

Hey Families!

The kids have shared the verse “Proverbs 3:5-6” with the mom’s for Mother’s Day and we challenge your family to memorize these scriptures together over the next few weeks and use them in your family devotions, prayer times and as gentle reminders when things get tough that God is ALWAYS with us. Here they are as a list, with some ideas for memorizing and as separate verses to print and post around the house. Have fun!

Proverbs 3: 5:6 Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.

Joshua 1:9: Remember, I commanded you to be strong and brave. Don’t be afraid, because the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.

Psalms 56: 3 When I am afraid, I put my trust in you.

John 14: 1 Jesus said, “Don’t be troubled. Trust in God, and trust in me .

### Four Fun Ways to memorize scripture together as a family:

- **Word Wipe Out.** Write your memory verse on a chalkboard or dry erase board or the bathroom mirror! Say it together. Erase one word. Say it again. Keep going until the whole verse is erased.
- **Gotcha!** Quote a verse incorrectly to your kids, omitting or changing a key word. Ask them to shout, “Gotcha!” when they catch the mistake. Then quote the verse accurately together.
- **One-Minute Pit Stop.** Gather the kids for a speedy pit stop to refuel with God’s Word. Using a timer, each child gets one minute to practice their memory verse out loud while the others listen. (A helpful activity for auditory learners.)
- **Toss Across.** Toss or roll a ball to one child. Have him say the first word of the verse before tossing or rolling the ball to someone else, who then says the next word, and so on. Continue until you complete the verse. If the ball is dropped, start over again. Time how long it takes to finish the verse; and try to beat the previous time.

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