## **Kurt Goff Live**

Yesterday at 5:09pm ·

Another movie in the Ouija franchise came out over the weekend.

It's called "Ouija: Origin of Evil."

It raked in an estimated \$14 Million in its debut weekend and landed in third place at the box office.

Of course the plot involves using the infamous Ouija gameboard to contact the dead and ask them questions.

Amazon.com has come under fire for selling Ouija boards aimed at children as young as eight.

Also, you can still get the pink version of the game that appeals specifically to young girls who tend to use it at sleepovers and parties.

But don't you agree this is no mere "game"?

The dangers are very real when it comes to opening a door to the occult. Such activity is clearly forbidden in the Bible:

Deuteronomy 18:10-12 (NASB)

"There shall not be found among you anyone who makes his son or his daughter pass through the fire, one who uses divination, one who practices witchcraft, or one who interprets omens, or a sorcerer, For one who casts a spell, or a medium, or a spiritist, or one who calls up the dead. For whoever does these things is detestable to the LORD.."

Leviticus 19:31 (NASB)

"Do not turn to mediums or spiritists; do not seek them out to be defiled by them. I am the LORD your God."

Isaiah 8:19 (NASB)

"When they say to you, "Consult the mediums and the spiritists who whisper and mutter," should not a people consult their God? Should they consult the dead on behalf of the living?"

No matter how innocent Ouija boards may seem, what they really do is open us up to demonic influence.

When I was a child, we had a Ouija Board in our home before my parents started walking with Christ. Strange things did indeed happen, and that's why I know it's not just "innocent fun". By the way, when we got rid of the Ouija Board these strange things no longer happened in our home.

Whether it's the "game" or the films, have you ever dabbled in this? What happened?

Did it open up doorway to the occult?

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Ronni Epperheimer This is certainly an important thing to talk about but honestly a conversation I can barely handle to listen to. This is a very real thing and talking about it, seeing movie previews, or anything related nearly debilitates me. I have been a believer a long time but I've seen the effects on other people and it's scary. We don't talk about this much in the US but it's real. I watched someone fall into a grand mal seizure after seeing a picture of a voodoo object in the middle of a church service. I've always prayed demons out

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Liz Anderson So true, Ronni. I went to a craft fair a week ago, and a woman was selling voodoo dolls. I touched one because I had no idea what it was at first. I'm still creeped out about it.

18 hrs



Stephie Jean I am very close with someone who does this. For the sake of their privacy, I won't say who they are.. just this story.. (please, don't comment on "darkness cannot be friends with light...")

About a year ago, I was going to stay the night with them. They had a few friends over, so they got out the Ouija board (they are all into this) and tried doing what they could. I sat in the living room and they were in the kitchen. They tried for over an hour. The person whose house I was at became very exasperated and said they didnt understand.. in all of their years they've never not had some sort of experience while using the Ouija board.

What they didnt know is that, since I already knew this person lets spirits in their house by doing this, I prayed as soon as I got to the house. I asked for God to cleanse the house. I asked him to protect me. I told anything evil that may be there to leave in Jesus's name. Then, again, while they did Ouija, I prayed and went back to reading The Case For Christ. Prayer is powerful!!

10 · Yesterday at 6:31pm



Angela Sisto What a great friend you are Stephie! Instead of condemning your friend or engaging in the behavior... you prayed! You did something powerful for your friend and those that were participating.



Charles Smith I agree with your assessment. God answers our prayers for those we love who are bound (or about to become deluded by) the satanic beings who operate around such things. God bless you for your courage and love for your friends. I will pray that you can also see them eventually come to know the One Who did deliver them temporarily at that time, even though they didn't like you interfering with their "fun" at the time. May there come a time when they tire of it, or realize it for what it is, and want to be freed from anything that it has led them into. I will pray for that, also, tonight.

