

FAMILY connection

Use the following thoughts and questions to have a spiritual conversation as a family. Don't emphasize having the right answer, but focus on spending time discussing the Word as a family.

SCRIPTURE | Exodus 5:1-2; 7:4-7; 12:5-7,11-13,30-32

SESSION SUMMARY

This week, we'll see that God gave Moses a heads-up: Pharaoh wouldn't just let the Israelites walk. But God promised He would overcome. Moses just needed to trust and obey God. God's deliverance requires us to trust His plans. Here are the key takeaways:

- There is purpose in delayed deliverance.
- There is purpose in God's instructions.

CONVERSATION QUESTIONS

- When has our family been tempted to view God as too harsh? How can we view that situation, and our lives, through a perspective of His grace instead?
- How can knowing God's character, and the way He has loved and cared for us throughout our lives, help us trust Him now and in the hard days ahead?
- What are some "gods" our family is tempted to trust? How can we guard ourselves against them?

FAMILY CHALLENGE

We might not think we have any little-g gods in our lives, but the sad truth is, most of us do. Sometimes we'll call these gods idols, and we can define them as anything or anyone that we put in God's rightful place in our lives. In a perfect ordering of priorities and loves, God always comes first. But we aren't perfect, and we need constant reminders of who matters most in our lives. Go around the table, allowing each person to fill in the blank: _____ is not what matters most. Go until no one can think of anything else. Consider writing down all of the responses and keeping this list as a reminder that nothing matters more than God.