

Wrangler Ranger
Camp/VBS 2013



Handbook II

Wranglers ages 12-15

Wrangler Ranger Camp Handbook II for 12-15 years age groups emphasizes Character, Integrity, & Spiritual Leadership: All qualities included in a Wrangler Ranger extraordinaire.



A Start-Over:

Ever want to do a "Start-over" or a "Re-take"? when:

- ✓ You take a test and the grade is not so good.
- ✓ You competed in a contest & things didn't go so well.
- ✓ You got into trouble with the folks & you'd like a redo.

Name a couple of times you'd like a "Re-do" or "Start-over":

Trying Harder:

I'll try harder.

I'm REALLY trying!

2 Corinthians 12:9

And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.



Trying to be good; trying to do more good things than bad things will **NEVER** work. You need Jesus.

THINK:
So then can you get to Heaven by TRYING?

Good Deeds & Pats on the Back!

The “usual” approach:



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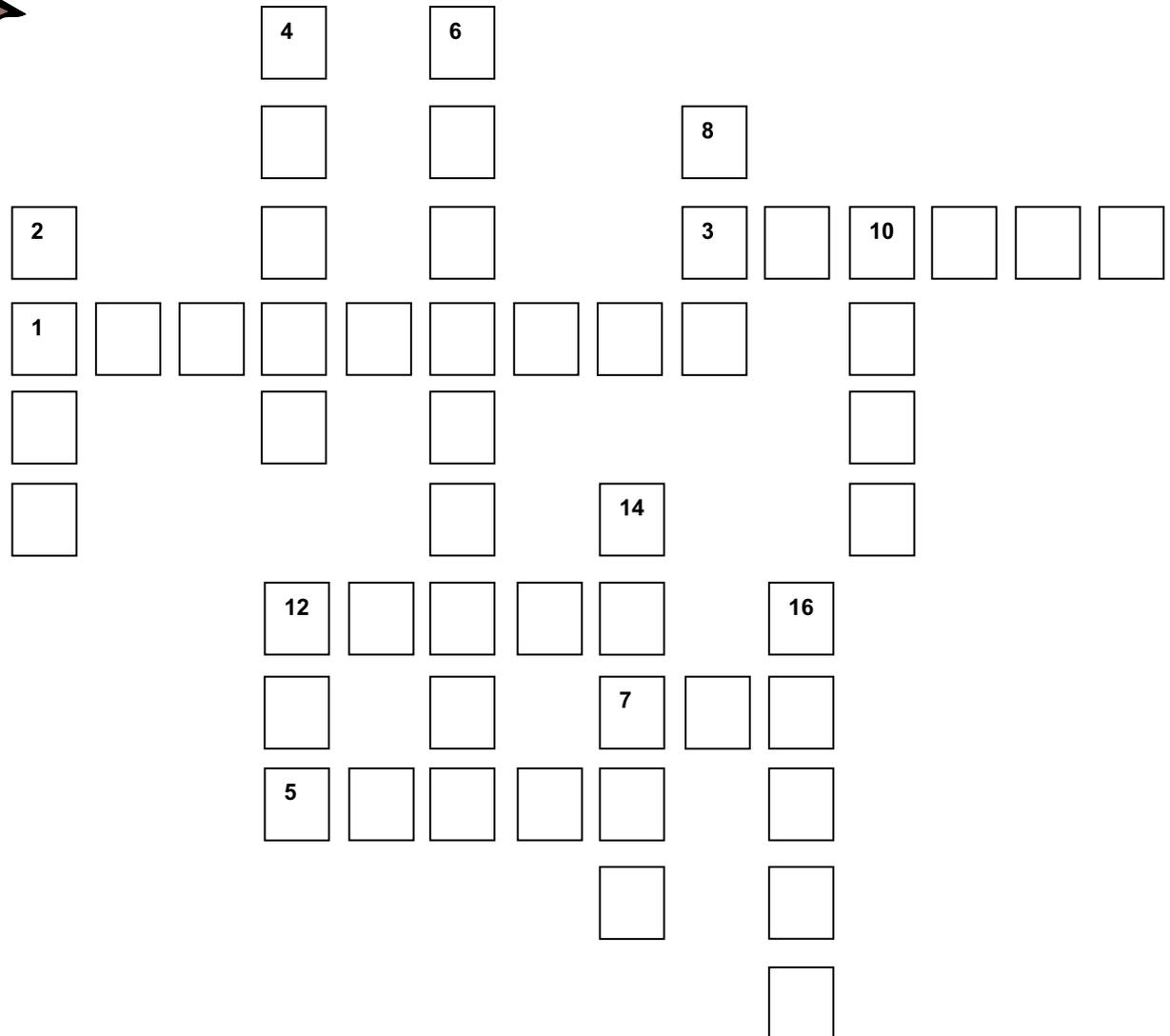
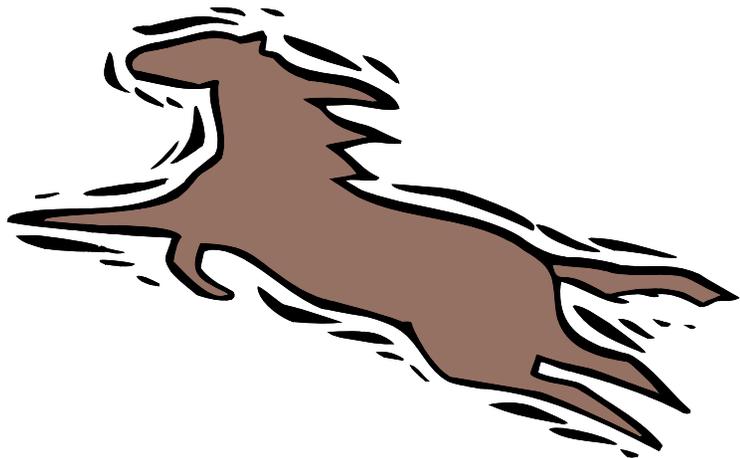
John 12:43
For they
loved the
praise of
 more
than the
praise of
God.

