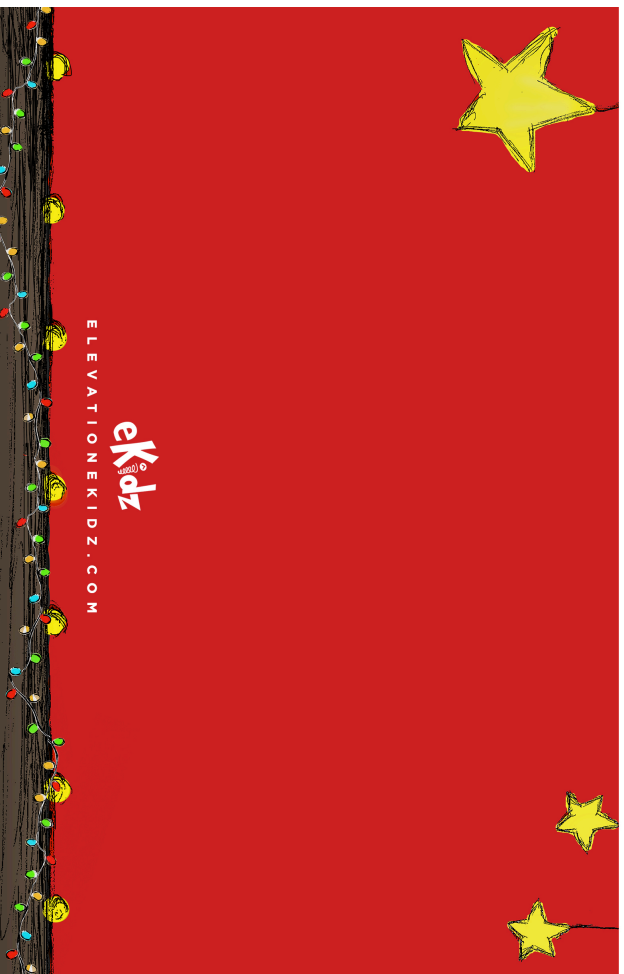


Christmas

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WEEKEND IN REVIEW

This weekend we learned about another person who showed generosity by giving more than what was required - Joseph. When Mary got pregnant, with a baby that wasn't his, Joseph would have had every right to leave her. In fact, the law during that time said that she could have been stoned to death. Instead, Joseph chose to trust God and stay by Mary's side and help her raise Jesus - even though he didn't have to.

We can show generosity to others by doing more than what's required too. Sitting with a new kid at school - even when it's not the popular thing to do; or giving your friend your favorite pencil because they didn't have one in class are just a couple of examples of how you can show generosity. Pray and ask God to show you ways that you can give more than what's required this week.

ACTIVITY

In this weekend's episode of "A Very Spielman Christmas" no one could find Joseph when it was time to rehearse his scene. Newmie reminded us that the real Joseph never went missing but stayed right by Mary's side - even when he didn't have to.

Newmie needs to find some items for the production that have gone missing. See if you can help him locate the items he needs by circling them in the tree.

Items:

- SANTA'S SLEIGH
- A CHRISTMAS CARD
- THE MOON
- FOUR HATS
- FIVE STARS
- SEVEN SMILING FACES



DAY 1

MEMORY VERSE REVIEW

When we know what the Bible says we know how to make good decisions in our life. Find out what the Bible says about generosity by unscrambling the words to our memory verse for this month – 2 Corinthians 9:6-7 – then putting them in order on the lines provided below.

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DAY 3

Read Luke 10:30-37

This story there are two men who see a guy that has been beaten, robbed, and left to die on the side of the road. One man demonstrates what generosity looks like by doing more than what is required of him. The other man does not show generosity and leaves the man to die. In one of the boxes below draw a picture of the man who was generous, and in the other box draw a picture of the man who was not generous.

Pray and ask God to help you show generosity to others this week by doing more for them than what is required.

DAY 2

Read Luke 6:38

Using the sink, fill up a cup of water until it is overflowing. Then take a BIG drink. God shows His generosity towards us everyday. He wants us to be generous by giving more than what is required too. He wants generosity to overflow in our lives just like the water overflowed from your cup. Think of a way that you can be generous this week then draw a picture of it in the space provided below.

DAY 4

Read Proverbs 22:9

When we are generous towards others God is able to be more generous towards us. Generosity multiplies with each person you are generous towards. Here is an example on the right.

Ask your parents if you can make cookies for someone in your neighborhood this week and help spread generosity! Pray and thank God for His generosity towards us!

