THE SMALL ONES AND THE GREAT EARTH ADVENTURE CHAPTER QUESTIONS

CHAPTER 1 – PRANKED...AGAIN

- 1. What kind of invention do you think the Small Ones made that dumped water all over the floor of the training room?
- 2. What do you think would be appropriate discipline for One and Two?
- 3. Were you surprised when Michael and Gabriel laughed about their prank? Why or why not?
- 4. Have you ever played a prank on someone? Describe what you did. What happened afterward? Was the person (or people) you pranked upset? What things should you think about before you plan a prank?
- 5. Look at the illustration on page 3. How did One and Two feel when they had to clean up the training room? How can you tell?

CHAPTER 2 – ONE AND TWO

- 1. How do you think the Small Ones felt when they did not get to graduate from Angel Training School with all the other angels in their class? If you didn't get the same reward as your classmates because you didn't do the work that was required for a project, would you feel the same way? Why or why not?
- 2. List some ways that One and Two are NOT like the other angels.
- 3. Is the way the Smalls are described the same as what you have always thought angels are like? Why or why not?
- 4. Why do you think One and Two liked to prank the training angels?
- 5. Why do you think the training angels called them "the biggest problem in all of Heaven?" Give examples from the chapter.

CHAPTER 3 - WHAT IS IT?

- 1. When you read the description of the building project, what did you think the angels were making?
- 2. What things would you have added to the outside of the building to make it even more beautiful?
- 3. If you were an angel helping with the construction of the Special Place, what part would you like to do?
- 4. "Always before in eternity past, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit had walked freely among the angels, talking and laughing with them. They shared their thoughts, plans, and activities with everyone" (page 11, paragraph 5, line 1). What kinds of things do you think the Holy Three talked about with the angels every day?
- 5. "A few of the wordsmith angels gave speeches" (page 12, paragraph 3, line 2). If you were making a speech before the Holy Three entered the Special Place, what would you say?

CHAPTER 4 - THE DISCOVERY AND THE DISCOVERED

- 1. If you were one of the Small Ones, how would you have tried to get into the Special Place?
- 2. How do you feel when you're told something is a "secret?" What is the first thing you want to do?
- 3. When the Small Ones saw the "great big blue and green ball," what did you think it was?
- 4. How would you feel if you were peeking through the small hole and you heard Father God's voice right behind you? What would you do? What would you say to Him?
- 5. What did you think Father God would do to One and Two when He found them peeking into the Special Place?

CHAPTER 5 – A VERY SPECIAL INVITATION

1. Read the last two paragraphs on page 21. Does the way the Father felt about the Small Ones surprise you? Why or why not?

- 2. Have you ever been caught doing something wrong? How did you feel? What was the first thing you wanted to do?
- 3. From the chapter, list as many reasons as you can find why the Holy Three needed privacy while They were creating. How would Father God's explanation help One and Two understand why They need to respect requests for privacy in the future?
- 4. On page 23, (paragraph 6 line 2), Two promises Father God they will "never ever do anything like that again." Then he adds "we hope." Do you think he should have added this to his promise? Why or why not?
- 5. What did you learn about Father God from this chapter?

CHAPTER 6 – ENTERING IN

- 1. How would you feel if you were one of the guards who had fallen asleep?
- 2. What do you think the guards were thinking to themselves when Father God approached them with One and Two holding His hands?
- 3. In your opinion, did One and Two deserve the honor of visiting the Special Place? Why or why not?
- 4. The Small Ones are a lot like children. Look at how Father God answers the guards when they ask him if He wants them to take One and Two away (top of page 29). Then read what Jesus says in the scripture (Mark 10:14) on the dedication page at the beginning of the book. What do these words from Father God and Jesus tell you about how They feel about children?
- 5. Do you think what Two did to the guards on page 30 (paragraph 3, line3) was the right thing to do? Give the reasons for your answer.

CHAPTER 7 – SO MANY IDEAS

- 1. Before you read about what the Special Place looked like inside, what did you think it looked like in your imagination?
- 2. If you were entering the first room in the Special Place, what thoughts would you have?

- 3. If you were meeting with the Holy Three when they were in the Ideas Room, what ideas would you suggest for "the great big blue and green ball?"
- 4. Read the paragraph that tells how One and Two feel about reading, which starts at the bottom of page 34. Would you have guessed that is the way they felt about reading? Why or why not?
- 5. Look at the illustration at the end of the chapter. What do you like about how Mary Coons, the illustrator, showed what it looked like? Describe anything you would change about the illustration or add to it.

