

Group Guide

Episode 3 – Jesus Loves the Little Children



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The CHOSEN

The Story of Jesus: For Us

Scriptural References

- Mark 10:14
- Matt 18:3-5
- Deuteronomy 6:4-5
- Matthew 6:9-15
- Matthew 5-7
- Isaiah 61:1-2
- Luke 4:18-19
- John 12:28, 17:1

Characters

Jesus, Children

The Big Question:

What is your one BIG question from this episode? (What captured your imagination most, and what would you ask God about the events portrayed?)

Bring to Group:

What quote from this episode was the most meaningful/impactful to you? Why?

Questions for You & Group

If time is limited, discuss the key questions in bold.

1. Which characters stood out to you most? Which were most interesting? Most moving?
2. **How did Jesus' treatment of the children impact you?**
3. **Jesus was both playful and purposeful as He related to the children. What does that say about how we are to relate to others?**
4. In this episode, Jesus is seen praying routinely (meal times, bed time) and passionately. What is your prayer life like? How does this portrayal of Jesus' prayers encourage you?
5. Jesus' responses to some of the children's questions seemed evasive or incomplete. Why do you think that is? And how does that relate to His responses to our questions?

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Questions Continued

6. Jesus' gift reminded Abigail that He did not come only for the wealthy. How does that make you feel about Jesus? What does that mean about how we as His disciples treat people?
7. **Why do you think Jesus welcomed these children? What does this say about how much He desires to welcome you?**
8. **What would it take for you trust Jesus afresh - with the absolute faith of a child?**

Quotes

**"Is your father rich?" (Joshua)
"That is a question for another time."
(Jesus)**

**"I hope my next students ask the same questions. I hope when the time comes they will tell others about me like you have."
(Jesus)**