



ROYAL RANGERS LEADERS

# DISPATCH

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*A Practical Leaders Guide*



## Commander's Corner . . . .

Dear Commander:

The year 1964 will soon be history! It doesn't seem possible that a year could fly by so fast. However, we do thank God for this past year. It has been a very exciting year filled with many activities.

In this year of 1964, we have seen Royal Ranger experience a tremendous growth. In fact, we are now being recognized as one of the leading religious boys programs in America. Some have referred to Royal Rangers as the fastest growing boys club in America. I do not know if this is correct or not, but it certainly sounds good. I trust you and your group had a great year in 1964.

This is not only a time for reminiscing, but also a good time to look to the future. I would like to challenge each of our leaders to do more in behalf of Royal Rangers in the year 1965. Boys present a tremendous challenge. Through Royal Rangers you can help meet the needs of these boys and also fulfill a very vital ministry in the Kingdom of God. To have a part in shaping the life of a boy is a great opportunity. We will be praying that God will give you strength and wisdom for this great task in 1965.

May we also take this occasion to wish you, your family and your outpost a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

ROYAL RANGER DIVISION

*Johnnie Barnes*  
Johnnie Barnes  
National Commander



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# DEVOTIONAL GUIDE



## ★ DON'T BE A SHOW-OFF

**PURPOSE:** To show boys the folly of pride.

**EQUIPMENT:** A box with a large mirror in it.

**STORY:**

Many years ago, Jim, a young man noted for his physical strength, was challenged by a bully. "I'll bet ten dollars," taunted the bully, "that you can't lift the side of my wagon until the wheel clears the ground." Jim politely refused the challenge. Many of his friends were disappointed in him.

Sometime later while on his way home, Jim saw one of his friends in need. A wagon wheel was broken, and the man was trying to pry up the wagon with a pole to remove the wheel. Promptly Jim lifted the wagon, and the man easily slipped off the wheel.

"Jim, I don't understand," the man said. "A while ago you wouldn't accept a challenge of strength, and now you use your muscles without being asked." Jim replied, "I don't believe God gave me a strong body just to show off."

We too should not be tempted by pride. Whatever we have, whether physical strength, good looks, material possessions, pleasing personality, or deep spirituality, it is given to us to glorify God.

**CEREMONY:** Fellows, would you like to see what can be your greatest enemy? You can by looking into this box. (After boys have seen themselves in the mirror say) Yes, fellows, if we are filled with pride, ourself can be our greatest

enemy. Now let's bow our heads and pray that God will help us not to be "show-offs."

## HE REFUSED HELP

**PURPOSE:** To emphasize how God loves us and wants to help us.

**STORY:**

The house of an elderly man was burning. A neighbor rushed into the house to rescue the old gentleman. He found the man tearing up the mattress of his bed and pulling out money he had hidden there. "Quick," cried the neighbor, "we must get outside immediately." "No! No!" screamed the old man, "I can't leave without 'my money.'" Tugging at the older man's arm, the neighbor shouted, "We must leave now; the roof is starting to fall." "Leave me alone," raved the old man, "I can't leave now." A falling beam separated the two men. And the neighbor never saw the old man alive again. As the house became engulfed in flames, he sobbed over and over, "He wouldn't let me help him."

God must feel this way when sinners perish. If a man goes to hell, it is because he will not let Jesus help him.

God wants to save every man and woman, boy and girl. But each person must accept Jesus' work of salvation. Will you let Jesus help you?

**CEREMONY:** Fellows, instead of refusing God's help we should be asking for it. Man has many ways of signaling that he needs help. For example, three gunshots, three campfires at night, three blasts of a whistle, are all distress signals. Can you fellows name other distress

signals? Now, fellows, who can tell us how we let God know we need His help? (Have a brief discussion.)

How many of you need God's help in some way and you would be willing to accept His help, please raise your hands. Now let's all pray that God will help us and our friends here in the outpost.

### HURTING JESUS

*PURPOSE:* To show how our sins hurt Christ.

