

Kid Talks: Conversations that Count pt. 4

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Matthew 16:13, 15

When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do **People** say the Son of Man is?" ... "But what about you?" he asked. "Who do **YOU** say I am?"

Three Big Questions	Who Am I? Identity	Where do I fit? BELONG	Can I make a difference? PURPOSE
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John 13:2-5 (NIV)

The evening meal was in progress, and the devil had already prompted Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. ³ Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; ⁴ so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵ After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.

1. I know I BELONG when invited to the _____.

- Intentionally included
- Invited to Speak
- Actually Heard
- Held Accountable

Luke 9:1-6,10 (NIV)

When Jesus had called the Twelve together, he gave them power and authority to drive out all demons and to cure diseases, ² and he sent them out to proclaim the kingdom of God and to heal the sick. ... proclaiming the good news and healing people everywhere. ¹⁰ When the apostles returned, they reported to Jesus what they had done.

2. I know I BELONG when I feel _____.

- Understand Expectations
- Receive Instruction
- Receive affirming faith
- Trusted with opportunity
- Receive constructive feedback

Luke 10:1 (NIV)

After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go.

3. I know I BELONG when I am expected to _____.

- Allowed to share the load
- Use my spiritual gifts
- Value to the Team
- To God's Eternal Plan



Discuss and Apply

Use the following "Guide" to formulate your own age-appropriate questions.

- 1.** The disciples reacted differently when Jesus washed their feet. Why do you think Peter protested Jesus' act of service?
- 2.** What reaction might you have had to Jesus washing your feet? Can you explain why?
- 3.** Have you ever thought of receiving Spiritual Gifts from God?
- 4.** What kind of gifts do sense God has placed in your life?
- 5.** Can you share a story about using your gifts to serve or benefit others?
- 6.** What spiritual gift would you like to ASK God for today? Why?
- 7.** Have you ever served on an Outreach (serve) team?
- 8.** Where would you like to serve?