Journal Page

List some ways you can show love to others.



The Good Samaritan Luke 10:25-37

MAIN POINT: JESUS CALLS US TO LOVE OTHERS AS HE HAS LOVED US.

A Jewish lawyer asked Jesus a question: "Teacher, what must I do to have eternal life?"

Jesus answered, "What do the Scriptures say?"

The lawyer replied, "'Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, strength, and mind.' And 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'"

Jesus said, "That's right. Do this, and you will have eternal life."

Then the man asked, "Who is my neighbor?" Jesus told a story to help the man understand.

"A man was traveling when robbers attacked him and left him for dead on the side of the road.

"A priest was traveling down the road when he saw the man lying there. But instead of helping the man, the priest passed by on the other side of the road.

"Then a Levite, or religious leader, came down the road. He saw the man lying there, but instead of helping the man, the Levite passed by on the other side of the road, too.

"Then a man from Samaria came down the road. When he saw the man lying there, he helped him. He put the man on his donkey and took him to an inn where he could rest."

Jesus asked, "Which of these people was a real neighbor to the man who was attacked by robbers?"

The lawyer replied, "The one who helped the man." Jesus said, "Go and do the same!"

Christ Connection: Jesus' story about the good Samaritan surprised the people who heard it. Like the good Samaritan, God saw that we needed to be rescued. He sent His Son to save us from sin. Jesus died on the cross for our sin and rose again so we can have eternal life. God calls us to show His love for the world by helping people in need.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS

- How has Jesus shown us love?
- How can we show love to others?
- How can you be a neighbor to others nearby and far away?

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Love Your Neighbor How can you show love to these neighbors? Check a response or write your own



Ask to play too.





Join her for a board game.

Invite her to your house for dinner.

Parable Word Search

Find and circle the key words found in the Bible story about the parable of the good Samaritan.



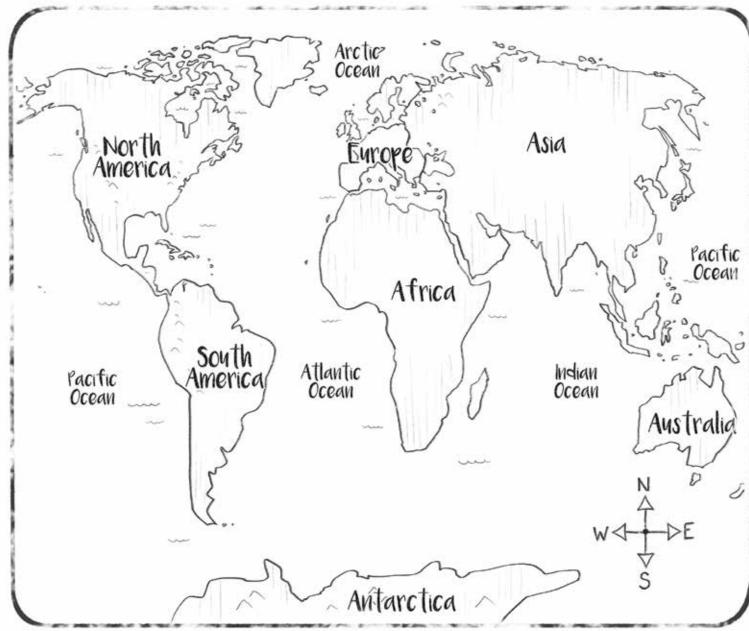
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Neighborly World



INSTRUCTIONS: Draw a star where you live. Draw hearts in places you have been, and circle places you would like to go.



KEY PASSAGE: Mark 6:34

• BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

• Why did Jesus tell parables? Jesus told parables to teach people about God and His kingdom.

BIBLE STORY: THE GOOD SAMARITAN

- Jesus told a parable about loving others.
- A man was attacked while traveling.
- Two religious leaders traveled by without helping, but a Samaritan stopped to help.
- Jesus calls us to love others as He has loved us.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- How has Jesus shown us love?
- How can we show love to others?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

• As a family, chose a nation of the world that you do not live in. Research about the people living there. Pray together for them each week. Then see if there are any local communities of people from that nation you could befriend and show love to.

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He saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. And he began to teach them many things. Mark 6:34