

JOSHUA 1:9

HAVE I NOT
COMMANDED YOU?

BE STRONG
AND OF GOOD
COURAGE;

DO NOT BE AFRAID,
NOR BE DISMAYED,

FOR THE LORD
YOUR GOD
IS WITH YOU

WHEREVER YOU GO."

Well howdy y'all! It's me again, Miss Katie, It's right fine to see y'all again today! Well it's day three, yessirree, day three and it's a doozie of a Bible lesson we will talk about todee, ya' know, there is a mighty fine Bible, yes, the BIble the B-i-b-I-e? verse that i wanna share with y'all its found in the book of Psalms, which are amazin' songs that the Jewish people sang while they were workin, wanderin' or doin' their chores, and that's a mighty fine habit to have m' little wranglers, you can be doin the same thing, y'all can be a singin and a praisin Jesus at home, at play, anywherees ya go.

Well this particular verse i'm here a chattin bout is part of a song is the longest song in the whole devine book the Bible - the B-i-b-I-e? in Psalm 119 - it's verse 11 of that super long song and it says - your Word - i have hidden in my heart that I might not sin against you. we'll say it again - your Word - i have hidden in my heart that I might not sin against you

well, that sure means, that the stuff you learn about Jesus in the Bible - the B-i-b-I-e? well that means, ya shure better not forget it, y'ud better hide that more precious than gold stuff down deep inside you and protect it and repeat it over, n over so you little wranglers never forget it - do you hear me right correct? y'all say ues ma'am if you understand.

okay, well we chatted first day about that mean ol snake that baddest of all bandits that mean ol snake the devil and how he was about the nastiest of all liars and how he made that mean ol rotton move and convinced eve to eat from the tree of the knowledge of good n evil and how her husband adam - well he didn't save her from this rottne snake and he ate that stuff too! well sin came in and laid a wreckin' on the perfect paradice of the Garden of Eden where they lived with GOd himself, and sin was dark and dirty, woooooie..

well we can rid us of sin, no we can't, but we know that JESus, the Good Sheriff, well He came, and He can rid us cause he is so big and so powerful and so mighty and he sure enough did, didn't he! ya'll wranglers know that he dyed on the cross and took away our sin for all tyme!

His big move, his amazin act of love - well it paid the price of our sin - his payment was grand ya'll. so grand that we do NOTHIN' cause he did everythin!

that free gift is amazing

i John 1:9 in our Bibles - the B-i-b-l-e? tells us that if we confess our sins - confess means to tell Jesus what we did when we pray - well if we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

well that means that he is mighty powerful to say okay, y'all sinned, i heard y'all when you confessed, yep, that was bad, y'all told a lie, or y'all hurt yer brother or sister, or ya disobeyed yer momma or yer daddie, y'all knew ya shouldn't have never done that bad ol thing, but ya did it anyways, and so i hear ya sayin so and i forgive youuu. but you never otta do it again, ya hear.

we are gunna talk about a specai tool today - cause i can tell ya till i turn blue in the face to not sin - but you little wraglers need to know HOW to not sin. well that is very important - a tool the Bible - the B-i-b-l-e? tells us how to do!

Well, i told my own little precious wranglers this tool this lesson this wonderful trick when they were little whippersnippers and it worked right fine it did. well i told them that sin builds up when yer playin - someone didn't do the game the right way, or you want somehting someone else has, or you don't like the way that person is a talkin' well something right mean and nasty starts a brewin in your cure little tummy and then pow! y'all went ahead an did something bad. somethin mean and nasty - well that is sin adn we can stop it! yup - i got the tool

so when you feel the pressure in your tummy start to brewin - instead of doing that mean ol thing - RUN

run away and tell your momma or your daddie or the person who is takin care of you at that tyme and you tell um what you did - that instead of doin the wrong thing you came and you told them that you RAN

well, that runnin prolly just got rid of that mean and nasty build of sin and you don't even feel it anymore - and you went ahead and told your loved one of the problem you was havin' and they will probably help uuuu fix it too.

woooo weee runnin is might fun too.

so the next time you feel that build up of sin...turn and run and have some fun and tell the one you love! that is a might fine blessin from JEsus

the Bible - the B-i-b-l-e? word of the day is repent - that means to turn away from your sin can you say repent? repent - to turn away from your sin - it's a mighty powerful action that brings us back to God

well, that is right in the Bible - the B-i-b-l-e? it makes me remember a really wonderful lesson about turnin away from sin and coming home to a daddie who loves and forgives and never forgets his son.

