

# FAMILY DEVOTION

## CAMP WILDERNESS "Show Me The Way"



"If I Follow God, He Will Show Me The Way!"



*"The Lord says, 'I will guide you along the best pathway for your life. I will advise you and watch over you.'" – Psalm 32:8*

### Say:

Have you ever been on a trip and didn't know where to go next? It can feel confusing when you don't know the way!

That's how the Israelites felt after God set them free from Egypt. God promised to take them to a wonderful new home called the Promised Land, but they didn't know how to get there! They needed someone to guide them, and God had a very special way to show them the path.

### Read:

Exodus 13

### Discuss:

- What did God send to guide the Israelites during the day?
- What was the pillar made of at night?
- Did the Israelites have to figure out how to get to the Promised Land on their own?
- What country did the Israelites leave behind?
- What are some ways God can guide us today?
- Why should we follow God's plan instead of trying things our own way?

### Say:

God didn't leave His people to figure things out on their own. During the day, He sent a giant cloud to lead them, and at night, He sent a pillar of fire so they could see where to go. God was saying, "Follow Me - I know the way!"

That's true for us, too. We may not have a cloud or fire, but God still leads us when we pray, read His Word, and listen to Him. We don't have to try to figure everything out ourselves. We can trust God to guide us exactly where we need to go!

### Pray:

Pray for your children who may feel like they are in a "wilderness" situation. Pray that God will speak to their hearts through His Holy Spirit. Pray that He will speak to them exactly what to do as He shows them the way.

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