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#### I Will Not Say Bad Words Family Home Evening Packet



Quote, Treat Recipe

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## Mud Pond Treats Rice Krispy

### Ingredients:

- 1 (10 oz.) package of marshmallows or 4 cups of mini marshmallows
  - 4 Tbsp. butter
- 1/2 cup peanut butter
- 6 cups cocoa krispies
- 1 (8 oz.) package milk chocolate chips or semi-sweet chocolate chips

#### Directions:

In a sauce pan, melt butter over low heat. Add marshmallows, stirring constantly until marshmalthick. Allow to cool. Melt chocolate chips in a double lows are melted and smooth. Remove pan from heat and mix in peanut butter until smooth. Pour cocoa krispies into a large bowl. Pour marshmallow mixture over the cocoa krispies and stir until well coated. Shape into 3 to 4 inch ovals about one inch coa krispy mud ponds into the melted chocolate and boiler or in the microwave until smooth. Dip the coallow to cool. FUN & DELICIOUS!!!!!!

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## Home Evening Outline

Opening Prayer **Opening Song** Closing Prayer Refreshments Closing Song Scripture Game Story

Suggested Songs: "The Things I Do", pg. 170 (Childrens) Let Us Off Speak Kind Words", pg. 232 (Hymn) "Choose The Right Way", pg. 160 (Childrens)

Scriptures: Colossians 3:8

Stary: Color graphics with markers, colored pencils, chalks, etc. Use flannel, or laminate and cut out and place magnets on back of graphics. etc. "I Will Not Say Bad Words" Activity Chart: Preparation - Fill out each family member's name on the "I Will Not Say Bad Words" chart. If there are not enough slots for all family members, only include the children on the chart. Laminate the chart. Laminate and one on each smiley and frowny token, and one in each day of the week slot. Be sure to put he same side of the velcro on the chart spaces, and the other side of the velcro on the cut out the smiley face tokens and the frowny face tokens. Use self adhesive velcro dots, okens. Place the chart on the refrigerator.

every child will earn a token, either a smiley token or frowny token depending on how duced for others. Either weekly or monthly, reward each child with a coupon, the child's Chart - During the family home evening lesson, discuss what is not allowed to be spoken successful they were in speaking good language or bad language. Coupons have been provided, as well as a master copy of the coupons that can be copied as many times as in your home so that the children are aware of what is expected. At the end of each day, needed for this lesson and your immediate family, but is not to be shared or mass proname and the reward they have earned.

#### I Will Not Say Bad Words

•Parent's Note: We feel it is important for each individual family to insert the words that they don't want their children saying at the end of this lesson. Each family is different and what offends some families might not offend others. There are many horrible words out there and we didn't feel it was appropriate to mention them, especially more than once so that they are not reinforced and said out loud. Thank you, Hatch Patch Creations.

Carlton James Houser, the Third was spoiled! Everyone spoiled Carlton. His parents, his grandparents, his uncles and aunts, his friends and even some of his teachers spoiled him. He was not a very nice person and he pretty much did what he wanted to when he wanted to.

It was summer and all of the children in the neighborhood were out in their yards all day long. It was a wonderful feeling to be out of school and free to play and yell and laugh and have fun. This was one of those days.

The only problem was Carlton. When Kevin, Jackie, Allyson, Annie and John met together to play in one of their back yards, they always had to invite Carlton. Their mothers had told them that it would be impolite to leave him out. What their mothers didn't know was that Carlton was a bad example. Carlton said bad words.

As the children met in Allyson's back yard, they laughed and giggled and were having a great time when the gate opened and in came Carlton.

Carlton was smaller than all of the other children and was always dressed up. His mother didn't like him getting dirty and this could be difficult when the children wanted to do something that required getting dirty.

This was also one of those days. The children had decided to make a mud pond in the back yard. Annie had already begun wetting the dark earth spot where the family garden would soon be planted. It was getting deliciously muddy.

"Come on," Allyson called. "Last one in is a chicken!"

Carlton opened his mouth and out came a HUGE swear word, followed by: "I'm not getting all dirty. My mom would kill me!" And then, another swear word came out!

A heavy sigh went out from all of the children for this was the same thing they heard from Carlton all of the time! There was always a swear word or a bad word when he spoke. When Carlton said awful words, it made all of the other children feel uneasy - you know that feeling when you know something just isn't right?

Bad words are offensive to many people. Some people think that bad words are okay because they are so used to saying them and hearing them. That is the dangerous thing about bad words. They become a habit.

When Carlton refused to join in the mud party, Allyson grabbed the hose and squirted him with it.

A huge yell came from Carlton's mouth and also many swear words. "Stop it! You \*#@#\*\*\*#, \*\*#\$#@\*\*, idiot," Carlton screamed!

