

SHOW THEM JESUS

Session 1:
Eyes on Jesus

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How do you fix a bad Bible camp?

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To keep eyes on Jesus...

**Point back often to
God's absolutely
free salvation.**

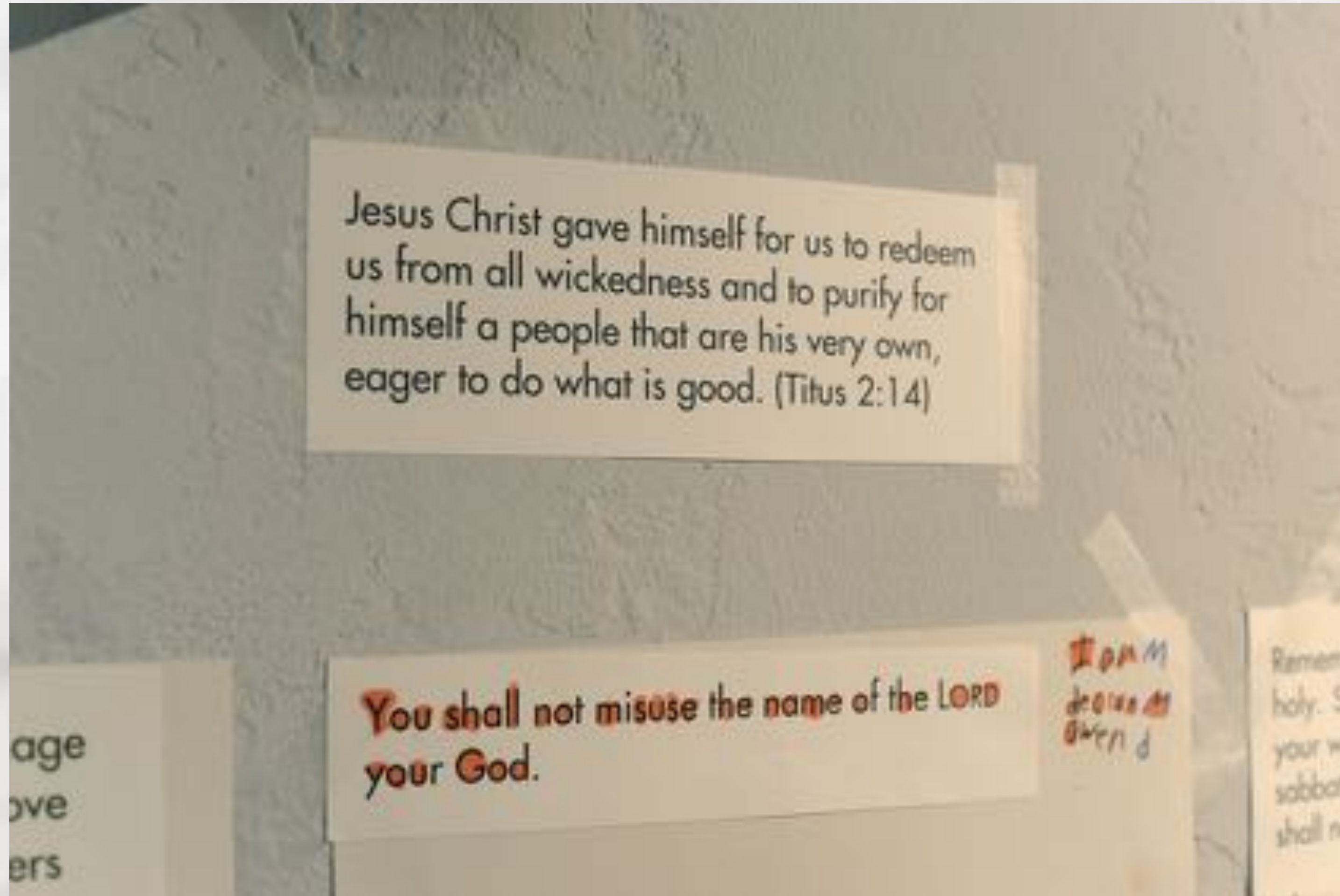
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Jesus is better than anything else because.....

He pleased and lifts the people (including us) in every part of the world.	He's strong enough to take care of us — no matter what!	He did not come to be served, but to serve and give his life.	He's the innocent One whose sacrifice will set us free.	By looking at him we see the majesty of God.	In him we're given everything — the whole kingdom of God!	He has come and redeemed his people.	He has sent the Holy Spirit to strengthen and teach us.	In him, we become God's children.
He made just sinners (small and great) see his righteousness.	He gives an eternal life.	He came to destroy every work of the devil.	He changes us so that we trust him and love for God!	His forgiveness of our sins.	He loved us first.	He has power to do anything — even raise us from the dead!	He makes us able to love him without fear, in faith and righteousness.	His love is unconditional.
He gives us good things to those who have faith.	In him we are born again by the Holy Spirit.	He leads us while we were still his enemies.	He leads the father perfectly.	He submitted to the Father and is a perfect Master for us to submit to him.	He's wise enough to know what's always best for us.	He listens whenever we talk to him.	He gave us all he had to give us — all we need!	He's the great King and, at the same time, our searching servant!
Joined to him, we grow to become more like him.	He loved us while we were still his enemies.	He gives us righteousness.	We have a loving home with him.	He's our King who rules and protects us forever.	He gave everything he had to save (and save us).	Our work for him will bring us great joy — especially when he returns.	He's good, but he's merciful and loving.	
He gives the Spirit so that God's always with us.	He will always be with us.	He's our sacrifice, letting us come to God all the time, anytime.	He gives us hope when we're angry.	He rules the world and brings peace to every nation.	He took our shame.	He never uses his power selfishly for himself.	He's the Son through whom all God's promises to us come true!	
By the life he gives us, we can worship God with joyful and loving hearts.	He rescued us from the hand of our enemies.	He died and rose again to be our Savior from sin.	Trusting him is a sure thing — he can't let God disappoint.	We get lost, but with him we are encouraged.	He loves us so much that he will always do what's best for us.	He is the living Word of God, good to all.		
He helps us when we need help.	He gave us heavenly and earthly comforts for us.	He came to do all God's business in the world — and in us.	He cares for every people.	He isn't afraid of things that scare us.	He came for all people, even lost sinners!	He guides our feet in the path of justice.		
He makes us his new creation, righteous and holy.	He sets us free with his blood.	We go weak, but with him we have power.	He saved us even though it meant suffering.	He gave us everything for us so that we can give it everything for him.	Serving him means we see the King.	His completely good and holy.		
He loves us in bigger ways than we would ever expect!	He was tempted like we are but did not sin.	He's the perfect image of God — completely good and holy.	He is so generous — giving us all we need, including himself!	He saved us and the way the Father planned — even though it meant suffering.	He fills us with blessings.			

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Watch out for sin-discounting habits like:

- Just saying “I’m sorry.”
- Just learning correct behavior.
- Limiting the sin I admit to what I did that time I got caught.
- Thinking stronger resolve might solve the problem.

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**Be grace-aware,
and practice faith.**

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To keep eyes on Jesus...

**Don't treat anything
as more important
than Jesus.**

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A Good Day:

- We were quick to recognize our sin, including heart-level idols and unbelief.
- We were eager to turn to God in our sin rather than relying on willpower.
- We *believed* in the goodness of Jesus, and treasured him rather than trying to boost our reputation or happiness some other way.

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A Good Day:

As a result of looking at Jesus...

- We look into our own hearts and repent deeply.
- We look to others and are able to love them.
- We look in hope to the future.