

engage Kids



"I HAVE SET BEFORE YOU AN OPEN DOOR."



*Touched Hearts,
Helping Hands*

SCRIPTURE MEMORY:

*"For I know the
plans I have for
you," declares the
Lord, "plans to
prosper you and not
to harm you, plans
to give you a hope
and a future."*

– JEREMIAH 29:11



Please memorize
this verse. Say it to a
trusted adult and have
them email your name
and age to [engagekids@
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LEARNING TO BE A MISSIONARY

*An Interview with Jordan Wiford
from Hobe Sound Bible College*

- 1. WHEN DID YOU FIRST KNOW THAT GOD WANTED YOU TO BE A MISSIONARY?** After I came back from my first trip to the Amazon. God really used that trip to call me. The impact of the trip started me on the journey to becoming a missionary.



- 2. WHAT ARE SOME OF THE EXPERIENCES YOU HAD ON THE MISSION FIELD?** This year in the Amazon we saw five kids in a village get saved because we presented the gospel to them. It was the first time they heard it. One of the cool things about the Amazon is you can get on a small riverboat to go down the Amazon River and see different wildlife—like pink dolphins. In the places I have visited—including Guatemala, Costa Rica, and the Amazon—kids love to play soccer. I have used it as an opportunity to present the gospel.
- 3. DO YOU SEE MISSIONARIES AS ONLY THOSE WHO GO OVERSEAS?** No, you can be a missionary wherever you are. In fact, there are missionaries in Arizona, Alaska, and all over the United States.
- 4. WHAT MISSION ACTIVITIES WERE YOU INVOLVED IN BEFORE COMING TO HSBC (A SCHOOL WHERE PEOPLE TRAIN FOR MINISTRY)?** TLC trips and inner city mission work in Cincinnati feeding the homeless.
- 5. DO YOU HAVE A FAVORITE BIBLE VERSE?** Philippians 4:13 - It is short, but one of my favorites.

I Love to Tell the Story

Alan Jackson

I love to tell the story
Of unseen things above,
Of Jesus and his glory,
Of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story,
Because I know 'tis true;
It satisfies my longings
As nothing else can do.

I love to tell the story,
'twill be my theme in glory,
To tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story,
For those who know it best
Seem hungering and thirsting
To hear it like the rest.

And when, in scenes of glory,
I sing the new, new song,
'twill be the old, old story
That I have loved so long.

I love to tell the story,
'twill be my theme in glory,
To tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and his love.

Singing is a wonderful way to remember to reach out to others with the love of Jesus. Ask a parent to help you go to the following link. See if you can sing along with the words of this wonderful hymn. Practice it several times. Now, go and share this song with others!



Hey guys, it is Luke here. Today was our first day of camp retreat. Wow! We had a phenomenal turn out at with kids. There were so many more kids today than last year all together!! Some of the kids invited **THEIR** friends to come. So we almost doubled the amount we invited! God really does work in amazing ways. We are so grateful. Alex, Emma, Lily, and I had such a fun day showing all the kids around camp, worshipping in the services with them, playing sports with them, and then learning scripture together. It was exciting to attend a camp retreat with a bunch of kids to worship God. It was also rewarding and fun. I am thankful the four of us decided to pray specifically for kids to come to camp and then go out and invite them. God really came through for us. We are so thankful.

“Dear God, thank you so much for helping the four of us become brave enough to go out into the community and invite kids to camp retreat. Bless us the rest of the week and help us to have a really good time. We love You. Amen.”

Stay tuned next time for another exciting story about summer camp!



GAME TIME

Here is a fun idea! Gather some kids from your neighborhood or church and play a game of soccer. Jordan told us that playing soccer is one way he is able to reach other kids for Christ. So maybe you can play a game of soccer and share the love of Jesus.

HOW TO PLAY:

Divide the kids into two teams. Establish a goal on each end of the field. The point of your team is to get the ball into your goal and keep the other team from scoring.

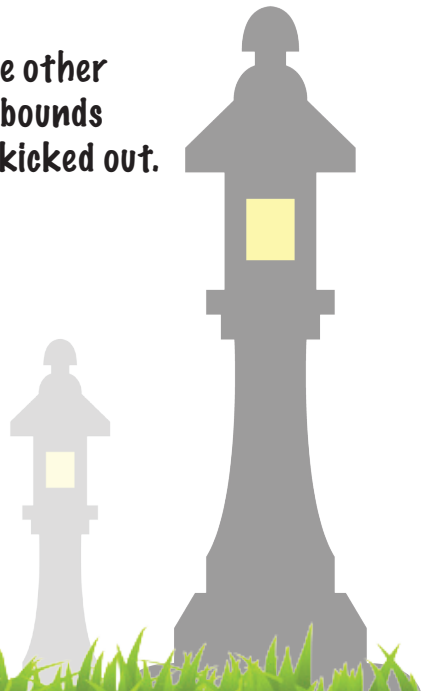
BASIC RULES FOR PLAYING SOCCER:

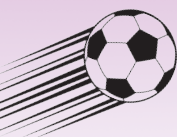
Don't use your hands. Only the goalie can use his hands.

Don't be rough.

Don't tackle people.

If you kick the ball out of bounds, the other team gets to throw the ball back in bounds with two hands from where it was kicked out.





Soccer Word Search

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SOCCER
BALL
NET
FIELD
CLEATS

REFEREE
FULLBACK
DEFENDER
FORWARD
MIDFIELDER

GOALIE
GOAL
KICK
PASS
FOUL

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DEVELOPER ACTIVITY:



We hope you enjoyed singing the song "I Love to Tell the Story"! Did you know that there are many songs written about missionaries and telling people about Jesus? Find a hymnal at your church or home. An adult can help you locate some of these songs in the index. Read the words or learn to sing them!

1. Go, Tell It on the Mountain

2. Onward, Christian Soldiers

3. Jesus Saves!

4. Rescue the Perishing



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