

Devotion Guidelines:

- 1. Keep it short and interactive
- 2. Read the Scripture passage together with each person reading a verse
 - 3. Ask questions about each verse
 - 4. Ask each child how they will apply what they have learned from the verses. (Even your young children) You, as a parent, also share what you will apply. Remember that Bible study is for application and transformation not just for information.)
- 5. Pray together as a family (You and your children can take turns praying)
 - For each other's requests
 - To ask for God's help to apply what you have learned

Read Together: Genesis 3:1-13

Talk Together:

- 1. Why did Adam and Eve disobeyed God's command not to eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil?
- 2. Why did they hide from God?
- 3. When God asked them what they had done, instead of assuming responsibility for their disobedience, what did Adam do? What did Eve do? What excuses did they make?
- 4. What can you learn from this story that you can apply in your life?

Conviction: Obey God and take responsibility for my actions.

Application:

Prepare a chart of house chores, e.g. put things in their proper place, help set and clear the table during mealtimes, help wash the dishes, take out the trash, etc. Have each family member volunteer to do a chore daily to practice assuming responsibility.

Pray Together:

Dear Lord, help us not to be deceived by the lies of Satan and to believe & obey Your command. Help us to always tell the truth and be responsible for our actions. In Jesus name, Amen.