

FAMILY DISCUSSION GUIDE

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THE GOOD SAMARITAN



A message from Superbook's Executive Producer



Dear Friend,

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In “The Good Samaritan,” one of Jesus’ famous parables, He tells the story to answer the question, “Who is my neighbor?” Use this *Family Discussion Guide* to talk with your children about how to apply the scriptural lessons of kindness and generosity to everyday life.

Check out our children’s ministry curriculum, available at SuperbookAcademy.com. And be sure to download the Superbook Kids Bible App for your smartphone or tablet. This free app includes the entire Bible plus full Superbook episodes that you can show children anywhere, anytime. God bless you!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gordon Robertson". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Gordon Robertson

Chief Executive Officer, CBN



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EXCUSES

At the beginning of the video, why didn't Joy want to share the pizza with Samantha and her little brother? Can you tell me about a time when you didn't want to share something or help someone in need? [Read Hebrews 13:16.](#)

What happened to the Jewish man going down to Jericho? [Read Luke 10:30.](#)

What did the priest and the Levite (a temple assistant) do when they saw the wounded man? [Read Luke 10:31-32.](#)

If you asked the two men why they didn't help, what are some excuses that they might give? What can happen to our faith if we never put it into practice? [Read James 2:14-17.](#)

PRAY Heavenly Father, forgive us for the times when we are selfish and don't help others the way You want us to. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



NEIGHBORS

Back in Bible times, Jewish people looked down on Samaritans—so why do you think Jesus made a Samaritan the hero of the story? [Read Luke 6:27-36.](#)

What question did Jesus answer by telling this parable? Why do you think the man asked Jesus who his neighbor was? [Read Luke 10:27-29.](#)

Who was a true neighbor to the wounded man? [Read Luke 10:36-37.](#)

How important is it to love our neighbors? [Read Matthew 22:37-40.](#)

Can you name some people who are lonely or hurting, or have disabilities, and need you to be their neighbor today?

PRAY Dear God, show us people who need a good neighbor today, and then help us share Your love and kindness with them. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.



MERCY

At the end of the parable of the Good Samaritan, what does Jesus say to do? [Read Luke 10:37.](#)

What does mercy mean? [Read Psalm 86:15-16.](#)

Where can we find mercy? [Read Hebrews 4:16.](#)

Can you name some practical ways that we can show God's love, kindness and forgiveness to other people today?

What does God promise us when we care for the needy?
[Read Isaiah 58:7-11.](#)

We all deserve to be punished for our sins—so how did Jesus show mercy and rescue us? [Read Romans 5:6-11.](#)

PRAY Thank You, Lord Jesus, for dying on the cross to save us from our sins, then rising again to give us eternal life! Help us share this Good News with others. Amen.





IMPORTANT NOTE TO PARENTS

We encourage you to watch this video with your children. Please use this guide to talk about neighborly kindness and compassion. For frequently asked questions (FAQs) plus information about other Superbook episodes, visit CBN.com/Superbook.

The Salvation Poem[®]

Jesus, You died upon a cross
And rose again to save the lost
Forgive me now of all my sin
Come be my Savior, Lord, and Friend
Change my life and make it new
And help me, Lord, to live for You

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