2 · 20 hrs · Edited



Stephie Jean Thank you, Charles. The person is vehemently opposed to belief in God. They need all of the prayer they can get. 19 hrs



Charles Smith Yes, I understand. I had a relative who was involved in occult things who resisted coming to the Lord. I'm not sure just why? I was much younger than her. I did witness to her after I came to know Jesus. To my knowledge she never accepted Jesus, although I did see her soften a bit the last time that I saw her before she died (maybe she was beginning to doubt some of the things that she had believed in before, as we prayed for her salvation). I pray that she did receive Him. I wasn't near her when she died. But there is always hope that she did. But, as we pray, God can often eventually work with those we love. I have seen Him do it with others in my family. Sometimes we (like myself at 72) will not live to see them change. I hope so. I know that we can not force anyone to believe. God lets it up to each person. But we can

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2 · 15 hrs · Edited



**Paul Michaud** It is for real and it's not just a game. I have used the board and I have confessed to God to receive forgiveness. It's never a good Idea to do what God has told us not to do. I am so thankful for Gods grace and mercy.

10 · Yesterday at 5:29pm



Matthew Vaughan 8th grade oral report one girl decided to use the board as part of her report. Of course I charged the throne room to protect the class. She couldn't get it to work well and she asked it what was wrong and it said "He has to go" and she said who and the board spelt my name out. No one spells my last name right, they don't put the A in the end so I knew a 8th grade girl couldn't spell my last name. Teacher asked me to leave, I fought him as everyone heard my report I should be able to listen to all of theirs but he made me stand in the hall and then the board worked just fine. It was a good witness tool to the group as they wanted to know why it pointed me out and I had a chance to tell them of Christ

9 · Yesterday at 6:22pm



Kathleen Alice Gaetano I'm a Christian. I have used a Ouija board in the past. Believe me or not but I am going to tell you it is VERY REALLY REAL. I watched this movie just for Halloween scary movie entertaining purposes but I can tell you all never use one in real life. Yes you are moving the planchette. But it is the whatever entity using your energy. I stopped using one because it frightened me so much. I felt like I was being pushed and felt sick. When I said and moved the planchette to goodbye I felt fine. But then I heard things and felt really weird. Just close the Ouija and open your Bible for answers. The movie however was scary just for entertainment and I love Halloween type stuff like that.

3 · Yesterday at 6:03pm



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2 ⋅ 20 hrs



Kathy Scott No this movie and board should be band from young kids .I never was allowed to be around one .And had know interest in one.I did however know a girl who was steadying to be a witch she didn't like me because she know I was a Christian woman. And I would say a prayer when I was around her to keep the evil from me. I don't even believe in horoscope or future cookies Maybe to some this is dumb .know one can tell you your future only my God knows that.



Liz Anderson Not dumb at all, Kathy. You make perfect sense. I liken fortune cookies to horoscopes. Not okay. Be blessed.





Stephie Jean I agree, reading horoscopes is wrong. As far as "fortune" cookies, I love to eat them but don't really pay any heed to what it says.. I was pleasantly surprised recently when I found a Bible verse tucked inside!

18 hrs



Kathleen Alice Gaetano Oh shoot I commented before but I'm actually listening for a while on the radio. Just a bit longer and it is bed time for me. But a caller said the movie would make Ouija boards cool. I've watched the movie and any movie about that or demons always ends up either some unfortunate stuff happens and characters go crazy or die or with demons good always wins. Whether that good is Christian or just general good. This movie does not make me want to play with a Ouija board just to put that out there. It does show the evilness of it and anyone who thinks its cool is probably wiccan part of the occult or whatever if you think its cool. It was just a creepy movie well made that shows dangers of the ouija board. There is no mention of religion other than a Catholic priest being in it. But it does show its evil.

1 · 20 hrs



Valerie McKenna Never have never will. I agree with you. I believe it opens the door to things that we shouldn't play with. God warns us for a reason, I try to refrain from things that appear to be crossing the line. I hope people refer to the Word, because this can have dire consequences. I won't watch horror movies, I know people who do but I don't want to cross any line. Thanks Kurt for letting me share. Have a blessed night and Go with God



Dale Messenger It absolutely opens the door to the demonic world and makes you vulnerable too any disembodied demns in the area if they so decide they want too inhabit or influenc or harass the kids and adults participating .And for any christian who participates will lose gods protection and also any further blessings and they will at east be open for demonic destruction whether they act cohertly or openly manifesst This is nothing too play with sometimes the victim will know rightaway things are going wrong, abut sometimes the demon acts on the person slightly at first and than gradually more and more so the person doesnt make the connection between thir spiritual life nfd physicsl life

