

Treasure #1 "Buried"

Micah 7: 18,19 Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgression of the remnant of his inheritance? You do not stay angry forever but delight to show mercy. You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea.

Treasure #2 Better than gold or silver

Proverbs 16:16 How much better to get wisdom than gold, to choose understanding rather than silver!

Treasure #3 Give all you have to gain the pearl.

Matthew 13:45,46 "Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant looking for fine pearls. When he found one of great value, he went away and sold everything he had and bought it.

Treasure #4 The joy of searching.

Psalm 126: 5,6 Those who sow in tears will reap with songs of joy. He who goes out weeping, carrying seed to sow, will return with songs of joy, carrying sheaves with him.

Treasure #5 Longing for God's presence

Psalm 42:1 As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, O God.

Treasure #6 Seeking the lost

Luke 19:10 For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost."

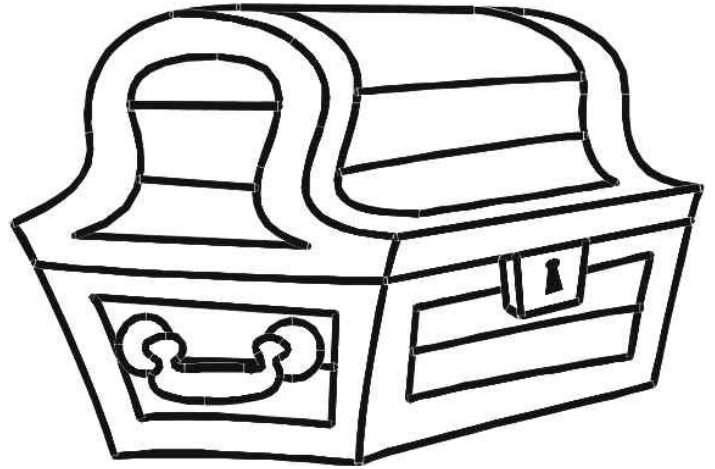
Treasure #7 Seek first the Kingdom of God

Matthew 6:31-33 So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

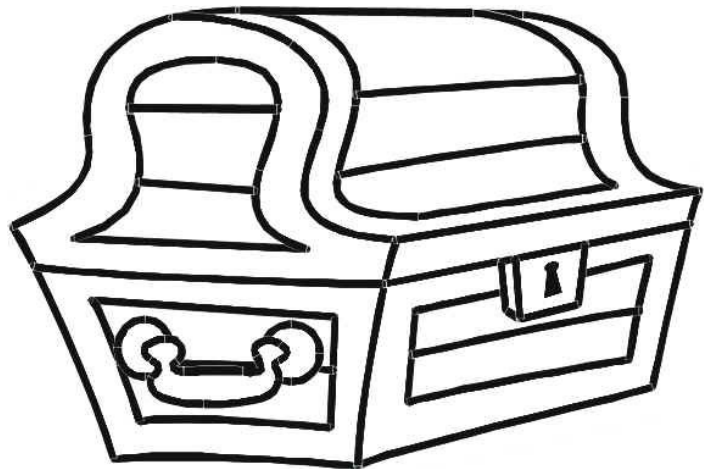
Treasure #8 Everything on earth is like chasing the wind

Ecclesiastes 1:12-17 I, the Teacher, was king over Israel in Jerusalem. I devoted myself to study and to explore by wisdom all that is done under heaven. What a heavy burden God has laid on men! I have seen all the things that are done under the sun; all of them are meaningless, a chasing after the wind. What is twisted cannot be straightened; what is lacking cannot be counted. I thought to myself, "Look, I have grown and increased in wisdom more than anyone who has ruled over Jerusalem before me; I have experienced much of wisdom and knowledge." Then I applied myself to the understanding of wisdom, and also of madness and folly, but I learned that this, too, is a chasing after the wind.

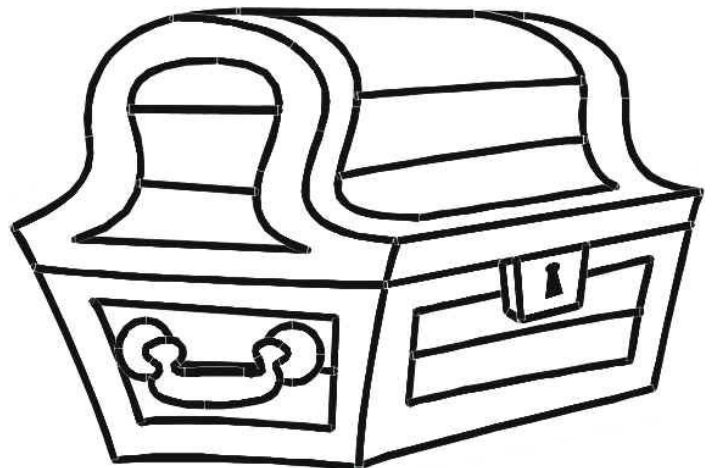
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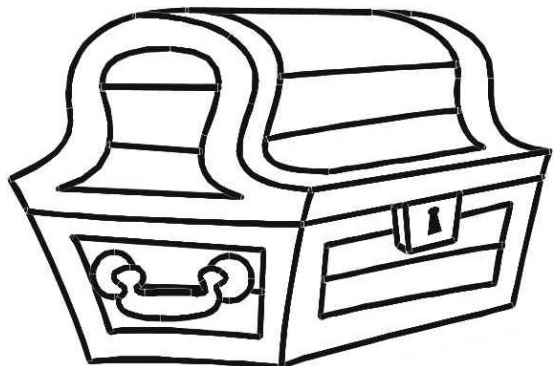
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Family Treasure Hunt

Do Not open until Instructed

Hidden in the park are 8 “treasures”; Gems taken from God’s word. They are hidden in plastic boxes with pink lids. Your mission is to use the clues inside to find as many as possible. Here Are the rules.

1. All members of your family must participate together.
2. Your team must stay together at all times.
3. Each team must have AT LEAST 5 members. If your family is too small, you must find additional members, or work with another family.
4. Use the clues inside this booklet to find as many treasures as you can.
5. You must start with the clue that is circled. When that treasure is found, you may then look for other treasures in any order you wish.
6. You need to put the treasure boxes back where you find them, then walk away from that area quickly.
7. A different person must read each treasure out loud to your team before you go find the next treasure.

Clues to Find The Treasures

Treasure #1—It’s Fair to say, this treasure’s clue may have you stumped.

Treasure #2—One in the hand is worth #2 in the bush. Keep your eye on the goals.

Treasure #3—Michigan has 2 of them connected by a bridge. Florida has one of them with a pan-handle. Rayner Park has one, too, and the treasure is on it.

Treasure #4—If you lean on the sign near this treasure, you can see a hill you’ll never climb.

Treasure #5—Leaving the park is something you hate, but I won’t let you out if you leave too late!

Treasure #6—Find this treasure where the ogre found Princess Fiona in the movie SHREK, even though she didn’t have really, really, really long hair.

Treasure #7—Watch out for road apples, The hiding place for this treasure is the pits.

Treasure #8—Gotta go, gotta go, gotta go right now. This treasure is guarded by a Troll who has to “go” a lot.