



Use the following thoughts and questions to have one spiritual conversation. You can pick and choose, use them all or just allow the statement to be your guide. The emphasis shouldn't be about having all the answers, but simply having a conversation.

## 1. Opening Statement

**Begin your conversation by asking about this statement:**

A true king should be a servant leader, be set apart from other nations, and be pleasing to God.

This statement is the biblical truth the student's study was built around. Each week there will be one statement that ties the whole study together. These would be great statements to remember together. The hope is that thoughts and ideas will stem from these statements. You can also begin by sharing a thought of your own that you learned during your study of the same lesson. Ask what thoughts were surprising as the study was taught.

## 2. Thought From the Study

For Christians, when we're at our weakest, repenting of sin with deep humility, there is the greatest hope. You may look at your life and think, *But I'm too weak*. You can never be too weak because it is then that our God is strong. Another One was rejected by His people and captured to be killed in weakness, but by His death we received our salvation. Jesus is the One to whom all the judges pointed. He is the true and better Judge whom we need to crown as King. And only when He sits on the throne will we be liberated from the tyranny of our sinful hearts to do what is right in God's eyes.

Why is it important that we live our lives according to God's standards instead of our own preferences?

## 3. Quote for Discussion

**Discuss this quote together. How does this change your understanding of a relationship with Jesus?**

"There are only two kinds of people in the end: those who say to God, 'Thy will be done,' and those to whom God says, in the end, 'Thy will be done.'" —C.S. Lewis

## 4. Conversation Questions

**Use these questions to begin thinking through and applying the lessons to your family life:**

1. Why is it important for our family to understand the type of leaders that God wants us to be?
2. How can our family relationship be strengthened by humbly serving each other?
3. What does God's qualifications for a leader tell us about His character?
4. How can our family pursue holiness in the way we live and lead?