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2 ⋅ 20 hrs



Anita HighlyFavored Harris I remember the Ouija board from years ago. I tried it for about two minutes or less and something inside me wouldn't let me go any further. So I completely forgot about this game and it never resurfaced in my life again. However, after reading the comments listed, I didn't realize how dangerous it is. So I thank God for interceding on my behalf for not allowing me to be interested in it for one minute. # Jesus Saves

1 · 19 hrs



Nada Fleig From now on brother Kurt, I will pm you my opinions of each topic I feel like commenting on or just call in due to other listener's judging me and attacking me when I don't comment to read peoples opinions about my opinions. I don't mind hearing what you think of my opinions because I know you and I know your heart but I can't afford to let other listener's opinions discourage me from listening to the show. I'm still a Farley young Christian and I need to protect my spiritual growth. Nada in iowa



**Stephie Jean** I hope this doesn't bother you.. but you do what you feel is right, sweet heart! Protect your love for Christ! Nothing is more important than He. I am praying for you.

18 hrs



**Diane Jeffcoat** I'm so sorry that you've been offended by others. There are many secular Christians out there who have compromised their faith by becoming self righteous religious zealots (Pharisees)... Pray for them to become humble unto the Lord and seek to desire His will. †

1 · 18 hrs



Nada Fleig I'm not offended right now not at all. I will admit I'm a secular christian trying not to act like a Pharisee myself but im needing to grow. I'm doing this not because I'm offended but so I won't get offended. I am legally blind therefore I don't and can't read every ones opinions. thank you for the encouragement though.

5 hrs



StPete Seraphim You are not alone I had some kid berate me about a song I posted on Kurts website. He was using a bunch of information he got from his father, the author of lies, the prince of the air Satan himself, to try and convince me that the guys in the band were not Christians. After his "sermon" he had the nerve to call me his brother which really irked me in a way I can't describe. The old man in me would chew this kid up and carp him out if I ever saw him at a show in the pit but I just tried my best to lovingly tell him he's been deceived.

1 · 4 hrs



Nada Fleig I'm not saying that my opinions and my way of doing things are always right but I don't need to be told that I'm wrong in public.

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Vanessa Latimer I heard this conversation last night and I wanted to respond.

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Vanessa Latimer I heard this conversation last night and I wanted to respond. My son while in job core, had a roommate that found one in the closet. They decided to play with it. My son said that all the guys had their hands on the board, when the question was asked. He said, when the pointer began moving, everyone jumped up and ran out of the room. He said it frightened him so badly, that he asked to be moved from that dorm. I just see all the demonic association with this item. It holds evil in it. I just pray that people wake up and see what happening.

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Shawne TA Stephens Thank God for a Christian mother who taught us from early on to stay away from Ouija boards and the 8 ball. She warned us they were of the devil and that no one can tell your future but God and that if anyone took one to school, do not get involved in it. Whenever I see them in a store, I say a prayer that they will have no effect and I plead the Blood of Jesus on them.

I was telling someone last week that no one can speak to the dead. They thought they could because a medium (on TV) knew everything about the deceased and I told them its only the devil and he knows about the deceased and he is doing it to deceive people into believing it which only allows them to delve into the demonic world.

15 hrs · Edited



Patricia Henderson I will not buy the board for my grandkids or no one else kids, I talk to my grandkids about opening doors in unknown areas in life. Its very hard to pull down once you open a area of stronghold.

1 · 21 hrs



Anita HighlyFavored Harris This also reminds me of back in the day when we would stand in a bathroom or dark room in front of a mirror and saying, I believe in Mary Grannet (Whomever she is. Not sure of the correct spelling) over and over until she supposedly was to appear. Being young and naive, I tried it and stood in front of that mirror waiting on something to happened and it never did. Thank God.

12 hrs



**Toni Toca** I had received one from my Aunt for Christmas I was about 11 somehow knew it was bad. It was put away, But years later my younger sister took it and had some experiences with it. Becky Rivera She can testify that it's evil.

