

The Family Table Devos

"Families practicing the presence of God with the Word of God on the week of July 4th"

Bible Focus Luke 10:1-11 and 16-20

1After 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. 2He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. 3Go! I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. 4Do not take a purse or bag or sandals; and do not greet anyone on the road. 5"When you enter a house, first say, 'Peace to this house.' 6If a man of peace is there, your peace will rest on him; if not, it will return to you. 7Stay in that house, eating and drinking whatever they give you, for the worker deserves his wages. Do not move around from house to house. 8"When you enter a town and are welcomed, eat what is set before you. 9Heal the sick who are there and tell them, 'The kingdom of God is near you.' 10But when you enter a town and are not welcomed, go into its streets and say, 11'Even the dust of your town that sticks to our feet we wipe off against you. Yet be sure of this: The kingdom of God is near.' 16"He who listens to you listens to me; he who rejects you rejects me; but he who rejects me rejects him who sent me." 17The seventy-two returned with joy and said, "Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name." 18He replied, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. 19I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you. 20However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

The Word of the Lord! **Thanks be to GOD!**

1. How were the 72 people sent out?
2. Jesus told His followers that they were like what animal? What animal did he call everyone else?
3. What were the followers supposed to say when they entered a house?
4. How were the 72 feeling when they returned?
5. When Jesus' followers came back and told Him, "Even the demons submit to us in Your name," what did Jesus say He saw?
6. What did Jesus give His followers the power to do?
7. What kind of life do you think these 72 people had while they were on the road for Christ. Remember that they lived before electricity, computers, and cars. Don't forget that there were a lot of people that didn't like them – but there were some who did.



Out of all the people you know, if you were to be sent out by Jesus with just one other person, who would you want to go with?



Each Christian's goal in the world is to be like these 72 people. We want to go out into the world to praise God and serve Him by helping other people. Think of a family Bible verse to hang on your fridge that reminds you of our mission as the body of Christ.