

Happy Easter! He is risen! Below you'll find an Easter themed, indoor/outdoor scavenger hunt for your family. You're never too old to participate. Hopefully this will help you remember and celebrate Jesus as a family. See how fast you can solve the riddles and race to the item. These items were picked in hopes of everyone having them at or around your own home. Parents can add a prize incentive if you want! Have fun!!!

Instructions:

Adults- read the verse out loud, listen to the video clue (pause the video clip after each clue) or read the clue out loud yourself. Once they hear and know the answer to the clue, the race is on to be the first to bring it back!

1. **Matt 21: 6-9** ⁶ So the disciples went and did as Jesus commanded them. ⁷ They brought the donkey and the colt, laid their clothes on them, and set *Him* on them. ⁸ And a very great multitude spread their clothes on the road; others cut down branches from the trees and spread *them* on the road. ⁹ Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying:

"Hosanna to the Son of David!

'Blessed *is* He who comes in the name of the LORD!'

Hosanna in the highest!"

Clue: "I'm sat on and young, a little bit wonkey. Get creative, go and find me I'm not a horse but a _____" Answer: Donkey

2. **Matt 26:14-16**

¹⁴ Then one of the twelve, called Judas Iscariot, went to the chief priests ¹⁵ and said, "What are you willing to give me if I deliver Him to you?" And they counted out to him thirty pieces of silver. ¹⁶ So from that time he sought opportunity to betray Him.

"30 of me you must find, some pennies, nickels, quarters or dimes"

Answer: Coins

3. **Matt 26:27-28**

²⁶ And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke *it*, and gave *it* to the disciples and said, "Take, eat; this is My body."

²⁷ Then He took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave *it* to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. ²⁸ For this is My blood of the new covenant, which is shed for many for the remission of sins.

"Keep me upright or I'll spill out my stuff. Maybe in the cupboard, I am a _____"

Answer: Cup

4. Mark 14:32-34

³² Then they came to a place which was named Gethsemane; and He said to His disciples, "Sit here while I pray." ³³ And He took Peter, James, and John with Him, and He began to be troubled and deeply distressed. ³⁴ Then He said to them, "My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, *even* to death. Stay here and watch."

³⁵ He went a little farther, and fell on the ground, and prayed that if it were possible, the hour might pass from Him. ³⁶ And He said, "Abba, Father, all things *are* possible for You. Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You will."

"I'm used for talking to folks not at our home, go find a walkie-talkie or an OLD

Answer: Phone or walkie-talkie (Talking to God!)

5. John 19:1

So then Pilate took Jesus and scourged *Him*.

"It was used to hit Jesus' back, bring a rope or a chord back here really fast!"

Answer: Cord, rope (Whip)

6. Mark 14:66-72

⁶⁶ Now as Peter was below in the courtyard, one of the servant girls of the high priest came. ⁶⁷ And when she saw Peter warming himself, she looked at him and said, "You also were with Jesus of Nazareth."

⁶⁸ But he denied it, saying, "I neither know nor understand what you are saying." And he went out on the porch, and a rooster crowed.

⁶⁹ And the servant girl saw him again, and began to say to those who stood by, "This is *one* of them." ⁷⁰ But he denied it again.

And a little later those who stood by said to Peter again, "Surely you are *one* of them; for you are a Galilean, and your speech shows *it*."

⁷¹ Then he began to curse and swear, "I do not know this Man of whom you speak!"

⁷² A second time *the* rooster crowed. Then Peter called to mind the word that Jesus had said to him, "Before the rooster crows twice, you will deny Me three times." And when he thought about it, he wept.

"Hopefully it's nice out, a good kind of weather. Look all around for a type of bird's

Answer: Rooster (Feather)

7. Matthew 27:27-29

²⁷ Then the soldiers of the governor took Jesus into the Praetorium and gathered the whole garrison around Him. ²⁸ And they stripped Him and put a scarlet robe on Him. ²⁹ When they had twisted a crown of thorns, they put *it* on His head, and a reed

in His right hand. And they bowed the knee before Him and mocked Him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" ³⁰ Then they spat on Him, and took the reed and struck Him on the head. ³¹ And when they had mocked Him, they took the robe off Him, put His *own* clothes on Him, and led Him away to be crucified.

"It hurts bad on your leg, you might need to give it a rub, if you run into it this sharp plant called _____"

Answer: Bush or Devil's club (Thorns)

8. John 19:16-18

¹⁶ Then he delivered Him to them to be crucified. Then they took Jesus [d] and led *Him* away. ¹⁷ And He, bearing His cross, went out to a place called *the Place* of a Skull, which is called in Hebrew, Golgotha, ¹⁸ where they crucified Him, and two others with Him, one on either side, and Jesus in the center.

John 20:24-25

²⁴ Now Thomas, called the Twin, one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ The other disciples therefore said to him, "We have seen the Lord." So he said to them, "Unless I see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe."

"It's used for construction after you've made all the plans, these were the things driven in Jesus' hands"

Answer: Nails

9. John 19:32-34

³² Then the soldiers came and broke the legs of the first and of the other who was crucified with Him. ³³ But when they came to Jesus and saw that He was already dead, they did not break His legs. ³⁴ But one of the soldiers pierced His side with a spear, and immediately blood and water came out.

"Let your parents help you grab this, look out for your life! Don't run and get this because it is a _____" (Knife) CAREFULL!!!!

Knife (Spear)

10. Matthew 27:59-60

⁵⁹ When Joseph had taken the body, he wrapped it in a clean linen cloth, ⁶⁰ and laid it in his new tomb which he had hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a large stone against the door of the tomb, and departed.

"It's clean as snow and white as wool, it might be in a closet, don't be a sloth- go and get a white linen or cloth"

White linen or cloth

11. Matthew 28:2-4

Now after the Sabbath, as the first *day* of the week began to dawn, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary came to see the tomb. ² And behold, there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and came and rolled back the stone ³ from the door, and sat on it. ³ His countenance was like lightning, and his clothing as white as snow. ⁴ And the guards shook for fear of him, and became like dead *men*.

"On the runway or beach or maybe at home, go outside and find a round _____"

Answer: Round stone

12. Matthew 28:5-6

⁵ But the angel answered and said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. ⁶ He is not here; for He is risen, as He said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay. ⁷ And go quickly and tell His disciples that He is risen from the dead, and indeed He is going before you into Galilee; there you will see Him. Behold, I have told you."

⁸ So they went out quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to bring His disciples word.

"There's one thing that's left, that you won't be able to see.

He's not here, He has risen, go look up to the sky, the grave is empty!"

Answer: Nothing/sky

Parents: It's now a great time to look at your 'collection' and remember Jesus' life, death and resurrection with your family! Each of these are symbols of His love for each of us. Remember to encourage each other with this.

Happy Easter!!!