CHAPTER 8 – MAKING SOMETHING OUT OF NOTHING

- 1. Describe what you thought would be in the second room.
- 2. The Smalls had trouble remembering to put things away when they were finished using them. What is a rule that you have trouble remembering? What things could you do to remind yourself about it?
- 3. Read the last two paragraphs on page 41 and the first three paragraphs on page 42. How would you describe how the Father talked to the angels after they apologized for not putting tools away and pranking the other angels?
- 4. How can this help you when you need to tell the Father you are sorry about something?
- 5. Read Genesis chapter 1, verse 3 which tells us that the Holy Three only need words to create. If you could use words to create things, what would you make?

CHAPTER 9 – A PERFECT VIEW

- 1. In the first paragraph on page 49 the Father tells the Smalls that He is having fun with them. What things do you like to do that you think the Father loves to watch?
- 2. What would you be thinking and feeling when you got to see the Earth for the first time through the viewing window?
- 3. The smalls immediately think of ideas for fun with the ball. What other ideas would you suggest if you saw a huge ball like that?

- 4. Read paragraph 4 of page 51. What are some times in your life when it is important to remind yourself of the Holy Three being very close to you?
- 5. What questions would you want to ask Father God about the Earth?

CHAPTER 10 – SOMETHING BRIGHT

- 1. Do you think it was a good idea for the Holy Three to start with creating light? Why or why not?
- 2. How does it help us as humans to have both light and dark?
- 3. The angels immediately think of fun things to do in the dark. What things do you like to do when it is dark?
- 4. What questions would you ask Father God about light and dark?
- 5. Who do you think THEY are?

CHAPTER 11 – ANOTHER ONE?

- 1. The father reminds the Smalls about a big mess they created in Heaven. Describe a time you were trying to have fun but made a mess.
- 2. What kind of problems did the mess create for other people?
- 3. Read what the Father tells them on page 59, paragraph 3. How can that help you when you would rather have fun than do chores or schoolwork?
- 4. On page 59 the Smalls promise they will never flood the heavenly streets with water again. But the Father knows it will be hard for them to keep this promise. Have you ever made a promise that you knew would be hard for you to keep? What can you do to help remind yourself to keep your promises?
- 5. Read Psalm 103:11. When you make a big mess, how can this verse help you know how God feels about you even when you make mistakes? Hint: Go outside and look at the sky. How high is it above the Earth?

CHAPTER 12 – WET AND DRY

- 1. On page 64, paragraph 2, Father God teases the Smalls and tells them they should have been part of the Creative Team. What things do you think One and Two would have put on the Earth if they were on the team?
- 2. If you had been part of the Creative Team that made the Earth, what would you have wanted to design and create to add to it?
- 3. The Holy Three created many places for water. What is your favorite body of water? A river, ocean, stream, or another type? Why do you like that one the best?
- 4. Describe what you think it would be like to fly over the earth with the Father and have Him tell you all about it
- 5. On page 67, paragraph 2, Father God tells One and Two that everything the Holy Three created is important to Them. What does that tell you about how They feel about *you*? How does that make you feel? What are some circumstances when it would be helpful to remind yourself about how important you are to Them?

CHAPTER 13 – COLORFUL AND DELICIOUS

- 1. Imagine you are getting to see the earth for the first time. What is the first thing you would want to see?
- 2. What is your favorite plant? Why do you like that one the best? You can name more than one!
- 3. What do you think the red and green balls on the trees were? What other kinds of food might have been growing in the garden?
- 4. Were you able to guess what the potatoes were? Which hint helped you identify them?
- 5. If you got to visit Eden which kind of food would you want to try?

CHAPTER 14 – SKY LIGHTS

1. The Father explains how the earth turns to make night and day. Why do you think the Holy Three made night and day for us?

- 2. Describe a beautiful sunrise or sunset you have seen.
- 3. Tell about a time you were outside at night looking at the stars.
- 4. The Smalls want to play on the moon. If you got to go to the moon what would you like to do there?
- 5. What surprise do you think the Father God has for them in the next chapter?

CHAPTER 15 – GOING IN CIRCLES

- 1. Look up descriptions of the nine planets. Pick the planet you would like to visit. Why do you want to see that one? What would you like to do there?
- 2. If you had the chance to travel in space, where would you want to go?
- 3. Why do you think running around the rings of Saturn was a good surprise for the Small Ones?
- 4. Why do you think the father likes to plan special surprises for them?
- 5. Close your eyes and imagine the Father holding you just like He held One and Two when He took them back to the Earth. How does that make you feel? How can it help you when you feel sad, lonely, or hurt?

