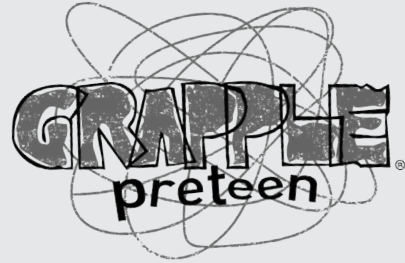


Grapple Parent Page

Grapple Question:

What if Being a Christian Makes Me Unpopular?



Kids Learn:

Accepting My Faith

Dig Into the Bible:

Proverbs 29:25; Matthew 10:32-33; Hebrews 12:14-15; 1 Peter 4:12-14

What was popular when you were your child's age? Some of the things and ideas that were popular then seem pretty silly now, right? But they were so important back then! Preteens are interested in the trends they see on TV and at school, but when was the last time you thought of Christianity as being trendy or popular?

Tell your child about a time that being a Christian made you unpopular. Maybe you skipped the unchaperoned party in high school, or you prayed over your lunch at work last week. Knowing that others make these sacrifices for their faith will help your child accept his or her faith even when it's not the cool thing to do.