

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN (Ages ~4 - 8)

PURPOSE

- To help young children learn safe habits in crossing the street
- To inspire family members to reach out to those in need

MATERIALS

None

SUGGESTED SONG

"I'll Walk With You" page 140 Children's Songbook

LESSON IDEAS

- 1. Ask your children, "What are three very important words to remember each time we cross the street?"
- 2. Show video, Stop, Look and Listen
 - a. Discuss the importance of crossing the street carefully
- 3. Explain that Jesus would often "stop, look and listen" to those around Him who needed help.
 - a. Read (or tell in your own words) the story in Matthew 20:29-34. Have them identify how Jesus stopped, looked and listened to the two blind men.
- 4. You may want to show your family the video, The Coat. This video is a true story from the life of Heber J. Grant.
 - a. Discuss how young Heber stopped, looked and listened to help a very needy boy.
 - b. You may also want to watch the video of what a group of girls did as a service project after they watched the video, The Coat.
- 5. Talk with your family about people in your ward, neighborhood or community that need help. You may want to plan a service project to help that person/family.
- 6. Testify to your family of how important it is to "stop, look and listen" to those around us who need our help.

ACTIVITY

• These are several fun and instructive Road Safety Games you may want to let your younger children play.