*EQUIPMENT:* A whip

*STORY:*

A man dreamed that he saw Jesus tied to a whipping post and a soldier was scourging Him. He saw the whip in the soldier's hand, with its thick lashes studded here and there with lead, which was intended to cut into the flesh. And as the soldier brought the whip down on the bare shoulders of Jesus, the dreamer shuddered when he saw the marks and bloodstains it left behind. When the soldier raised his hand to strike again, the dreamer rushed forward intending to stop him. As he did so, the soldier turned around and the dreamer saw—himself. We often think how cruel those men must have been who scourged and crucified Jesus. But whenever we do wrong we, too, cause the heart of Jesus to bleed with sorrow and pain.

*CEREMONY:* Fellows, in my hand I hold a whip. Can you imagine what it would be like to be whipped with it? Suppose Jesus appeared before us today, would any of you want to take this whip and begin to beat Him? I'm sure none of you would, yet some of you are just as guilty of hurting Him because of sinful acts in your life. I am going to pass this whip to each boy. When

you receive it, if you do not want to hurt Jesus I want you to throw it to the floor. By doing so you are saying in your heart, "Lord Jesus, I do not want to hurt you anymore." Now let's pray for Him to forgive us of any sin that has hurt Him.

### THE DEVIL'S BEST TOOL

*PURPOSE:* To encourage boys to be faithful in their duties and responsibilities.

*STORY:*

There is an old fable about how the devil once offered his tools for sale. He displayed them all—malice, jealousy, hatred, deceit, and several others, with the prices marked on them. One of the tools was laid apart with a higher price than the others. When the devil was asked, according to the fable, why this was, he said, "Because this is my most useful tool; it is called discouragement; with that I can do anything with people."

Most folks know all too well what discouragement is and what it does. Various things bring on an attack. Maybe yours comes when you find that it is hard to be a Christian at times, especially if you are the only Christian in your family, or your school. Or maybe your times of discouragement come when you find difficult tasks piling up one on top of another. Suddenly you find yourself thinking, "Oh, what's the use anyway?" That's the devil, or one of his imps, using the tool marked "discouragement." Better be on guard!

*CEREMONY:* Fellows, discouragement is a dangerous thing, and since it has so many harmful results we need to ask the Lord's help against it. He wants us to remember that He is our Helper. I want us all to stand and repeat to-

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gether three times: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." (Phil. 4:13) Now, let's pray for His help to overcome discouragement.

### THE EAGLE WHO WAITED TOO LONG

**PURPOSE:** To emphasize the folly of putting off spiritual decision.

**STORY:**

One day an eagle was flying above a certain river. It was during the spring thaw and the river was filled with large chunks of ice. Suddenly he spied the carcass of a rabbit floating down the river on a chunk of ice. The eagle immediately pounced upon the animal and began to devour it.

Down the river some distance was a large waterfall. The eagle knew that eventually the ice would go over the falls. He reasoned thus, "I will eat until the last possible minute, then I will spread my wings and fly away. The

ice chunk rushed on its way to the falls. The eagle kept on eating. Finally just as the ice chunk reached the brink of the falls, the eagle spread his wings to fly away, but discovered to his dismay that his feet were frozen to the ice. He plunged over the falls to his destruction.

Fellows, the moral of this story is, don't put off spiritual decision, you may wait too long. Perhaps you have said in your heart, "Someday I'm going to accept Christ as my Saviour," or perhaps you have thought, "Someday I'm going to be filled with the Holy Spirit." Fellows, it's dangerous to wait, now is the time to make your decision.

**CEREMONY:** We want every fellow here who has been thinking of making some spiritual decision, but has been "putting it off," to come and stand here before me. We want to pray a special prayer for you that you will make that decision now.

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## GAMES IDEAS

### SICK CAT

Any player touched by "It" becomes a sick cat and must hold the part of his body touched. He joins "It" in chasing other players until all have become sick cats except one.

### SQUIRREL IN A BOX

**Equipment:** Two boxes (or hats) and a small object, such as a piece of paper or a rock.

Divide boys into two groups and line up in relay formation. Place a box (or hat) opposite each line. The game leader goes from one box to another and by sleight of hand places the object under one of them. On word "go" first boy in each line runs up to his box, grabs the object (if it is under his box), and runs back to his line. The other runner, who did not find the object under his box, must catch the boy with the object before he reaches his line. Repeat.