Review Luke 18: 18-27.

Here Jesus is giving an example of a young man who thought that his works would get him to Heaven. Jesus shows the young man that he is not a perfect individual & that he still lacks perfection. The young man goes away unrepentant. This story is often misunderstood/misread. Indeed this is a picture of works is not enough; that the law is not perfectly kept. Only Jesus kept the whole law and did not sin in any point.

Heaven is never going to be attained by our good works.

Wrangler Ranger Crossword

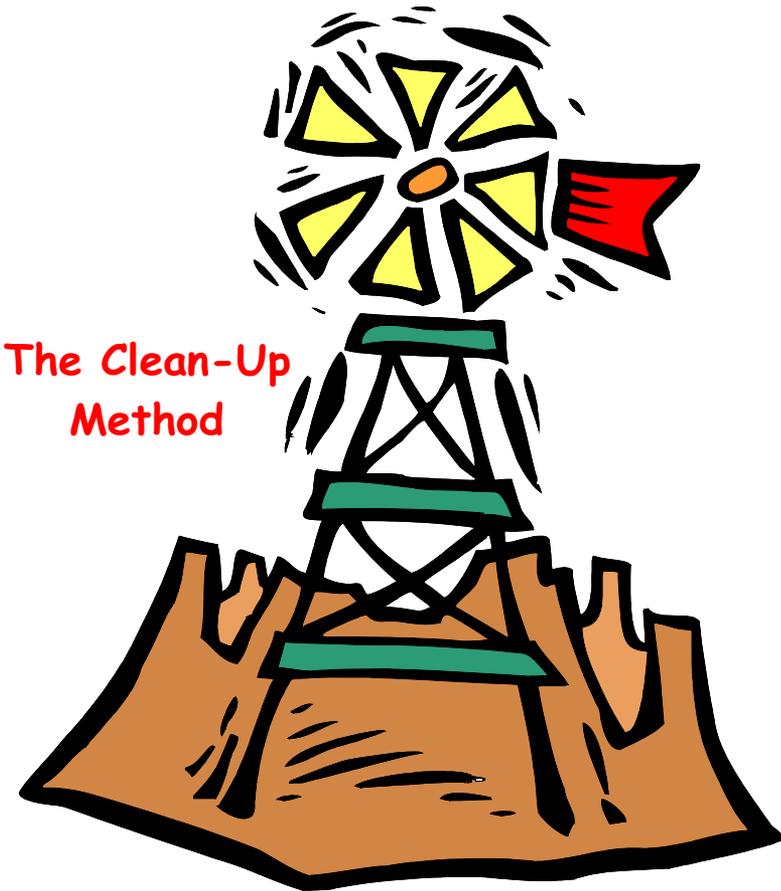


ACROSS:

