

Alcohol

Can Make Me Trip and Fall

Good, safe drinking water is just a fact of life for most of us. We either get it from the kitchen faucet, or we buy bottled water and keep it in the fridge. But in the long-ago world of Bible times, the water in many of the wells and springs was not clean. It often caused people to get sick. So people would sometimes drink grape juice that had turned into wine.

Solomon, in his great wisdom, knew that too much **alcohol** could make people do unwise things. They would say things they didn't mean to say or get into fights they didn't mean to start. The same is true today.

As you grow up, learn to walk away from alcohol. You don't need it. It can make you trip and fall.

Key Verse

*Wine produces mockers; **alcohol** leads to brawls. Those led astray by drink cannot be wise.*

Proverbs 20:1

Click

Your child will now be able to say the meaning of this Bible verse in their own words.

Stick

The life application meaning of this verse is tied to the image of an **alcohol bottle**.

Click-er: Alcohol Bottle

Whenever you see or think about any kind of *alcohol bottle*, let this HoneyWord sober your heart as it clicks and sticks.



Read Proverbs 20:1

Make-it-Stick

On a sheet of paper, draw one of the alcohol bottles you see here in this HoneyWord Lesson. Then draw the "do not do" red circle around it with the red diagonal line through it. Ask your dad or mom what he or she thinks this verse means.

Everyone Take Turns Explaining the Meaning of this Lesson in Your Own Words

Ask, "What does this lesson mean?" If the answer is in the ballpark of the correct meaning, praise that person out loud. Then ask another child to explain it. Do this 2 or 3 times in a row.

Hold Up the Click-er

Hold up the Click-er (alcohol bottle) and say this HoneyWord Lesson out loud:

"Alcohol can make me trip and fall."

Then repeat it out loud together one more time.

Pair Up in Small Groups of Two

If you're with more than one child, have your children pair up and ask each other to say the lesson out loud to each other.

Re-Group and Recite Again

Ask one child to say the lesson one more time, and then explain what it means.

Discuss How This Truth Applies to Your Everyday Life