15 hrs



**Lilly Costey** They should stop making that bord is getting to dangerous to play now when I was a little kid that bord game was not this bad

4 · Yesterday at 5:40pm



Kathleen Alice Gaetano I don't think when they decided to market the game they thought it was harmless. But the spirit board type thing been around for centuries I heard. I really don't think they thought it was real when marketing it. But it is real and very scary. This topic is sensitive for me. I've used one and I literally lost my sanity and was so scared at one point. But felt addicted to the board like I wanted to stop but could not. And the more you use it the more you give evil forces energy to come out. I even had it spell get out. I did not know if it meant me or it. But afterward I felt pain in my shoulder blades and felt nauseated. And it does not cause you to be like that girl in the exorcist. A simple possession could be depression suicidal thoughts. Satan wants you to hate yourself. I think the people who have used a Ouija board are more likely to tell you not to use one.

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3 · Yesterday at 6:17pm



Terry Lee Twigg Ms Lilly it was this bad back then as well..they just made it seem harmless but nothing could be further from the truth.

3 · Yesterday at 6:22pm · Edited



Ernie Mosley Kurt Goff, I have heard nothing of this movie yet... does it bring forth God's warnings in it? Or does it not have any religous content at all??

1 · Yesterday at 5:59pm



Stephie Jean I haven't seen this one, but the first one doesn't.. not at

2 · Yesterday at 6:35pm



Kathleen Alice Gaetano There is nothing like a religious message. Just for Halloween for date night scares. There is a Catholic priest in the movie trying to help the main characters but that is it. No religious messages or anything.

3 ⋅ 23 hrs



Anne N Joseph Tensley Evil!!





Anne N Joseph Tensley You can watch a 2 minute clip of it on You tube!!!

1 ⋅ 22 hrs



Gloris Smith Young My husband and I went to see a Christian movie, recently. Can't remember which one, because we left before it started because there was so much mold in the theater and I'm allergic to it. But, I remember all the previews for this Christian movie were for offensive, creepy, gross movies including this one. Between the mold and the previews, I was glad to leave! This one was especially disturbing to me because it involves children. Very sad. And very unwise, I think, for Christians to see movies like it. What's the point, really?

2 · 21 hrs · Edited



Mark Criswell It is a dangerous and ancient way to divine. We had one as well as a kid and accused each other of manipulating the result. Thankfully we discarded.

15 hrs



Tina Sohl Not with the board, but used to check out other stuff. I know Christ now and don't do it anymore. Never, ever do it. Not good at all!

2 hrs



Gordon Wayne Watts I feel like the odd-one-out, Kurt Goff and Kurt Goff Live since I (myself) don't have a "personal" experience to share (at least a demonic experience associate with Ouija boards or the occult), but I HAVE had "sleep paralysis" (which I think to be demonic) and/or a few BAD dreams - which reminds me that the Bible passages I cite in my "testing the spirits" article, here http://gordonwatts.com/the.../TestForProphetsAndSpirits.html and http://gordonwaynewatts.com/.../TestForProphetsAndSpirits... are examples of REAL demonic power then - and now (current times), and I feel that it is only right for me to share my own research: The Occult is demonic and BAD --EXAMPLE: It is like ((#1)) borrowing money from a mob boss loan shark - or ((#2)) taking steroids and performance-enhancing drugs - or ((#3)) cheating on a test -- or ((#4)) STEALING Monies\$\$ from a bank -- ALL FOUR will help you

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Gordon Wayne Watts - hailing from Lakeland, Fla., between Tampa & Orlando - and listening via WKES 91.1 FM-stereo. ...

1 ⋅ 19 hrs



Anne N Joseph Tensley You have the best topics Kurt!!! Also Christians should not be going to see these movies. Pure evil.

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**Cathi Madl Dennis** They do invite evil. As a young girl, we played with one once, and it freaked me out as naive as I was and I felt great fear, though I did not know why at the time.

