



**PROTECTION**

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**This week we are Talking About**

# **PROTECTION**

## **GOAL:**

**Understanding that as a child of God you need to put all your trust in Jesus. The Word of God shows you how He loves, saves, and protects you.**

## **What does the Bible say about PROTECTION?**

**You must become familiar with the voice of Jesus. In Proverbs 18:10, it says The name of the Lord is a strong fortress; the Godly run to Him and are safe. When you trust and call upon the name of the Lord, you will remain in full protection.**

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**TAKE TIME AND MEMORIZE OUR VERSE FOR  
THE WEEK:**

**THE GATEKEEPER OPENS THE GATE FOR HIM, AND  
THE SHEEP RECOGNIZE HIS VOICE AND COME TO  
HIM. HE CALLS HIS OWN SHEEP BY NAME AND  
LEADS THEM OUT.**

**JOHN 10:3**

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## BIBLE READING FOR THIS WEEK:

John 10:1-16

1. Who is the Shepherd? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Who Are the Sheep? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Who is the thief? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Why is it so important to get familiar with the voice of Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_

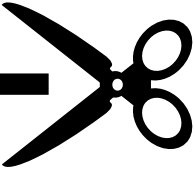
Sheep know and love their shepherd's voice. They will not run to a stranger. In fact, they will run away from a stranger.

5. What does verse 16 mean?

\_\_\_\_\_ Are there sheep that don't know the Good Shepherd? What should you do as a Christian? \_\_\_\_\_

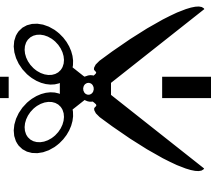


Cut out this week's memory verse  
And put it where you can see it!



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Let's review WHAT YOU read this week:

THIS week we are taking time to read about protection. As a child of God, you need to have total trust in your Heavenly Father. He's there to follow through on His Word, protect you from harm and the enemy, and save you from Hell so you can live eternally in Heaven!

Your reading shows how the Good Shepherd (Jesus) takes care of His flock (you), and if you ever stray away when He calls for you, you will recognize that voice and return to Him.

Sometimes you may feel like you have done something so wrong, and Jesus doesn't want anything to do with you. That isn't true. He cares so much for you that He died just for you. Jesus knows you by name. You are so special to Him. Which means He loves you very much!

Make sure before you wrap up this week to understand what John 10 is showing you. It's vital to learn to hear Jesus' voice. How are some ways? You can learn to hear His voice by praying, reading the Bible, and going to church. It's also important to run away from strangers, sin, and danger.

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How CAN we PRAY?

Dear Jesus, THANK YOU for protecting me in every way! When I don't feel safe YOU ARE ALWAYS with me. When I feel like I MAY BE far from YOU, YOU ARE very near.

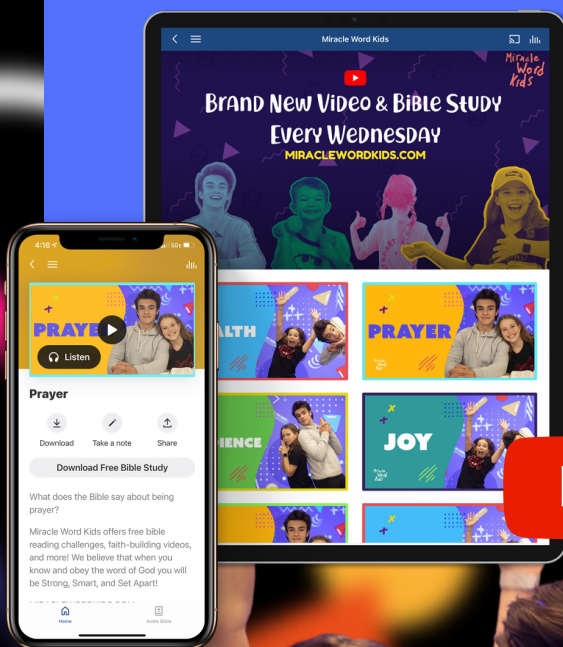
I CAN ALWAYS trust YOU.

Amen!



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