

# Bring It Home

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**Lesson Theme:** “Teamwork!”

**Scripture:** Nehemiah 3

**Memory Verse:** Mark 3:24-25 *“If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand.”*

**Teachers/Parents:** During class we pretended to be among the builders in Jerusalem during Nehemiah’s day. Each classroom was assigned a section of Scripture and the corresponding part of the city to rebuild. The class came together as a team to rebuild their part of the city. Ask your child what they built and what lessons they learned about teamwork.

## Discussion Questions:

- 1) Read **Nehemiah 3:1-3**. The whole chapter continues listing the people and the portions of the city that they were responsible for repairing and building. What are some responsibilities that you each have in your home and how do you need to work together as a team to keep your home environment healthy?
- 2) Read **Nehemiah 2:18** which shows us how Nehemiah inspired the people to get to work. What did he say to them?
- 3) During class we talked about how there is “no ‘I’ in team”. What does this expression mean and do you agree with it?
- 4) In the same way, there is “no ‘I’ in church”. The Bible repeatedly uses the phrase “one another” when describing the church. Check out **Romans 12:4-5**, **Colossians 3:13**, **Galatians 5:13**, **Ephesians 4:32** for just a few examples. What does this “one another” mean?
- 5) Read **Mark 3:24-25** which are the words of Jesus. Why can’t a kingdom or a house stand if it is divided?
- 6) Is there any division in your home or your life that is causing difficulty? Read **Matthew 5:9**. What are some ways that you can take initiative to obey Jesus Christ and be a peacemaker in this situation?