5 hrs



Charles Smith Yes, I once dabbled with some occult practices, not specifically with the Ouija board (maybe one time, but it never "worked" for me). Mine was more like meditation, hoping that some intuitive idea or feeling or thought might show up on the screen of my mind in order to give me some direction about my life at the time (sometimes to figure out a morally neutral thing like how much class load to tackle in a semester, other times how to find a girl who could "make me happy" -- not necessarily a moral choice); and occasionally trying some sort of "prayer" or "command in the spirit" to bring about what I wanted to happen. None of them worked very well for me (probably because my parents were praying for my salvation, and so that I would not get led astray from the right path that they had taught me when a child), except that I did run into a wonderful young lady (which might have happened anyway) after "praying" for that; and we enjoyed a great summer together. That was the only thing at the time that I attributed to any influence that my dabbling in occult practices could have had on the outcome of anything that I was interested in at the time. However, soon after that, when I wanted to accept Jesus, and follow Him, I did have difficulties with bad dreams and some kinds of demonic activity in my mind, that made me unable to handle my mental work very well until I was delivered from it by a prayer group who had prayed for such deliverance for us; the director himself had been into the occult before he was saved, and knew what to do from his own experiences. I know of other persons who had "better luck" "having success" with the occult, finding out that things did "work out" for them (at least temporarily) after they had practiced some of these things; and they got more deceived by them. The main danger that I see from these occult practices is that there is no moral direction or requirements associated with them. Anyone, a thief, a murderer -- any type of person, supposedly -- can get some kind of "connection" with some "god" or "spirit" (or even a "force") that will allow him to stir up (concoct) his or her own "mixture" of the things that he or she wants to happen, and somehow get those things to happen, despite them being not so good (or even detrimental) to someone else's welfare; whereas, the Lord of our universe made man to be responsible to Himself, and to live for others' sakes (caring for them, also -- even sacrificially when needed), according to clearly understood reasons and morality. So the occult is basically man's attempt to control God (or the "god" that they would like to be able to manipulate to their own desires and wills -- not the real God of our universe, and of the Bible, of course). And anything that tends to impress or convince people that anything like that is true is a deception that can lead them to believe in a lie, and result in them never seeking the true (personal, caring) God Who loves

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Wendy Propps Casto It's very dangerous.





Liz Anderson When I was a child, I thought Ouija boards were fun. I thought that, "talking to the other side," was exciting... Forbidden. It's inherently forbidden for a good reason. Looking back, I can't remember a particular moment that it opened a doorway to the occult, but, there has been plenty of bad things to happen after playing with the Ouija board. Magic 8 Ball, chants to conjure up the dead (while looking in the mirror), tarot cards... it's everywhere for kids. And terrifying.

19 hrs



Barbara Nipp When I was a child our mother warned us to stay away from such things. She was born and raised near an area of the country where witchcraft and such was prevalent. But she became saved and lived and taught God's way to her children. I thank God for a loving Christian mother. She told us explicitly not to ever mess around with ouija boards and told us to stay away from and avoid a certain area not far from our own neighborhood where weird and ungodly things were going on. We were obedient to her. Today we need more than ever to pray for and teach our precious children the truth of God's Word, that He would protect them from exposure to such things as you have mentioned here tonight. God's Word will prevail .

6 8 · Yesterday at 5:46pm



**Theresa Rivera** It is not a game it is very real do not open doors you cannot close!

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Lynn C. Schoenberg So glad I can't sleep tonight...(2 am here) Great topic. I hope to talk to you around 4:15 am. In my listening this am, I am amazed at how many older people, like myself, had that board in their home as a child... Very scary. In todays world our young ones are bored and aren't given enough to do around their homes and the social media is a big problem for them. They believe in what they hear from outside sources and have group discussions.. They say, Oh I'll try this or that once, what can it hurt..lt's witchcraft playing with that board, whether in a group or two friends.. Most of the callers tongth hit the nail on the head...My granddaughter (15) won't go near one. I told her my story as a child with the board and without hesitation she said, "you won't see or hear that I been around one".. Praise God..The fear of God is in her heart.. They are dangerous.. I also think the kids who are lonely or having a rough time turn to the boards for answers THEY want to hear.. It leads to suicide in my book.. Thanks for the Topic.. Whatever happen to playing with Paper Dolls??

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Gordon Wayne Watts these are also of the fallen one -- see my post above, and test the spirits -- http://gordonwatts.com/the...
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try the spiritsstprove (test) the spirits to discover whether they proceed from Godst QUESTION #1: If you're visited by an angel, a vision, or a dream, how can you tell if it's from God?Are you? QUESTION #2: ANSWERS: With help of the research of author, Johanna Michaelsen we now have five (5) Biblic...

