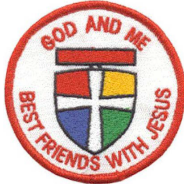


RELIGIOUS SQUARE KNOT COURSE 2023



GRADES 1-3

Children will become best friends with Jesus and tell their story of "God and Me" together.



GRADES 4-5

The God and Family program will help children understand the importance of family and God's role in a healthy family.

Cub Scouts
Boy Scouts
Girl Scouts
Venturing
Parents
All Students



GRADES 6-8

The God and Church program will be a journey to meet Jesus, worship God, and witness and minister for Christ.



GRADES 9-12

The God and Life study is based on the life of Apostle Paul as recorded in Acts 9: 1-31.

July 18-21(Tues-Fri) and Aug 1-4 (Tues-Fri)

**Students attend both weeks to earn Religious Emblem Award*

5:30PM-7:00PM

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

31143 NICOLAS RD.

TEMECULA, CA 92591

COST: \$52/scout or student (non-refundable) Includes: Bible, class workbook, supplies, Religious Square Knot Patch, certificate, medal award and pizza party!

**Parents are welcome to drop off their child or sit in the class with their child at no cost.*

ADULT MENTOR PROGRAM \$33/parent (non-refundable) for those who wish to attend the course with their child and receive credit. Mentoring parents will be provided a mentor workbook to complete as they work side-by-side with their child each day of the course. Mentors will receive a certificate and pin award.

Follow this two-step process to register and pay:



[Click here](#) to register your student for classes.



After you have registered your student, [click here](#) to pay.
Adult Mentors can [click here](#) to register.

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Troop 384 Religious Square Knot Program Frequently Asked Questions

The most frequently asked question is “Our family doesn’t go to church regularly. Is it okay for our son or daughter to attend?”

Absolutely. Our program is perfect for students who haven’t been exposed to the Bible or don’t regularly attend church. Students will get an introduction to the Bible and the Good News of God’s promises. In 2022, more than half of our students did not worship regularly or have a home church. It’s a great introduction to the Christian faith.

Conversely, students who regularly attend church will find the curriculum and discussion engaging and challenging. Involvement in the classes includes studying passages in the Bible and learning how they apply to your family, church, and life.

What is BSA Religious Emblem Program?

The religious emblems programs are programs created by the various churches and denominations to encourage youth to grow stronger in their faith. The faith organizations and churches-not BSA- have created their own religious emblem program. BSA allows scouts to earn and wear their Religious Square Knot patch on their uniform.

Troop 384’s summer program is for families or scouts that practice in Protestant or non-denominational Christian faiths. We follow the [PRAY curriculum](#). We host seven classes and an awards ceremony where scouts receive their medallions for the class they completed, a certificate, and their Religious Knot Patch for their uniform.

We are going on a family vacation and will have to miss two days. Can we still sign up?

Yes! If you miss a few days of class due to scheduling, that is fine. The student will have to make up the work in the workbooks to the satisfaction of the teacher to earn the award. Please have good communication with your teacher so he or she can be sure you have the tools necessary to make up missed work.

Do you have to earn all four classes to earn the Scout Religious Emblem Award?

No. To earn the Religious Emblem Award or the Religious Square Knot, a scout needs to complete one course as a scout (either cub or Scout BSA). However, most scouts return to earn the different medals from the different courses.

What is the Four Star Award?

The Four Star Award is for students who have earned the four core P. R. A.Y awards (ie God and Me, God and Family, God in Church, and God in Life) in the correct order while in the appropriate grade. These students will be recognized at the Award Ceremony with an additional Four Star pin. It is very rare with less than 1% of the students earning it.

Will the Adult Mentors earn the Adult Religious Emblem Award by signing up as a mentor?

No. The Adult Religious Emblem Award is more complex. It requires the adult leader's church to nominate them for the award and has a few more requirements. You will get a mentor pin that you can wear on your adult uniform, but it isn't the BSA Adult Religious Emblem Award or Square Knot. More information on that adult award can be found [here](#).

Is there an award ceremony?

Yes! On the last day, Friday, August 4th we gather with Troop 384's Adult Chaplin, Patrick Hachee to celebrate the scouts' accomplishments, recognize our teachers and helpers and celebrate with a pizza party. Your entire family is invited to celebrate this important accomplishment. More details to follow on this fun celebration.