

DEVOTIONS FOR 2025 SOCCER SEASON



Week 3: The Rescue – Jesus

Key Word: Savior

Scripture: John 3:16 – *“For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life.”*

Coach’s Script:

"Imagine you fell into a deep hole, and no matter how hard you tried, you couldn’t climb out. You need someone to come and rescue you. That’s what Jesus did for us! Because we were stuck in our sin, God sent Jesus to save us. He lived a perfect life and never sinned. But He chose to take the punishment we deserved by dying on the cross. He paid the price for our sin so that we could be with God forever. That’s the greatest rescue mission in history!"

Questions:

1. Why did Jesus have to die for our sins?
2. How does it feel to know that Jesus loves you enough to take your punishment?
3. What do you think it means to believe in Jesus?

Closing Prayer:

"Dear Jesus, thank You for rescuing us. You took our punishment even though You never sinned. Help us to understand Your love and believe in You with all our hearts. Amen."