

# FAMILY TABLE TALK

WEEK OF MARCH 7



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 **most talkative person** in your family go first.

## LESSON RECAP

Long ago, many people traveled a long way to celebrate a Jewish holiday called the Passover, a special day of remembrance for God's people. Jesus came to Jerusalem to celebrate in the temple, like everyone else. But once he got there, Jesus saw things going on at the temple that were not a part of God's plan... and He spoke up. In fact, Jesus did more than that—Jesus flipped over tables and made a pretty big statement about how displeasing this was. Jesus was very upset and made everyone leave the temple, and people wondered how Jesus had any power to do that. Jesus answered them by talking about the plans God had—plans that were bigger than the ones they had been making. Jesus shared the plan of how God would destroy and rebuild the temple. This was confusing to everyone because the temple was this massive, super special, and holy place. But what they didn't know was that Jesus was talking about what was going to happen later when Jesus died on the cross for everyone's sins. Eventually, what Jesus said came true! Jesus' disciples remembered later what Jesus said and believed God's plan! God had one all along! This week, we learned how God's Word—the Bible, helps us know God's plan, and we can trust God's words and God's plan and follow His commands because God is perfect, and He will never lead us to a plan that isn't good for us.

**THE BIG IDEA:** God's plans are perfect.

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

## ASK THIS

- Read Psalm 19:10. According to this verse, what is the Bible better than?
- Where can you find God's plan for your life?
- How can the Bible help you with something that happened today?
- What is one way you know God's plans are perfect?

## NOW WHAT?

Ask your kids to think about one of the ways the Bible can help them right now. Encourage them to think about something going on this week at home or at school that the Bible can help them with. Take turns sharing what it is, and then pray as a family that you will continue to look to God's Word to help be your guide.