

The Gift of Trust

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Choose to Trust – Matthew 14:22-33

1) What is on the _____? (Matthew 14:26, Hebrews 12:5-13)

2) Take _____ towards trusting. (Matthew 14:27-29, Hebrews 4:16)

- Take _____!
- _____ in whatever steps you need to take.
- _____ to the story God has in place.

3) _____ steady, open _____. (Matthew 14:30)

4) Remember who your _____ . (Matthew 14:32-33)

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Passing the Gift of Trust on to Your Kids

1) What is _____?

_____ it, _____ it, _____ it

- Be Approachable – Hebrews 4:16
- Be Honest – Numbers 23:19
- Be Loving – Romans 8:38-39

2) What are the _____?

1. Bible stories
2. Scripture memory
3. Music
4. Prayer

3) What about the _____?

- God is with us – Joshua 1:9
- God loves us – Romans 5:8
- God is faithful – Isaiah 26:3-4

Table Questions

1. When storms come, how do you typically respond?
2. What area is hard for you to have “open hands” trusting the Lord?
3. What is a trial that you have had to help guide your child through?
4. What is one thing you want to take away from today's talk and start implementing at home to point your child(ren) towards God?

Additional Notes:

Audio Recommendations:

- Recharge 2019 by Callie Nixon
www.watermark.org/message/6010
- What's in the Bible videos (for older kids – elementary & up)
- VeggieTales videos
- Seeds Family Worship
- VBS Shipwrecked by GroupMusic
- VBS Everest by GroupMusic
- VBS Maker Fun Factory by GroupMusic
- Amber Sky Records

Written Recommendations:

1. Jesus Storybook Bible by Sally Lloyd-Jones
2. The Beginner's Bible by Zondervan
3. Starting Blocks resource page:
<http://www.watermark.org/dallas/ministries/starting-blocks/resources>