Light-to-My-Path Scavenger Hunt

Best Use

Late evening family night activity

Ingredients Needed

- Flashlight or glow stick for each child
- List of common household objects located in different parts of your home
- Bible

Nutritional Value

Helps children understand the importance of the Bible in our lives

Serve it Up

Follow these steps for a great experience:

On a particularly dark evening, turn out every light in the house and enjoy a light-to-my-path scavenger hunt with the kids. (See instructions on reverse side.)

- 1. Create a list of things in the house to find. Try to select items from different rooms, such as a broom in the closet, a picture from the bedroom nightstand, and a can of soup from the kitchen cabinet. The more rooms the better to increase dependence upon the flashlight or glow stick. Also, throw in a few silly items just for the fun of it, such as a pair of Daddy's smelly socks from his hamper or a piece of dog food from Fido's bowl.
- 2. Give each child a flashlight or glow stick to light their path as they search for the various objects on your list.
- 3. Once they have successfully gathered all of the required items, turn on the lights and reward them with a bowl of ice cream.
- 4. While they are eating, read Psalm 119:105. Then ask the kids to compare their adventures with the scavenger hunt to how the Bible serves as a light as we navigate our way through life. Share how the Word of God helps us see what obstacles to avoid, directs us to the right place, and gives us confidence as we search for God's will.
- 5. Pray: Join hands as a family and thank God for giving us the Scriptures.