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How Jesus  
makes us part  
of God's story.

## Homelink

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### Series Memory Verse:

*"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."*

- Acts 4:12

### One Big Thing:

God keeps His promises through Jesus, our Hero.

### Review:

This week, we unpacked the second part of God's story - The Fall. In Genesis 1-2, God wrote a beautiful story with everything good and beautiful in it, including us! But God's story had an enemy; that enemy's name was sin. Sin ruined our friendship with God and brought sickness, sadness and death. Now because of sin, we run away from God. We no longer love Him or others as we should. But the good news is, even in our sin, God promised a hero - a hero who would one day do away with all sin and all sadness and make all bad things become untrue. That promised hero's name is Jesus. He would keep His promises and save His people from their sin. It's because He is a promise-keeping hero that we can trust Him no matter what we're going through.





## Good Questions to:

1. **Q:** To recap from last week, what are the four main parts of God's story?

**A:** Creation, Fall, Redemption, and Restoration.

2. **Q:** What part of God's story do we live in?

**A:** We live in the Redemption part of God's story. Jesus brought us back into relationship with God, but the world is still broken.

3. **Q:** What is the main enemy of the Bible and what does it do?

**A:** Sin is the enemy and it brings ruin and sadness to everything.

4. **Q:** Who did God promise would one day defeat this enemy and how?

**A:** Jesus is the promised Hero who would die for sin and raise from the dead defeating sin.

## Pray together as a family:

*"Father, Thank You for keeping Your promise and sending Jesus to save us from our sin. Thank You that You have a better story for us than we ever could. Father, forgive us when we want to write our story for ourselves. Help us love You more, because You loved us first."*



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