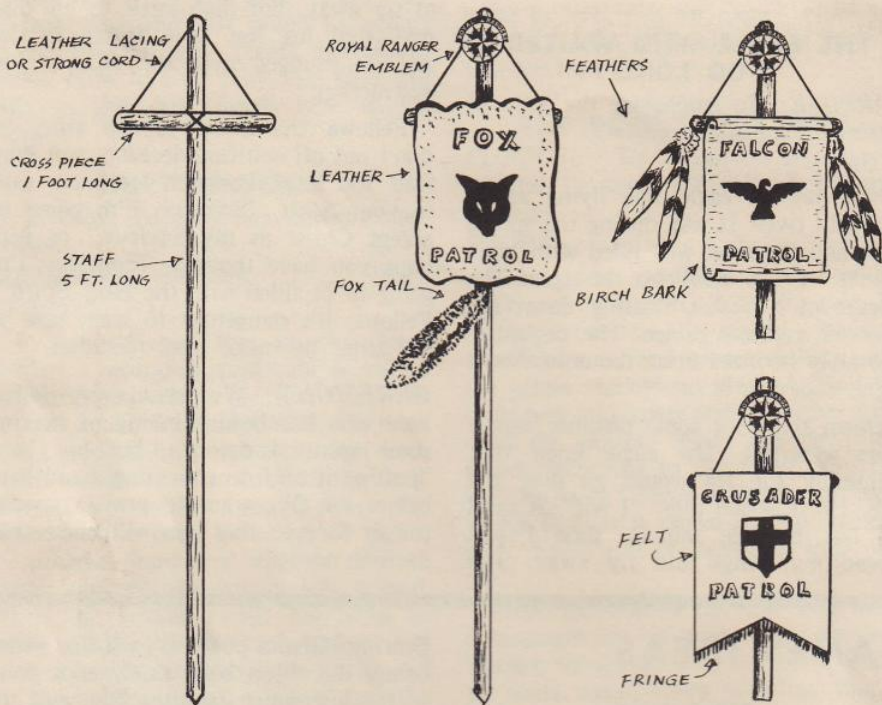
**Scoring:** Give a point to each line which brings the object back safely or a point to the line which tags the boy with the object. First line to earn 10 points wins.

### Peanut Relays

**Materials:** Peanuts, a sack full.

Crack, eat, and whistle—Divide the group into lines. Give each boy a peanut. At the signal the first boy runs to a chair, a short distance away, cracks the peanut, eats it, and when he can whistle, returns to the line, tags the next boy. The first line through wins.

**Peanut balance**—Line up the same as above and give each boy a peanut and a table knife. At the signal the first boy balances the peanut on his knife, walks around a chair a short distance away and returns to tag the next boy. If a boy drops the peanut, he must return and begin again. First line through wins.



## CRAFT IDEAS

# MAKE A STANDARD

### PATROL FLAG

A good craft project is making patrol standards (flags) for each patrol. These are very easy to make and are very inexpensive. Equipment needed is a stick or staff of any type wood 5 feet long, a cross piece of the same type wood about 1 foot long, and a piece of board, leather, cloth, or birch bark, 10 x 14 inches in size for making the standard. The standard should contain the name of the patrol and a design depicting the name of the patrol (see illustration).

The standard is secured to the cross piece and to the staff with nails or tacks. (see illustration.) Other decorations and frills may be added if desired.

The leader can create additional excitement by having a contest and giving a prize to the patrol with the best standard.

These standards may be used at campsites to identify patrols, in the patrol corners of the outpost meeting room, and as banners during parades or hikes.

# ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE AND INSIGNIA

THE LOCAL OUTPOST COMMANDER WEARS TWO BLUE BARS, HIS LT. COMMANDER WEARS ONLY ONE BLUE BAR.



CHURCHES WHO HAVE SEVERAL OUTPOSTS AND WISH ONE MAN TO COORDINATE THE ACTIVITIES OF ALL THE GROUPS, MAY APPOINT A SENIOR OUTPOST COMMANDER. HE WILL WEAR TWO WHITE BARS.



THE LOCAL OUTPOST COUNCIL WEARS TWO GOLD BARS. WE RECOMMEND THAT PASTORS BECOME MEMBERS OF THE OUTPOST COUNCIL.



