

Jesus and The Rich Young Ruler

BIBLE PASSAGE: Mark 10:17-31

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What did the rich young ruler ask Jesus? ("What must I do to receive eternal life?")
- Do you follow the 10 commandments? Can you name them? (See Exodus 20:1-17)
- What did Jesus tell the man he had to do in order to have eternal life? (Sell all that he owned and then give the money to the poor)
- What did the man do, did he sell all of his things? (No, because he cared more about his things than he did about God)
- Have you ever wondered what Heaven will be like? What are your thoughts?
- What did today's story teach you about Jesus and who He is?

BIBLE LEARNING ACTIVITIES

*Recall the Bible Story

Things you need: Jesus and the rich young ruler coloring page and crayons

As your child colors, discuss today's Bible lesson.

*Jesus and the Children

Things you need: 2 Corinthians 5:21 coloring page and crayons

Because we are human, we are sinners. We always do things that are not pleasing to God. On our own, there is no good in us... but God! God has made a way for our sins to be washed white as snow and for our hearts to be clean. He sent His Son, Jesus, to die for us. When we believe in Jesus and invite Him to live in our hearts, he will forgive our sins. All we have to do is ask. Then, everyday we walk in faith with Jesus. The man in today's story was more concerned with the things he had here on earth then having a life with Jesus in Heaven. When we die, all of our earthly things will be left here. Our real treasure is in Heaven with Jesus. We can be made right with God because of what Christ has done for us. 2 Corinthians 5:21. Color this sheet and then hang this verse in your room where you can read it everyday. Memorize it and always remember that you can be right with God because he loves you so much.

*What's in Your Heart

Things you need: First place in our heart activity sheet and crayons

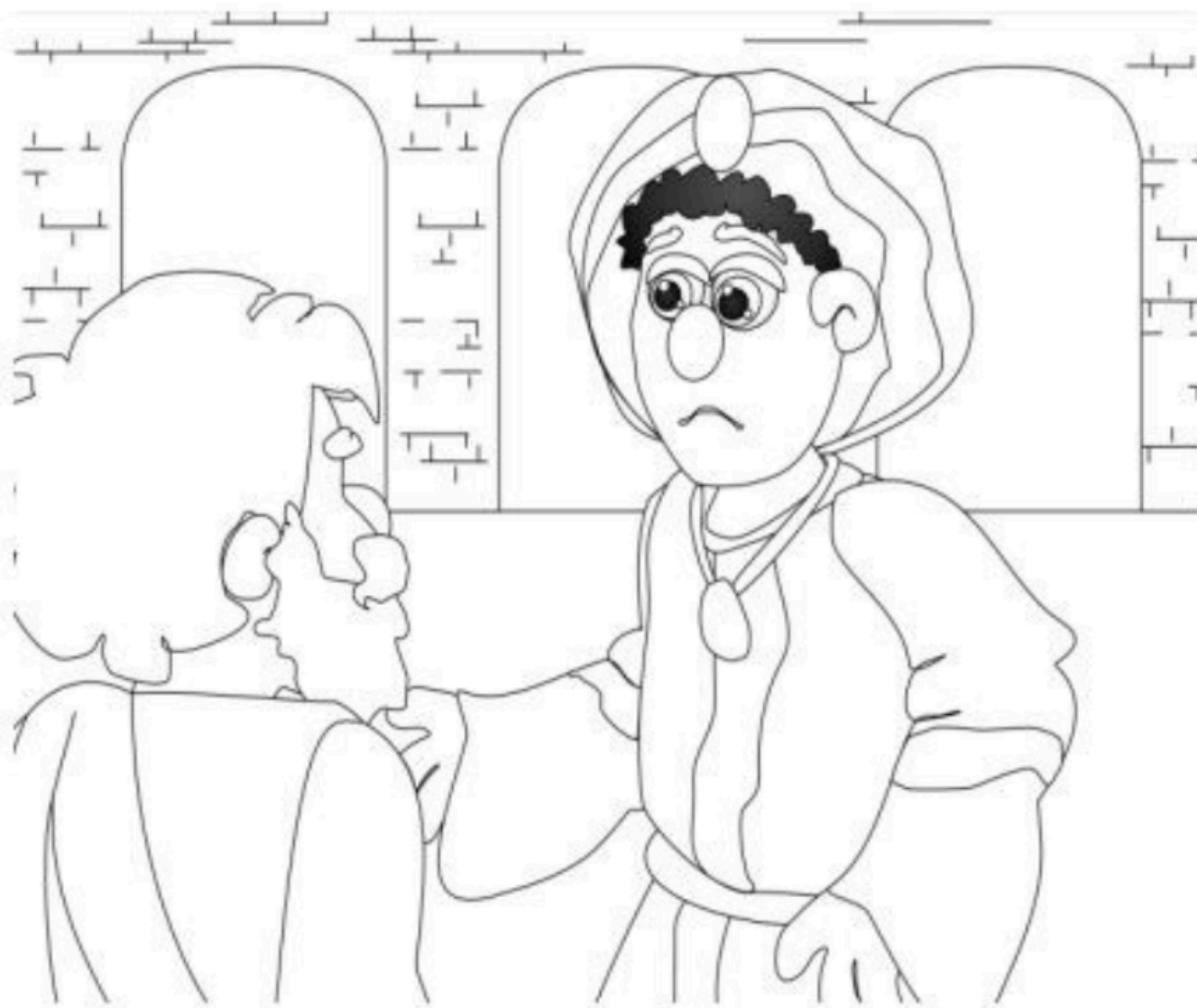
There are many things that can take first place in our hearts without us even realizing. Take time to talk through the pictures inside the heart. Are those things sometimes a problem for you? Do you ever put those things before God or even your family members? Can you think of anything else that could go inside of the heart? You can write the other things you think of or draw them around the heart. Jesus wants so badly to have first place in our hearts. When He is first, nothing else matters. If Jesus isn't first place in your heart, how can you get Him there? Talk with your child about giving their life to Christ and living for Him.

