

# Peter Explains Belief in Jesus

Week 9



► **Bible Point**  
Have faith in Jesus.

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### Key Verse

“Not only so, but we also rejoice in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope” (Romans 5:3-4).

**W**e learned this week that Peter was one of Jesus’ closest friends. After Jesus died, Peter helped others learn about Jesus. Peter said that no matter what troubles we experience in this life, we can have faith in Jesus (1 Peter 1:3-9). Strengthen your family’s faith learning and growth at home with this easy idea:

### Parents ■■■■■

**Talk about what it means to you to put your hope in Jesus, or encourage a close family friend to share with your children about when he or she first put hope in Jesus.** Then talk with your children about what it means for them to hope in Jesus. Encourage your children to share personal examples of when they’ve hoped in Jesus. As a family, talk about things that keep you from having hope in Jesus, and discuss ways you can encourage each other to keep hoping, even in the midst of these things.

### Pray ■■■■■

Lord, we put our faith in you. Please teach us to trust you more each day. Thank you for giving us hope and a future. In Jesus’ name, amen.

Our family thanks God for:

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Our family talks to God about:

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### Sneak Peek

Don’t miss next week when we discover that we tell others about Jesus.