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**Stephie Jean** As a licensed massage therapist, I was very interested in yoga and reiki. Both of which, I can tell you now are not Christian things. Every time I started to look into them God told me "no, these are not of Me." Stretching your muscles is a wonderful thing, but yoga is specifically designed to put your body into the positions of their gods to help the spirits enter you.

As far as crystals, I am of the \*\*opinion\*\* that they are fine as long as you're not placing undue power on them. Think of it like this: gold is fine to wear as a ring or necklace.. but not okay to make into a calf to worship. Kind of the same idea.

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Kerry Kraemer We as Christians are to try and remain as pure as we can. There is enough evil in this world, without looking for more. There are so many things that are disguised as "social" that are really the broad highway. The media in general, with the repetitious replay of horrific events in the news makes me numb and so I avoid t v. Also this generation has developed a culture that seeks violence as a form of honor, to solve differences, I think this is all part of of the unfolding of the end times. The fact that children are the target of this is especially hard for me, I try to reconcile facts in this regard but I find that I m drawn to the conclusion that often times its a case of casting pearls before swine, I run into a lot of people that I seek to help but they seem to be oblivious to reality. I know I got off the topic, but it just seems that we need to pray for our nation to receive a revival, I m so grateful that I m alive in Christ.

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Charles Smith Thanks, sister. I believe that you hit the nail on the head: prayers for our people (and individuals, specifically) -- the very thing that makes the least sense to us physically speaking. I dabbled in some of the occult practices just before I became a Christian, and experienced demonic oppression for about a year afterwards that caused me to loose my job, since it depended upon me being able to think clearly. I went to a prayer meeting where the people had been praying specifically for those of us oppressed by Satanic or demonic influences to be delivered; and I was delivered, and have since been free of the confusion and able to think clearly. Also, I believe that my

think clearly. I went to a prayer meeting where the people had been praying specifically for those of us oppressed by Satanic or demonic influences to be delivered; and I was delivered, and have since been free of the confusion and able to think clearly. Also, I believe that my parent's prayers for me while I was briefly dabbling in it prevented the demonic beings that normally work with those involved in it from being allowed to trick me into believing any of it at the time. (It didn't "work" for me like it did for others.) Instead, for some reason, I suddenly decided to read what the Bible had to say about it, and ended up reading more of the Bible (got interested in it instead), and eventually began to believe it instead, and ended up believing Christ. I think now that God allowed me to "taste" just a bit of it and it's bad results, so that I'd know how serious it is, and keep away from it -- and also, so that I would know what to do to help others caught in it to be delivered from it (actually from the deceitful beings that associate themselves with such practices). I believe with you that our prayers for God to hinder or remove (or destroy) the demons (and their ability to deceive persons) is the way that God holds out for us to defeat Satan and his demons in this area, and to help to deliver our people from his influences -- as well as in other areas where he has been deceiving our people and many of us for so long. I will certainly be praying with you.

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Angela Sterrett Meek In my childhood even then (60's and 70



Margaret Juneman My grandmother, many years ago, asked the board who Jesus is. The board answered, "You are tired now. Go to bed." She asked again with the same answer. She immediately burned the board in the back yard.

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Toni Toca Becky Rivera you have a testimony on this.

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StPete Seraphim I would imagine the people who turn to that device are lost looking for answers or have lost a loved one and desperate to reestablish that connection. I tried it once with a group of friends in high school but PRAISE GOD even back then I had such a short attention span.



Patti Healy I use to play with these frequently. They are not games.

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**Kurt Goff Live** 

Do you allow your kids to do sleepovers? Why or why not? It's a question each parent has to answer for themselves. Blogger Tim Challies says sleepovers are off limits for his kids. He says this: "Now let's be clear: there is no biblical command that forbids them, so this was not a matter of clear right and wrong, but a matter of attempting to act with wisdom. We determined we would make it a family rule: Our children would not be allowed to spend the night at their friends' homes. We believed they would face a particular kind of vulnerability if they found themselves alone and in bed outside our care, and we wanted to protect them from it. So they have stayed at their grandparents' and have stayed with my sisters but they have not stayed at friend's homes."

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