



SUMMER LESSON AGES 7-9

Write your answer choice in the box provided for each question.

1. Tim's wrong thought was:

- a.) he cannot do anything wrong
- b.) he cannot do anything right

2. Tim does not study as he should. This wrong action causes him to make poor grades which:

- a.) makes him feel bad about himself
- b.) makes him feel good about himself

3. Fill in the spaces:

WRONG THOUGHTS lead to WRONG _____ and WRONG _____.

4. The world says that the most important things in life are:

- a.) Being a Christian and doing what God wants you to do
- b.) having good looks, being smart and having a lot of money

5. The idea that if you are not good looking you are not worth much come from:

- a.) the Bible
- b.) the world

6. When the Lord Jesus chose His disciples, he chose:

- a.) plain, ordinary people
- b.) only very important people

7. Jesus:

- a.) was very wealthy
- b.) did not have many things

8. To show us what we are worth to Him, God gave:

- a.) His Son to die on the cross for us
- b.) an angel to die for us.

9. "There is no greater love than to lay down one's life for one's friends."

- a.) True
- b.) False

10. God loves and accepts you the way you are:

- a.) because of your looks, your intelligence, or your money
- b.) because you are created in His image and very special

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Here's How:

- * Read the Bible story first, then the answer sheet.
- * Complete the answer sheet, and then send it back to us.
- * We will then send you your next lesson.

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WHAT ARE YOU WORTH?

Tim is an unhappy 5th grader. He gets poor grades at school. Some of his classmates say that he is stupid and he thinks they could be right. He has quit trying to do better work because he has started to believe that he can't do better work.



Tim isn't actually stupid, but because he accepts the wrong thought that he cannot do anything right, he does not study as he should. This wrong action causes him to make poor grades and then he feels bad about himself.

THINKING WRONG THOUGHTS LEADS TO WRONG ACTIONS AND WRONG ACTIONS LEAD TO WRONG OR UNPLEASANT FEELINGS.



WHERE DO WRONG THOUGHTS COME FROM?

They come from accepting the "world's" ideas instead of God's. In the Bible, the "world" means those who accept Satan's thoughts or their own desires rather than God's truth.

The world believes that the most important things in life are: 1. having good looks, 2. being smart, and 3. having a lot of money. Let us think about these things.

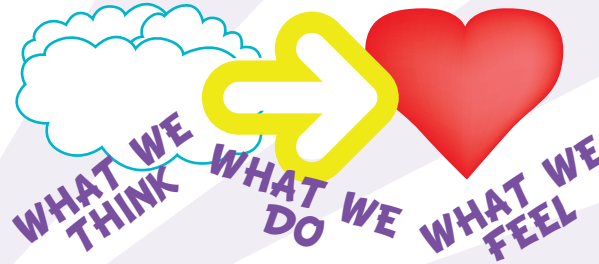


1. Having good looks: The world says, "If you are good looking, you are worth a lot, but if you are not, you are not worth much and you probably won't be happy." Many boys and girls think, "If only I could look like so-and-so, I would be happy." This is a wrong thought. God wants us to see that our worth as a person does not depend on how we look. The Bible says "Man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart." 1 Samuel 16:7

2. Being smart: The world says, "If you are smart, you are worth something; if are not, then you are not worth much." This is also

a wrong thought. God never values a person by how smart he is. The Bible says "When they saw the courage of Peter and John and realized that they were... ordinary men, they were astonished and they took note that these men had been [disciples of] Jesus." Acts 4:13.

3. Having Money: Another way the world values people is by how much money they have. The world says, "If your family is rich, you are worth something, but if your family is poor, you are not worth much." This too is a wrong thought. The Lord Jesus did not have many things. In fact, he was very poor. Did this mean He was not worth much? Of course not! He was the Son of God.



YOU ARE WORTH EVERYTHING TO GOD!

What something is worth is determined by what someone is willing to pay for it. We can say that a certain game console is worth \$350 because that is what people are willing to pay for it.

What are you and I worth? Wrong thoughts might make you think that you are not worth anything. But remember, the Bible teaches that God was willing to give His

Son, Jesus Christ to die on the cross so that you could be with Him forever! This shows that we are the most important thing there is to God! The Bible says "There is no greater love than to lay down one's life for one's friends." John 15:13



SOME SUGGESTIONS:

- Don't listen to the things that the world says about you. Find out what God says. If you know how much God loves and values you, you will want to please God. Those are right thoughts!
- Put Jesus on the throne of your heart to rule over all the aspects of your life. Those are right actions!
- When you do the things that please the Lord, you will feel happiness and peace inside. Then you will have right feelings about yourself!

God loves and accepts you as you are and not because of your looks, your intelligence, or your money but because you are created in His image and very special. Remember, everyone is VERY special to God! Isn't it exciting to know how much we are worth to God?