THE SECTIONAL COMMANDER WEARS A GOLD CLUSTER (MAJOR RANK). SECTIONAL PRESBYTERS WHO WISH TO SERVE AS SECTIONAL CHAPLAIN WILL ALSO WEAR A GOLD CLUSTER.



THE DEPUTY DISTRICT COMMANDERS AND MEMBERS OF THE DISTRICT COMMITTEE WEAR A SILVER CLUSTER (LT. COLONEL RANK).



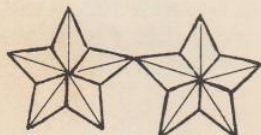
THE DISTRICT COMMANDER WEARS A SILVER EAGLE (COLONEL RANK).



MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL WEAR ONE SILVER STAR (BRIG. GENERAL RANK). DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS WHO WISH TO SERVE AS DISTRICT CHAPLAIN WILL ALSO WEAR ONE SILVER STAR. (ALL DISTRICT CHAPLAINS WILL BECOME NON-RESIDENT MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL)



THE NATIONAL COMMANDER WEARS TWO SILVER STARS (MAJOR GENERAL). THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF MF ALSO WEARS TWO SILVER STARS.



SPECIAL ASSIGNED POSITION BY THE NATIONAL OFFICE SUCH AS NATIONAL AIDE-DE-CAMP MAY BE COMMISSIONED TO ANY OF THESE VARIOUS RANKS.



# Royal Rangers Bible Study

## ROYAL RANGER BIBLE STUDY COURSE

SUBJECT: THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON: 1 THE HOLY SPIRIT IN PROPHECY

This series of Bible studies is designed to encourage Royal Rangers to become familiar with the teaching of the Bible regarding the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. Also, it is our prayer that many of our Royal Rangers will be challenged to receive this experience as a result of these studies.

Our first lesson considers what the Old Testament teaches about the Holy Spirit. In reading the Old Testament, we find that many Godly men were given power by the Holy Spirit at different times; such men as David, Sampson, and Elijah. But we find no record of any Old Testament man being "Baptised in the Holy Spirit." However, the Baptism in the Holy Spirit is prophesied. Let's take a look.

### COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

1. Who did God promise to pour out on all flesh? \_\_\_\_\_ Joel 2:28.
2. What four types of people did He promise to pour out His Spirit on?  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Verse 29 lists two other types of people. List them: \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_.
4. What did He promise sons and daughters would do? \_\_\_\_\_  
Joel 2:28.
5. What did God say old men would do? \_\_\_\_\_ Joel 2:28.
6. What would the young men do? \_\_\_\_\_ Joel 2:28.
7. In the second chapter of Acts, the Apostle Peter refers to the prophecy of Joel. Please give the correct verses: \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Another prophecy about the promised Holy Spirit is found in Isaiah 28:11-12. List two ways God said He would speak to his people.  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
9. What two results of the ministry of the Holy Spirit did God promise in Isaiah 28:12? \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Did the people gladly receive these blessings? \_\_\_\_\_.



ROYAL RANGER BIBLE STUDY COURSE

SUBJECT: THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON: 2 THE HOLY SPIRIT PROMISED

In the last lesson we studied about the Holy Spirit in Prophecy. In this lesson, we find out what the Bible says about the Holy Spirit being promised. We will discover how the Holy Spirit was not only promised to the people who lived in New Testament time, but also promised to believers of all times. This includes we who live today. Now let's see what the Bible says.

JOHN THE BAPTIST, WHO WAS THE FORERUNNER OF CHRIST TAUGHT THAT JESUS WOULD BAPTISE MANY WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT.

1. With what did John the Baptist baptize people? \_\_\_\_\_ Matt.3:11.
2. Who did John the Baptist say Jesus would baptize with the Holy Ghost? \_\_\_\_\_ Matt. 3:11.
3. What did John the Baptist say Jesus would Baptize you with? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_. Matt. 3:11.

