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session 3

JESUS'S FAMILY

as you go

These are simple questions to ask your student as you go home from church or go about your weekly activities.

.01 What are the best parts of being part of a family? What are the most difficult or frustrating parts?

.02 When have you spoken or acted in a way that surprised or confused other people? What did you do or say?

family DEVOTION

Consider following up with your student later in the week with the following summary and discussion questions.

summary: MARK 3:20-35

Jesus's family heard about the kind of crowds He was gathering, and they were worried about His behavior. The scribes were worried too, and they started to accuse Jesus of working with Satan to perform His miracles. Jesus used the opportunity to teach several lessons to the scribes and the rest of the crowd that was gathered. It didn't make sense that He would be working with Satan, since Satan is focused on destruction, and Jesus's mission involved healing, forgiveness, and salvation. He also taught that His family goes far beyond biological connections: anyone who does the will of God is part of Jesus's spiritual family.

discussion QUESTIONS

.01 Why did Jesus speak so sternly to the scribes who accused Him of working with Satan?

.02 When you think of people in your community who do the will of God, who comes to mind? Why?

PRAY: Praise God for sending His Son to us so we could learn what it means to be part of the family of God.

memorize: MARK 3:20-35**CENTRAL
truth**

When we put our faith in Jesus for salvation, we become children of God.

**LEADER
challenge**

Challenge your student to use the Daily Devotions provided in their *Daily Discipleship Guide* to study God's Word this week. These are the passages covered in this week's devotions.

DAY 1 MARK 3:20-21

DAY 2 MARK 3:22-30

DAY 3 MARK 3:31-35

DAY 4 JAMES 1:1

DAY 5 1 JOHN 5:6-12

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