

Use the following thoughts and questions to have one spiritual conversation. You can pick and choose, use them all or just allow the statement to be your guide. The emphasis shouldn't be about having all the answers, but simply having a conversation.

Scripture

2 Kings 5:1-19

1. Opening Statement

Begin your conversation by asking about this main point:

God's cure for spiritual sickness involves humility and repentance.

This main point is the biblical truth the student's study was built around. Each week there will be one statement that ties the whole study together. These would be great statements to remember together. The hope is that thoughts and ideas will stem from these statements. You can also begin by sharing a thought of your own that you learned during your study of the same session. Ask what thoughts were surprising as the study was taught.

2. Thought From the Study

Realizing the magnitude of what took place in his body, Naaman's eyes were opened to the reality that grace is found in the God of Israel alone. No false god could have brought about immediate, comprehensive healing such as this. The general humbled himself and confessed the core Jewish belief that there is only one true God who deserves worship and praise.

- **Compare Naaman's words in the previous passage with his words in this passage. What difference do you see in his attitude? What are the signs that he has been radically changed?**

3. Quote for Discussion

Discuss this quote together. How does this change your understanding of a relationship with Jesus?

All Naaman needed was nothing. It was the one thing Naaman didn't have. —Sally Lloyd Jones

4. Conversation Questions

Use these questions to begin thinking through and applying the lessons to your family life:

- 1. As a family, what external factors do we often look to when evaluating whether a person is "successful" or not? How might these external factors distract our family from the seriousness of our spiritual disease?**
- 2. What are practical ways our family can give glory back to God?**
- 3. What does a hypocritical life look like? How can we, as a family, avoid living life hypocritically?**
- 4. What does the maiden's advice to Naaman teach us about how God might want to use our family to direct others toward Him?**