JESUS PROMISES THE BAPTISM OF THE SPIRIT MANY TIMES HIMSELF

1. What did Jesus say he would send the disciples in Luke 24:49? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where did Jesus command them to tarry? \_\_\_\_\_  
Luke 24:49.
3. How long did He tell them to tarry? \_\_\_\_\_  
Luke 24:49.
4. What did Jesus command the people to wait for in Acts 1:4? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What did Jesus say John baptized with? \_\_\_\_\_ Acts 1:5.
6. What did He say they would be baptized with? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Acts 1:5.
7. What did Jesus say you would receive in the first part of Acts 1:8? \_\_\_\_\_
8. You will receive power after what is come upon you? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Acts 1:8.
9. What should you become after the Holy Ghost comes upon you? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Acts 1:8.
10. In Acts 2:38-39 the Apostle Peter declares that the gift of the Baptism of the Spirit was for anyone who wanted it. List at least three persons that Peter says the promise is unto: \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

UNIFORM IDEA

Royal Ranger jackets may be made warmer for Winter, by sewing in a sweat shirt lining.

Instruction: Obtain a white sweat shirt the same size as the jacket. Cut the sweat shirt in two down the front. Sew the sweat shirt to the jacket just inside the front zipper and inside the cuffs of the sleeves.

## ROYAL RANGER BIBLE STUDY COURSE

SUBJECT: THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON: 3 THE PROMISE FULFILLED

In the past lesson we studied about the Holy Spirit being promised to all believers. Now in this lesson we will discover how the Holy Spirit was given to believers just as Jesus promised. Reading about these great events is very exciting and challenging. It is our hope that this lesson will encourage all Royal Rangers to receive the same wonderful experience as these people did.

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

THE OUTPOURING ON THE DAY OF PENTECOST - ACTS, CHAPTER 2.

1. And when the day of \_\_\_\_\_ was fully come, they were all with one \_\_\_\_\_ in one place. Acts 2:2.
2. And suddenly there came a \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ as of a rushing mighty \_\_\_\_\_ and it \_\_\_\_\_ all the \_\_\_\_\_ where they were sitting. Acts 2:2.
3. And there \_\_\_\_\_ unto them cloven \_\_\_\_\_ like as of a \_\_\_\_\_; and it \_\_\_\_\_ upon each of them. Acts 2:3
4. And they were all \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_ and began to speak with \_\_\_\_\_ as the \_\_\_\_\_ gave them utterance. Acts 2:4.

THE OUTPOURING ON THE HOUSEHOLD OF CORNELIUS - ACTS, CHAPTER 10.

5. While Peter yet spake these words, the \_\_\_\_\_ fell on all them which \_\_\_\_\_ the word. Acts 10:44.
6. And they of the circumcision which believed were astonished, as many as came with \_\_\_\_\_, because that on the \_\_\_\_\_ also was poured out the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ Acts 10:45.
7. For they heard them speak with \_\_\_\_\_ and magnify God. Acts 10:46.

THE OUTPOURING ON THE EPHESIAN BELIEVERS - ACTS 19:1-6.

8. He said unto them, have ye \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ since ye believed? Acts 19:2.
9. And when Paul had laid his hands upon them, the \_\_\_\_\_ came on them, and they spake with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ Acts 19:6.

## PROVERB FOR LEADERS

He that talketh by the yard, then acteth by the inch,  
should be kicked by the foot.

## ROYAL RANGER BIBLE STUDY COURSE

SUBJECT: THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON: 4 THE EVIDENCE OF THE BAPTISM IN THE SPIRIT

In this lesson we study about the evidence or proof of the Baptism in the Holy Spirit. The Bible teaches us that this evidence or proof is speaking with other tongues. This means when a person is filled with the Holy Spirit, the Holy Spirit will make it possible for him to speak in another tongue or language. When we hear a person speak in other tongues we know he has been filled with the Holy Spirit. This is a very unusual experience to many people, however the Bible teaches that all Christians can have the same experience.

MULTIPLE CHOICE: Please encircle or underline the correct word, using the Bible reference to find the answer.

1. On the day of Pentecost, how many of the people in the upper room spoke in tongues? (a few) (all) (Several) Acts 2:4.
2. The men who were with Peter in Cornelius' household knew the Gentiles had received the Holy Spirit because they heard them (Shouting) (Singing) (Speak with tongues). Acts 10:45-46.
3. The Ephesian believer received the gift of the Holy Ghost and spake with tongues when Paul (preached to them) (laid his hands upon them) (baptized them). Acts 19:9.
4. Paul the Apostle stated in I Corinthians 14:18 "I thank my God, I speak with tongues (more than ye all) (less than ye all) (not at all).

