

My Promise, My Faith + Bible Basics RP3

“The Good Book” Patch

Required: *Bible Basics RP3 Curriculum Pamphlet: The Good Book* [a free download from PRAY]

STEP 1 >

Choose one line from the Girl Scout Law. Find a story, song, or poem from your faith with the same ideas. Talk with your family or friends about what that line of the Law and the story, song, or poem have in common.

“Respecting Authority” the Pledge to the Bible – see Step 2

STEP 2 >

Find a woman in your own or another faith community. Ask her how she tries to use that line of the Law in her life.

With your parent/guardian or leader, read the Pledge to the Bible out loud to each other and then answer the questions.

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God’s Holy Word. I will make it a lamp unto my feet, And a light unto my path, And will hide its words in my heart, That I might not sin against God.

Discussion Questions:

- What does the Girl Scout Law “Respect authority” and the Pledge to the Bible” have in common?
- Talk to your mom about how she tries to use “Respect Authority” in her life.
- We associate authority with rules. Name some rules in your family.
- Think of a favorite TV show or movie. How do the people act? How do they show authority? How do they respect authority? How do they show disrespect for authority? What can you learn from them?
- The best kind of authority always sets clear limits. Talk about the responsibility that people in authority have. Is it difficult to be in position of authority? Explain.
- What happens when limits aren’t clear?
- Are you an authority to anyone? Who sees you as an authority and why?

- Does it surprise you that the Girl Scout Law is connected to the Bible?
- Say a prayer together. Confess the times when you have not respected authority. Name the people who have the responsibility to care for you and thank God for them. Ask God to help you grow in your respect for those around you.

STEP 3 >

Gather three inspirational quotes by women that fit with that line of the Girl Scout Law. Put them where you can see them every day!

See Step 4

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Make something to remind you of what you've learned. It might be a drawing, painting, or poster. You could also make up a story or a skit.

Steps 3 and 4 will be combined using "The Good Book" RP3 Curriculum Pamphlet. Instead of 3 quotes, you will go above and beyond and read 3 Bible stories. You will also make something or do activities to help you remember what you learned in each story:



You can find the requirements and purchase your patch here: <https://www.praypub.org/rp3>.

- Story #1: A Lost Book
- Story #2: Getting to Know the Bible
- Story #3: Training for Godliness

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STEP 5 >

Keep the connection strong. Find out if your faith community offers a recognition program for Girl Scouts. Talk with your friends, family, or a group in your faith community about what you've learned about your faith and Girl Scouting. Ask them to help you live the Law and your faith. Maybe you can show them what you just made or perform your skit!

One way to keep the connection strong, is to earn your P.R.A.Y. Religious Award based on your grade:

Jesus and Me (K-1), God and Me (grades 2-3), God and Family (grades 4-6), God and Church (grades 6-8), God and Life (grades 9-12)

You can find a summary presentation here: [P.R.A.Y. Overview for Kids](#)
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