session 10 HE'S COMING BACK

as you go

These are simple questions to ask your student as you go home from church or go about your weekly activities.

.01 How do you tend to react when you need to wait for something?

Are you good at preparing ahead of time, or do you tend to do things at the last minute? Why?

family **DEVOTION**

Consider following up with your student later in the week with the following summary and discussion questions.

SUMMARY: MARK 13:24-37

Today's passage has led to lots of debate over the years. Some people think it is entirely about the fall of Jerusalem, while others think it is all about the end of the world and Jesus's second coming. Still others think it is about both. Whatever Jesus meant by this discussion, we know that was teaching His followers about the importance of being watchful and preparing. We know that He will return one day, but even He wasn't able to tell us when. In the meantime, we should not be surprised when we see suffering and difficulties in the world around us. We should act as though He could return at any moment.

discussion questions

.01 What are the most encouraging parts of Jesus's teaching in these verses?

How can you be prepared for Jesus to return? How can you encourage others to do the same?

PRAY: Thank God that He did not send Jesus to earth just once, but that one day, He will come back to make all things new. Pray that you would faithfully follow Him as long as it takes and that you would lead others to place their trust in Him.

memorize: MARK 13:31



Jesus will return one day.

challenge

Challenge your student to use the Daily Devotions provided in their Daily Discipleship Guide to study God's Word this week. These are the passages covered in this week's devotions.

DAY 1 MARK 13:24-27

DAY 2 MARK 13:28-31

DAY 3 MARK 13:32-37

DAY 4 MARK 13:13

DAY 5 LUKE 12:35-40

