

****We covered these questions in small groups during service (utilize for additional recap)****



WEEK 3 BIBLE STUDY

Memory Verse: “I have come as a light to shine in this dark world, so that all who put their trust in me will no longer remain in the dark.” John 12:46

Read Luke 23:26-43

Answer these questions:

(K - 3rd Grade)

1. Why was Jesus crucified?
For our sins
2. Who was crucified with Jesus?
Two men. They were criminals and Jesus knew they were sinners
3. What did the one man ask Jesus to do?
To forgive him.
4. What did Jesus do for the man?
Forgave
5. Is there something you need to ask forgiveness for this week, from God or someone else?

****Take answers from kids** (Give personal example)**

(4th & 5th Grade)

1. Why was Jesus crucified?
For our sins
2. What did Jesus do for the man who asked Jesus to remember him?
Forgave him and told him, “Today, you will be with me in paradise.”
3. What does Jesus do when he forgives our sins?
Forgives and forgets. He cuts off our sins
4. Is there something you need to ask forgiveness for this week, from God or someone else?

****Take answers for kids** (Give personal answer)**

5. Is there someone you need to forgive for something they’ve done to you?

****Take answers from kids** (Pray with them)**

“For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord. They are plans for good and not for disaster, plans to give you a future and a hope.” Jeremiah 29:11



MAKE IT STICK

5 Simple Ways You Can Make This Lesson Stick With your Kids

Star Words Lesson 3

THIS WEEK'S LESSON: FORGIVENESS



IN THE CAR:

Ask your child what they learned about this week on the drive home:

A lightsaber can cut through whatever the enemy throws your way . Forgiveness through Jesus is like that lightsaber, cutting through our sin so we are no longer sinful.

Forgiveness means God does not punish us like we deserve for our sins, because Jesus took the punishment for us. Luke 23:26-43, The Cross



HANGING OUT:

Make this week's lesson real:

Let the kids help with making dinner one night this week. As you cut veggies and other foods preparing the meal, talk to the kids about how God forgives and cuts away our sins.



AT DINNER:

Here are some great discussion starters:

- Why did Jesus die on the cross? **For our sins**
- What did Jesus do for the thief on the cross who asked Jesus to forgive him?

Forgave him and told him he would be in heaven with him.



AT BEDTIME:

Quiz your child on this week's memory verse:

"I have come as a light to shine in this dark world, so that all who put their trust in me will no longer remain in the dark." John 12:46

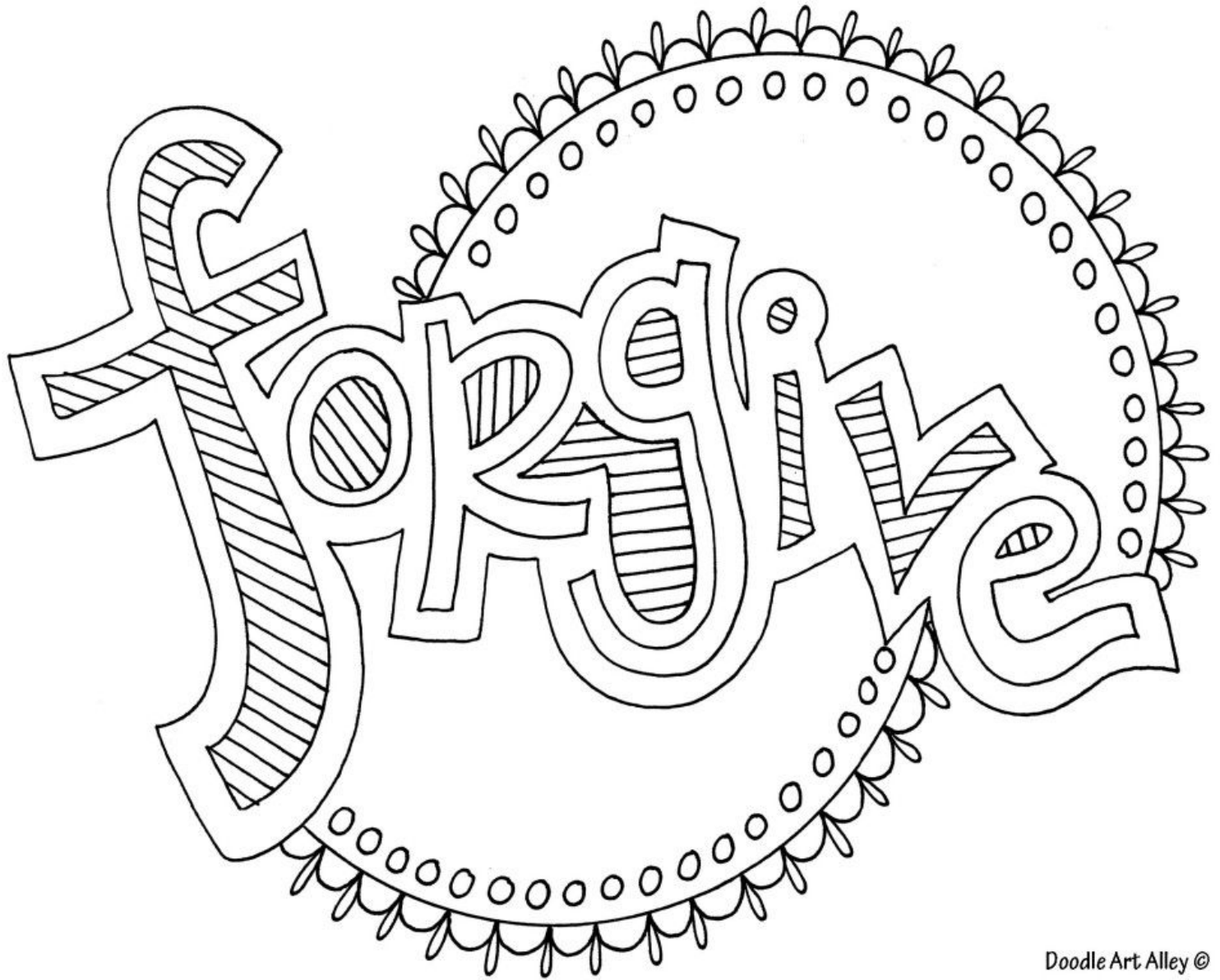


PARENT TIME:

What you need to know:

When God forgives, it is final. He takes our sins away. Are you hanging on to guilt over your sins, or are you harboring sin you need to confess? Give that guilt and sin to God, and let him take it from you!

STAR WORDS: FORGIVENESS



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