

PAPER AIRPLANE ACTIVITY

The Paper Airplane activity is a fun way to reinforce the gospel message while also incorporating an activity that will enable your children to move around. You can use it on a regular Sunday or as an activity at a special event throughout the year.

NOTE: ALL Bible verses are in the New International Readers Version (unless otherwise noted).

SUPPLIES

- Print one copy per child, preferably in color if possible.
- Optional: print additional copies for children to repeat the process multiple times.
- **IMPORTANT:** Print back to front along the LONG edge binding

INSTRUCTIONS

1. START HERE:

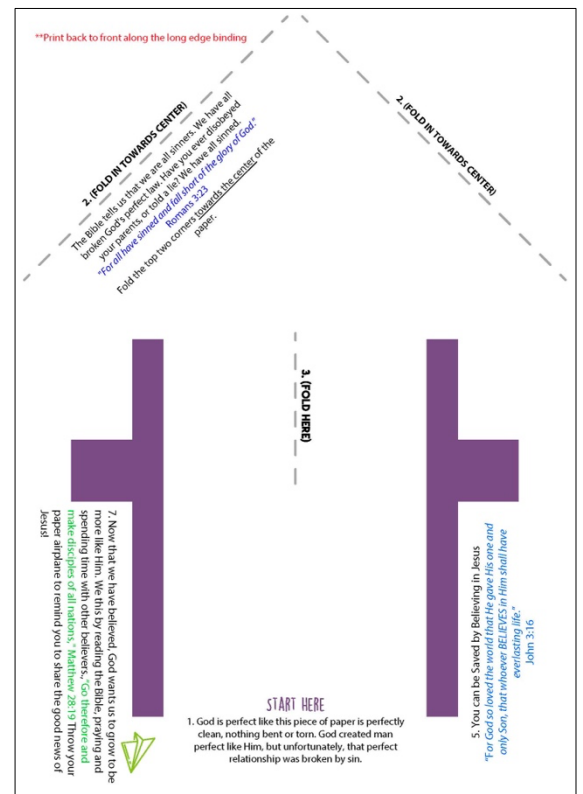
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2. FOLD BOTH CORNERS IN TOWARDS CENTER

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3. FOLD THE PAPER IN HALF ALONG THE DOTTED LINES.

The Penalty for Sin is Death

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life." Romans 6:23
We have all earned "death" as the penalty for sin. Our relationship with God is broken.

4. TURN THE PAPER OVER AND FOLD DOWN BOTH SIDES ALONG THE DOTTED LINES (TO CREATE THE WINGS).

Jesus died to pay for our sins.

"God demonstrates His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

5. You can be Saved by Believing in Jesus

"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever BELIEVES in Him shall have everlasting life." John 3:16

Eternal life is a FREE gift of God. We cannot earn it or do ANYTHING to get it! Jesus did it ALL when He died on the cross for ALL of our sins, past, present, and future.

6. Do you believe this?

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7. Now that we have believed, God wants us to grow to be more like Him. We do this by reading the Bible, praying, and spending time with other believers.

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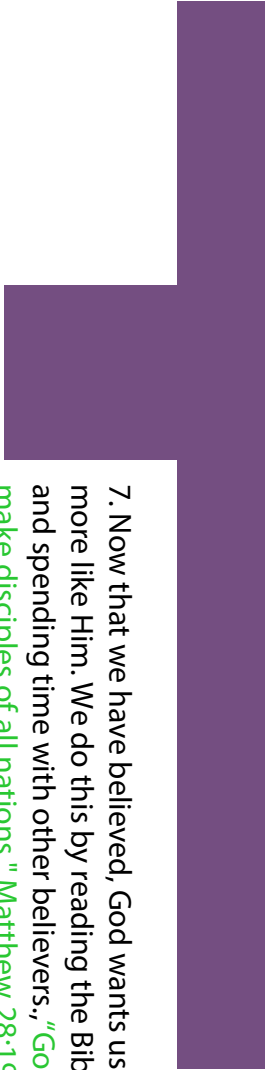
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FOLD THE TWO SIDES OF THE PAPER TOGETHER