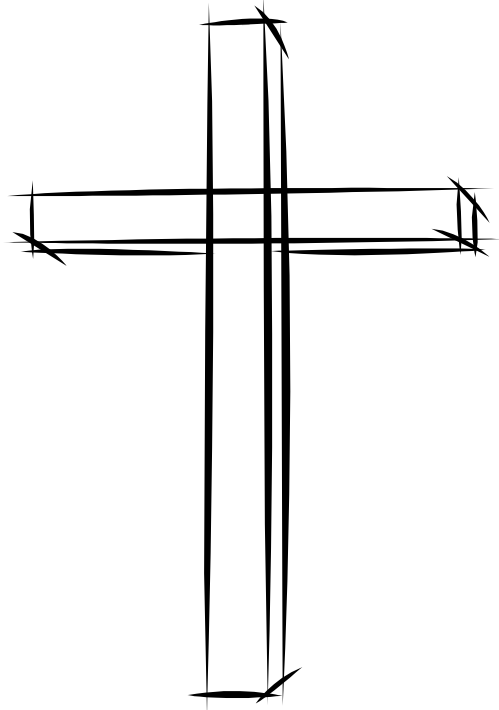
*Pray

Things you need: Nothing

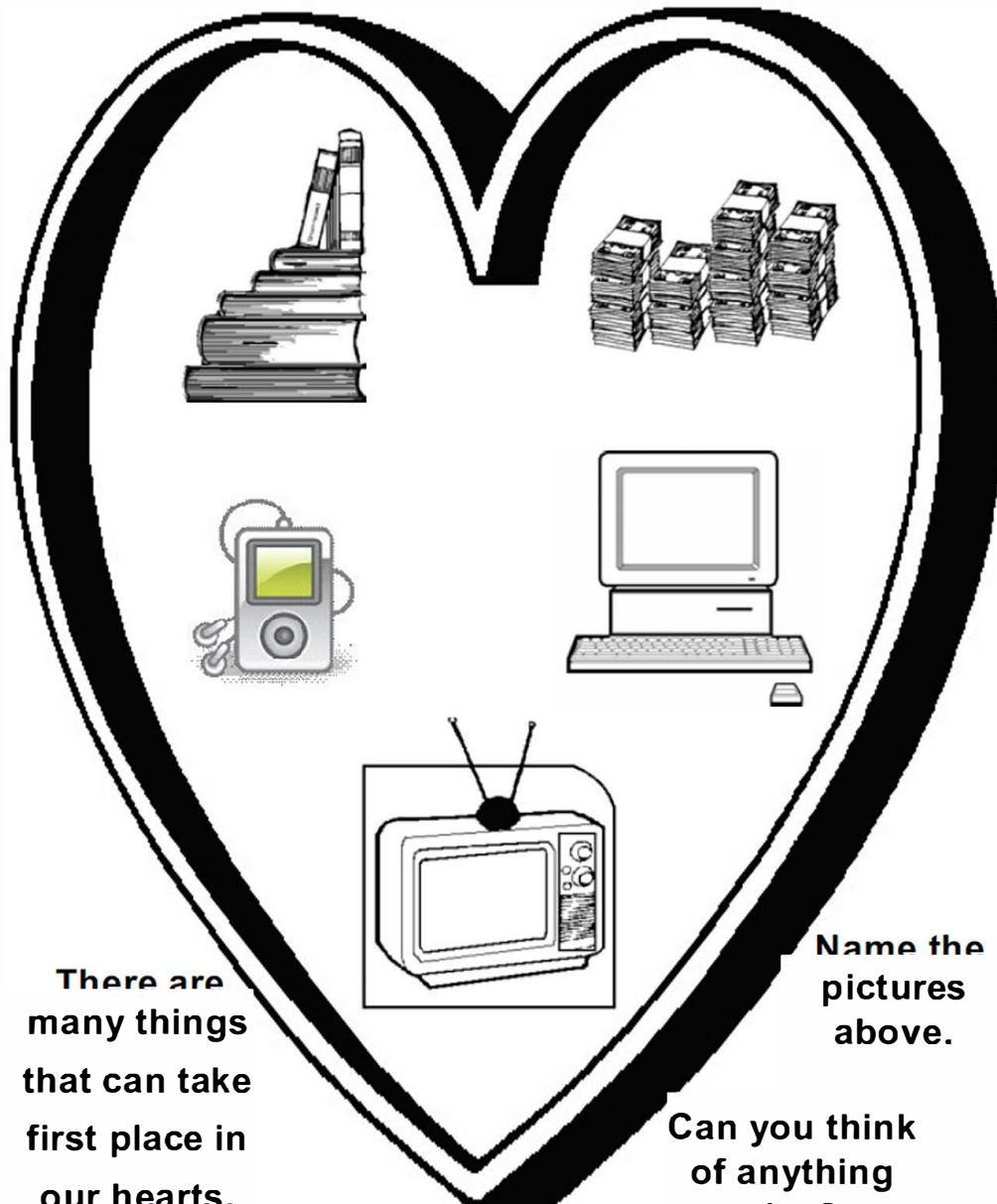
Take time to pray together as a family. Ask God to help you let go of the things in your life that don't matter and really focus on the things that do. Talk about what those things are and how you can help each other keep the "main thing" the "main thing". Make sure to thank God for sending His Son to save us so that we can be right with Him.

