

WHO GETS THE GLORY? ☆

Who gets the glory when things go well, you or God?

TOPICS:

Honor God, Pride, Worship

MATERIALS:

Activity page for each child [PDF] [Click here](#)

Pencils or markers

DURATION:

Approximately 10 minutes



PREPARATION

Before class, print or make copies of the activity page for each child.

WHAT YOU WILL DO:

The kids will read each of the five examples. Then, they should circle the ones that give the credit, or glory, to whom it belongs, and put an 'X' through the examples where the characters keep the glory for themselves. When everyone is finished, discuss their answers and share the correct responses. It is okay that they get some wrong. This activity is designed to show how easy it is to give yourself the credit or glory, even when it seems to be a humble response.

Correct Responses:

Example 1: (X—she focuses on how she messed up and on what she did!)

Sally: Angie! You sang so beautifully today!! And your song had a very good message!

Angie: Awww! Thanks, Sally! I really didn't think I did that good. I worked really hard on it, but it just didn't sound too good. But thanks!

Example 2: (Circle—gives his teammates the credit)

Joe: Dude! You play soccer so well!! Way to score three goals for the team!!

Harry: Thanks, man, but our team played very well together! We were a good team! I wouldn't have been able to do it without their help!

Example 3: (X—it's all about her)

Jane: What are your plans for the future, Hanna? What do you want to study?

Hanna: Well, I want to be a nurse. I'm going to have to study really hard to get into nursing school, but I love to help, so I will be a really good nurse.

Example 4: (Circle—Gives his parents the credit)

Joe's mom: Hey, Jimmy. So, what are you guys doing this summer?

Jimmy: Well, Miss Sue, we're going on vacation. My parents are taking us camping. Dad and Mom were both able to get off work, so they want to be able to stay there a couple of weeks! Dad has all these fun activities planned!

Example 5: (Circle—Gives the credit to his Speech teacher)

Andy: Jesse, you are really good at giving speeches!

Jesse: Thanks, man, but I know I wouldn't be half as good if I hadn't had such a good Speech teacher last year!