



## Comparison



### **THE P.R.A.Y. PROGRAM**

God and Me, God and Family, God and Church,  
God and Life, Adult Mentor Program

### **BIBLE BASICS RP3**

*The Good Book, Out of the Water, Birds of  
the Air, Boulders, Tents and Shelters, Holes*

The P.R.A.Y. Program is a religious emblems program.  
This is P.R.A.Y.'s core work/study program.

*Bible Basics RP3 is a patch series designed to complement  
and support the P.R.A.Y. Program Series.*

Programs are restricted by grade level. Students can only  
participate in the program for their appropriate grade.

*All ages are included (even adults). The same lesson  
includes questions for younger children, older youth, and  
adults. There are no age/grade restrictions.*

The younger awards generally take 4-6 weeks to com-  
plete. The older awards can take 3-4 months or longer.

*Lessons are shorter. Each patch presents 3 Bible stories.  
Patches can be completed in 3 sessions or in 3 hours.*

Student Workbooks, Counselor Manuals, and Mentor  
Workbooks must be purchased.

*The curriculum is available online for free.*

Students are required to record their answers in their  
workbooks.

*Lessons are discussion-based. Students may record their  
answers in a notebook, but it is not required.*

The curriculum lends itself to a series of lessons in a  
classroom setting.

*Many of the patches have an outdoor theme which makes  
it conducive to weekend outings at camp.*

The final review must be conducted by the pastor.

*The pastor's signature is not required. Parents and  
leaders may facilitate and sign off on the requirements.*

Awards can only be ordered through a registration process  
after all the requirements have been completed.

*Patches can be ordered any time. They do not require an  
application/registration form.*

P.R.A.Y. keeps a national registry of all award recipients.

*P.R.A.Y. does not keep a registry of patch recipients.*

The P.R.A.Y. awards qualify members of BSA to receive the  
religious square knot.

*Bible Basics RP3 patches do not qualify members of the  
BSA to receive the religious square knot.*

The P.R.A.Y. Program is for members of Protestant and  
Independent Christian churches.

*The Bible patches may be earned by anybody interested in  
reading the Bible.*

***Tools for Christian Education, Discipleship, and Evangelism!***