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### Theme

## REBELLIOUS: A SERIES ABOUT SERVING

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**John 13:1 NIV, John 13:3-5 NIV, John 13:12-17 NIV**

Be rebellious enough to do what you don’t have to do.

### Week Two - January 12

**Matthew 28:18-20 ESV**

Be rebellious enough to do something you don’t think you can do.

### Week Three - January 19

**Mark 2:1-12 NLT**

Be rebellious enough to trust Jesus as you serve.

### January 26

**StuMin Serve Night at Feed My Starving Children South Metro Meal Pack or extended StuMin worship at POP**

### THEME VERSE

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**MORNING TIME**

To help them understand what serving others looks and feels like, go out of your way to do something you don't have to do for your teen some morning this month. Try to come up with something you don't typically do so the act of service stands out. If they thank you for it, ask them how that simple act of service made them feel. If they don't seem to notice, try it again another time or try a different act of service. Even if they never say "thank you," you will be modeling service for them. After all, serving isn't about the recognition!

**THEIR TIME**

Sometime when your teen seems receptive to listening to what you have to say, share about a time you did something that you didn't think you could do. This could be as simple as riding that massive rollercoaster or as big as standing up for someone who was being treated unfairly. Whatever it is, talk about what was holding you back and how you found courage to take the step even in the face of fear.

**MEAL TIME**

Everybody loves a little friendly competition, right? This month, host a serving competition in your family to see who can do the most to serve others in your home. Make a serving chart to keep track, and then let the person who served the most pick their favorite meal for dinner at the end of the competition.

**BED TIME**

Make sure to call out and praise your teen at the end of the day when you've seen them serving someone else, especially when they didn't have to. Your encouragement and positive reinforcement can go a long way in helping them take the step to serve others again. What gets celebrated gets repeated!

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