CHAPTER 16 - FEET ON THE GROUND

- 1. Tell about a time you have been on top of a mountain, a high hill, or even in a tall building. How did you feel when you were up there? What things could you see far away?
- 2. In the last paragraph on page 90, the Smalls plan to brag to the other angels about getting to visit the Earth. Tell about a time you have been tempted to brag about something. If you did it, how did you feel afterward?
- 3. How do you feel when someone brags about something you don't have?
- 4. On page 91, paragraph 3, the Father explains to the Smalls that the other angels are just trying to help them complete their training. Do you ever let fun interrupt things you are supposed to do? How do you feel when someone tries to tell you to stop? How can you help yourself do your work before you have fun?

6. 5.Read the last paragraph on page 92. If you could sit on top of a mountain with Father God, what would you want to talk to Him about?

CHAPTER 17 MORE FLYING FUN

- 1. Have you ever watched birds and wanted to be able to fly? Where would you want to go?
- 2. What is your favorite bird? Why do you like that one the best?
- 3. Many birds are useful to humans. Name some of those birds and what they provide for us.
- 4. What do you think the Father was thinking about while He watched One and Two have fun with the birds?
- 5. What are two important facts mentioned about the Holy Three in the last sentence of this chapter on page 97?

CHAPTER 18 - SPLASH

- 1. Have you ever seen the ocean? What did you think the first time you saw it?
- 2. Have you ever wanted to swim with dolphins? Describe what you think that experience would be like.
- 3. How are dolphins helpful to humans?
- 4. What other creatures can you name that are helpful to humans? Make a list of them and tell how they help us.
- 5. How do you think the Father felt when He watched the Smalls running around the rings of Saturn, playing on the mountain, and flying with the birds? How do you think He feels when He watches you have fun?

CHAPTER 19 - A NEW BEST FRIEND

- 1. Why do you think the Holy Three created so many different types of animals?
- 2. What are some animals you have never seen before that you would like to see?

- 3. Why do you think One and Two picked the dog to play with?
- 4. Which animal would you have picked to play with?
- 5. The Father had many fun activities for the angels to do when they visited the Earth. Why do you think He made those special plans?

CHAPTER 20 - A VERY IMPORTANT INTRODUCTION

- 1. Read page 117. How can you tell the Smalls are very excited about meeting THEM?
- 2. Read the last paragraph on page 118. How did Father God feel about THEM? What does that tell you about how He feels about YOU?
- 3. Imagine you are Adam seeing all the creatures in the sky, water, and on the land for the first time. What creature would you laugh at? Which one would you feel afraid of? Which one would you want to hug? Which one would you want to keep for a pet? Which one would you ask Father God questions about?
- 4. What do you think about how the Holy Three made the man and woman?
- 5. If you met Adam and Eve in Eden, what would you want to ask them?

CHAPTER 21 - HOME AGAIN

- 1. Why do you think the smalls were surprised to learn the Father wouldn't have wanted to share the Earth adventure with anyone but them?
- 2. Tell about an experience you've had when learning was fun.
- 3. Make a list of things humans can do that all the other creatures cannot.
- 4. Read paragraphs 3 and 4 on page 131. What do the Holy Three want for humans? What does lucifer want?
- 5. List some examples in your life when making the right choices will help fight the battle between good and evil.

CHAPTER 22 - WHAT HAPPENED NEXT

- 1. Describe a time when you had an experience that motivated you to accomplish something you couldn't do before
- 2. What did you think when you found out the Father deliberately left the small hole in the wall of the Special Place?
- 3. What does His plan to have the hole built in the wall tell you about Him?
- 4. How do you think the Small Ones felt when they finally graduated? Tell about a time when you accomplished a goal that required hard work. How did you feel when you were finished?
- 5. Think of a difficult task you have coming up in the future. Take some time to ask Father God to provide the help you need. Later, you can tell all about how He helped you!

BONUS QUESTIONS

- 1. What was your favorite chapter in the book?
- 2. What do you think the Smalls' first assignment will be? What things do you think they will do best in Heaven? What things will they do the best on Earth?
- 3. How did this book change the way you think about Father God?
- 4. Read paragraph 2 on page 134. Do you think the Smalls will continue to stay strong, determined, tough, and ready for battle? Why or why not?

I would love to read your answers to the questions! If you want to share them with me, send them to spiritstories7@gmail.com.

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