



Treasure Cove Ride Home Review

A family discussion guide for the ride home and all week long

First things First!

September 14, 2014

Matthew 22:37-39—“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: Love your neighbor as yourself.”

#1 Casting off – Ahoy parents and other grownups! We are excited to welcome you and your wee ones to another amazing season in Treasure Cove.

Last week Pastor Marcus introduced the Treasure Cove characters (and they are some real characters), before the drama began. He explained how they are representative of us on our spiritual walk, and explained that as we watch them cope with the situations they face, we can discover spiritual truths God wants each of us to know and be able to apply in our own lives.

Today we heard the story of how God chose David to become the king of Israel even though he was the youngest and didn't look like he would be the best leader compared to his older, stronger brothers. But God doesn't look at the same things people do. He looks at what's inside a person. God looks at our hearts because that is what matters to Him.

We can all look different on the outside and be good at different things; but what is really important to God is how we are on the inside—it's our hearts that matter to Him.

#4 Daily Directions

- ☐ Monday 1 Sam. 16:7
- ☐ Tuesday Psalms 27:10
- ☐ Wednesday Psalms 27:14
- ☐ Thursday Prov. 4:23
- ☐ Friday Romans 10:9-11
- ☐ Saturday Hebrews 4:12-13

#2 Review- Did you know you can watch the Treasure Cove Drama online? Check it out on the church website: nfcnaz.org

What were most of the people stranded in Treasure Cove doing today? (Many of the people in Treasure Cove were hiding and they were all looking for something or someone.)

Who is upset and feels like an outcast no one cares about? (One-Eyed Jack, the pirate is upset about losing his ship and feeling like an outcast.)

What do Pepper and Paulie plan to do to cheer him up? (They plan to steal the Zamboobini's boat and give it to One-Eyed Jack.)

Why does Daisy tell the Captain her family won't know she is a Christian? (She tells him they will see how she dresses and hear how she speaks and they won't believe she is any different.)

What do you think Daisy should do?

#3 Let's talk about it!

Have you ever been afraid of someone because of the way they dressed?

Do you think others have ever judged you because of the way you look on the outside?

What do you think it might feel like to be judged because of the way you look or dress?

Do you speak the same language? See if you can decipher this text message to figure out who it's from.

- i. no1 b4 me. srsly.
- ii. dnt wrshp pix/idols
- iii. no omg's
- iv. no wrk on w/end (sat 4 now; sun l8r)
- v. pos ok – ur m&d r cool
- vi. dnt kill ppl
- vii. :-X only w/ m8
- viii. dnt steal
- ix. dnt lie re: bf
- x. dnt ogle ur bf's m8. or ox. or dnkey. myob.

(Answers will be in next week's RHR.)