

The Chosen – Episode 3

“Jesus Loves the Little Children”

Episode Passages – Luke 18:15-17; Mark 9:42; Mark 3:13-19

Study 3

Conversation Starter

When you first heard of Jesus, how did you picture Him?

Episode Questions

1. Do you talk to Jesus as carefree as the children did in the episode? Why or why not? Do you feel Jesus is as receiving toward you as He was the children? Explain.
 2. Jesus said in the episode, “Everyone has a much larger job than just their trade.” Do you see yourself as having a “larger job” in this life?
 3. The Jewish rabbis mistakenly thought the Messiah would be a great military leader when He arrived. How has your understanding of Jesus become more accurate over time?
 4. In the episode, Jesus challenged the behaviors and ways the Hebrew people treated others. Do you think today’s Christians should assess how they are treating others?
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Personal Next Steps

- **Renew and Refresh** – This week read Luke 18:15-17; Mark 9:42; Mark 3:13-19
- **Self-Check**
 - Waiting for God to judge evil can be frustrating when you are the one who has been wronged or hurt. Is there someone you are “punishing” as payback for a wrong they’ve caused you? What could be a more God honoring response?
 - What could you do to begin or to restore your childlike trust in Jesus Christ?
- **Continuing the Conversation** – Jesus stated that His Father sent Him to announce good news to the poor, announce prisoners would be freed, and the blind would see. Who could I share this incredible news with that may not have heard about Him?
- **Pray** – Thank your heavenly Father that He did not send Jesus only to the wealthy and people of status. Ask God to show you ways you can copy Jesus’ willingness to engage with all peoples.

