

SIMON SORT OF SAYS

It can be hard to stand up to our friends or stand out in a crowd. Our verse this week gives us very clear instructions. It tells us that we need to be strong and not participate in things we know are wrong. That is tough! There is a game you can play with your whole family to help you practice. You'll need three or more players, all standing in a circle. One person is Simon. Simon tells everyone what to do, but does the opposite him/herself! All the other players watch Simon, and if Simon does the action he/she says, instead of the opposite, he/she is out! The person who caught him/her becomes the new Simon. You can play with your parents/guardians, siblings or plan a Zoom date with some friends! Below is a list of actions to help get you started.

Do not follow the crowd when they do what is wrong. Exodus 23:2a

Hop to the left
(Simon, hop to the right)

Pat your head
(Simon, pat your toes)

Jump in place
(Simon, stand still)

Wink your right eye
(Simon, wink your left)

Lift your left leg
(Simon, lift your right)

Raise your right arm
(Simon, raise your left)

Pat your head and rub
your tummy
(Simon, rub your tummy
and pat your head)

Whisper as quietly as
you can
(Simon, yell as loudly as
you can)

Sit down
(Simon, stand up)

Wave your left hand
(Simon, wave your right)

