FAMILY TABLE TALK



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 LOUDEST person in your family go first.

LESSON RECAP

In this week's lesson, we learned about a man named Joseph. At first, things seemed great! He was his father's favorite, he had a beautiful coat, and he had dreams of his brothers bowing to him. But things took a turn for the worse. He was sold into slavery by his brothers, and then unfairly sent to jail. But through all this, God was still with him and gave him favor. It took a long time for God to show Joseph what His plans were, but God used Joseph to help save many people. We don't always know when God's promises will be fulfilled, but we know they will be...at the right time. We just need to be patient and wait for God, because God's promises might take time.

THE BIG IDEA: God's promises might take time. THE BIBLE: Joseph's Dreams: Genesis 37:1-28

ASK THIS

- Read Psalm 138:7. Do you sometimes have trouble in your life? Do you feel God can support you when you have trouble?
- If you were Joseph, what do you think you might have done
 if you were sold to the traders and taken to Egypt?
- What do we need to remember when things do not seem to be going well?

NOW WHAT?

Have you ever wondered "Why is God doing this to me?" If you haven't, you probably will someday. What can you remember when that question comes to mind? As a family this week, work to memorize Romans 8:28 together. And remember, God always keeps his promises, even if it takes some time.