101 Agape Ideas

Quick, easy, and inexpensive agape ideas . . . from The Upper Room Discussion Group . . .

- Rainbow mechanical pencils: Write this down: Jesus Loves You!" or "Jesus has signed your heart with his blood." Rainbow mechanical pencils: Write this down: Jesus Loves You!" or "Jesus has signed your heart with matches and a candle: "You are the light of the World!"
- 2. Lighters or matches and a candle: "You are the light of the World!"
- 3. Mending kits: "God fixes everything."
- 4. Soap bubbles: "Let God's love bubble over in you!"
- 5. Jigsaw puzzle pieces either hot glued to a pin back or a card (You can put a piece of magnet strip on the back of the card for a fridge magnet.): "God put it all together for you." Or "Puzzled? Talk to God." Or "Don't let Jesus be your missing piece!" or "If life is a puzzle, turn to the Lord." Or "Now I know in part, then I shall know fully. 1 Corinthians 13:12."
- 6. One-inch wooden disc with clothespin glued to front and a piece of magnet tape on back of clothespin. Decorate disc with a sticker or leave plain. "God can hold it all together!"
- 7. Little notebooks or note pads. "Write this down: Jesus Loves You!"
- 8. Small calendars (wallet size are good): "I am with you always. Jesus"
- 9. Seed packages: "Grow in Christ."
- 10. Life Savers: "Jesus is the real life saver!"
- 11. Small rulers: "Measure your life in Christ." Or "Jesus Rules!"
- 12. Emory board or small piece of sand paper on a card: "Jesus can smooth away all our rough edges!"
- 13. Nail on a card. "Need an eternal fix? Try John 3:16."
- 14. Butterfly anything: "God changes things."
- 15. Diaper pin: "God can change even the worst of things."
- 16. Earth magnet or pins or erasers: "Jesus: Don't leave earth without Him!"
- 17. Maps or compasses: "Jesus is the way" or "Lost? Talk to God" or "Need directions? Talk to the Father." Or "Lost? Follow the Son."
- 18. Magnifying glass: "See everything clearly with Christ" or "Let your faith be magnified." Or "If they dusted your Bible for fingerprints, would they find any fresh ones? Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path. Psalm 119:105."
- 19. Small bars of soap: "God can make all things clean."
- 20. Dinosaur eggs (the little capsules that hatch a dinosaur when soaked in hot water) or small plastic figures: Even when God was dealing with these guys, He was thinking of You! Card should include hatching directions if you use the capsules.
- 21. Emergency rain ponchos: "When life gives you rain, God gives you rainbows!"
- 22. Safety pin with brightly colored beads on it: "God will help you hold it all together."
- 23. Yo-yos: "God will be there though all your ups and downs."