

## "Teachable Moments"

OBJECTIVE: This attribute of God provides a great opportunity to compare the sinfulness of man (the FALL) with the Holiness of God and lay a foundational understanding of how SIN separates man from a relationship with God.



the better for

contrast.

**Object Lessons:** Help your child understand the extreme contrast between man's sinfulness and God's Holiness:

Examples--**Two pieces of cloth** - one very dirty and another perfectly clean. By letting the child make the one cloth, dirty (you decide how) helps to portray how our sins make our

hearts dirty before God.

**Two jars of water** - one clean and another filled with all kinds of dirty things to become darkened.

**Simple Truths** In this lesson, you will notice that your child will not only be learning about the holiness of God, but also the significant consequence of our sinful nature in relation to friendship with God. This is intended to prepare for the PLAN that God reveals to eradicate this sin problem. Continue the discussion and application of these truths as you sing or do the activities together.

Activity Pages: These pages are not just something to do; they are intended to be learning opportunities, so enjoy them together. Follow instructions on each page.

#1 - Song & WORD MATCH

#2 - Revealed Treasure Truths

Enjoy singing & Holy, Holy, Holy

**Memorize** together, Isaiah 6:3 or any of the other selected verses for more challenge.

(Permission granted to make extra copies of coloring or game page for other children in the family as needed.)

## Simple Truths



Only GOD is Holy.

#### Are there any other Gods?---NO

--God made this clear to His chosen people through Moses and Joshua and other leaders of God's people:

"You were shown these things so that you might know that the LORD is God; besides him **there is no other**." (Deuteronomy 4:35)

"Acknowledge and take to heart this day that the LORD is God in heaven above and on the earth below. **There is no other**." (Deuteronomy 4:39)

#### What is HOLINESS?

- --This is one of the attributes of God that is often difficult for us to understand in our finite minds, but we, by faith, believe it because God says it of Himself.
- --We often understand it best by seeing it in contrast to what we do know to be true of our own nature: SINFUL or EVIL. We naturally speak or act in accordance with the condition of our heart.

"The heart is hopelessly dark and deceitful, a puzzle that no one can figure out." (Jeremiah 17:9 - The Message)

"For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23)

--GOD is sinless perfection; total purity.

"God made Him (Jesus) who had no sin to be sin for us, so that we might become the righteousness of God." (2 Corinthians 5:21)



We Should Fear GOD.

#### What is Fear?

- --Fear is not necessarily a bad thing; it can even produce a correct response to the object of the fear. What **we know** about people, creatures or things helps us determine how to **respond to them appropriately**.
- --God has revealed to us in His Word that He is HOLY. How should be respond to that knowledge?

"Fear God and give Him glory. . ." (Rev. 14:7) - said by an angel

"Fear the LORD your God, **serve Him only**. . . . " (Deut. 6:13) "Do not follow other gods. . . . " (Deut. 6:14)

"Let all the earth **fear the LORD**; let all the people of the world **revere Him**." (Psalm 33:8)

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Our SIN keeps us from GOD.

#### What's so bad about SIN?

- --Adam and Eve's sin (disobedience) drove them away from the garden and their friendship with God.
- --SIN was passed on to all generations of people. We are all separated from God.

"But your iniquities have separated you from your God; your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear." (Isaiah 59:2)

"...remember that at that time you were **separated from** Christ... without hope and without God in the world." (Ephesians 2:12)

"They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts." (Ephesians 2:12)

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GOD wants Us to Be Holy

#### Does God have a Plan for my SIN?---YES

- --He not only wants us to be holy, He commands us.
- -- It is choice of obeying or not.

"As obedient children, do not conform to the evil desires . . . But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do; for it is written: 'Be holy, because I am holy." (I Peter 1:14, 16)







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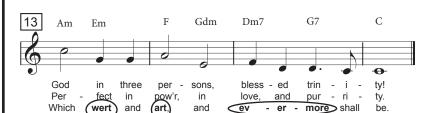
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What are these words referring to on a timeline?

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Put these times in order: 1 - 2 - 3 Match these "Time-Words" from left to right dots.

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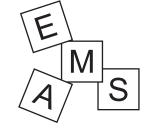
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TOMORROW ●

PRESENT

Another way to say this is:

God's Holiness never changes; it is always the \_\_\_\_\_.



Arrange the letters to find your answer

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→ Art — Evermore







# Color the gems below.



"There is no one holy like the LORD; There is no one besides You, there is no Rock like our God." (I Sam. 2:2)



"Your ways, O God, are holy. What god is so great as our God." (Psalm 77:13)



"....Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." (Isaiah 6:3)



"Sing to the LORD, you saints of His; praise His holy name." (Psalm 30:4)



"My mouth will speak in praise of the LORD. Let every creature praise His holy name for ever and ever." (Psalm 145:21)

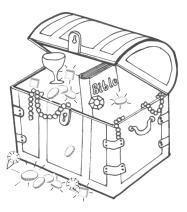


"Who will not fear You O LORD, and bring glory to Your name? For You alone are holy. All nations will come and worship before You for Your righteous acts have been revealed." (Revelation 15:4)



"O LORD, are you not from everlasting? My God, my Holy One. . . your ways are too pure to look on evil . . . ." (Habakkuk 1:12-13)

### REVEALED TREASURE TRUTHS



Match the GEMS from God's Holy Word to the TRUTHS we can learn about Him.

\_\_\_\_\_God's pure, holy ways can not look on sin.

\_\_\_\_\_God's Holy Name should be PRAISED.

\_\_\_\_\_God is a HOLY GOD.

\_\_\_\_\_There are NO OTHER HOLY GOD.

\_\_\_\_\_The LORD'S holiness fills the whole earth.

\_\_\_\_\_All peoples and nations will someday WORSHIP God's holiness.

\_\_\_\_\_I should praise God's holiness forever.



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Circle every other letter to find the answer.