



CONNECTED CAR QUESTIONS

KEEP THESE QUESTIONS IN CAR AND USE AS YOU TRAVEL FROM PLACE TO PLACE:

Ask:

- Is it easy or hard for you to talk to others about your faith? Explain.
- Who can you share with about what God is doing in your life?
- Why is it important to talk about Jesus and what we believe with others who know and love God?
- What things do you talk about most? How can you bring Jesus and your faith into those conversations?
- What are some things that keep us from asking questions or talking with others about the things we believe?



GAMES

Let us keep looking to Jesus. He is the one who started this journey of faith. And he is the one who completes the journey of faith. Hebrews 12:2a (NirV)

WHAT YOU NEED:

Beachball, blindfold, hose, timer

WHAT YOU DO:

- Create a starting point and a clear playing field.
- Blindfold one of players (or if just you and your child playing, you can take turns being blindfolded).
- Wet the beachball with the hose (optional)
- The goal is to get the ball from the starting point to the ending point and keep track of time.
- The only person allowed to touch the ball is the blindfolded person. The other player can only give instructions.
- If playing with more than one kid, they can pass the ball to each other, then take the blindfold off to move in front of the other player, readjust the blindfold before receiving the ball. (think of leap frog, without the leaping, but moving one in front of the other and only using the blindfold when receiving the ball)

SHARE AFTER THE ACTIVITY:

In the game, you had to talk to each other so they knew when to hit the beach ball, when to be still, and even when to celebrate. Just like you were able to talk through the game in order to help your team, **[Bottom Line] you can TALK with others about what you believe.** That may be hard to do at times, but God has given us His Holy Spirit to give us courage as well as the words to say. **[Make It Personal] (Talk about a time when you spoke about what you believe with others.)** When we talk about what we believe, our friends can hear all about how God loves them, too



CRAFTS

WHAT YOU NEED:

old CDs or DVDs; fishing line pieces; peel-and-stick gemstones (or with adult supervision you can use any gemstones and a hot glue gun)

WHAT YOU DO:

- Instruct kids to peel and stick their stones in whatever pattern or design they like on the shiny side of the disc. (If both sides are shiny, they should only use one side.) Tell kids to NOT cover up the hole in the center.
- Give kids a “Day 3 Memory Verse Label” to stick on the back of their disc.
- Say the memory verse together.
- Help kids thread a piece of fishing line through the middle of the disc and tie the ends together to make a loop for hanging.

For a video tutorial of this craft, click here:

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SHARE AFTER THE ACTIVITY:

“Find a window with lots of sunlight where you can hang your sun catcher. When you look at the sun coming through your work of art, remember to keep looking toward Jesus and know you can tell others about Him. **[Bottom Line] You can TALK with others about what you believe.**”



STEAM

WHAT YOU NEED:

Paper towel and/or toilet paper rolls; paper plates; scissors; duct tape; marbles

WHAT YOU DO:

- Set out all supplies.
- Tell kids to work in teams to design and build a series of towers, ramps, and loops that marbles can roll through.
- Encourage them to create the most unique track possible for their marbles.
- Let kids test their designs to see if marbles can make their way through the entire thing.

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SHARE AFTER THE ACTIVITY:

“Life can be full of twists and turns like your marble tower. However, God is always with you. Life is hard for everyone, and telling others about what we believe can point them toward God during those hard times—and during the good times as well! What are some ways you can tell others about what you believe? (Pause for responses.) [Bottom Line] You can TALK with others about what you believe.