



FAMILY STUDY

John & Jude

John writes about what it means to Love the Truth. Love and hospitality must be regulated by the truth. True love requires love for truth. You can't throw out truth for loves sake. One of the most loving things you can do is to tell people the truth! Love and truth must never be separated. John says, "Don't show hospitality to false teachers." Be careful with your love to the wrong people. 3rd John is the shortest book in the bible and the most personal of John's writings. It is written to Gaius. Love for truth requires true love demonstrated. It says, "Do show hospitality to faithful teachers." Be lavish with your love to the right people.

Jude was the brother of James and the 1/2 brother of Jesus Christ. At first he did not believe in Jesus. He writes to "contend earnestly for the faith." Love all people enough to tell them the truth.

Charades

Objectives: Act out words from the book of 2nd & 3rd John and Jude
Gain knowledge about the people and the events during the disciple's time
Have fun with your family.

Number of Players: 4 or more

Length: 30 minutes - 1 hour

Set up: Cut each of the words/phrases on the next page into separate pieces of paper, fold them in half and put the pieces in a bowl.
Everyone should sit around in a large circle with a large open area that players can act out their words.

Rules: Assign someone as score keeper and someone else as timekeeper. Each round is one minute. Each player/actor will take turns picking a word/phrase from the bowl. After picking a word, the actor will have 60 seconds to act out their word or phrase without using any talking or sound effects. They can point to things in the room but cannot pick up any props. The players who are not acting out the word or phrase can guess at what the actor is acting out. Players should shout out their guesses. If someone guesses correctly they get 1 point and the person doing the acting gets 1 point. If no one guesses correctly, play passes to the next person and no one receives any points. Keep going around until all the words are gone or you run out of time.



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| John | Jude | Jesus |
| Truth | Love | God |
| Gaius | Teacher | Faith |
| Grace | Mercy | Peace |
| Commandment | Father | Rejoice |
| Walk | Flesh | World |
| Confess | Deceiver | Evil |
| Reward | Abide | Doctrine |
| Beloved | Pray | Soul |
| Prosper | Health | Faithful |
| Brethren | Strangers | Witness |
| Church | Gentiles | Workers |
| Imitate | Testimony | Friends |
| Bondservant | Jesus Christ | Brother of James |
| God the Father | Love Multiplied | Diligent |
| Contend earnestly | Deny | Rebuke |
| Michael the archangel | Devil | Moses |



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Prayer: Close in prayer thanking God for His provision and for all that you have learned and the fun you had with your family.