TRUE OR FALSE (Circle T or F)

1. Tongues of Fire sat upon each person who was in the upper room. T F
2. All the people in the upper room spoke with tongues. T F
3. The Holy Ghost caused them to speak with tongues. T F
4. Speaking in tongues is just make believe and is not real. T F
5. When Peter spake the word to Cornelius' household, nothing happened. T F
6. They heard them speak with tongues in Cornelius' household. T F
7. Paul asked the Ephesian believer, "Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed?" T F
8. The Ephesian believer spake in tongues when Paul laid his hands on them. T F
9. People never speak in tongues when they are filled with the Holy Spirit. T F
10. Christians today who are filled with the Holy Spirit will speak with tongues. T F

## UNIFORM IDEA

It is permissible for leaders to wear navy blue trousers with khaki shirt for their uniform if they wish. This gives a little more dressier look to the uniform, especially when wearing with the navy blue Royal Ranger Leaders jacket. (Be sure the trousers are a solid weave).

ROYAL RANGER BIBLE STUDY COURSE

SUBJECT: THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON: 5 THE RESULTS OF THE BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT

We studied in the last lesson about the evidence of the Baptism in the Holy Spirit. In this lesson we will consider the results of this experience in the lives of the people. The Book of Acts is the story of what was done by people who were filled with the spirit. Now let's see what the Bible says about the results of the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

1. In Acts 1:8, the Lord Jesus listed one of the main results of this experience. For the answer, complete the following: "But ye shall receive \_\_\_\_\_ after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you."
2. This power of the Holy Spirit was given for a number of reasons. First of all it was given so believers would have the courage to tell others about Christ. Please complete the following: "and ye shall be \_\_\_\_\_ unto me...." Acts 1:8.
3. Peter and John became bold witnesses for Christ after being filled with the Spirit. Acts 4:13 tells about these men telling the rulers and Priests about Jesus. Complete the following: "Now when they saw the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they \_\_\_\_\_."
4. Acts 4:31 gives another example of the boldness of the people after being filled with the Spirit. Please fill in the correct words: "and when they had prayed, the place was shaken where they were assembled together, and they were all \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_ and they \_\_\_\_\_ the word of God with \_\_\_\_\_."
5. Every Royal Ranger needs the power of the Holy Spirit in his life so he can tell others about Jesus. However, we also need this power to resist sin and evil. All Christians have spiritual battles with the Devil who is trying to defeat them. The Holy Spirit will give us Power to win these battles. Complete this verse that tells us about this great weapon of the Holy Spirit. "For the \_\_\_\_\_ of our warfare are not carnal, but \_\_\_\_\_ through God to the pulling down of strongholds." II Cor. 10:4.
6. One of the most important results of the Baptism in the Holy Spirit is a new \_\_\_\_\_ in the life of a Christian.

UNIFORM IDEA

We would like to encourage our leaders to wear short brim western style hats when possible with their uniforms. This gives more of an outdoor, Forest Ranger look to the uniform. This is more in keeping with the theme of Royal Rangers than a military look. Hats are also more practical for outdoor activities.

ROYAL RANGER BIBLE STUDY COURSE

SUBJECT: THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON: 6 THE FRUITS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

In the past lessons we discovered that the first evidence of the Holy Spirit is the speaking in tongues. We also discovered that one of the main results of this experience was a new power in our lives. Now in this lesson we will study the effects of the Holy Spirit on our everyday conduct and actions. The Bible teaches, if we are Christians and filled with the Holy Spirit there will be certain things that will begin showing up in our conduct. These traits the Bible calls the Fruits of the Spirit. It is very important that we have these fruits in our lives because this is the gift God uses to determine how spiritual we really are. The more fruit a fruit tree bears, the more valuable it is. The more fruits of the Spirit we bear, the more effective we are in serving Christ.

