The First Skyscraper

What would you build a skyscraper out of? Why? (Choose anything.)

Read Genesis 11:1-9.

- 1. Why did the people build the tower?
 - A. To see heaven.
 - B. To use the materials they already had.
 - C. To stay together.
 - D. To protect themselves.
 - E. To make a name for themselves.
 - F. It was random.
 - G. Because God told them to do it.
 - H. I don't know.
 - I. Other.
- 2. What did the Lord do when He saw the people building the tower?
 - A. Destroyed it.
 - B. Told them to stop building.
 - C. Liked the design.
 - D. Scattered the people all over the world.
 - E. Admired their unity.
 - F. Asked for building permits.
 - G. Made different languages.
 - H. Demanded to speak to the leader.
 - I. Other.
- 3. What was so bad about the people's actions?
 - A. There was nothing wrong with building it.
 - B. Made God jealous.
 - C. Was a sign of disobedience to God's commands in Genesis 9.
 - D. Had a weak foundation.
 - E. Showed they didn't trust God.
 - F. Was dangerous to build a tower that high.
 - G. God didn't give them permission.
 - H. I'm not sure.
 - I. Other.

| 4. | What are some reasons the people put their trust in a physical tower? A. They could build it with their own hands. B. They knew how strong it could be. C. Other countries were building towers. D. It was something they could control. E. They didn't believe God would keep His promise in Genesis 9:13. F. They didn't have a relationship with God. G. They wanted to be independent. H. Other. |
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| 5. | Why is it hard for some people to obey God's commands? A. They don't understand them. B. They don't agree with them. C. It's not hard to obey God. D. God's commands sometimes seem outdated. E. They are afraid of being judged. F. They have questions about God's commands. G. They don't get anything in return. H. Other. |
| 6. | Fill in the blank: we should obey God A. When we know why. B. Even if we don't understand why. C. When we trust in Him. D. Because He loves us. E. Because we love Him. F. So we don't get punished. G. Because He knows what's best. H. Other. |
| | How would this story be different If the people trusted in God's covenant (promise) in enesis 9? |
| 8. | How would your life be different if you believed God's covenant (promises) for your life? |