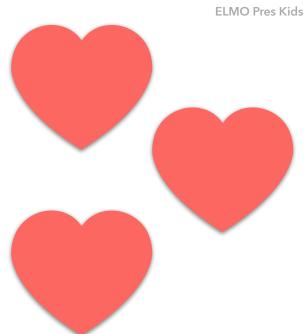


"THIS IS THE COVENANT I WILL MAKE WITH THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL AFTER THAT TIME," DECLARES THE LORD.

JEREMIAH 31:33



Jeremiah 31:31-34

Lesson 6

Read Jeremiah 31:31-34

Dig In and Discuss

I. Can you draw a symbol to remember each of the 5 mountain peaks of God's promise/plan that we've looked at so far? For example: a snake crushed by a cross (Genesis 1-3), rainbow (Genesis 6-9), stars (Genesis 12), stone tablets (Exodus 19-20), a throne (2 Samuel 7).

- 2. Jeremiah, the Israelite priest who lived and worked in Jerusalem during the final days of southern Judah, had a hard job. He had to warn the people of Judah about God's coming judgement over the people's disobedience. Jeremiah's nickname was the "Weeping Prophet" because he did a lot of crying over the people's sin. Do you have a nickname? What does it mean?
- 3. Despite their disobedience, God hasn't abandoned His people. Underline what God is going to do according to Jeremiah 31:31. "The days are coming," declares the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the people of Israel and with the people of Judah."

Did you know?

"Christ himself is the New Testament covenant -a covenant that cannot fail and cannot be broken. Christ invited people to follow Him and join Him in a new partnership with God. Despite our failures, we are able to enter into this new covenant thanks to the fact Christ Himself was able to perfectly fulfill His commitment to God. Through His perfect keeping of the new covenant, we too are now able to enjoy a renewed partnership with God." (The Bible Project)

Check out this video about Covenants from The Bible Project.

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- 4. Verse 33 says, "I will put my law in their minds and write it on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be my people." What was the law (Ten Commandments) first written upon? Why would it be better to have the law written on our hearts instead?
- 5. Verse 34 also says, ""For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more." What do you think is so amazing about this verse?
- 6. Ephesians 2:8-9 says, "For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast." Do you think it is possible to be saved from your sin by working really, really hard to be good? Why or why not?
- 7. The moment sin, death, and destruction entered the world God had a promise-plan for our salvation. Can you explain God's promised plan to save us?

Prayer: Father God, I acknowledge that I can't earn my salvation, Thank you for your amazing promise-plan securing my salvation through Jesus and his work on the cross. Amen.

Memory Verse: "For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace." Isaiah 9:6

PHRASE	MOTION
ISAIAH 9:6	
"For to us a child is born, to us a son is given;	Have the children pretend to cradle a baby in their arms and rock it back and forth.
"and the government shall be upon his shoulder,	Have the children touch their fingers to their shoulders.
"and his name shall be called	Have the children cup their hands around their mouths like a megaphone.
"Wonderful Counselor,	Have the children raise their hands above their heads and spread their fingers as they quickly move their arms to their side.
"Mighty God,	Have the children make a muscle with their right arm.
"Everlasting Father,	Have the children wave their right hand in a circle above their head and then do the same with their left.
"Prince of Peace."	Have the children form a crown with their two hands, fingers spread and rest it on their heads.