

# SUNDAY SCHOOL TAKE HOME PAGE

*To parents:*

This page lets you know what your child learned today in Sunday School. Included are "Words to Remember" from the Bible, a suggested activity to reinforce the lesson, and a short prayer. Being involved and interacting with your child can be very rewarding for both of you.

## What We Learned:



Today, the children learned that God has shown His great love for us by sending Jesus to die for our sins. God also beautifully reveals Himself through His creations. God's love provided us a way to reconcile our sins through Jesus Christ. Every creation shows us God's love in a special way. (Scriptures used: Psalm 17:7a, 1 John 4:9, Genesis 1:1)

## Words to Remember:

*(Bible versions used are selected to help young children learn and understand the meaning of scripture.)*



## "Show me the wonders of Your great love." Psalm 17:7a NIV

Say the verse out loud for your child. Then explain that God's love is the most wonderful love we will ever receive. Repeat the verse while clapping on each syllable. Ask your child to join you by clapping, speaking the words, or by doing both. Repeat several times. You may also consider using "whisper" claps (two fingers) or high fives to keep him or her interested in the activity. Practice these steps several times this week to help your child learn the verse and reinforce what he or she learned about God during class.

## Suggested Parent/Child Activity:



Take a trip to a zoo, garden, or seasonal farm (such as a pumpkin patch). As you view God's creation, talk about how His love is displayed through the uniqueness of each animal or flower. Discuss what is beautiful, weird, or amazing about each creation. Then tell your child that even their unique qualities (give examples) can be used to show God's love to others. Also, be sure to discuss how God's love provides the way for us to spend an eternity with Him in Heaven. Remind your child that only those who believe in Jesus Christ will be with Him forever. Allow time for your child to ask any questions he or she may have about salvation or God's love and explore the answers together in the Bible.



## Daily Prayer:

God, Your love is the biggest and greatest! Please help us remember Your love so we can share it with others. Thank you for Jesus, Your perfect gift of love. Amen.