

LOVING LIKE JESUS ☆

Part 3: Sofia gets out her apology, and also learns a valuable lesson about love.

(A skit for two: Sofia and Mark.) by Andrea Wehmeyer

TOPICS:

Following Jesus, Forgiveness, Humility, Love

MATERIALS:

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DURATION:

Approximately 10 minutes



(Sofia runs up to Mark as he is leaving school. She is nearly out of breath as she talks)

Sofia: Hey Mark! Wait up!

Mark: Hey Soph! How are you doing?

Sofia: I'm fine ...really!

(There is a long pause before Mark speaks up)

Mark: Yes? Well, did you need something?

Sofia: Well, actually...yes I do. Mark ...I'm sorry about the way I acted the other day!

Mark: It's okay Sofia! I already forgave.....*(interrupted by Sofia)*

Sofia: No, please! Let me apologize. I was very rude to you! I was being all proud and I let my grades get to my head! I'm ...I'm so sorry! I shouldn't have acted that way! Will you PLEASE, PLEASE forgive me?!

Mark: Sofia, as I was saying, of course I forgive you.

Sofia: *(surprised)* Really! You do?

Mark: *(laughing)* What kind of a friend do you think I am? I wouldn't let something like that ruin our friendship! I love all my friends, so why would I want to lose any of them over something like that?

Sofia: *(surprised)* Mark...how do you do it? I mean, how can you love me even when I'm mean and self-centered?

Mark: Well...You know what? I have to ask God the same thing every day!

Sofia: What do you mean?

Mark: How can God love me when I disobey my parents, or when I lie, steal or cheat, or when I'm being mean to my little brother or sister?

Sofia: And what's the answer?

Mark: Well, I know that God chooses to love me and so ...I need to do the same! I need to choose to love my family and friends, even when they make mistakes.

Sofia: Mark, I need to learn to be like you!

Mark: Oh no, no, no Sofia. You need to learn to be like Jesus.