

Family Talk – The Life of Jesus

READ TOGETHER

[Luke 12:4-7](#)

1. Jesus says that we should “*Fear Him*” (God). Why is Jesus saying this? (verse 5)
2. In verse 7, Jesus says “*Don't be afraid.*” Why do you think Jesus says that here?

LIVE IT

Jesus gives us a comparison of God's vast authority and yet His love for each of us in this short passage. Verses 4 and 5 share God's authority over heaven, earth, and hell and His ability to judge rightly. Verses 6 and 7 tell us how God loves us more than anything else in creation and desires to care for us.

As adults, we must teach our children these characteristics of God so our children understand BOTH are equally true:

1. God is the ultimate judge who can send unbelievers to hell.
2. God is a loving Father who values us and desires to protect us.

Take a walk and talk about all the beautiful things God has created. Point out that God values them more than anything they saw on the walk.

LEAN ON GOD

Dear God,

Thank You for sending Jesus to be our Good Shepherd. Help us take time in our busy day to listen and think about how You are the authority over ALL things, and You also know the number of hairs on our heads. You are a really BIG God!

We love You.

Amen.

