

A young girl with blonde hair, wearing a patterned dress, is pointing upwards with her right hand. The background is a soft, golden-yellow color. Overlaid on the image is a quote in white text.

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MATTHEW 6:24

LOVE CONTENTMENT

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What do we do at FPKids?

“At FPKids we focus the entire year on one thing and one thing only. We talk about what Jesus said.”

What is the only thing we talk about?

YOU SAY: What Jesus Said

KIDS SAY: What Jesus Said

“That is simple enough. We care about what Jesus said. So what do we do at FPKids? We take what Jesus said and... We Read It. We See It. We Live It. We Tell It.” (Do motions with RSLT)

What do we do at FPKids? We take what Jesus said and...

YOU SAY: READ IT, SEE IT, LIVE IT, TELL IT

KIDS SAY: READ IT, SEE IT, LIVE IT, TELL IT

This week is Tell It Week

YOU SAY: Tell It Week

THEY SAY: Tell It Week

HAVE A STUDENT PRAY THE PRAYER OF PREPARING

“But before we really get started, will someone please pray for us? Please start by asking the Lord to prepare our hearts and minds for this time together.”

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“This week is Tell It week. This week is about proclaiming the Good News. You will see very clearly this week everything we do is not only about Jesus’ teaching, but it’s also about Gospel. The Gospel is the Good News of Jesus being our King and Savior. We know He is because He told us He was. We know because of what Jesus said.”

WHERE IS THE ONLY PLACE TO FIND WHAT JESUS SAID?

KIDS SAY: In the Bible

WHAT IS THE GOAL OF A DISCIPLE?

THEY SAY: To be like their Teacher

WHAT DOES JESUS REQUIRE OF HIS FOLLOWERS?

THEY SAY: Obedience

HOW DO WE KNOW HOW TO OBEY JESUS?

They Say: We follow His example

WHAT IS OUR MOTIVATION FOR OBEYING?

THEY SAY: Love

WHAT DOES JESUS WANT US TO OBEY?

THEY SAY: His teaching

WHAT CAN WE ACCOMPLISH WHEN WE TAKE ON HIS TEACHING AND HIS REDEMPTION?

YOU SAY: His Mission

THEY SAY: His Mission

REVIEW MATTHEW 6:24

REVIEW MOTIONS

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WHY DO WE SHARE THE GOSPEL?

1. BECAUSE JESUS TOLD US TO.

HAVE A STUDENT READ MARK 16:15

“He (Jesus) said to them, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation.”

2. BECAUSE WE ARE JOINING IN THE MISSION OF JESUS

“At FPKids, it is very important for you kids to see that you are on mission with Jesus already. Jesus has already called you and He is equipping you. He is making you ready for the great mission to share the Love and Message of Jesus Christ with the whole world, and so we start here and now.”

HAVE A STUDENT SHARE THE GOSPEL STEP-UP

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RECAP THIS MONTH'S MARK: LOVE CONTENTMENT

“Last week we talked about what it looks like to reach people with your life. We talked about what it means to Love Contentment in your daily life. Does anyone have an example of this week or last week where Love Contentment impacted your life?”

OUR LIVES SHARE THE GOSPEL

“We live out the truth in love for a very important reason. That reason is because it shows people Jesus and it prepares their hearts and minds to hear about how much He loves them.”

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JESUS SAID YOU CAN'T SERVE BOTH GOD AND MONEY
Let's read a story Jesus told.

HAVE A STUDENT READ LUKE 12:16-21

THERE IS A RICH MAN

He was a wealthy farmer who owned lots of land and workers. He had a great harvest. He had more than he needed, so he decided to build larger barns to fit it all. Then he could take it easy. Does it sound like he's doing anything wrong? He sounds blessed.

GOD CALLS HIM A FOOL

That sounds harsh, doesn't it? God says, "You will die tonight!" He doesn't say that it's God's punishment, don't hear that. God just says he will die tonight, and it changes the perspective.

WHAT DOES IT MATTER IF A DEAD MAN HAS BIG BARNES AND TONS OF FOOD AND MONEY?

It doesn't matter, he's dead. That man thinks he has everything he needs. He can just sit back and relax. But God tells him he's foolish. He doesn't have what he needs, he has stuff.

WHEN YOU DIE, WHAT DOES STUFF MATTER?

There used to be a funny phrase, "He who dies with the most toys wins." It was said by a man to say we always are just like children with our toys and that people who have the most stuff are winners. A popular phrase came out later, "He who dies with the most toys, still dies."

THE MAN WAS RICH IN THIS WORLD BUT POOR IN HEAVEN

Ouch. God says you have stored up a ton of stuff for this world. But you've not stored up anything for Heaven.

I TELL YOU THERE ARE PEOPLE IN THE WORLD WHO ARE VERY POOR HERE, BUT ARE RICH TO GOD

Their sins are forgiven, they love people and they serve God faithfully. They are content.

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THERE ARE PEOPLE IN THE WORLD WHO ARE VERY RICH HERE, BUT ARE BROKE FOOLS TO GOD

They have stuff that will break or be sold to someone else. Their sins have not been forgiven and they don't know God or love Him. They are too busy enjoying themselves now. Their world revolves around themselves, but they are fools.

DO YOU WANT TO BE RICH? HERE IS WHAT JESUS SAID

READ LUKE 12:32-34

DO YOU WANT TO BE RICH?

You can have the kingdom of God, that can be your treasure and your reward, and you can go there. For where your treasure is, your heart will be too.

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NOTE TO CAMPUS COACHES:

Give students a chance to respond to becoming a follower of Jesus. We all share a passion to make sure our children understand the Gospel and turn to Christ in genuine salvation. As you present the Gospel at FPKids it is important to remember that a true response involves both repentance and faith.

WE DON'T NEED TO CONFUSE THESE RESPONSES TO AN INVITATION AS REPENTANCE:

- Raise your hand if you want to go to Heaven
- Repeat the sinner's prayer
- You need to be baptized
- Make a decision to follow Jesus today!
- There is no doubt that true conversations have come from these methods. These also can lead to a false assurance of salvation that can be dangerous. We ask that every decision made is discussed with a trained FPKids volunteer so that the kids can understand these Biblical truths. This will also help get them back to a local church.

THE FOLLOWING ARE SOME POINTS OF EMPHASIS TO KEEP IN MIND AS YOU GUIDE KIDS TO UNDERSTAND THE GOSPEL:

- Talk a lot about who Jesus is (God-Man, Savior, Lord, King) and what He has done (died for our sins on the cross, rose from the dead).
- Make it clear that all people need their sins forgiven and will be judged for their sins if they are not saved.
- Urge children to turn from their sins and trust in what Jesus has done.
- Invite children to talk to you further about their relationship with God.
- Motivate parents to pursue further discussions with their children.
- Think long-term. Think how you can continually disciple children vs. how many “decisions” you can record.
- Pray for the children, and expect God in His grace to use the Gospel to bring them to true, saving faith in Christ.

HAVE A STUDENT PRAY THE PRAYER OF GOING

“As we go from our time together, will someone please come and pray a prayer for us? Start by asking the Lord to be with us as we go from this place back into our school and that His Word would remain with us...”

RELEASE KIDS TO CLASS