



A relationship building game to encourage laughter!

**"Don't Say It!"**- Choose a common dinner time word and make that word "off limits" for the entire meal. If caught saying the word, the person must stand up and do a silly wiggle, song, or simply have fun trying not to say the word.



Memorize and practice this month's mighty memory verse.

"Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might."  
Deuteronomy 6:4-5

Scan the QR to watch and learn the motions for this verse.

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Pray together as a family for the 900 kids and families that were given joy, hope, love, and encouragement through Hope For Christmas. Pray that they continue to know and feel God's love around them!



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An activity for the whole family that goes with the theme of the month.

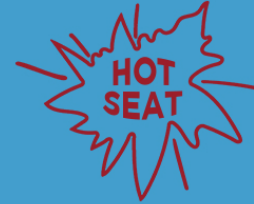


Scan the QR code to find the stories your kids are learning in Town Square.

# Town Square

NMC KIDS

## TABLE TALKER



Take turns being in the "HOT SEAT" while others ask the following questions:

1. If you made the rules at home, what would change?
2. Which is better to be - funny or honest?
3. Would you rather team up with Wonder Woman or Captain Marvel?
4. What is something new you want to try this year?
5. If you could jump into any TV show - what show would you want to visit?
6. What are three words you would use to describe yourself?



A short devotion based on the stories of the month.

Think of something you do every day or almost every day. God created it, or God created the people that created it. Do you watch tv every day? Do you play a video game every day? Do you go to baseball or ballet every day? Do you read your Bible every day? Are there things in your life that you value more than you value God? In our Bible stories for the months of January and February, we learned about the kings of Israel who loved and valued many things other than God. We also learned that they led the people away from God. While the kings participated in idolatry, the prophets Elijah, Elisha, Isaiah, and Zephaniah tried to encourage people to repent. Repent is a big word that means to turn away from sin and turn back to God! The beauty of God is that He sent His son Jesus and later the Holy Spirit so that we can turn from our sin and rejoice in the God who saves. As you go through your days, remember to worship God, the creator, rather than the things He created.

### Part the Way.

Create two teams among the family. Place a pile of pom-poms or cotton balls along the center of a table. Place masking tape on either side of the pom-poms. Direct one team to one side of the table and the second team to the other side of the table. Provide each participant with a paper plate.

Lead the family to work with their team to fan the pom-poms away from the center of the table so that pom-poms are on the opponent's side of the tape. The first team to clear or part the pom-poms away from the center of the table wins.

Say: God showed the people that His spirit was upon the prophets Elijah and Elisha when they parted the water. People can see the Holy Spirit at work in our lives when He helps us obey God's Word. The Holy Spirit helps us to look like Jesus by helping us to be kind, patient, forgiving, and gentle towards others.

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