

GROUP LESSON

KIDS COMMUNITY GROUP LESSON (I'LL KEEP MY EYES ON JESUS!)

Leader's Guide for groups occurring October 15th to October 23rd

Bible Lesson:

Do you ever have trouble staying focused? What are some games/toys that cause you to stay focused? Do you like playing with these types of games/toys? Who is the most focused person in your family? Why?

God doesn't want us to be afraid. He wants us to experience His love and not be distracted by things that make us afraid. When we focus on Jesus, we can do amazing things! Read **Matthew 14:22-23.** To make it more interactive, have the kids role play the story in your group.

Discussion Questions:

- Where were the disciples in the story?
- What was Jesus doing at the beginning of the story?
- What type of weather was it outside when the disciples were on the water?
- How did Jesus get to the disciples?
- What did they think Jesus was when they saw Him walking?
- What did Peter do when he saw Jesus?
- What happened when Peter took his eyes off of Jesus?
- What did Jesus do when Peter was sinking?
- When Peter and Jesus were back in the boat, what happened?
- What did the disciples say about Jesus when He got into the boat?

Memory Verse:

Set your minds on Jesus (things that are above), not on things that are on earth Colossians 3:2