

Use this guide to help your family learn about
how God wants us to live with integrity.

First, watch
this week's
video!

Integrity:
choosing to
be truthful in
whatever you
say and do.

Memory Verse

Anyone who lives
without blame
walks safely. But
anyone who takes
a crooked path will
get caught.
Proverbs 10:9, NIV

Bible Story

A Matter of Trust
(Naaman and
Elisha's Servant)
2 Kings 5

Key Question

Why is it important
for people to
trust you?

Activity

Truth or Lie

WHAT YOU NEED:

Paper and writing utensil for everyone
who's playing.

WHAT YOU DO:

Each person writes down 5 truths and
5 "lies" about themselves that you may
not know. Make sure the truths and
lies are mixed up randomly on the
list. *Note: These can be simple like, "My
favorite color is blue, or I really don't like
pizza."*

Take turns sharing facts, letting
everyone try to guess which ones are
true, and which ones are lies.



Talk about the Bible Story

Who was someone in our story who did not show
integrity? (*Gehazi: he lied*)

Who showed integrity in the story? Give an example how
they showed integrity. (*Naaman—apologized when he was
wrong; asked for forgiveness; offered thanks and gifts*)

How did Gehazi's lack of integrity affect others? How do
you think it affected Gehazi and Elisha's relationship?
(*Allow for response.*)

How can our choice to be truthful in whatever we say
and do affect others? (*Discuss.*)

Why does lying get us in trouble? (*We lose trust with
the people and break relationships. Lying hurts our
reputations and how people will trust us in the future.*)

What about when we lie and nobody finds out? Do those
lies hurt anyone if we're the only ones who know we lied?

When we lie, there are consequences. There were
consequences to Gehazi's lie, weren't there? Let me
tell you a story about a time I didn't tell the truth. (*Share
a personal story about a time you told a lie. Make sure
you include the consequences.*)

Prayer

Use this prayer as a guide, either after talking about
the Bible story or sometime before bed tonight:

"God, we pray that our family would be one that's
known for its integrity all the time. Help us to remember
that when we're honest, we build trust and strengthen
our relationships with each other. We pray that we are
like Naaman—that when we're wrong, we're quick to
apologize and ask for forgiveness. Thank You for loving
us and forgiving us. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen."

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