THE STORY OF
THE RICH YOUNG RULER





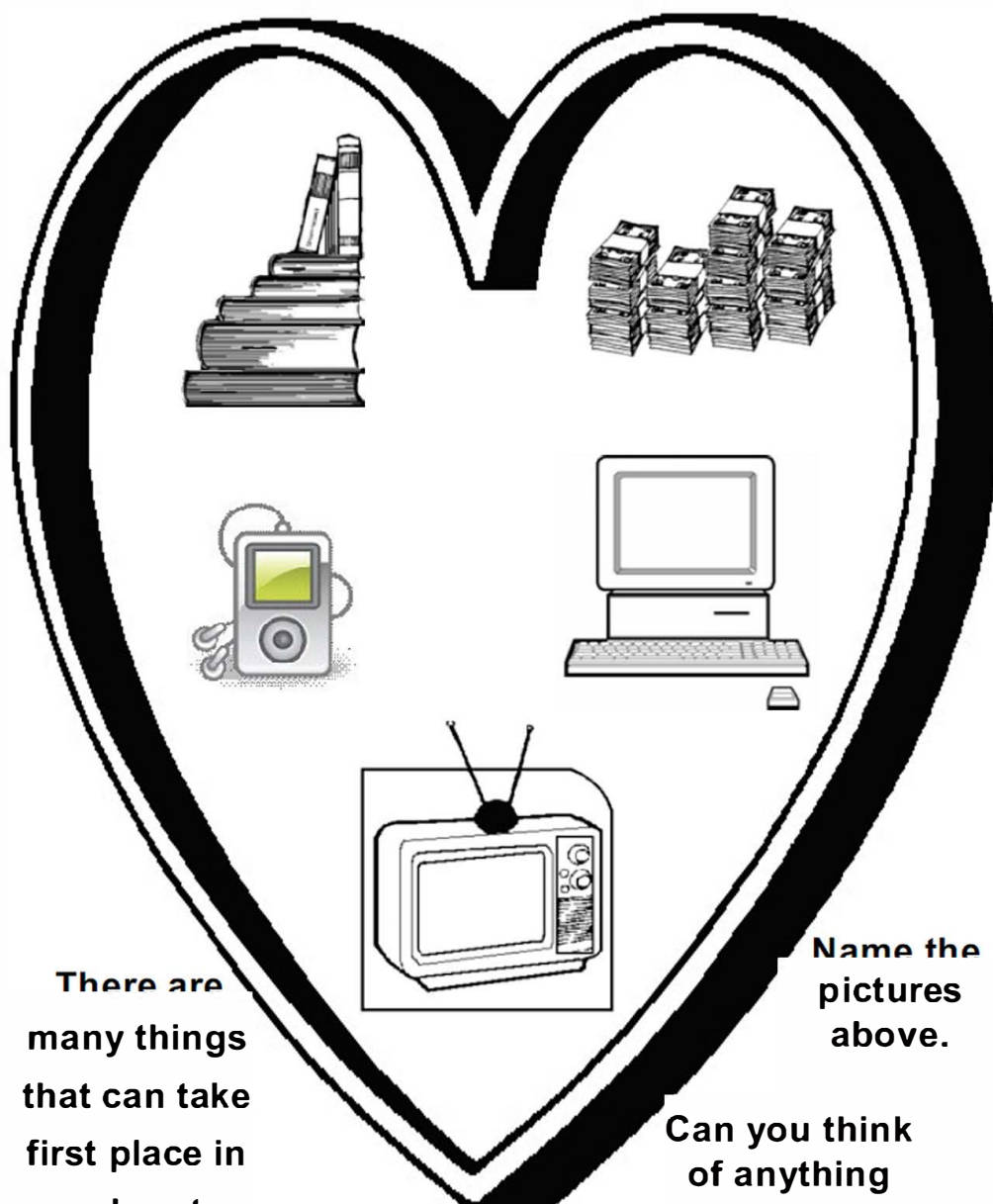
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Trace the letters.

JESUS

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FOR ME

Word Search

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Can you find the memory verse in the puzzle above?

“Christ didn’t have any sin. But God made Him become sin for us.
So we can be made right with God because of what Christ has done for us.”
2 Corinthians 5:21

Preschool Word Search

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JESUS

RICH MAN

COMMANDMENTS

SELL ALL

SAD

FOLLOW