well long ago when Jesus was here on earth, he loved to teach his people by telling them stories that would remain them of his love and how to do lyfe the right way.

well this particular story Jesus told was about a son who asked his daddy for all the money his daddy had saved up for him while he was really young. it wasn't tyme for him to have it, but he asked for it anyways. well, the daddy gave all the money to his son and off that son went, he saddled up and rode off into the sunet

he went one the craziest vacation ever! he spent all his daddy's hard-earned money on the silliest stuff, maybe he bought too many stuffed animals all at wonce, maybe 100 horses and let Em all go - he made, so many bad choices with his money that he plum pickin spent the whole lot of it - it was all gone! oh no!

well, he got hisself in such a pickle that all he himself a job feedin pigs. now i personally love my piggie wiggles on my farm, they are soooo cute when they are babies y'all, whith their snortie little noses and their cute fat bellies ooooie, they are so cute, but wranglers, those pigs are mean when they grow up, well one of them pigs was in a bad mood at came up and bit my toe. grumpy ol girls.

anyways, back to my Bible - the B-i-b-l-e?

well that sorry boy was feedin those pigs and he was so hungry, sad n poor he started eatin the stuff he was givin to the pigs, and what a tummy ache that would give ya, have you ever seen pig slop? yuck.

well he was so sad about the state of his lyfe that he was fixin to give up until he realized how silly he was bein'

his daddy had many helpers at his house and they were mighty fyne! they were livin' amazin lives at his house!

well they were cared for, loved, safe and happy

well, he could go there and be a helper and stop eatng the slop that was makin his tummy upset!

yup, he thought, i'm a fixin to go be my daddie's helper.

well he started the journey back to his daddie and ya know who saw him from far off yander as he was walkin?
his daddy.

ohhhhieee, was he excited! he saw his long-lost-son and he started yippin and a hollerin for joy! he's back, he's back - HES COME HOME! hallalouja he said,

well the daddy ran to his son and he gave him a beautfiul ring, he hugged him and he kissed him and the son said, daddy, i have siined against you, i'm not good enough to be called your son

but the daddy did not agree, he said, i love you, you are always welcome here and you can never do anything to stop my love for you and to stop me from takin care of you as my son

now let's eat the best food ever and celebrate this day, because once my son was lost, but now his is found and he has repented - he has turned and run from his sin and he has come back to me.

did the daddy forgive his son?

did he welcome him home?

did he punish his son?

that is what our daddie in heaven does for us ya little wranglers, he will forgive us everytyme we sin and come to him in prayer and ask for forgiveness. yes, right about now is the best time for us to pray to our daddie

now let's pray and talk to Him right now, y'all bow your heads, you close your little peepers and fold your hands while I pray.

Thank you JEsus for the Bible? the B-i-b-l-e? your de-vine book that shows us how to go Your way which is good, and not our way which is full of sin and wrong choices .

thank you for loving us so much that even when we sin, when we choose our way and not your way, that you love us with your big powerful love that covers all our sin and shame, you took all that nasty sin and you wiped it all clean by dying on the cross in our place. how powerful you are Jesus, we are in awe of you and we love you so much

You promise us that when we believe in you, we believe you are the Son of God and that you love us so much, that you give us that free gift of eternal life with you in heaven. and you did it right there and then on the cross and that was more than enough to give us that free gift of love. Thank you so much for loving us first and making the choice to save us from our sin. Thank you that we can run to you, which can stop us from sinning, but even when we do sin, we can run back to you and you will always forgive us, thank you that we can repent.

We love you so much JEsus, you are SO good and SO kind and it is amazin' that we get to learn about you and talk about you and worship you today and tomorra' and when we get home, and all the stuff in between. in Jesus' name - and all my wranglers say, amen!

before you go, wranglers, we talked about the dark spot on my special soccer ball on day one, and the red spot yesterdee, well today can you guess what color we will talk about?

yes, you are just about the smartest little chickabiddies ive ever met, yes it's the whaate, the pure and perfect clean spot that isn't dirty anymore. when we run to JEsus, he cleans us up and makes us brand new.

well that special spot will always remind us of God's great love for us and how he sent his son JEsus - the Good Sheriff to dye and wash us clean from our sin and how we can love him because he is alive and well today, and you best believe it, it looks like there are more colors on this here ball, so i'll see ya tamarra

Jesus loves you and I love you too!