

# SUNDAY SCHOOL QUESTION AND PROMPTS

MARCH 9–15

## JACOB 1–4

BE RECONCILED UNTO GOD THROUGH THE ATONEMENT OF CHRIST

JACOB 1:6–8, 15–19; 2:1–11; 4:18

**RIGHTEOUS LEADERS LABOR DILIGENTLY FOR THE WELFARE OF SOULS.**

- SHARE A TIME WHEN YOU WERE BLESSED BECAUSE OF THE DILIGENCE OF YOUR CHURCH LEADER
- SHARE AN EXPERIENCE WHEN YOU FELT CALLED TO SERVE SOMEONE
- FIND WORDS AND PHRASES IN JACOB 1:6–8, 15–19; 2:1–11; AND 4:18 THAT HELP US UNDERSTAND HOW JACOB FELT ABOUT HIS CALLING AND THE PEOPLE HE SERVED.
- HOW HAVE YOU SEEN YOUR LEADERS MAGNIFY THEIR CALLINGS?
- WHAT DO THESE VERSES SUGGEST ABOUT HOW WE SHOULD SUSTAIN OUR CHURCH LEADERS?

JACOB 2:12–21

**WE SHOULD AVOID PRIDE AND REACH OUT TO THOSE IN NEED.**

- WHAT ARE WAYS THAT THE ADVERSARY PROMOTES THE LOVE OR RICHES IN THE WORLD TODAY?
- READ JACOB 2:12–21 AND FIND WHAT THE LORD TAUGHT ABOUT HOW WE SHOULD VIEW MATERIAL WEALTH.
- PONDER INDIVIDUALLY WHAT THEY CAN DO TO APPLY WHAT THEY LEARN FROM JACOB'S MESSAGE.
- WHAT DOES ELDER PERRY'S STATEMENT ADD TO OUR UNDERSTANDING OF JACOB'S TEACHINGS?

JACOB 2:23–35

**THE LORD DELIGHTS IN CHASTITY.**

- USE JACOB 2:23–35 TO COUNTERACT THE WORLD'S MESSAGES ABOUT CHASTITY?
- WRITE ON THE BOARD *HOW DOES THE LORD FEEL ABOUT CHASTITY?* AND INVITE CLASS MEMBERS TO FIND ANSWERS TO THE QUESTION.
  - BREAK INTO TWO GROUPS HAVE ONE USE ELDER BEDNAR'S TALK "WE BELIEVE IN BEING CHASTE"
  - AND THE OTHER USE JACOB 2:23-35
  - DISCUSS STANDARDS AND BLESSINGS ASSOCIATED WITH LIVING THE LAW OF CHASTITY,
  - WHAT ARE THE BLESSINGS OF LIVING A CHASTE LIFE?

JACOB 4:4–11

THE NEPHITES BELIEVED IN JESUS CHRIST.

- ACCORDING TO JACOB 4:4–5, WHY DID THE NEPHITES KEEP THE LAW OF MOSES?
- WHAT DO WE HAVE IN OUR DAY THAT POINTS OUR SOULS TO THE SAVIOR?
- WHAT SYMBOLS OR SIMILITUDES DID JACOB USE TO TEACH ABOUT JESUS CHRIST? (SEE ALSO GENESIS 22:1–13).

JACOB 4:8–18

I CAN AVOID SPIRITUAL BLINDNESS BY FOCUSING ON THE SAVIOR.

- AS ANYONE HAD AN EYE EXAM? WHAT DID THE DOCTOR ASSES IN YOUR VISION DURING YOUR EXAM?
- WHAT DO YOU THINK IT MEANS TO BE SPIRITUALLY BLIND?
- HOW IS SPIRITUAL BLINDNESS SIMILAR TO PHYSICAL BLINDNESS?
- WHAT ARE WAYS WE CAN ASSESS WHETHER WE ARE SPIRITUALLY BLIND?
  - REVIEW JACOB 4:8–18 AND
- WHAT ARE SOME THINGS WE CAN DO TO INCREASE OUR ABILITY TO “SEE” SPIRITUAL THINGS?

## ENCOURAGE LEARNING AT HOME

TO INSPIRE CLASS MEMBERS TO READ JACOB 5–7, TELL THEM THAT THEY WILL FIND THE ANSWER TO THE QUESTION IN JACOB 4:17 AS THEY PRAYERFULLY READ THE NEXT THREE CHAPTERS.