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**God’s Commandments: Jealousy**

**Exodus 20:17; Genesis 37:1-11**



**Here’s what happens…**

God commands his people not to want other people’s stuff. Joseph’s brothers are jealous because their dad likes Joseph best and gives Joseph a fancy coat. Plus, Joseph brags about dreams in which his brothers bow to him.

**Bible Point:**

We’re not jealous.

**Talk About This…**

* What makes you feel really jealous?
* Find something about that situation you can thank God for.

**CLM Kids Church**

Coming this Summer

**VBS, True North**

June 22-25

**6:30-8:30 pm**

**Through the Week**

Create a gratitude jar to help combat jealousy.

* Set out slips of paper and a pencil next to a cup or Mason jar. (Or, if your child made a gratitude jar in Sunday school, use that.)
* Encourage family members to each write one thing they’re thankful for each day and put that slip of paper in the jar.
* When someone feels jealous or complains about what they *don’t* have, that person can pull out a slip of paper and thank God instead of complaining.

*“Jesus replied, ‘You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul,  
 and all your mind’ ” (Matthew 22:37).*