

Sometimes it can be challenging to find the right words to say that will effectively communicate Biblical truths to the children in our lives. Deuteronomy 6:5-7 tells us to *"Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up."* Here is a list of kid-friendly terms that might help you as you teach the gospel to the kids in your life.

Sin	things we do wrong, bad things we do, no-no's, mistakes, disobey, make bad choices, things we do that make God sad
Punishment	get grounded/time out/spanking, consequences, penalty, get in trouble, be disciplined
Crucified	died on the cross, killed, hurt bad and then died
Savior	forever friend, rescuer, helper, took bad stuff for us, agrees to be in trouble instead of you, took our place, died for us even though he did nothing wrong
Resurrection	alive again, came back to life, didn't stay dead
Ask Jesus into your heart	follow Jesus, become a Christian, become friends with Jesus, start a relationship with Him, tell Jesus you are sorry and ask him to always be your friend
Lord or Leader of my life	let Jesus show you the right and best way to live, let him help you make the right choices, Jesus helps us do the right things, a guide, Jesus is the one we follow and obey, Jesus will always listen/care/help
Ask for Forgiveness	say you're sorry, apologize
Forgiveness	not in trouble anymore
Confess	admit you did wrong, tell what you did
Eternal Life	live forever in heaven with Jesus