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# Group Time Guide

Supplies Needed: Bowl, cereal, dirt.

## 1. Getting Started

**Ask:** What is your favorite cereal?

## 2. Discussion Questions

- Do you think Bowie could respond better to getting a part in the play? How?
- What do you think of when you hear the word “attitude”? (Attitude is defined as the way you act and think about things.)
- What does it look like when someone has a bad attitude? (They might complain, argue, or make fun of people.)

## 3. Hands-On Option

**Look Up and Read:** 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18. In these verses, Paul encourages people to be joyful and thankful (have a good attitude) no matter what.

**Do This:** Pour some cereal into the bowl. Talk with the kids about their favorite cereals. Ask what they put on them, like sugar, honey, fruit, or other toppings.

**Say This:** This cereal is great, like so many good things in our lives. Sometimes, though, people look at good things and choose to have a bad attitude. When we choose to have a bad attitude, it's like pouring dirt on this cereal.

**Do This:** Sprinkle some dirt on top of the cereal.

**Discuss:** Could you still eat this? (You could, but it'd feel and taste gross!)

**The Point:** A bad attitude can ruin a good thing. Someone with a bad attitude complains, blames others, or makes fun of people. Doing those things can ruin something that could be really good.

## 4. Wrap-Up and Prayer

**Ask:** What was the best part of your week? What was something tough that happened this week?

**Do This:** Pray with the kids. If they've mentioned things that would be good to talk to God about, you can talk about them in your prayer.