

**I Can CHOOSE...**

Getting along with people in your family is sometimes easy and sometimes hard. Remembering that you have choices can help you when getting along is hard. Use the code to find out some of your choices.

*I can choose to*

8 9 13 1 11 3 14 2

*I can choose to*

12 4 1 11 2

*I can choose to*

13 1 6 2 13 14 11 8 12

*I can choose to*

7 5 12 13 2 8

*I can choose to*

10 11 1 15

**CODE**

a	e	g	h	i	k	l	n
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
o	p	r	s	t	u	y	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	

I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.

PSALM 139:14 (ESV)

**Match Them Up!**



Which of the choices you discovered in the code did Abram use? Draw a line from Abram to the ways he chose to get along with Lot. (Hint: There may be more than one answer!)



Which of the choices might someone use if two people want to watch different TV shows at the same time? Draw a line from the TV to the possible answers.



Which choices might someone use if family members are all arguing at once? Draw a line from the shouting person to the possible answers.



Which choice would be good for any family members working out differences? Draw a line from the person praying to the possible answers.

**TO THINK ABOUT**

How will you try to get along with people in your family this week?

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## CONVERSATION

### Abram Solved a Quarrel

#### GENESIS 13

Abram was a rich man. He owned many animals. He had much gold and silver.

Abram left Egypt. He went back to the place where he built an altar and worshiped God. Abram worshiped God there again.

Lot traveled with Abram. Lot was also rich. He had many animals and tents. The two men had so many animals there was not enough grass or water for them all. Lot's workers began to argue with Abram's workers. They argued and argued!

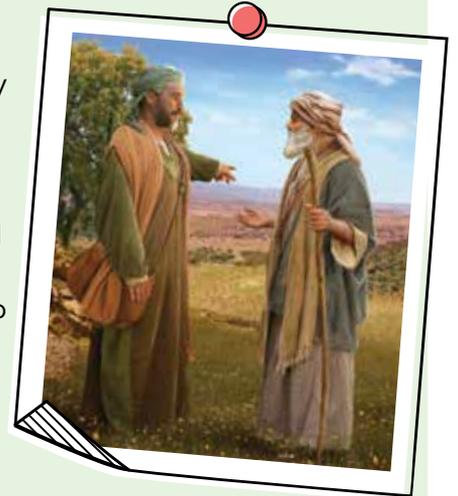
Abram said to Lot, "We are relatives. Let's not let there be arguments between us and between our workers. Look at the land. If you take the land on the left, I will take the land on the right. If you take the land on the right, I'll take the land on the left."

Lot looked. He saw the land on one side had plenty of water. It was the best land. He chose the best land. Lot moved with his animals and workers.

God spoke to Abram. "Look every direction. Everything you see I will give to you and your children forever. Walk through the land. Remember that I will give it to you."

**WEEKLY BIBLE VERSE:** Romans 12:18

**LIFE POINT:** Family members can work out differences.



#### THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Parents, today's Bible story taught that family members can work out differences. Abram and Lot decided to separate and go different ways in order to live peacefully.

#### LIVE IT OUT

Ask your child the following questions: "What are the benefits of getting along in our family? What could happen if I always get my way? How can you help people get along?" Help your child think about the answers to these questions.

#### LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

God's plan for families is for them to love, respect, and help one another.

#### DAILY BIBLE READING

**Sunday:** Romans 12:18

**Monday:** Psalm 127:3-4

**Tuesday:** Colossians 3:21

**Wednesday:** Proverbs 20:7

**Thursday:** Ephesians 5:25

**Friday:** Psalm 133:1

**Saturday:** Proverbs 6:20

**TAKE IT FURTHER:** Check out the *Abram Solved a Quarrel* section of the Bible Studies for Life: Kids Family App.