SPECIAL EDITION Pastoring Your Kids

Week 4:

ALL MEN HAVE SINNED



PLANNING YOUR WEEK:

Sunday CHURCH TIME

Monday or Tuesday
BIBLE TIME

Thursday or Friday
FAMILY TIME

Memory Verse:

Romans 3:23, "...for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (NIV)

Bottom Line:

All men have sinned.

I. CHURCH TIME

We want to establish several things in this lesson: what sin is, who has sinned and what is the cure for sin.

2. BIBLETIME

READ:

• Genesis 3:1-24

MAIN POINT:

There is much debate today over what is a sin and what is not. The bottom line is that sin is disobeying God. God gave Moses a list of Ten Commandments, so we would know for sure what is a sin and what is not. Billions of people have lived on this earth in the 3000 years since Moses received the Ten Commandments and only one person has ever been able to keep all of the Ten Commandments – Jesus. Since lesus is the only one who has never sinned, He is the only one that can help us get free from sin. Everybody needs Jesus because everybody has sinned.

QUESTIONS TO ASK:

- I. How did satan tempt Adam and Eve? (he told them they would be gods)
- 2. Because Adam and Eve disobeyed, what did they pass on to us? (sin)

DISCUSS:

- God had to turn from them, because they were covered in sin.
- God had a plan to redeem man (we will discuss in detail over the next few weeks.)

3. FAMILY TIME

MAIN POINT:

All men have sinned,.

WHAT YOU DO:

- Show everyone a plate of cookies and tell them that they can have one after dinner, but not before.
- Then leave the room for a short while.
- At dinner ask questions and have discussion.

QUESTIONS TO ASK:

- I. Was anyone tempted to have a cookie, even though I said not to?
- 2. How do we know when we are being tempted to sin?

DISCUSS:

- How we resist temptation.
- What is sin?
- Sin is disobedience.
- It isn't always something bad.