

FAMILY TABLE TALK

WEEK OF APRIL 25



Once your family is seated at the table & eating, go through each section below together.

HIGH LOW BUFFALO

Take turns around the table to share your **HIGH** from the day (the best thing that happened), your **LOW** from the day (something that made you upset), and **SOMETHING RANDOM** from your day that you'd like to share.

This week, have the **funniest person** in your family go first.

LESSON RECAP

This week we learned about Jesus' final days on earth. But this time, He didn't die again, but He ascended into the heavens! Before Jesus went to Heaven, he told his followers what He wanted them to do next. Jesus told his followers to go and make disciples. A disciple is a follower or a student, and in this case, a follower of Jesus. In Matt. 28:19-20, Jesus told his followers to go and make disciples, and one of the first things they should do is baptize them. Baptism is something people do to show what they believe about Jesus. It's a sign of a new life through Jesus, an outward expression of an inward reality. This means that a disciple isn't afraid to let everyone know that they are choosing to follow Jesus in their life. That's not all that goes into disciple making, though. The passage also says to teach others how to follow Jesus. Might seem easy, but there is so much people don't know. It's hard work discipling others, but in Acts we learned that we are not alone! Even though Jesus went back up to heaven, he promised to send a Helper who will be with us to do what God wants us to do. That Helper is the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit gives us the power and strength to tell others about Jesus. We might not be able to see Jesus right now, but Jesus promised us that he would always be with us wherever we go.

THE BIG IDEA: God's plans are perfect.

THE BIBLE: Jesus Clears the Temple (John 2:13-22)

ASK THIS

- Read Acts 1:8. What was going to happen once people received the Holy Spirit?
- What are some strengths Jesus has given you?
- How can we go and make disciples like Jesus told us to do?

NOW WHAT?

This week, ask Jesus if there is something He would like you to do. Maybe it is to forgive someone, to ask for forgiveness from someone, or to share the gospel with someone. Then, ask God to give you the strength you need to do this. Remember who your source of strength is this week!