

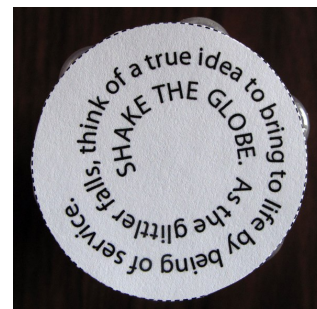
Learn by Doing

Choice

Sparkling Water Globe

Create a water cycle globe as a visual reminder of how we receive true ideas from the Lord and return them to Him through loving actions.

1. What is the water cycle? (encourage sharing of ideas)
2. Water corresponds to true ideas from the Word. Just as water falls as rain (waters above) to clean and water the earth, the Lord's Word offers true ideas that come from "above" (heaven) to cleanse and refresh our minds.
3. The "waters below" are true ideas we take in from the world around us. They are information we learn from our own experiences, or from science or nature.
4. Practical skills and worldly knowledge allow us to bring true ideas to life, e.g. we can show love for others by making cookies or washing dishes for them. When we combine the true ideas we know from the Word with practical knowledge, we can return the Lord's love to Him by serving others. These actions enable us to be *joined* with the Lord.
5. What could you do to bring the idea of "loving your neighbor as yourself" to life? (allow discussion)
6. We will be making Sparkling Water Globes to help keep in mind how true ideas from the Lord can become fruitful in our minds.
7. Give each student a water bottle. Peel off the label and fill the bottle with water. Add blue or silver glitter. Screw the lid on tightly and tape the lid firmly with duct tape.
8. Cut out the *Sparkling Water Globe* base and lid on p. 2. Each student needs one base and one lid. Bend the base into a circle to support the bottle. Turn the water bottle upside-down, and place within the base, so the lid rests on the table. Staple the base into a circle that allows the bottle to rest upright inside it.
9. Tape the circular lid to the "top" (formerly the base) of the bottle.
10. Follow the directions printed on the top! Keep the Sparkling Water Globe where you will see it. Shake the globe when you pass it and think of an act of service you can do for another person.



Materials for Each Student

Water Cycle Globe p. 2 printed on stiff paper (1 rec-tangular base and 1 circular top), small water bottle, water, blue or silver glitter, duct tape, scissors, tape.

Prepare in Advance

Print *Sparkling Water Globe* (p. 2) on stiff paper.



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