

## Group Activity Making Survival Kits

A fun activity for your group that can provide a blessing to others is to spend some of your group time making survival kits. These kits are low cost and can provide some fun craft time for your group to grow closer together in a crafts activity. Below are the contents of four different survival kits your group can make. These can be used as a thank you to volunteers in your church, or for visitors, or for anything you can come up with. Feel free to customize your kits any way you feel appropriate. Have fun with the activity and spend some time getting to know each other as you work on this simple service project.

The activity:

- Collect the necessary items needed for the kit you select
- Get the necessary paper and ink supplies to make the cards (you can use the computer or produce the cards by hand)
- Plastic zip lock bags
- Colorful index cards
- One suggestion is to set up an assembly line with each group member responsible for placing their item in the bag. You can use any method your group decides
- How you will use these kits needs to be decided by the group.
- You are producing kits to be an encouragement to someone – or as a method of recognizing someone's special service.
- After you put the kits together decide how you will personally hand the completed kit to someone. Don't use the mail, use the personal touch.
- Have fun and pray over the finished products.

### Scripture Survival Kit

Toothpick: to remember to pick out the good in others. Matt. 7:1

Rubber band: To remember to be flexible. God has it under control. Romans 8:28

Band Aid: To remember to mend hurt feelings. Yours or someone else. Col. 3:12-14

Pencil: To remember to list your blessings daily (You could add a cute tablet of paper with this as well)  
Eph 1:3

Butterfinger: Cause we all slip sometimes, and its okay. Gen. 50:15-21

Gum: So you can stick to it. With God you can accomplish anything. Phil. 4:13

Button: To remember to button your lip when needed. 1 Peter 3:10

Lifesaver: To remember that the Lord is there to help. Psalm 46:1

Mint: to remind you that you are worth one. (I use a peppermint patty) John 3:16-17

Candy Kiss: To remember that Love should be a part of everyday. 1 John 4:7

Snickers and Tissue: To remind us to be a light in someone else's day. Matt. 5:14-16

Puzzle Piece: To remember that without God we are not complete. Prov. 14:20

Tea Bag: To remember to relax and go over that list of blessings. 1 Thess. 5:18

## **Christian's Daily Survival kit**

TOOTHPICK - to remind you to pick the good qualities in everyone including yourself.

RUBBERBAND - to remind you to be flexible. Things might not always go the way you want, but they can be worked out.

BAND-AID - to remind you to heal hurt feelings, either yours or someone else's.

ERASER - to remind you everyone makes mistakes, even you! And remember - we must learn from our mistakes or they're just a waste.

MINT - to remind you that you are worth a mint to your family.

CANDY KISS - to remind you everyone needs to be loved. A hug or a compliment goes a long way with everyone.

SALT - to remind you God wants us to be the salt of the earth, and change things for the better.

CANDLE - to remind you to let your faith shine for all to see.

BUBBLE GUM - to remind you to stick with it and you can accomplish anything.

PENCIL - to remind you to list your blessings every day.

CROSS - to remind you of God's love for you in Jesus.

Keep your kit handy. Check it over often. It'll make your life worth living every minute.

## **Christian Survival kit**

Candle- to remind you to share His light with others.

Rubber band- to remind us to be flexible to God's will for us.

Life saver- to remind you of the many times others have needed your help and you theirs.

Eraser- God forgives our sins, we must do the same for ourselves and others.

Cotton ball- to keep our hearts soft to God and others.

Snickers candy bar- to remind you to laugh at yourself- laughter is good medicine.

Hug (Hershey kiss kind) because we all need one from time to time.

Cross- to remind you of the sacrifice He made because He loves you.

## **A Kit from God**

Lollipop to help you lick your problems

A Rubber band to help you be flexible and not to break

Snickers to remind you to laugh in the face of trials.

A Paper Clip to help you hold things together.

Caramel to help you chew the fat with good friends (PALS)

A Sweet Tart to help you accept and appreciate the differences in others

Stick of Gum to give you stick-to-it-iveness.

Piece of String to help you tie up loose ends.

A Pin to pinpoint problems

A Lifesaver to keep you from drowning in everyday chores.

Lemon Drop to remind you that "if live gives you lemons, make lemonade"!

A Penny to give you extra "cents" that everyone needs.

Nail to help you remember how much you are worth to me.

A Hug and Kiss to remind you how much I Love You.

Do not try to shoulder all the world's problems.....That's My Job!!!

Love, Your Heavenly Father