

Sacrament Meeting Program ~2005

I WILL FOLLOW GOD'S PLAN FOR ME (Worksheet)

This is a worksheet that allows leaders to let Primary children “write” the Sacrament Meeting Program themselves.

Each child/class is given a topic (see below) and invited to share his or her feelings about the topic, with some guidance by leaders and teachers. A leader then types up the program and gives a copy to each leader and teacher. Individual parts are given to parents of children to practice at home.

Those children giving talks may need more time or prefer to write their talks at home.

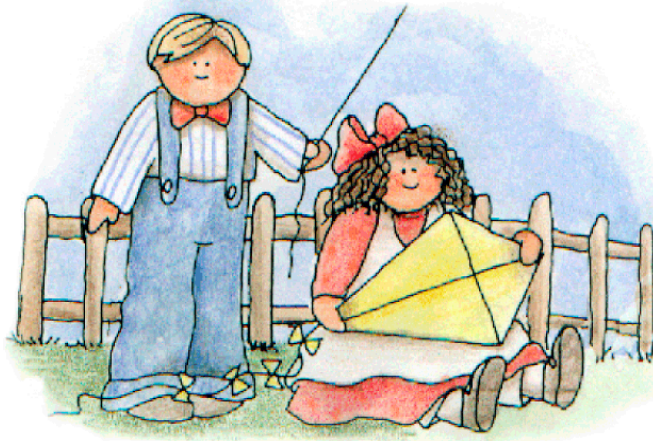
The leader that came up with this method held 2 classes behind each Sunday after opening exercises for 10 minutes and let them work on their parts (warning and reminding teachers in advance). In that way, working on the program didn't take time away from Sharing Time and was minimally intrusive on class time.

This is the method used by a J. Larsen in the Bloomington 2nd Ward. She provided a copy to me, Jenny Smith, and I altered it into a generic form that I hope any Primary can adapt for use in planning their sacrament meeting program.

The following outline is the one used in the Bloomington 2nd Ward.

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I WILL FOLLOW GOD'S PLAN FOR ME



*The primary children sit quietly and hum **I Will Follow God's Plan For Me** as the leaders stand at the podium together saying each of their parts.*

Primary Leader: This year in primary we have been learning about Heavenly Fathers Plan for us. We've been reminded of that Grand Council in Heaven where all of us here today were in attendance. It was there that our Heavenly Father presented His most perfect plan where each of can have the opportunity to become like Him, immortal and eternal.

Primary Leader: Each class has been given a question. Our answers to those questions will be as unique as we are. Some might share a personal experience while others of us a direct response in our own words. We invite you to ponder these questions and the messages about how we will follow God's plan in what we say and sing.

All children rise and sing **I WILL FOLLOW GOD'S PLAN FOR ME**

Speaker: *Provided a Savior*

Speaker: *Earth*

Speaker: *Adam & Eve*

Speaker: *Garden of Eden*

Children hum “Lani’s Song” while child reads words below:

Speaker: As part of Heavenly Father’s plan, our Savior Jesus Christ came to the earth.
(Or)

“For God so loved the world, that he gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life” (John 3:16)

SONG: LANI’S SONG

Speaker: *Jesus Christ organized the church on earth*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ taught gospel*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ /was baptized /set example*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ Atoned for my sins*

Children hum CHILD’S PRAYER as Luke speaks

Young Child’s talk: on the Atonement and Resurrection

SONG: CHILD’S PRAYER

Speaker: *I came to earth to gain a body*

Speaker: *Agency*

Speaker: *Prayer*

Speaker: *Keep commandments*

Children hum FAITH as Spenser speaks

Spenser: 4th article of faith w/explanation

SONG: FAITH

Speaker: *Faith grows when I read the scriptures*

Speaker: *Faith grows when obey commandments*

Speaker: *Blessed when faithful*

Children hum WHEN I AM BAPTIZED as child speaks

Recently Baptized Child Talk: We follow Heavenly Father's plan by repenting and being baptized.
(Child will tell about his baptism).

SONG: WHEN I AM BAPTIZED

Speaker: *Repentance*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ was baptized*

Speaker: *Baptismal covenants*

Speaker: *Sacrament renews baptismal covenants*

Children hum CHOOSE THE RIGHT WAY as child speaks

Older Child Talk: It is important to follow Heavenly Father's plan by choosing the right.
(Child will tell about a time when she chose the right).

SONG: CHOOSE THE RIGHT WAY

Speaker: *I can choose the right by...*

Speaker: *I can choose the right by...*

Speaker: *I can choose the right by...*

Older Child Talk:

Children hum I LOVE TO SEE THE TEMPLE as Adam speaks

Speaker: I can follow Heavenly Father's plan for me by becoming an eternal family
(Child will explain how he can become part of an eternal family).

SONG: I LOVE TO SEE THE TEMPLE

Speaker: *Heavenly Father planned for me to come to a family*

Speaker: *Honor parents*

Children hum I BELIEVE IN CHRIST as Carli speaks

Older Primary Child: Gives closing talk.
(Child will end talk with a challenge to congregation to follow God's plan).

Closing Song:

*****Congregation joins in on 2nd and 3rd verses*****

Group 1

“I can follow God’s plan for me by...”

Speaker: *God’s plan provided a Savior*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ created the Earth for us*

Speaker: *Adam & Eve were part of the plan*

Speaker: *What happened in the Garden of Eden*

Group 2

“What did Jesus Christ do when he came to the earth?”

Speaker: *Jesus Christ organized the church on earth*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ taught gospel*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ /was baptized /set example*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ Atoned for my sins*

Talk: *What is the Atonement and what does it mean to me? What is the resurrection?*

Group 3

“What does it mean to you to be a child of God?”

Speaker: *I came to earth to gain a body*

Speaker: *Heavenly Father gave me agency—the ability to choose for myself.*

Speaker: *As a child of God I can pray...*

Speaker: *I am a child of God and will keep His commandments*

Group 4

“What have you learned about faith?”

Speaker: *My faith grows when I read the scriptures*

Speaker: *My faith grows when I obey commandments*

Speaker: *We are blessed when we are faithful*

Group 5

“Why does Heavenly Father want us to get baptized?”

Speaker: *Repentance*

Speaker: *Jesus Christ was baptized*

Speaker: *Baptismal covenants*

Speaker: *Sacrament renews baptismal covenants*

Talk: *We follow Heavenly Father’s plan by repenting and being baptized. (Child will tell about his recent baptism).*

Group 6

“I can choose the right by...?”

Speaker: *I can choose the right by...*

Speaker: *I can choose the right by...*

Speaker: *I can choose the right by...*

Talk: *It is important to follow Heavenly Father’s plan by choosing the right. (Child will tell about a time when he/she chose the right).*

Group 7

“I can have an eternal family by...?”

Speaker: *...Heavenly Father planned for me to come to a family*

Speaker: *...honoring my parents*

Talk: *Child will explain how he can become part of an eternal family.*

Talk: *Child will summarize how we can follow God’s plan for us and end with a challenge to the congregation to seek ways they can follow God’s plan for them .*
