

The Best Choice

(Luke 10:38-42)

I. Background: The Story of Mary & Martha

(a). Teacher tells the story of Mary and Martha in Luke 10:38-42 in interesting way. Please do not forget to include the following details:

- ~ What was the name of the woman who welcomed Jesus to stay in her house? (verse 38)
- ~ What was the name of this woman's sister? (verse 39)
- ~ What was Mary doing when the Lord Jesus came into their house? (verse 39)
- ~ On the other hand, what was Martha doing when Jesus sharing His words with Mary her sister? (verse 15)
- ~ How did Martha Respond to Mary's unwillingness to help her but instead she kept listening to Jesus (verse 40)
- ~ How did Jesus respond to Martha's negative remarks? (verse 41)
- ~ What Jesus said about Mary's choice to keep listening His words? (verse 42)

II. Lesson From The Story of Mary & Martha

(a). Our choice will determine whether we are or not able to please God's heart

(b). Teacher gives examples of choices that may make God's heart to be pleased and other examples of choices that may cause Him to be saddened.

(c). Mary's choice was totally different that what Martha had. It is a lesson to us that how important to make best choice in life. Today, we are going to learn how to make "Best Choice" in life just like what Mary did:

1. Choose to spend your time with Jesus

► Spending time with Jesus is a matter of choice. Some children choose to spend more time for playing games, for study, for watching videos. Question: Why do we need to spend some of our times with Jesus everyday?



Teacher gives testimony about spending time with Jesus and what the results are?

2. Quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry

- Read James 1:19 and ask the children to memorise it!
- Martha was failed to practise this truth (teacher explains more detail about it)



Teacher shares their experience of practising this truth (James 1:19)

3. Pleasing God's Heart More Than Anything or Anyone else

- Mary had chosen to please Jesus's heart more than what she did to her sister, by keeping listening to His words
- Teacher gives more examples about pleasing God's heart more than anything or anyone else



Teacher shares their testimony about this practice

III. Class Creativity