EAST RIDGE FAMILY BIBLE CLASS - JAMES CHAPTER ONE

CHILDREN'S PROJECT

* GIFTS FROM OUR FATHER ABOVE *

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father" (James I:27)

* SUPPLIES NEEDED *

Blank paper (several sheets)

Markers, colored pencils, or crayons

Scissors & Tape

* STEP ONE *

Draw several gift-boxes like the ones shown below.

Make them about 4 inches wide.

Leave blank space inside to write later (see step 2).



* STEP TWO *

In the blank space on each gift-box, write or draw something you are thankful for (gifts from God)!

* STEP THREE *

After you're finished decorating your gift-boxes, use scissors to cut them out carefully.

* STEP FOUR *

Get your parents to help you tape your finished products to a wall, mirror or door where you will be reminded often of God's good gifts!

EAST RIDGE FAMILY BIBLE CLASS - JAMES CHAPTER TWO

CHILDREN'S PROJECT

* FAITH BY WORKS *

"I will show you my faith by my works."
(James 2:18)

* SUPPLIES NEEDED *

Blank paper
Markers, colored pencils or crayons

* STEP ONE *

Write the word FAITH in bubble letters.
Use BIG letters to make the word fill the page!
Start with pencil, then trace over with a marker.



* STEP TWO *

Think of 5 different good works Christians can do. (Examples: visit widows, send cards, share meals, rake leaves, help the poor, teach the gospel, etc.)

* STEP THREE *

Inside each of the 5 letters, draw a different good work from your list (see step 2). Color and label.

* STEP FOUR *

Hang up your work and be reminded to do good!

EAST RIDGE FAMILY BIBLE CLASS - JAMES CHAPTER THREE

CHILDREN'S PROJECT

* WORDS THAT BLESS OTHERS *

"From the same mouth come blessing and cursing.

My brothers, these things ought not to be so...

A harvest of righteousness is sown in peace
by those who make peace."

(James 3:10,18)

* SUPPLIES NEEDED *

Blank paper
Markers, colored pencils or crayons

* STEP ONE *

Draw a mouth in the center of your paper.



* STEP TWO *

Draw several word bubbles all around the mouth!



* STEP THREE *

Inside each word bubble, write words you can say to bless others this week.

* STEP FOUR *

Hang up your work and be reminded to bless others!

EAST RIDGE FAMILY BIBLE CLASS - JAMES CHAPTER FOUR

CHILDREN'S PROJECT

* DRAW NEAR TO GOD *

"Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you."
(James 4:8)

* SUPPLIES NEEDED *

Blank paper & markers, colored pencils or crayons

* STEP ONE *

At the very top of your paper, write "GOD".

Then, on the top-half of your paper,
draw 3 big block-arrows pointing DOWN.



* STEP TWO *

At the very bottom of your paper, write your name.

Then, on the bottom-half of your paper,
draw 3 big block-arrows pointing UP.



* STEP THREE *

Inside each DOWN arrow, draw/write something that GOD has done to draw near to you.

Then, inside each UP arrow, draw/write something that YOU can do to draw near to God!

* STEP FOUR *

Hang up your work and keep drawing near to God!

EAST RIDGE FAMILY BIBLE CLASS - JAMES CHAPTER FIVE

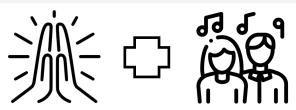
CHILDREN'S PROJECT

* REASONS TO PRAY & SING *

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray.
Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise."
(James 5:13)

* SUPPLIES NEEDED *

Blank paper & markers, colored pencils or crayons



* STEP ONE *

On the RIGHT side, at the top, write "PRAY".

On the RIGHT side, at the top, write "SING".

* STEP TWO *

On the LEFT side, under "PRAY", draw & label some things you would like to pray about today.

* STEP THREE *

On the RIGHT side, under "SING", write some favorite songs and draw a picture that goes along with each.

* STEP FOUR *

Gather with your family and spend a few minutes praying and singing. Use your project as a guide!

* STEP FIVE *

Hang up your work and let it remind you to spend some time praying and singing together each day!