



TEEN EDITION



During adolescence, the abstract muscle comes "online," so your teen begins to form their own ideas and opinions, like a toddler learning to walk, including the subject of faith. So we created 30 Prompts. 30 Spiritual Conversations. to give you **insight into their thoughts and feelings about** *life***, God, Jesus, and** *themselves*. Some of the prompts have Scriptural references, while others simply reveal their heart and imagination.

The goal...create an opportune time for an informal conversation about God and Jesus *to foster connection rather than offer direction or correction.*



There are multiple ways to use 30 Prompts. 30 Spiritual Conversations. Pick the one that best fits your family, or create your own!

- Print and cut the Quote Bubbles. Let your teenager draw one out of the bag on the nights you have dinner around the table or on a road trip.
- Spend a few weeks to go down the list working the question into casual conversation. Mark off each question as you go.

- 1 There's not anything recorded in the Bible about Jesus as a teenager, so imagine. What do you think He struggled with as a teen?
- 2 Jesus is God and human at the same time, so imagine Him as a teen with His parents. How do you think that went?
- 3. Imagine if God joined us for dinner. What would you want to ask Him?
- 4. If God could change one thing at your school, what would you want it to be and why?
- 5. Name one of your favorite women from the Bible. Why do you like her?
- 6. Imagine Jesus with you at school. If He could help you with one thing, what would it be and why?
- 7. If God were president of our country, what should be the first thing He changes?
- 8. What is your favorite story in the Bible? Why?
- 9. What is your least favorite story in the Bible? Why?
- 10. If cars existed during Jesus' day, what car do you think He would have driven?
- 11. Name one of your favorite men from the Bible. Why do you like him?
- 12. God names all the stars and puts them in place (Isaiah 40:26). How many stars do you think exist? If He asked you to name one, what would it be?
- 13. If technology existed during Jesus' day, which piece of tech do you think He would like best?
- 14. If you could live during a time from the Bible (Genesis to Revelation), which one would you pick and why?
- 15. Let's say you go to school, and Jesus gets to be one of your teachers. Which class do you hope He gets to teach?
- 16. If God could eradicate one problem in the world and He asked you what it should be, what would you pick and why?

- 17. Describe Jesus in 3 words.
- 18. If God asked you to go on a road trip and pick the place, where would you go?
- 19. The Bible has poetry, songs, history, personal letters, and more. Which type of literature do you like best?
- 20. What part of the Bible seems to be the most confusing?
- 21. God made every part of you (Psalm 139). If you two were hanging out and He asked you to name your favorite part, what would you say? If He could change one part of you, what would it be and why?
- 22. God knows all things, but if you wanted Him to forget one thing, what would it be?
- 23. If today's genres existed back in Jesus' day, what kind of music do you think He would like?
- 24. If you knew God wanted to hang out with your friends, who would you invite, and where would you go?
- 25. If God took you back in time to change a part of history, where would you go and why?
- 26. Let's say Jesus visits your country. Where should He go first?
- 27. God is so powerful that He tells the oceans where to stop (Proverbs 8:29, Psalm 104:9)? If He asked you where to use that power next, how would you answer?
- 28. If sports existed back in Jesus' day, which sport do you think he would play and why?
- 29. Jesus isn't afraid to heal anyone (Luke 5:15). If He asked you who He should heal, who would you pick and why?
- 30. If Jesus could remove pressure or stress instantly, what would you want Him to do?







