

Family Talk – “Don’t be silent!”

READ TOGETHER

Acts 18

1. What hinders you from speaking up or asking questions?
2. How would you feel if God said to you, *“Don’t be afraid! Speak out! Don’t be silent! For I am with you...”*?
3. If we remember God is always with us, how might that change our answer to question 1?

LIVE IT

Sometimes we make excuses so we don't have to speak out or ask questions. In our minds, we think the worst --- people may laugh at us, we'll lose friends, or we'll get beaten up. The Bible gives us several examples of people who ran into opposition. But what if your words help someone meet their Savior? And their words lead the next person? Helping others build a relationship with Jesus makes any excuse to sit in silence feel irrelevant.

God sends us, but not alone because we have the Holy Spirit with us. We're responsible for sharing. We're not responsible for how people respond. We pray and trust God with that part.

Don't be silent anymore. Share!

LEAN ON GOD

Lord,

Help me stop my silence, speak out with confidence, and share Your Good News.

In Jesus Name,

Amen

