Sentence Starters

- 1. Someday I hope too . . .
- 2. I wish I could change . . .
- 3. I am trying to improve my character by . .
- 4. People would like me better if . . .
- 5. When I don't get my way I . . .
- 6. I'm happiest when . . .
- 7. I'm proud of _____ because . . .
- 8. When people tease me, I . . .
- 1. I fear most...
- 2. I wish I were...
- 3. I wish I were not...
- 4. I wish I had...
- 5. I wish I had not...
- 6. I wish I could...
- 7. If I were President, I would...

8. The President should...

- 9. The happiest day of my life was...
 10. If I could start this year over, I would...
- 11. My favorite place is...
- 12. My parents should...
- 13. I wish my parents wouldn't...
- 14. What hurts me the most is...
- 15. If I had \$25, I would...

- 16. I would like to tell my best friend...
- 17. The worst thing a person could do is...
- 18. What always makes me mad is...
- 19. If I could do anything, and no one else would know, I would...
- 20. I always cry when...
- 21. I always laugh when...
- 22. I hate...
- 23. If I were principal of my school, I would...
- 24. If I had a million dollars, I would ...
- 25. If my parents left me alone, I would...

"If" Survey

Surveys are excellent ways to stimulate discussion. Either print the following survey for kids to write their responses or ask the questions aloud to open discussion. Follow up with a lesson on self-acceptance, happiness, or God's will.

1. If you could live in any period of history, when would it be? Why?

2. If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go? Why?

3. If I gave you \$3,000, what would you spend it on? Why?

4. If you could change anything about yourself, what would you change? Why?

5. If you could be someone else, who would you be? Why?

6. If you could have any question answered, what would it be?