Allyson's mother heard the noise and came running outside. "Carlton," she said, "have you always spoken with such bad language?"

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Carlton wasn't even sorry. In the past, he had been very careful not to swear or say rotten words in front of Allyson's mom but today, he didn't care. "Yes, I have!" He snorted loudly. Then he was off for home.

Allyson's mother called all of the children together on the patio. "Children," she began, "I don't think you should play with Carlton any more. He is a very bad example. Do any of you know why we shouldn't say bad words?"

John spoke up. "Yes, because my mom says so."

Allyson's mother laughed. "Yes," she said, "that is a very good reason but there are other reasons too. There are many times in the scriptures when we're told not to swear or use bad words. We should never take the name of the Lord in vain. Do any of you know what that means?"

The children had heard this before but didn't really know what it meant. They shook their heads from side to side.

"That means," Allyson's mom continued, "that we should never degrade the names of our Heavenly Father or Jesus Christ or the Holy Ghost. We must never use these names except in a reverent manner. We should show respect for them. We never use swear words with these names or speak of them recklessly."

All of the children were listening intently. John finally spoke up. "There are a lot of bad words we are not supposed to say at our house."

Allyson's mom spoke up again. "When we say bad words, it gives those around us an uneasy feeling and it makes us look bad. Our speech tells the world who we are. We would never think of using slang words, swear words or bad words in front of the Savior. We must show our respect for others by not using these types of words in front of them too."

It was a good lesson for the children. Swearing or using bad words can become a habit so quickly - a habit that is very hard to break.

In Colossians 3:8 it says: "But now ye also put off all these; anger, wrath, malice, blasphemy, filthy communication out of your mouth."

Bob Greene who writes for the Field Newspaper Syndicate calls bad words "Hear Pollution." Isn't that a great way to describe bad words?

Bad words bring us and those around us "down" while kind words bring us "up."

President David O. McKay said: "Profanity is never heard in the well-ordered home. Swearing is a vice that bespeaks a low standard of breeding. Blasphemous exclamations drive out all spirit of reverence." (Gospel Ideals, Salt Lake City: Improvement Era, 1953, p. 420)

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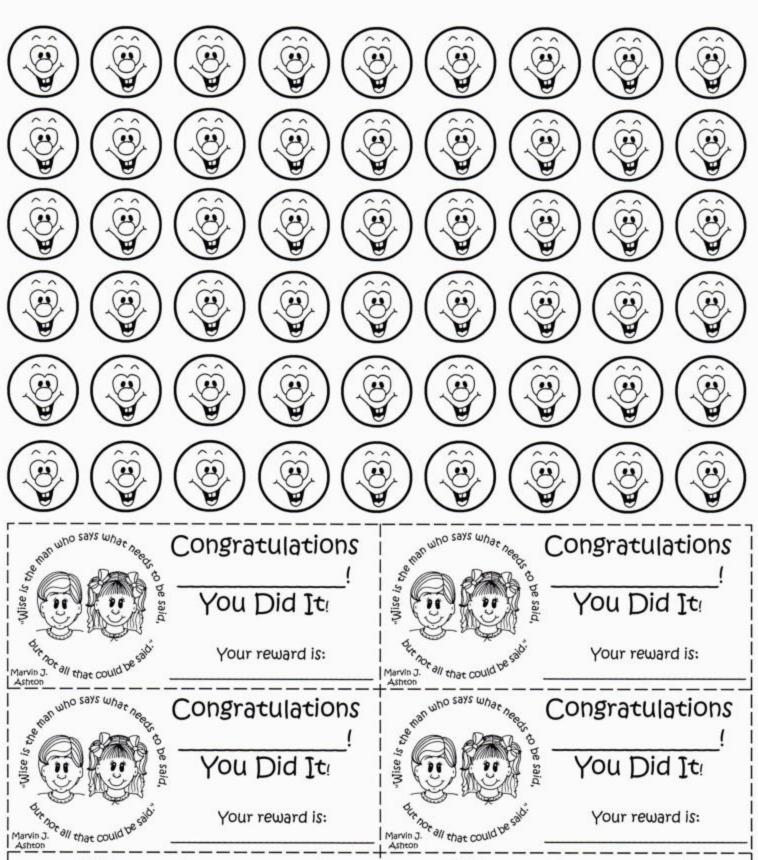
•Let's talk about the bad words that we would not like to have spoken in our home or when you are with others.

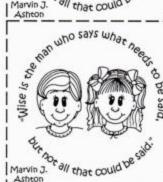




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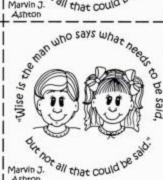




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