

## **The Secret of the Wild Forest (EPA Afternoon Programme 6)**

The idea of this EPA afternoon is to continue with the story of The Secret of the Wild Wood, having adventures with Ruth and Philip and making a connection so we are ready to give it our all, however small.

Introduction ( The Sacrifice) We begin our EPA afternoon with a skit in two examples. It is about how a woman needs help. In the first case they mistreat her and in the second case they help her.

We continued with a pocket game.

### Story

We start by reviewing what has happened so far with Ruth and Philip and continue by telling the story.

### Game

The game would be nice to be related to the theme. You can be creative.

### Praise and sharing

We continue with praise and sharing. Sharing was with the key message "Be willing to give all because Jesus gave more for you" and used the passage Mark 12:41-44.

### A verse to remember

The verse to remember is Hebrews 13:16. You can be creative in the way you set the verse and in the way you present it to the children. This way, children will quickly and easily understand and learn the verse.

### A treat

The treat can be of your choice. Again, it can be something creative or something related to the theme.

### Home

The time has come when we will complete the homework we had. You gather with the children and place all the things they have prepared in the middle. You could ask questions such as "Which one of you had 6z this week?" or "Which one of you helped with the washing up at home this week?". When the children have answered you can give one of the children the opportunity to draw something and so continue with the questions until everyone has drawn something.

Creativity

Creativity can be of your choice. It can be related to the topic or to the upcoming Nativity celebration.

Conclusion