



## OVERVIEW:

A resource to empower kids and their families to be able to discuss and further understand what salvation means.

### HOW TO USE THIS RESOURCE:

This resource is intended for adults (parents, Small Group leaders) to see the level of comprehension that a child has of his/her faith.

This is not a check list or a test. It is important to remember that people of any age who are young in their faith may not understand many of the concepts. But it is essential for kids to have an understanding of what trusting Jesus as Lord means. In the end, the decision to follow Jesus is one that the child should make after prayer and discussion with parents.

### SCRIPTURE REFERENCED:

*John 10:30, 3:16, 1 Corinthians 15:3-4, Romans 5:8, 10:9, 3:23, 6:23, John 14:16, Romans 10:13*

## QUESTIONS TO ASK KIDS:

### 1 WHO IS JESUS CHRIST? WHAT DID HE DO FOR US?

ANSWER: Jesus is God. *(John 10:30)* God sent Jesus, His son to earth to die for the sins of all. *(John 3:16, 1 Corinthians 15:3-4)* Jesus died on the cross for everyone, but it is up to us to believe in Him and to make Him Lord of our life. In order to receive His gift of grace. *(Romans 5:8, Romans 10:9)*

### 2 WHY DO WE NEED GOD'S FORGIVENESS?

ANSWER: We are all sinners. *(Romans 3:23)* No sin is allowed in Heaven *(Romans 6:23)* Jesus is the only way for us to have everlasting life *(John 14:16)*

### 3 HOW IS YOUR LIFE GOING TO BE DIFFERENT AFTER THIS PRAYER?

ANSWER: I am committing to a life of following Jesus by obeying His Word, the Bible. When I ask Jesus into our lives, I am asking Him to be our Lord and Savior forever. *(Romans 10:13)*

### 4 HOW DO I KNOW IF I'M READY TO GIVE MY LIFE TO JESUS?

ANSWER: The number one thing to do for this is to pray. Pray about if you're ready and when you think it's time then go for it! Just make sure you can truly understand the decision you are making.

## WHAT TO DO IF:

### 1 A CHILD IS INTERESTED IN ASKING JESUS INTO THEIR HEART:

At Rock City Kids we want to engage kids on their level and empower families. Because of this, we want to encourage kids to begin a conversation with their parents about giving their lives to Jesus and what that means for eternity.

### 2 FOR PARENTS:

We encourage you to pray with your child about who Jesus is and what He has done for each and every one of us. If your child feels he/she is ready to take the next step, we'd love to know about it. Talk to your child's Small Group Leader today!

### 3 FOR SMALL GROUP LEADERS:

During check-out, talk to the parents of any child who commits their life to Christ. Share this resource with them for further discussion.