

Family Talk – The Life of Jesus

READ TOGETHER

[Matthew 23:1-4](#)

1. Why do you think the Pharisees would tell people to do things that they weren't willing to do?
2. Why was Jesus concerned while talking to the crowds and His disciples?

LIVE IT

Jesus shared that the Pharisees had set expectations for people that they themselves weren't keeping. These leaders should've been pointing people to God, but instead they were pointing people to themselves.

The Pharisees were great teachers of the law, and Jesus told the crowds and His disciples that they should listen to them and obey their teachings.

This week as a family, talk through the importance of obedience to God's law. Ask your children why obedience to God matters in our life. (John 13:17; 1 John 2:3-6, 5:2-3)

LEAN ON GOD

Dear God,

Thank You for pointing us towards your Son, Jesus Christ. Help us to live our lives in obedience to You and help us to point others towards You. Your way is truly best. Help our lives be a light to those who don't know You.

Amen.

