

GOLD

John 3:16a

Intro: What does gold remind you of? It reminds me of the gold street in heaven. God lives in heaven, and . . .

1. God **LOVES** you.
2. **READ** verse:
John 3:16a
(**stop at "world"**)
3. God **MADE** you.
Can you tell me other things God made?
4. God is **HOLY**.
Holy means perfect.
Since God is holy:

LINK:

There is one thing that can never be in heaven, and that is **SIN**.



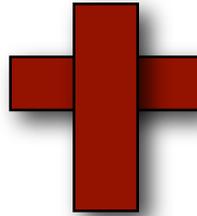
DARK

Romans 3:23a

1. **DEFINE** sin: Sin is anything you think, say, or do that makes God unhappy.
2. Give me some **EXAMPLES** of sin.
3. You and I were **BORN** with a "want-to" to sin.
4. **ALL** have sinned.
Have you sinned?
5. **READ** verse:
Romans 3:23a
(**stop at "sinned"**)
6. There is a **PUNISHMENT** for sin: separation from God forever.

LINK:

But God has a wonderful plan for you and that is through His son, Jesus.



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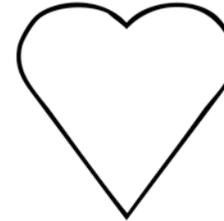
Hebrews 9:22b

1. Jesus is God's **PERFECT SON**.
2. Jesus gave His **BLOOD** on the cross for our sins.
3. **READ** verse:
Hebrews 9:22b
(**begin with "without"**)
4. Jesus took your **PUNISHMENT** when He **DIED** on the cross.
(1 Cor. 15:3-4: optional)
5. Jesus was **BURIED**, but **ROSE** again 3 days later and now He lives in **HEAVEN!**

LINK:

Because of what Jesus did for you, you can have your sins forgiven!

There s only ONE way! Here s how . . .



CLEAN

John 1:12

1. **READ** verse: John 1:12
2. **EXPLAIN** verse:
You can be a child of God by:
A = **Admit** (tell) your sin to God.
B = **Believe** Jesus died on the cross for your sin.
C = **Call** (pray) and ask Jesus to be your Lord and Savior.
3. **ASK:** Have you done this before? Would you like to do this right now?
4. Ask **REVIEW** questions.
(**not "yes" or "no" answers**)
5. Explain **PRAYER** and review **A,B,C's** for child to follow in prayer.
6. Allow child to pray on their **OWN**.
7. **ASK**, "what did you tell God in your prayer?"
8. Whose **CHILD** are you now? How do you know? (show verse)
9. Put child's **NAME** in John 1:12.
10. God will **never** leave you! Give **ASSURANCE** through Hebrews 13:5-6

LINK:

Now that you're a child of God, He wants you to **GROW** to know Him better!



GREEN

1 John 1:9

1. **READ** verse:
1 John 1:9
2. **EXPLAIN** verse:
Even though you re a child of God, you'll still sin - you'll never be perfect like God. But God will help you do the right thing: just ask Him for forgiveness, and He will forgive you, then ask Him to help you choose good decisions to make Him happy. You'll never stop being His child. But He will change you on the inside so you can GROW to be more like Him.
3. Four ways to **GROW**:
Go to church.
Read Bible and **P**RAY
Obey God
Witness (tell others)
4. Ask child to say a thank-you prayer to God. You can pray too.
5. **GIVE** child a tract, mailbox club, Bible.
6. Have child **TELL** another person that they are now a child of God!