

Why Go?

(Tim and Chris are walking down the sidewalk carrying their Bibles, as they come upon another friend, Frank, sitting on his front steps)

Frank Hi guys, what are you up to?

Chris We're on our way to church and Sunday school.

Frank I believe in Jesus and I go to church sometimes, but Sunday school takes up too much of my valuable time.

Tim So what are you up to Frank?

Frank I'm checking out my baseball cards. This is my favorite player, Johnny Lighting. His batting average is 290. He bats and throws right handed, and was born March 11, 1967 in Bloomington Indiana. He loves cheese pizza and hamburgers. You know, I use his batting style when I play little league baseball.

Chris Frank, you say you believe in Jesus. Do you know His stats?

Frank What do you mean?

Tim You know, where He was born, who were His disciples, name some of His miracles, what type of food He ate, and how He died.

Frank Ahhh, I think one of His disciples was named Noah.

Chris Wrong answer, not even close. When we stand before God what do you think will matter the most, knowing baseball stats and maybe being a good ball player or knowing Jesus and sharing the Good News with others?

Tim One day your cards will probably be sold in a garage sale for a few dollars. If you follow Jesus, you could be storing up treasure in Heaven. Now that's the way to spent your valuable time!

Frank Gee, I never thought of it that way... Care if I join you in Sunday School?

Chris & Tim Good choice, let's go!

(Chris, Frank and Tim continue on their way to Sunday school when they see their friend Amy listening to music on her front steps)

Amy Hi guys, what are you up to?

Frank We're on our way to church and Sunday school.

Amy I believe in Jesus and I go to church sometimes, but Sunday school takes up too much of my valuable time. I'd rather listen to this new band called...

Chris & Tim *(Laughing)* Here we go again....