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WEEK FIVE

1 JOHN 4:9-12

God Showed His Love

SAY THIS:

Love others because God loved you first.

DO THIS:



BED TIME

Have the following discussion with your kid. Ask: When do you find it difficult to love others? Here's the amazing thing: you don't have to force yourself to show love. God showed His love for you first by sending Jesus. And when you ask, God will help you use His love to show love to the people around you. Pray that the next time you feel you just can't love someone, God will give you His love for them.

REMEMBER THIS:

"God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son.

Anyone who believes in him will not die but will have eternal life."

John 3:16, NIrV

LIFE APP:

COMPASSION – Caring enough to do something about someone else's need

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3 RESOLUTIONS EVERY PARENT CAN KEEP

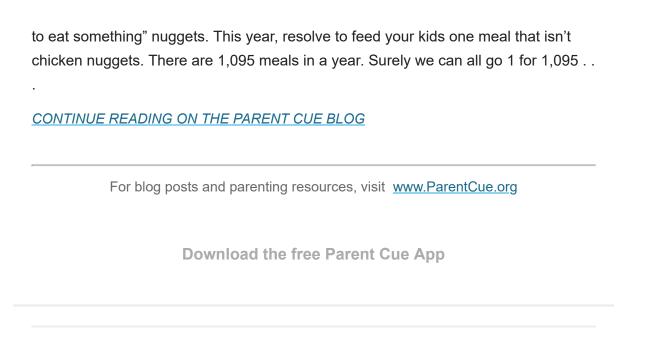
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All the Christmas lights are gone, school is back in session and everyone is eating kale. Why?

Because the New Year we always come up with resolutions. We're going to eat better, exercise more, and break our long-standing addiction to inappropriate amounts of queso. (That last one might apply only to me.) Sometimes though, we set such crazy, far-reaching resolutions that we fail before we even start. What if this year, when it comes to parenting, we could give ourselves some ridiculously easy resolutions? I think we can!

1. This year, not every meal the kids eat will be chicken nuggets.

You probably have the same bag of nuggets we had in our freezer. They call it family size, but they should just name it, "I don't want to fight anymore trying to get my kids



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