. Romans 3:23, 6:23

God Provided: But wait. There's also good news! God sent His Son Jesus, the perfect solution to our sin problem, to rescue us from the punishment we deserve. That's something that we, as sinners, could never earn on our own. Jesus alone saves us. John 3:16; Ephesians 2:8-9

Jesus Gives: Jesus lived a perfect life, died on the cross for our sins, and rose again. Because Jesus gave up His life for us, we can be welcomed into God's family now, and for all eternity. That's the best gift ever! Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21; 1 Peter 3:18; Ephesians 2:8-9

We Respond: How can you respond to this gift? Believe in your heart that Jesus alone saves you through what He has already done on the cross. Repent, turning from self and sin to Jesus. Tell God and others that your faith is in Jesus. John 14:6; Romans 10:9-10, 13

The ABCs help us remember how to respond to the gospel.

A: Admit that you are a sinner and repent. Repent means to turn around or to change direction. We turn away from our sin and turn towards God.

B: Believe that Jesus is God's Son and receive His gift of forgiveness from sin.

C: Confess to God, and other people, that Jesus is your savior and that He is Lord of your life.

PRAYER of SALVATION:

Dear **Lord** Jesus, I know that I am a sinner, and I ask for Your forgiveness. I believe You died for my sins and rose from the dead. I turn from my sins and invite You to come into my heart and life. I want to trust and follow You as my **Lord** and Savior. I pray all these things in Jesus Christ Name, AMEN.



Next Steps For You And Your Family

- If you did this at home with your child, then reach out to our Acting Kids Ministry Director, Jessica Hale by jessica.hale@thebrook.net or 281-376-0275 ext 232
- If your child did this at the church, they were given a Bible as a tool to help them along their new walk with Jesus. You can help your child by setting up regular times to read and study the Bible.
- Through the Kids @ the Brook Instagram and Facebook pages we have Family Bites, that help give questions and verses to study every day. You an use them for breakfast, car rides or dinner conversation starters. Even if you don't know the answers, you can walk with your kids through the process of discovering what the Bible does say.
- Setup a regular prayer time to talk to God as a family.
- Join a community group to help support you and your family as you grow together.
- Find other resources to help you guide yourself and your children through our website at www.thebrook.net/kids