1. Term describes trustworthy quality of a person.
3. Except ye _____ ye shall all likewise perish.
5. Not by _____ of righteousness. *Titus 3:5*
7. How many ways to Heaven?
12. You should not wait until _____ to accept Jesus.

DOWN:

2. Ephesians 2: 8-9
4. No other name given whereby ye must be _____.
6. Personal quality more readily attained as a Christian.
8. You can _ _ _ to be perfect; but you are not.
10. How you "call" on the name of the Lord.
12. Given to show mankind that he is not sinless.
14. On the third day He _____ from the grave.
16. Only way to Heaven is through the blood of _____.



**The Clean-Up
Method**

Titus 3:5

Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost.

Even after hearing the Word & seeing the Bible itself, people still make the same mistake of misunderstanding the way to Heaven.

Acts 4:12

Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.



How to get THE REAL DEAL:

ONLY a BORN-AGAIN/SAVED Person
can have the REAL DEAL.

Character: Can you be counted on to do the right thing? Will you follow through with a promise? Are you on time when at all possible? Do you cowboy up when you have done wrong?

Proverbs 11:3

*The **integrity** of the upright shall guide them: but the perverseness of transgressors shall destroy them.*

Integrity: Is your word truthful and people know that you are going to be the one in the crowd that tells the truth? Are you honest in all your dealings with people? Is your language clean? Do you pay your debts or fulfill your obligations?

1 John 5:3

For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous.

Spiritual Leadership: Real Spiritual Leadership is not a job title or a position in the church. Spiritual Leadership ONLY happens after:

1. You accept Jesus at Salvation.
2. You endeavor to live a sanctified/clean life.
3. You are willing to serve the Savior.

**...For unto whomsoever much is given, of
him shall be much required...**

Luke 12:48



**Are you up to the task? Are you a Wrangler
Ranger Extraordinaire? Then you too can lead
others to Jesus Christ & Eternity in Heaven.**

The **ONLY** way to have the Power of God is by accepting Jesus
as your Personal Savior. *But as many as received Him, to
them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them
that believe on His name. John 1:12*

How to Know Heaven is your Home.....

The Bible, God's Word says, "For all have sinned..." Romans 3:23
Everyone does things that are wrong, such as disobedience to parents, cheating, lying. God knew that you would be a sinner before you were even born. Once you realize, that is, once you know that you are sinful, you are responsible to God for your sins. Heaven is a perfect place. If someone went to Heaven as a sinner, then Heaven would not be perfect any more. Therefore, an unforgiven sinner cannot go to Heaven.



The Bible, God's Word says,
"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal Life through Jesus Christ our Lord." Romans 6:23
The Bible says that our paycheck, that is, what we earn for sin, is death. This is the eternal death, the opposite of everlasting life with Jesus in Heaven. Eternal death is eternity in Hell. But you have a gift from God. He paid for your sins when He died on the cross, was buried, and came back to life on the third day. Just like any gift, you will have to take it and open it to make it yours. You have to accept this gift of eternal life in Heaven from Jesus Christ. He will not force you to take it.

The Bible, God's Word says, "...except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish." Luke 13:3
In order to accept the gift of eternal life, you must see a need to accept it. Jesus wants you to repent. To repent means to change or turn from your old ways. The only way you can change is to let Jesus change you.



The Bible, God's Word says, "For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord, shall be saved." Romans 10:13
If you want to invite Jesus into your life, then you can pray and ask him. Here is a good way to ask Him: "Dear Jesus, I know that I am a sinner. I am sorry for my sins. Please come into my heart and takeaway the sin. I know I can never be good enough to go to Heaven. So I am trusting you to take me when I die. I believe that Jesus died and rose from the dead to pay for my sins. I know you are the only way to Heaven. Amen."