

## OPWARD BUND



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1st Event	Singing and skit	The Surprising Journey Luke 1:26-38, 2:1-7 Storyteller: Gabriel the Angel Main Theme: In the most wonderful and surprising journey ever taken, God the Son purposed with God the Father and God the Holy Spirit to leave the glories of Heaven to become a little baby in this broken world to rescue sinful people.	Philippians 2:9  "Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name"  Present Day 2 of Crossover to Life Gospel Presentation	The Recreation Manual has some great ideas for games that go with the theme. Look through them and see what works in your context and space	Upward Bound Backpack  Decorate a canvas backpack that VBS gear can be carried in.	There are fun hiking themed ideas in the guide or go simple and serve simple snacks that everyone will love and enjoy!



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2nd Event	Singing and ski	The Painful Journey Luke 22:47-Luke 23 Storyteller: Simon of Cyrene Main Theme: Jesus' complete obedience to the Father and selfless love for us led Him to the Cross where he took our sins on Himself and died the painful death we deserved.	Philippians 2:10  "so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth"  Present Day 3 of Crossover to Life Gospel Presentation		Philippians 2:9-11 Picture Frame Encourage backpackers to memorize the Scripture passage.	
3rd Event	Singing and skit	The Joy of the Journey Luke 24:1-12; Luke 24:50-53 Storyteller: Mary Magdelene Main Theme: Jesus rose from the dead, conquering it forever, and returned to Heaven as the victorious God-man, where He reigns as King and Lord of all with the "name that is above every name" (Phil. 2:9).	Philippians 2:11  "and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."  Present Day 4 of Crossover to Life Gospel Presentation	The Recreation Manual has some great ideas for games that go with the theme. Look through them and see what works in your context and space	"Focus on Jesus" Binoculars Remind backpackers that when they focus on Jesus, they see God's glory and are helped in their journey.	