

"How 2 Handle Success"

"I Won't Forget To Give God The Glory!"



"I will praise you forever, O God, for what you have done...' - Psalm 52:9

This week, we continue in our series, "How 2," and we're learning God is the reason for ALL of our success – no matter what it is! The Apostle Paul handled his success the right way after getting some attention for healing a crippled man. From Paul's example of handling success, we learn that we must remember to give God the glory for the great things that happen in our lives!

Read:

Acts 14:8-20

Ask:

- What did Paul tell the crippled man to do?
- What did the man do when Paul told him to stand up?
- How did the crowd of people respond to this miracle?
- How did Paul respond to the crowd?

Say:

Paul saw a crippled man as they were on their journey and stopped to heal him. He said to the man, "Stand up!" And sure enough - the man was healed and stood up! It was a true miracle! However, the crowd of people responded to the miracle the wrong way. They gave Paul all of the credit, when it was really God that performed the miracle. Paul didn't let the success and the excitement of the moment go to his head though. He quickly corrected the crowd and was sure to give God all of the glory!

Ask/Discuss:

- What are some situations we can find ourselves in where it might be easy to take the credit for success?
- What should we do when we're successful? To Whom do we give the glory?
- In what ways can we give God the glory for our successful moments?

Pray:

Pray that your children will handle success the right way, by giving God the glory and not taking the credit for themselves.