



POWER UP

On-line Sunday School Lesson for March 22

Today's true Bible story can be found in the Bible in Acts:12 or look in your "Know the Bible Now" (older kids) book on page 322 or in your "The Story Bible" (younger kids) book on page 440.



PETER'S ESCAPE FROM PRISON



Hey kids, have you every been bullied by someone? Or seen someone else get bullied? I'm sure it doesn't feel very good, does it? Did you know there are Christians all around the world that get bullied just for believing in Jesus? It's true, and the Bible says we need to pray for them. That's exactly what we are talking about today in the true Bible story of Peter's Escape from Prison. Read it together with your parents now.

Younger Student Activity

After reading the story together ask your child:

- What part was sad?
- What part was funny?
- What part was amazing?
- What part was powerful?
- What can we do to help people being bullied?

Older Student Activity

After reading the story together help your child look up the answers to the following questions in a Bible.

- **ACTS 12:5:** What did Peter's friends do when he was in prison? What can you do for those having troubles?
- **ACTS 12:24:** Peter was put in prison for preaching about Jesus. Did that stop people from hearing and believing the Word of God?

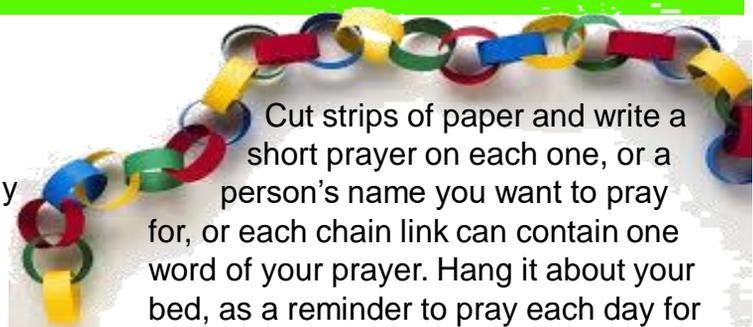
TODAY'S MEMORY VERSE: Say it together with your child.

[Nothing] will be able to separate us from the love of God. Romans 8:39

LET'S CRAFT

Paper Prayer Chain

Remember how the angel came and Peter's chains fell to the ground? Peter's friends and family were praying for him. Together create a paper prayer chain.



Cut strips of paper and write a short prayer on each one, or a person's name you want to pray for, or each chain link can contain one word of your prayer. Hang it about your bed, as a reminder to pray each day for all those in need.