



THE CONVERSATION

WITH GOD

HELP WEEK "THE CONVERSATION WITH GOD"



Help Week

Helping each other believe and share the Gospel story.

Practice being with Jesus through Scripture, prayer, and a practical way to believe and share the Gospel in everyday life.



Promo:

Remember to invite people.

Welcome:



Remember to create a welcoming environment.



Host

"Welcome to First Priority! We are glad you are here! This week is Help Week and our goal is to use Scripture and a tool to help us share our faith. Let's start things off with prayer."



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Introduce Speaker: We are glad you are here I Today my friend _______ is going to talk about Jesus being the only way to God and how you can use the Help Tool to share that with others.



Speaker

♣ Help Tool: One Way Sticker (Avery 5498 1 1/4" stickers)

Look over the Help Tool before the club and pass out the "One Way Stickers" to everyone that comes in. The Gospel discussion and Help Tool are designed to give you a basic understanding to believe, live, and share the Gospel



Gospel Discussion

"The Conversation with God"



Host



Announcements

Next week is Overcome Week! Start thinking now about who you can invite to join you as we continue this conversation!



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Follow-Up

Be available to talk or pray with people.
Ask how you can walk with them on their Jesus journey.



Leader Tip

Make sure you understand the Help Tool and Gospel discussion ahead of time.





Highlight Scripture

John 14:6

"Jesus told him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."



Explain (Give context)

When you are going on a trip, who is in charge of putting the destination in the GPS? Have you ever noticed there are different routes? The first route is the fastest, second is the shortest, and the third avoids the highway. Which way do you choose? Fastest, shortest, or avoiding highways? (Allow a couple of students to share their choice and why).

Another destination we get to choose is who we will follow now and forever. One of Jesus' followers, named John, wrote the Scripture we read earlier. He told us about a time that Jesus was talking with His disciples about where He was going after His death and resurrection. One of the disciples, Thomas, asked this question, "We have no idea where you are going. How can we know the way?" to which Jesus responded, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."

If we don't know the way, it is our nature to follow someone that does. Our culture tells us that there are many ways to God; be a good person, do good things, go to church, and the list goes on. Jesus tells us that His way is not "one of many ways", but "the way" to a relationship with God now and forever. Unlike the GPS with many routes, there is only one way into a relationship with God forever – believing, trusting, and following Jesus. How do we begin a relationship with Jesus both now and forever? It all begins with a conversation.

Acts 2:21 says, "And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." Acts 4:12 says, "And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven among men by which we must be saved."



Apply

Now that we know that Jesus is the only way to God, how do we use the "One Way" Help Tool to start a conversation with God and share the Good News? Place the sticker on your folder, binder, phone case, or item that is visible to others. When your classmates, teachers, or parents ask you what the sticker means, you can respond with excitement, "I am so glad you asked" and share about our key verse, John 14:6. Tell how Jesus is the "one way" to a relationship with God now and forever. Then, share your story of beginning a relationship with Jesus.



Respond (Groups of 3-5)

This is the first time some of you have been to First Priority and maybe even your first time hearing about how to begin a conversation with God. So, today we want to give you an opportunity to respond and ask questions. Break into groups and talk about what you heard today and practice starting the conversation with the ONE-WAY Help Tool.



Bottom Line

Jesus is the way to God.





Disciple Tip

Being with Jesus is the goal of being a disciple.

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