



Loop



SMALL GROUP LEADER GUIDE

Who Is God?

Week 1: God Is Bigger Than Words

Icebreaker Question

Would you rather have a pet kangaroo, sloth, or otter?

The Verse

John 3:16 NLT

“For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.”

Order of Experience

Countdown/Hang Out
Icebreaker in Small Groups
Emcee Welcome
Worship
Emcee Transition to Message
Message/Salvation
Offering
Announcements
Activity/Small Group
Small Group Discussion
Check Out

Small Group Discussion

YouVersion Bible Plan

Make sure students check out the Bible Plan associated with this series:

How Big Is God?

Big Question

Do you trust that God is in control of your life?

Choose questions for your small group.

1. What stood out to you the most from the message? What’s one thing you learned?
2. The garland we made today only represents a tiny piece of all the creativity of God! What are some words you’d use to describe God? (It’s hard because He’s bigger than words, but we can try!)
3. How does it make you feel to know that humans are God’s favorite creations?
4. How might you feel if you always believed you are God’s most treasured creation?
5. How might you feel if you always believed *all people* are God’s most treasured creations—even the ones who sometimes annoy you?
6. In **John 3:16**, it says that everyone who believes in God won’t perish, but will have eternal life. What does that mean? And why do you think God offers this to us? *Ideas: “Perish” means die away. We get to have eternal life with God in Heaven if we believe in God and accept the grace He gave us through Jesus! He did it for no other reason except that He loves us that much!*
7. Pray together. Pray that your students would come to understand just how much God loves them. Pray that this Christmas season, they would experience what it means to adore God back!

Leader Notes/Announcements

*Promote **Swerve** to your 6th grade students.

*Encourage 6th grade students to come to Switch with a friend.

*Tell your students about the **YouVersion Bible Plan** and encourage them to complete it together as a group or with their families using Plans with Friends.