



God Talk At Home

This Week's Kingdom Quest Lesson:

Jesus' Triumphant Entry

Take Home Point:

Jesus is the King of Peace and gives us peace.

Drive Time Home

Tickler Question: In Large Group, there were cards with peace signs. Who gives us true peace? (*Jesus, the King of Peace*)

God Time at Home

Select questions and adapt for your family.

FOR STARTERS: The kids learned a special trick in Kingdom Quest: to pick out a piece of paper marked "King of Peace" from a bag full of similar pieces without looking. Let them demonstrate. Then have each person answer: "Something that I sometimes worry about is..." This is the area in your life that you need the King of Peace.

READ THE BIBLE: Luke 19:28-48 Jesus' triumphant entry and his cleansing of the temple.

KEY VERSE: Romans 5:1. *"Now that we have God's approval because of faith, we have peace with God because of what our Lord Jesus Christ has done."*

TALK ABOUT IT: Describe the scene of Jesus riding into Jerusalem. What did he ride? How did the people show honor to Jesus? What did they shout? (*Jesus rode a donkey into Jerusalem. The people spread their coats on the road as he approached. They shouted joyfully, "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest heaven."*) Why do you think Jesus chose to ride a donkey into the city instead of walking? (*Kings or royalty would usually enter riding. Jesus chose a donkey as a symbol of peace rather than a horse of war.*) Why do you think the Pharisees were irritated that the people were praising God? (*Maybe they were jealous of Jesus' popularity. They did not like people thinking Jesus was God.*)

Why did Jesus throw out those who were selling things in the temple courtyard? (*The temple was not being used as a "house of prayer" but as a market place.*) Why did Jesus refer to the temple as "My" house? (*The temple was the house of God and Jesus is God.*) What did the chief priests, scribes and leaders decide they wanted to do to Jesus? (*Luke 19:47. They decided they would kill him.*)

According to Romans 5:1, what has Jesus done for us so we can have God's approval? (*He died in our place to take away the punishment of our sins.*) How does Jesus give us peace in the middle of the things that don't go the way we'd like? (*He promises to always be with us. He promises to work all things to good. We can trust that Jesus knows what is best for us even if we can't understand it yet.*)

PRAYER POWER: Have each family member pray about the things they typically worry about. Thank God that he sent Jesus to bring us his peace.

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Family Time Option

One day this week, try...

Make a worry box. During the week, family members write any worries they have and place it in the box. Periodically the box is checked and all worries are prayed for. Watch how Jesus is the King of Peace and lifts our worries.

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