



EARLY CHILDHOOD ACTIVITY PAGE

(January week three)

STEP ONE: Watch the EC video at hillsideonline.com/kids

STEP TWO: Repeat the verse
twice with the motions!

"The crowds

(arms out and around)

were amazed

*(hold hands like binoculars
open and shut)*

at His teaching."

(hands by mouth)

Matthew 7:28

(open hands like a book)

STEP THREE: Have fun with the activity "Build a Barn".

What you need:

Building blocks

What You Do:

Place the blocks on the floor.

Say, "Today, we heard a Bible story about someone who built a barn!

We have blocks, so we can build too! Show me what you can build!"

Along with your child, build a building together using the blocks. Say,

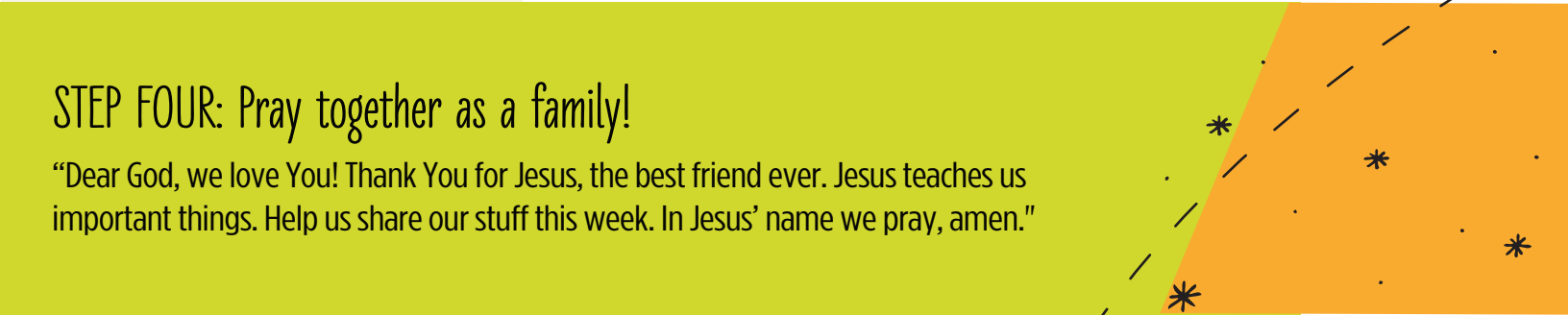
"Who are some friends we could share our building with? (Allow for response.) That's right! They'd love for us to share our building with them." Continue building new buildings as time allows.

When you are finished, say, "Wow! You are an amazing builder! In our story today, we heard about a man who built a big barn. Jesus told the story about the man building bigger barns to teach us that it is better to share our stuff than it is to keep it all for ourselves. Sharing our stuff is very important! I'm so glad we have Jesus to teach us important things. **Who teaches you important things? Jesus teaches me important things!**"

*the Bible reference for this week is Acts 2:45 & Luke 12:16-21.

STEP FOUR: Pray together as a family!

"Dear God, we love You! Thank You for Jesus, the best friend ever. Jesus teaches us important things. Help us share our stuff this week. In Jesus' name we pray, amen."





STEP FIVE: Draw a picture of your favorite food.

STEP SIX: The man said he would build a bigger barn and keep all the food. Jesus told this story so we would know it's important to share.
"The crowds were amazed at His teaching." Matthew 7:28