

Bring It Home

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Lesson Theme: “Living Loud for Jesus”

Scripture: Revelation 12:7-11

Memory Verse: Revelation 12:11: “*And they (believers) overcame him (the devil) by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death.*”

Teachers/Parents: Our lesson today honed in on the power of giving testimonies. Sometimes people hear of God doing amazing things in the lives of others and He then uses that testimony to do amazing things in the lives of the hearer! We invited several guests, including your kids Sunday school teachers, to come up in front of everyone and share their quick testimonies. Ask your kids what stood out to them. Also, perhaps you have never shared your testimony with your kids. Consider doing that now!

Discussion Questions:

- 1) Read **Revelation 12:9**. There we see this dragon identified as the devil or satan. It describes him as the “*serpent of old...who deceives the whole world*”. Read **Genesis 3:1-5** and notice the connection. How did the devil deceive Eve here?
- 2) Read **Isaiah 14:13-14** which many Bible experts think describes the fall of satan. What sin did he commit? In what ways can we follow in his bad example?
- 3) Read **Revelation 12:10**. This verse describes satan as the one who accuses people before God. In class we described satan as the great “tattle-taler”. We can follow him in his bad ways here too! Why do we sometimes “tattle-tale” on others? And when you are “tattle-taling”, whose interests do you have in mind? Read **Ephesians 4:32**. Instead of “tattle-taling” what would God have us do and why?
- 4) In **Revelation 12:11**, it says that believers overcome the lies, evil, and accusations of the devil by the blood of the Lamb. Read **Romans 8:33-34**. How does this help us understand why satan’s accusations are of no use to those who believe in Jesus Christ?
- 5) **Revelation 12:11** also describes how believers overcome by the word of their testimony. In class, we talked about how it is important to “live loud” for Jesus. Read **Matthew 10:32-33**. Who is someone whom you think you could share your testimony with this week?