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PUMPKIN CARVING PRAYER

Dear God,
As I carve my pumpkin help me say this prayer:

Open my mind so I can learn about You;
(Cut the top of the pumpkin)

Take away all my sin and forgive me for the wrong things I do.
(Clean out the inside)

Open my eyes so Your love I will see;
(Cut the eyes out in heart shapes)

I'm so sorry for turning up my nose to all you've given me.
(Cut a nose in the shape of a cross)

Open my ears so your word I will hear.
(Cut the ears shaped like the Bible-we did rectangles)

Open my mouth so I can tell others You're near
(Cut the mouth in the shape of a fish)

Let Your light shine in all I say and do! Amen.
(Place a candle inside and light it)



Five little pumpkins
sitting on a gate;

The first one said,
"Oh my it's getting
late."

The second one said,
"There are witches
in the air."

The third one said,
"But I don't care."

The fourth one said,
"I'm ready for some
fun!"

The fifth one said,
"Let's run and run
and run."
"Wooooooo" went the
wind,

And out went the
lights.

And the five little
pumpkins rolled out
of sight.





MAKE YOUR OWN FACE PAINT

Here's a simple recipe for face paint you can make at home:

- 3 1/2 tsp. corn starch
- 1 tsp. water
- 1 tsp. cold cream
- food coloring

Mix the ingredients in a muffin tin, one color per cup. Use fine paint brushes to paint lines, logos, clown features, Christian symbols and the like on faces. Make sure you put cold cream on your face beforehand. Removal is easy: just use more cold cream.

Pumpkins & Jesus

P is for the people that Jesus came to save

U is for the unconditional love to each one He gave

M is for the message that we should all be sharing

P is for the priceless gift God above showed he is caring

K is for the King of Kings

I is for insight He brings

N is for the nails in His hands

S is for our Savior who gave His life so that we could stand.

So when you see a pumpkin don't think about some guy named Jack. Instead remember Jesus Christ, Lord of Lords, who is one day coming back.

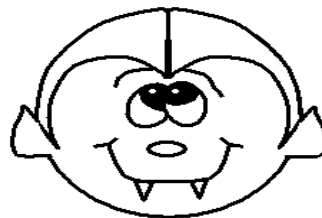
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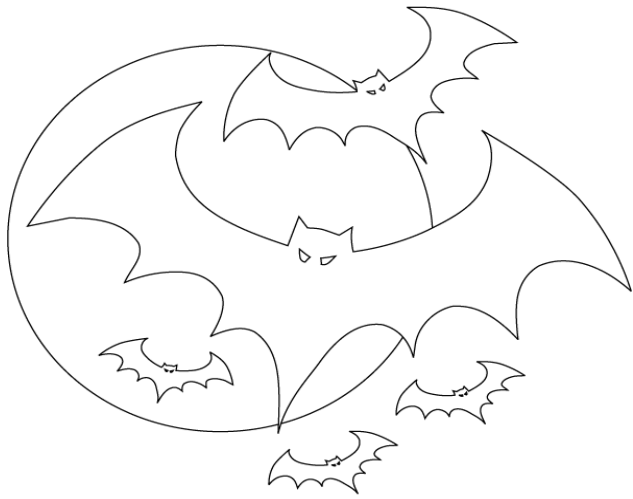
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