

The Family: God's Bible School

INTRODUCTION: Judges 2:10. How did this happen? Notice the responsibility of parents: Exodus 10:2; 12: 24-27; Deut. 6: 20-25; Jos. 4:6; Ps. 48: 12-14; 78:5-7; Joel 1: 1-3.

- I. WHEN YOUR CHILDREN ASK, "WHAT IS DIFFERENT ABOUT THIS DAY?"
 - A. Under the Law they surely asked this about the Sabbath (Ex. 20:8-11; Deut. 5:12-15).
 - B. Now a new day has dawned. Why is the first day of the week different? Luke 24: 1-3, 7, 13, 21; A lesson in type (Lev. 23: 11, Christ is the first fruits of the dead, I Cor. 15:20) vv. 15-16, the Feast of weeks or Pentecost, Church established on first day of the week. Acts 20:7; I Cor. 16:1,2.
- II. WHEN YOUR CHILDREN ASK, "WHY ARE YOU EATING THOSE CRACKERS AND DRINKING JUICE?"
 - A. Matt. 26: 26-30
 - B. I Cor. 11: 23-26. Teach them the significance of this symbolic meal.
- III. WHEN YOUR CHILDREN ASK, "WHY IS THAT PERSON GETTING DUNKED?"
 - A. Matt. 3: 5-7, 13-15. He is following the Lord in obedience.
 - B. He is entering into a relationship with Christ (Gal. 3:26,27).
 - C. He is being saved from his sins (I Peter 3:21).
 - D. He is being buried and raised with Christ (Rom. 6:3,4).
- IV. WHEN YOUR CHILDREN ASK, "WHY ARE YOU PAYING THAT MONEY?"
 - A. Teach your children that God does not need our money, but He allows us to invest in heavenly things (Matt. 6:19-21), and to be workers together in His kingdom.