

Jesus said, "You should do as I have done for you."
—JOHN 13:15

FOLLOW JESUS' EXAMPLE

Jesus made people feel important. He taught us how God wants us to treat other people. Circle ways below that show a way to follow Jesus' example on how to treat others.



BIBLE STUDIES FOR LIFE®

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CONVERSATION

Jesus Loved Zacchaeus

LUKE 19:1-10

The people of Jericho were happy because Jesus was coming to town. A big crowd gathered to see Him.

One person named Zacchaeus was too short to see over the crowd. He didn't think he was going to be able to see Jesus.

Then Zacchaeus had an idea! He climbed up into a tall sycamore tree. He felt happy because now he could see Jesus.

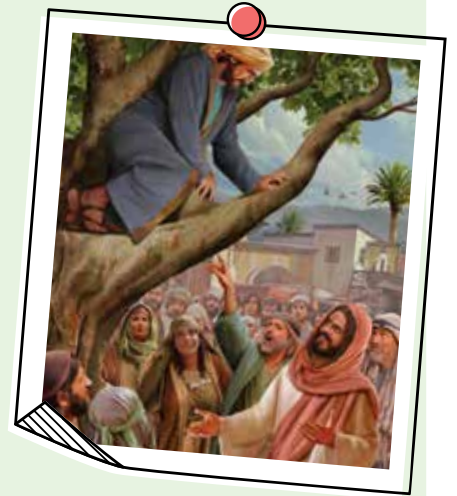
Jesus came into the town and saw Zacchaeus in the tree. Zacchaeus had never met Jesus, but Jesus knew his name. Zacchaeus was happy that Jesus knew him!

Jesus said, "Zacchaeus, come down from that tree. I am going to your house today."

Zacchaeus was happy that Jesus was going to his house, but the people of Jericho were mad. Zacchaeus was a rich man who had probably taken people's money. They didn't like Zacchaeus.

After Zacchaeus met Jesus, he wanted to do the right thing. Zacchaeus said, "Lord, I will give half of my possessions to the poor. And if I've cheated anyone, I'll give them back four times as much."

What a happy day for Zacchaeus! He knew that Jesus loved him.



THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Parents, today's Bible story taught that people can love others as Jesus did. Even though Zacchaeus was not liked by many people in Jericho, Jesus reached out to him and showed him love.

LIVE IT OUT

After reviewing the Bible story, talk about ways to show love to others. Tell your child one way to show love is to be kind. Practice being kind to people you meet in your community.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

Jesus taught how God wants us to treat other people.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: John 13:34

Monday: 1 John 4:11

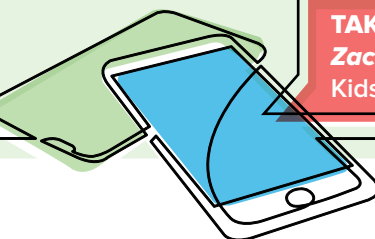
Tuesday: Proverbs 17:17

Wednesday: Romans 13:10

Thursday: Ephesians 5:2

Friday: 1 John 2:10

Saturday: Matthew 5:44



TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out the *Jesus Loved Zacchaeus* section of the Bible Studies for Life: Kids Family App.