

# I HAVE A FAMILY AND FRIENDS

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*Thou shalt live together in love (Doctrine and Covenants 42:45).*

Heavenly Father and Jesus love you; you also have loving earthly families and good friends. Your family and friends can help you to be happy and to live the gospel. You can also help them to be happy and to keep Heavenly Father's commandments. The Book of Mormon tells us one way to do this. In Mosiah 18:21 we read about "hearts knit together in unity and in love one towards another." When you love your family and friends and help them, you are becoming more like Jesus.

Play this game with your family or your friends, and it will remind you of ways that you can show your love for each other and help each other to be happy and live the gospel.

1. Cut out the game boards and mount on heavy paper. From phrases listed, choose words in bold letters and write

a different one in each blank square on the game boards. The center square is a free square. Be sure to put the words in different places on each game board. Make additional game boards as needed.

2. Cut out the circles with phrases on them. Put them in a small paper sack.

3. Pick a phrase from the sack and read it. If a player has a word from the phrase on his game board, he may cover that square with a bean, penny, or square of paper. The first player to get five squares in a row covered—horizontally, vertically, or diagonally—wins the game.

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(See Sharing Time Ideas on page 26.)



**Pray** together

**Eat** dinner together

**Help** without being asked

**Play** together

**Be friendly**

**Obey** your parents

**Speak** kindly

**Forgive** others



Read the **scriptures** together

**Work** together

**Attend church** together

Be a good **example**

Do your **chores** willingly

Be **cheerful**

**Respect** others' property

Be **loyal**

**Listen** to someone's problems

**Talk** to someone lonely

Make a **new friend**

**Hug** someone

**Keep trying**

**Share**

Be **patient**

**Tend** your brother or sister

Help with **homework**

Plan a **family home evening**

Make a **treat** for someone

Say **thank-you**

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