

First Family Foundations

Building a foundation of Faith for Families.

Unit 3 — The Bible

Lesson 3 — The Bible points to God by lighting our path with truth.

Introduction —

Remember the earlier lesson that talked about how we all “tend toward evil”? Another way to say that is that “all we, like sheep, have gone astray.”

Sheep sometimes escape their pen and wander off because they want to, and so have we. But doing so usually means getting lost; we can’t find our way back.

The Bible can come to our rescue because it acts as a compass that points to the one true God. Some contemporaries of Jesus Christ were experts on the Bible but didn’t want to see the truth. So Jesus had to pull them aside and say, “You guys read the Bible to find eternal life, but you miss the fact that the Bible is actually all about Me. And I’m the only one who can give you life!” (See John 5:39-40 and Luke 24:27.)

Don’t let your kids get the idea from their teachers or friends that all religions lead to God. Jesus said, “I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father *except through me*” (John 14:6, italics added).

Here's the Activity:

Find:

Find the Adventures in Odyssey FaithLaunch CD that came with your March (Discovery) or May

(Tween) audio journal or use  to [listen online](#).

Listen:

Listen to “Hidden in My Heart” with your child(ren).

Quick Sum:

Join William Shattered, Laffie the Wonder Dog and Kids’ Radio as they spoof three popular TV programs to teach an important lesson about Scripture.

Fast Ask:

What lessons did the people in this show learn about the value of the Bible?

What different ways can the Bible help you in difficult situations?

What dilemmas did the characters in the show find themselves in because they had not “hidden God’s Word in their hearts”?