

Star Wars: Episode II - Attack of the Clones

Substitute – Jesus taken our place

(DVD Chapter 3) The Queen Padme Amidala's ship is destroyed and her decoy/body guard killed

Talk: Cordey (the queen's handmaiden and decoy) has been killed in an assassination attempt. She took the place of Amidala to save her life. As Christians we often say Jesus has taken our place but what is he saving us from? Certainly not bombs or assassinations. Share an outline of the gospel or even your testimony.

Pushing the Boundaries

(DVD Chapter 7) Speeder chase

Talk: In this clip Anakin is constantly pushing his boundaries. He wants to see how far he can play with the rules before they break. This tendency to play with the dark side sees him eventually fall to it and he destroys everything he ever cared about. This has parallels in the story of Sampson: He was a nazirite (no wine, no dead things, long hair) and God was doing amazing stuff with his life. But Sampson played with the rules and eventually went to far Sampson is a story of wasted possibilities

we tend to go as far as we think we can get away with ... are we wasting possibilities?

Confusing Christianity?

(DVD Chapter 12) Jedi Archives (scene in library and scene in classroom)

Talk: Ben cannot find what he is looking for in the library, Everything is pointing towards it being where he thinks it is but he cannot believe that the archives could be wrong. It takes a child to point out the obvious - the item has been erased. Christianity makes sense, everything points towards it but people cannot see past their preconceptions and popular belief. If you are going to disregard Christianity then take an open minded look at it first are you prepared to question your world view ?

Week 4

Clip: 140:00 – 145:00 – In the factory. Good action sequence follows the main scene

Talk: "I'm so confused" – 3PO has the wrong head. Ever feel you weren't put together quite right? no matter what you try you just cant seem to make life work why is happiness so hard to find? Maybe you were put together wrong? NO, you are perfectly made ... you just need God in your life to make it work properly. A life without God is like a Car without petrol it cant do anything of the things it was meant to do.

Week 5

Clip: 209:00 – 214:00 : Fight against count DuCu. Is preceded by good action scenes

Talk: Yoda is the worlds least likely hero. Ben and anakin have already failed what hope does an 800 year old green guy have ? He cant even talk properly. Yoda has a surprise though ... the force is his strength and he depends on it entirely. We often say that God wants to do amazing things with our lives but we all know (if we are honest) we are not hero's. How can we do any of the things God wants us to do? Well, God fills us with his strength (the holy spirit). Whatever God asks of us can be achieved in that strengthgood opportunity for testimony.