

RYAN DEFRATES

SECRET AGENT

EPISODE 4

Ryan Defrates: Secret Agent and the Greedy Pirate



KEY THEME: Selflessness

God wants us to think about others more than ourselves.



MEMORY VERSE:

“Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves.”

- **Philippians 2:3 NIV**

CASE FILE:



SUBJECT:

Pirate Pete, TV celebrity and host of Piratifest.

OBJECTIVE:

In today's episode, Ryan battles a greedy, old Pirate and learns the danger of being selfish.



DISCUSSION GUIDE:

1. In the bible story today, how was Achan selfish? (He stole some treasure and hid it in his tent.) God can always see our selfish hearts! It's important to ask Him to search our lives and help us get rid of all selfishness!
2. Read Philippians 2:3. What is “selfish ambition”? (Putting your wants and needs above others) What are some things that selfish people do?
3. Read Philippians 2:4. In today's story, how did Ryan look after his own interests? What was it that he wanted so badly? (Pirate Pete's autographed poster)
4. Is there somebody you know who cares a lot about the needs
5. Who do you think the most self-less person in the world is? Read Philippians 3:5-7. Jesus Christ definitely thought of others more than himself! He left the glory and comfort of heaven in order to come to earth to die on the cross for our sins! Wow, what a servant!
6. We can learn to serve others like Jesus! What's one way you can serve somebody in your family? What's one way you can help a friend?

Ask Jesus to help you see the true needs of others!



BIBLE STORY:

Achan selfishly plunders treasure. (**Joshua 7**)



Achan answered, "It is true! I have sinned against the LORD, the God of Israel...
I coveted them and took them." - Joshua 7:20