FAMILY DEVOTION!

"How 2 Handle An Attack"



"Trust God And You Will See, From Attacks He'll Set You Free!"



"... the Lord will deliver me from every evil attack and will bring me safely into his heavenly Kingdom..." - 2 Timothy 4:18

This week, in our series, "How 2", we find out how to handle attack! The way we handle an attack doesn't just affect us. Other people are watching how we respond and are forming their opinion about God and Christians based on what they see us do. Rather than freak out and overreact, we should demonstrate our faith in God by placing our trust in Him.

Read:

Acts 28:1-11

Ask:

- Where did the ship end up crashing?
- What happened to Paul when he went to throw more wood on the fire?
- How did the crowd react to Paul's snake attack?
- How did Paul react to the snake attack?
- What happened as a result of Paul's reaction to the attack?

Say:

Paul faced some very difficult circumstances. He was attacked by a snake! Paul knew that God was with him and that God still had a plan. Paul's reaction to his attack demonstrates for us that God will always be with us and that, in the midst of an attack, we need to stay focused on God's plan. Paul didn't overreact to the attack because he new God was on his side and that God had a plan for his life. Instead of freaking out and letting the attack get the best of him, he kept serving God faithfully!

Ask/Discuss:

- What are some attacks that you could face in your everyday life?
- Are you facing an attack currently?
- How should you respond to an attack? How will it affect the people around you?

Pray:

Pray that your children will not overreact when they're attacked, but instead, remember God is on their side and He will never leave them. Pray that they will never forget God has a plan and never give up.