

# FAMILY DEVOTION

## GAME PLAN “God’s Good Plans”



“I Will Follow God’s Amazing Plan!”



“‘For I know the plans I have for you,’ says the Lord. ‘They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.’” – Jeremiah 29:11

### SAY:

Guilt and shame are things everyone faces when they sin and do wrong. That guilt and shame can really add up and make you feel worthless, especially when you’re a kid and you’ve done a lot of bad things. Sometimes, when you have a past that is full of mistakes, you can begin to think that God’s plans for you are over. But that is simply not the case.

### READ:

Luke 19:1-10

### ASK/DISCUSS:

- What was the man’s name in this story?
- What was Zacchaeus’s job?
- What did Zacchaeus do when he couldn’t see Jesus in the crowd?
- What did Jesus say when he saw Zacchaeus?
- How did the religious leaders feel when they saw Jesus with Zacchaeus?

### SAY:

We can learn from the story of Zacchaeus encountering Jesus that Jesus truly cares about us and has good plans for our lives, no matter how “bad” we may have been. When we decide to follow God’s **GAME PLAN** for our lives and do what’s right, **EVERYTHING** changes!

### PRAY:

Pray for your children if they have been living in sin and/or maybe even feel like no one loves them or cares about them. Pray that they will remember that, no matter what, Jesus has a plan for their lives. Pray they will choose to follow God’s **GAME PLAN** and see everything in their life change for good!