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Dear Primary Friends,

These Sabbath School lessons have been written especially for you by people who care very much about you. They want you to know more about God and His love for you and your family. And that’s what God wants too. He wants you to know that He loves you very much. And Jesus wants to be your special, forever friend. He wants you to know Him, to know all about Him. He wants you to be His friend too.

As you learn more about God’s love in these lessons, think about ways you can show your love to Him. Can you sing a song of praise to Him? Can you tell Him in your prayers how wonderful He is? Can you show His love to others in your family? To your friends and neighbors?

We pray that God will always have a special place in your heart.

The Editors

Lessons one through five tell us that God gives us skills for service.
  • Jesus’ friends know Him well.
  • Prayer prepares us for service.
  • God gives us skills to serve Him.
  • God gives us gifts so we can help others.
  • When we organize our gifts, we serve God better.

Lessons six through nine teach that God never stops loving us.
  • God’s love is like a light in darkness.
  • God’s love changes people.
  • God’s grace includes everyone.
  • God sends us as messengers of His grace.

Lessons ten through thirteen tell us that we belong to God’s family.
  • God wants everyone to join His family.
  • I can love people who are different from me.
  • People in God’s family are honest.
  • I belong to God’s family no matter what happens.
Dear Friend,

All Primary Bible Study Guides offer opportunities to help your child learn to use the Bible and to know that what is studied comes from God’s Word. These exciting Bible lessons link God’s amazing grace to your child’s everyday life. However, they need YOU to make them come to life in your home, reinforcing the lesson already presented in Sabbath School. Plan now to make time for daily study with your child. During your family worship time, read the lessons together and share the fun of doing the Bible-based activities.

The entire GraceLink curriculum is developed around four important concepts, grace, worship, community, and service—all critical to Christian growth. Simply put, these dynamics teach the following: grace, Jesus loves me; worship, I love Jesus; community, we love each other; and service, Jesus loves you too. Each month emphasis is placed on one of these dynamics, but grace is the thread that runs through every lesson and knits them together to form a complete whole.

May God bless you as you and your child enjoy learning more of Him.

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