

EXODUS | WILDERNESS | WEEK 2 OF 5

Helps

God's way is always the best way for us. We might not understand why he asks certain things of us, but we can trust that his way is best!

BIG IDEA

God helps us live the best way.

KEY VERSE

Teach me how to live, O Lord. Lead me along the right path, for my enemies are waiting for me. *Psalm 27:11* (NLT)

LEADER TIP

 Be prepared to share an age-appropriate example of a time that God heard and answered your prayer in a much different way than you had imagined.

1 | Hangout

SUPPLIES

None

INSTRUCTIONS

- a. Take time to check-in on everyone's week. Follow up on anything relevant from last week.
- b. Discuss:
 - Is there something that you do, that you think you have developed the very best way of doing it?
 - What stood out to you in the God Story and Life Story?
 - What is God's way? How would you explain it to someone who had no idea what you were talking about?



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2 | Hear

SUPPLIES

Bibles

INSTRUCTIONS

- a. Explain that God gave Moses and the Israelites the law, and then when Jesus came he said the law and the prophets all pointed to him.
- b. Make sure everyone has a Bible. Share them if needed.
- c. Look up and read Galatians 3:23-25.
- d. Discuss: What metaphor is used in this passage? What do you think it means for us?
- e. Point out that we know God's way through the example of Jesus' life.
- f. Discuss:
 - What does God's way look like for you when you're online?
 - How do you follow God's best way online (e.g., on social media, texting, etc.)?
 - How do you remember that "online you" is very much a part of you?

3 | Huddle

SUPPLIES

None

INSTRUCTIONS

- a. If you have a small group that has more than 5 students, divide students into smaller groups for the huddle.
- b. Discuss:
 - When or where is it the most difficult for you to live God's best way?
 - Where do you go for help, encouragement, or advice when it comes to living God's way?
- c. Pray about everything the students have shared.