



GOD LOVES MORE

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What I Learned

- This week we learned that **“God Loves More.”** Our Bible story is from **Judges 1-3**. God’s people, the Israelites, got into the cycle of sinning and disobeying God, suffering as a consequence of their sin, and crying out to God for help.
- When they cried out, God sent judges, who were special leaders, to help His people turn back to Him.
- God showed His love over and over because God loves us more than our sin and wrong choices.

Get Talking

- God loves us more than the wrong things we do. It’s a love that covers all and offers a fresh start every day. We can always turn to Him and find forgiveness.
- This week, take **1 day** to ask these **2 questions** and spend **3 minutes** talking about them:
 - What do you think is the difference of how much people love and how much God loves?
 - How can God’s love help us when it comes to loving others?

Go Deeper

Read Judges 2 and highlight Judges 2:18. The Bible tells us that God showed His love by giving His people judges.

- How do you think this helped God's people know how much He loved them?
- God's love has no beginning and no end, like the wheel. How does that show you He loves more than we could imagine?
- How does God sending Jesus to rescue us teach us about His love?

Now What?

Talk with God. God's love for the Israelites and for us does not depend on what we do. God loves us more than we can ever imagine. He knew we would need rescuing, so He sent Jesus. Take time to pray and thank God for His unending love.

- *God, thank You that You love us more than we could imagine and more than we deserve. Thank You for sending Jesus. Help us to turn to You instead of doing our own thing and help us to love You like You love us. Amen.*

Memory Verse

1 John 4:16b

When we say that God is love, it means that He's the One who created love, and that He tells us and shows us what love is! That's great news! This verse helps us remember that.