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Kids Into Discipleship & Stewardship

Stewardship

God loves the one who gives gladly.

2 Corinthians 9:7-8

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"Wow! Thanks for the money, Grandpa," Robert said. He took the new quarter right to his bank. Then he opened the hole in the bottom of the bank and shook out all his money. There was a lot. Robert carefully sorted all the money into little stacks. He turned over each coin to see who was pictured.

"Who is this?" Robert held up a quarter. His grandfather said it was a famous person.

"Who is this?" Robert held up a dime. Whose picture is on a dime?

"Who is on a penny?" Robert asked next. Do you know?

Robert looked at all the famous people on his money. He was puzzled. One famous person was missing. "Grandpa, Jesus is famous," Robert said. "Why isn't His picture on money?"

"Jesus could be on money, I guess," Grandpa answered. "But His picture would need to be on money for every country in the world.

"Our money shows famous people from our country," Grandpa said. "Jesus is important to people in all the countries of the world."

Can you draw a picture of a bill or coin with Jesus' picture on it? Could your picture be used as money anywhere on earth?

Dear Jesus,

I like money. I like to count it. I like to save it. I like to spend it. Please help me remember to share it with You and with people who need it. Amen

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Discipleship

His love is made perfect in us.

1 John 4:12

Loving All Your Life

Rosa always liked this time after church. She thought it was fun to shake the pastor's hand when he was still all dressed up in "church clothes."

"I'm going to be a pastor when I grow up," Rosa's brother told Pastor Nickel today. "I want to be just like you."

Rosa listened as her brother and the pastor talked a bit. Pastor Nickel was all smiles. Rosa wondered: What could I say to make Pastor Nickel smile and be happy?

"Good morning, Rosa," said Pastor Nickel. "How are you today?"

"I'm going to love Jesus when I grow up," Rosa said. "I'm going to be a grocery checker at the store when I grow up, but I can still love Jesus."

"Why yes, Rosa," said Pastor Nickel with a big smile. "Even if you choose to drive a big fire truck when you grow up, you can still love Jesus."

Act out a job you might have when you grow up. When you do that job, you can show God's love, too.

Dear Jesus,

I can do lots of things when I grow up. I love You now. I can still love You when I'm much, much older, too. Amen

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Be a Friend

Four men hurried toward a crowded house. Jesus was teaching inside. The men carried their friend on a mat. He could not walk. When the crowd did not budge, the men carried their friend to the roof. They removed some tiles and lowered their friend to Jesus. Jesus forgave the sick man's sins and made him well.

DIRECTIONS
Connect the dots to finish the picture.
Think of ways you can be a friend to someone with a disability.

