



LESSON

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# FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP TIME

## A is for Attentive: Paying Attention to God and Others

**Objective:** Students learned that paying attention to God and others makes us more like Jesus.

**Bible Verse:** Proverbs 1:8 *"Listen to your father's advice. Don't turn away from your mother's teachings."* (NIRV)

**Bible Story:** Jesus is Attentive and Heals the Blind Man (Mark 10:46-52)

### Action Steps:

- 1. Bible Time:** As a family, read *Jesus is Attentive and Heals the Blind Man*, and talk about how Jesus showed an attentive heart to the man born blind.
- 2. Scripture Memory:** Practice singing or reciting the memory verse each day as a family.
- 3. Practice:** Teach your children to show attentiveness by coming to you when you call their name and listening to your instructions and showing the following principles: eyes looking, ears listening, mouth quiet, and hands still. Praise them for having attentive hearts like Jesus! **Place stickers or checkmarks next to ATTENTIVE on your Character Trait Sticker Chart every time you catch your children displaying attentiveness.**
- 4. Model:** Be a good role model of attentiveness by stopping what you are doing to give your children attention when they need it. That will help them catch on faster! Children will pick up character traits more easily when they see a good model from parents! ☺