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

In Galatians 5:22-23, there is listed nine fruits of the Spirit. Please list each of these in the following spaces: (1) \_\_\_\_\_

- (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
(4) \_\_\_\_\_ (5) \_\_\_\_\_  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_ (7) \_\_\_\_\_  
(8) \_\_\_\_\_ (9) \_\_\_\_\_

TRUE OR FALSE (Please circle T or F)

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| 1. There are nine Fruits of the Spirit.  | T F |
| 2. It is important that we have these fruits in our lives.                         | T F |
| 3. The Fruit of the Spirit determine how spiritual we are.                         | T F |
| 4. The Holy Spirit has no effect on our conduct.                                   | T F |
| 5. It doesn't matter if we have the fruit of the spirit or not.                    | T F |
| 6. Faith is one of the fruits of the spirit.                                       | T F |
| 7. Selfishness is an important fruit of the spirit.                                | T F |
| 8. Love is the first of the fruits of the spirit.                                  | T F |
| 9. Sadness is one of the fruits of the spirit.                                     | T F |
| 10. Some of the fruits of the spirit are not important.                            | T F |
| 11. The fruits of the spirit affect our conduct just on Sunday.                    | T F |
| 12. The fruits of the spirit should show up in our everyday conduct and actions.   | T F |
| 13. We can be a better Christian if we have the fruits of the spirit in our lives. | T F |
| 14. We should all pray that we will have these fruits of the spirit in our lives.  | T F |

CHARACTER

Character is like a tree and reputation like its shadow. The shadow is what we think of it; the tree is the real thing.  
-Abraham Lincoln

WINTER 1964-65

MONTHLY THEME	WEEKLY PROGRAM FEATURE	SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	SPECIAL PROJECTS
D E C  GOOD NEIGHBORS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GOOD NEIGHBORS IN YOUR OUTPOST</li> <li>2. GOOD NEIGHBORS IN YOUR CHURCH</li> <li>3. GOOD NEIGHBORS IN YOUR COMMUNITY</li> <li>4. LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR (GOD'S LOVE, TO US AND OUR LOVE TO OTHERS)</li> </ol>	<p>VISIT NEIGHBORING OUTPOST</p> <p>CHRISTMAS PARTY</p>	<p>SECURE OR MAKE CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR NEEDY CHILDREN IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD</p> <p>PARTICIPATE IN THE SPECIAL <u>TEAM</u> SUBSCRIPTION CONTEST</p>
MONTHLY THEME	WEEKLY PROGRAM FEATURE	SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	SPECIAL PROJECTS
J A N  ROPE - CRAFT	<p>KNOT TYING (TEACHING VARIOUS KNOTS)</p> <p>KNOT USING (PRACTICAL USES FOR VARIOUS KNOTS)</p> <p>LASHING (TECHNIQUES OF LASHING)</p> <p>LASHING IN USE (VARIOUS USES SUCH AS CAMP FURNITURE, BRIDGES, ETC.)</p>	<p>WINTER HIKE</p> <p>VARIOUS WINTER ACTIVITIES SUCH AS SLEDING, SKATING, ETC.</p> <p>KNOT TYING CONTEST WITH NEIGHBORING OUTPOSTS</p>	<p>MAKE PORTABLE CAMP FURNITURE FOR YOUR CAMPSITE USING YOUR LASHING TECHNIQUES</p>
MONTHLY THEME	WEEKLY PROGRAM FEATURE	SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	SPECIAL PROJECTS
F E B  OUR AMERICAN HERITAGE	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. I'M AN AMERICAN (WHY WE SHOULD BE GLAD WE'RE AMERICANS)</li> <li>2. WHY AMERICA IS GREAT (A SURVEY OF PRINCIPLES THAT MADE AMERICA GREAT)</li> <li>3. HOW TO BE A GOOD AMERICAN (RESPONSIBILITIES OF CITIZENSHIP)</li> <li>4. THE AMERICAN FLAG (HOW TO DISPLAY AND RESPECT FLAG)</li> </ol>	<p>VISIT HISTORICAL SITE OR MONUMENT</p> <p>VALENTINE PARTY</p> <p>VARIOUS WINTER RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES</p>	<p>SECURE AMERICAN AND CHRISTIAN FLAGS FOR YOUR OUTPOST</p>



# TEAM SUBSCRIPTION CONTEST

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