Today, on this Summer Tuesday: The God of Today is the One Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God!

Gather your children together and read Jeremiah 10:10:

"But the LORD is the only true God. He is the living God and the everlasting King. . . "

Application: Today, discuss the differences between temporary things and things of permanence, those things which last. We all have experienced the excitement of receiving a gift which is delightful... for the moment...then, it loses its appeal. Perhaps, it broke, wore out, or just became obsolete. For adults and teens, this is true as our cell phones quickly yield to the newest technology of the next generation phone, or tablet, or computer...and, we as a culture are captivated and often controlled by such devices, allowing them to have a great deal of control over our lives. Children's entertainment is no different... Even Anna and Elsa will give way to the next kid craze.

We know that these things are temporary pleasures... (Hmmmm, this reminds me of how susceptible we can be to those pagan images, like those which permeated the culture of Abraham's time... the idols which crumbled...broke...melted...were diminished and destroyed) You know, as did the patriarchal parents, to tell your precious ones about your EL-Olam, because He does not break, wear out, or become obsolete...He does not give up, or give in, and will never be diminished or destroyed. Hallelujah!

Discuss with your precious ones the things of God, the things which do not break, or wear out or become obsolete. Discuss the things which please God, which are part of His Everlasting, Eternal, Forever Plan and Kingdom. We can count on and depend on and hold on to Him, because He is the only true God, the Everlasting King of the Everlasting, Eternal, Forever Kingdom. Tomorrow, we will see that we as His children are part of His forever!

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Today, make two lists: The temporary things in this life (toys, cars, phones, computers, etc.) and The Forever things of God, His love, His kindness, His faithfulness, His presence in our lives, forever, etc.)

Remind your precious ones that the Bible gives us examples of people who believed in the permanent, continual, faithful, forever God! Abraham was one of those who understood EL-Olam, the Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God! And you, faithful one are telling your precious ones, So They Will Know!

Memory Verse:

"Fo<mark>r th</mark>e LO<mark>RD is</mark> good and His love continues forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations." Psalm 100:5

Pray to your One Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God and thank Him for always being with you, today, and for all of your tomorrows. Thank Him that He is your Everlasting King!



