



## Think Different

"The Lord has given me a strong warning not to think like everyone else does...[but to] make the Lord of Heaven's Armies holy in your life.  
Isaiah 8: 11 & 13a

Wow! Isaiah was directly told by God to think differently from the people of his day. From my perspective of what is being told to our children, this applies just as well today as it did in Isaiah's time.

If the 60's had to go through the sexual revolution, our children are having to navigate a "gender revolution" where they are being told to question the very basics of their identity. If Satan can get people questioning the very foundation of who they are as a person—that which is visible; how much easier it will be for Satan to get them questioning their spiritual identity—what they cannot see.

We need to be living testaments of God working in a life, giving meaning to each moment and guidance for each decision. We need to show our children that identity is not what we think we are from one moment to the next but is based upon whose we are!

John 1:12 tells us that "to all who believed Him and accepted Him, He gave the right to become children of God." And further in Galatians 3:26 "you are all children of God through faith in Christ Jesus."

Our creator gives us our gender and our identity. Now that is a different train of thought than the world has. It is a thinking that gives security, peace, and confidence.

Kids World Pastors Bruce & Linda

### Promise Land Class



Aug/Sept

#### The Great Commission

- 3. How Shall They Hear?
- 10. The Gospel is Good News
- 17. The Plan of Salvation
- 24. Becoming Born Again
- 31. Confess and Believe
- 7. Prophetic Evangelism
- 14. These Signs Shall Follow
- 21. Baptizing them
- 28. Making Disciples

### Discovery Land Class

Aug/Sept

#### Prayer & Intercession

- 3. I Can Pray for Our Leaders
- 10. I Can Pray for the Nations
- 17. I Can Pray for Hurting Christians
- 24. I Can Pray for Friends

#### The Bible

- 31. A Lamp for My Feet
- 7. Hide It in My Heart
- 14. It Encourages Me
- 21. I Trust Your Words
- 28. God's Word is a Sword

### Try this at HOME

Why not read the story of David or Ruth to your child in an age-appropriate version and then discuss how they knew who they were based upon what God did in their lives and the blessings that followed that. Use this as a starting point. Be sure to model for them how good it is to be who God created you to be. This can be challenging for a single parent, so use an uncle, or aunt, or someone else that demonstrates this for the child to see identity in action.