

GLOW STICK OBJECT LESSON

Use this glow stick object lesson before or after your [Glow Night Halloween alternative event](#), anytime you teach about missions or Matthew 5:14-16, or at any other glow event you host! Learn more about the Glow Night Halloween alternative event [here](#).

Supplies Needed: Glow Stick, Bible

Scripture: Matthew 5:14-16

Object Lesson:

Say: **Have you ever been inside a dark room?** *(Have someone turn off lights in the area you're in).* **It is nearly impossible to see anything! For the first few moments you're in the dark, and your eyes aren't adjusted, you can barely see the hand in front of you!**

When you are in a dark room, the smallest amount of light can make a difference. *(Crack glow stick and hold it up)* **If all the lights were on, this glow stick wouldn't seem like much! But in a dark room like this one, the glow stick shines bright.** *(Turn lights back on if you wish)*

In Matthew 5:14-16, Jesus says this in the Sermon on the Mount:

"You are the light of the world - like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp and then puts it under a basket. Instead, a lamp is placed on a stand, where it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see; so that everyone will praise your Heavenly Father." (NLT)

When we follow Jesus, we are called to be light in this world! Sometimes, we may feel insignificant - like our light doesn't matter. But, just like this glow stick, in a world that is filled with darkness, even the smallest light can make a difference.

(Connect this lesson to your event, service project, lesson, or glow event.)

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