

THIS WEEK'S EXPERIMENT:

Secret Mission

(Matthew 6:1-3)



"Be careful not to do 'good works' in front of others. Don't do them to be seen by others. If you do, your Father in heaven will not reward you.

When you give to needy people, do not announce it by having trumpets blown. Do not be like those who only pretend to be holy. They announce what they do in the synagogues and on the streets. They want to be honored by others. What I'm about to tell you is true. They have received their complete reward.

When you give to the needy, don't let your left hand know what your right hand is doing. **4**Then your giving will be done secretly. Your Father will reward you. He sees what you do secretly."

1. What are some "good works" you have noticed people in your family do in the past couple days?
2. Is it bad for people to notice when you do something nice? Why or why not?
3. Jesus wanted people to know that doing nice things for people is rewarded by knowing someone else has been blessed. Because of this, he says to do nice things for people without wanting them to know it was you.
4. Share a time when someone did something nice for you and you didn't know who it was.
5. **THIS WEEK'S EXPERIMENT: Secret Mission – Find something nice to do for someone and see if you can go all the way to next week without them knowing it was you.**