FOURTH GRADE MEMORY VERSES/FAITHFUL SERVANT PROGRAM

(Earn 12 points by reciting verses and/or serving.)

1. MEMORIZE:

"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witness in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Acts 1:8

OR:

For at least 3 months, read a chapter from your Bible at least 4 days a week. Keep a record of what you have read. (4 pts.)

2. MEMORIZE:

"Peter said to them, 'Repent, and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit." Acts 2:38

OR:

For at least 3 months, keep a prayer list and have a daily prayer time. (4 pts.)

3. MEMORIZE:

"...Judge for yourselves whether it is right in God's sight to obey you rather than God. For we cannot help speaking about what we have seen and heard." Acts 4: 19, 20

OR:

Discuss with your parent Peter's sermon to the people found in Acts 2:14-41. (1 pt.)

4. MEMORIZE:

"God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with Him. We are witnesses of everything he did in the country of the Jews and Jerusalem. They killed Him by hanging Him on a tree, but God raised Him from the dead on the third day and caused Him to be seen." Acts 10:38-40

OR:

Discuss the subject of baptism with someone, preferably your parents, so you can explain to someone when a person is ready to be baptized. (1 pt.)

5. MEMORIZE:

"Give all your worries to Him, because He cares for you." I Peter 5:7

OR:

Who is the founder of the church? Discuss your answers with your parents after reading Matthew 16:13-19. (1 pt.)

6. MEMORIZE:

"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law." Galatians 5:22-23

OR:

Plan and carry out a service that requires you giving of your time, talents, and resources—all of which come to you as blessings from God. You will be returning these blessings to God through His church, unsaved persons or needy persons. (2 pts.)

7. MEMORIZE:

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up...Make sure that nobody pays back wrong for wrong, but always try to be kind to each other and to everyone else. Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." I Thessalonians 5:11....15-18

OR:

Make a list of put-downs or insults that you have heard and write what you think each one means and how it made you feel. Review this with your parent. (1 pt.)

8. MEMORIZE:

"The Lord is faithful, and He will strengthen and protect you from the evil one." II Thessalonians 3:3

OR:

Read Galatians 6:10 and discuss with your parent how you can put this into practice. (1 pt.)

9. MEMORIZE:

"And now I will show you a more excellent way. If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have faith that can move mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and surrender my body to the flames but have not love, I gain nothing. Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres...And now these three things remain: faith, hope, and love. But the greatest of these is love." I Corinthians 13: 1-7, 13

OR:

Read Matthew 7:21 and explain to a parent how important it is to do what God wants you to do. (1 pt.)

10. MEMORIZE:

"I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile." Romans 1:16

OR:

Visit someone who is sick, shut-in, or elderly in your congregation. Discuss with your parent why God wants us to serve these people. (1 pt.)

11. MEMORIZE:

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast." Ephesians 2:8-9

OR:

List 3 things you do not like to do for other people and explain why to your parent. Then discuss what you could do to change your attitude. (1 pt.)

12. MEMORIZE:

"Whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." Colossians 3:17

OR:

Participate in 3 family devotionals that you helped plan. (1 pt.)