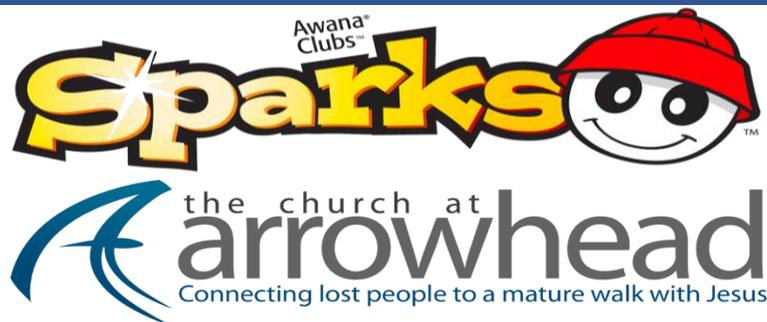


Wednesday, January 26th, 2021



SPARKS

Weekly Club Guide

Songs: [The AWANA Song](#) | [The Sparks Song](#) (click to watch)

Lesson 18: [“Missions – Burkina Faso”](#) (click to watch)

Main Idea: Burkina Faso is a place on the western side of north Africa. Children there are a lot like you! Koratimi is a girl from Burkina Faso who goes to AWANA. She follows Jesus no matter what.

Key Verse: “For I am not ashamed of the Gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes.”
Romans 1:16a

Ask These Questions:

1. **How did Koratimi hear about AWANA?** (Koratimi heard about AWANA because her little sister, Aisha, went to AWANA first. Aisha had so much fun learning about God that she wanted Koratimi to come, too.)
2. **What happened when Koratimi and Aisha started going to AWANA?** (Because their parents did not believe in God, they did not want Koratimi and Aisha to go to AWANA. They punished them every time they went. But Koratimi and Aisha kept going to AWANA even though they were punished for it.)
3. **Why did Koratimi and Aisha keep going to AWANA?** (They went because they had accepted Jesus. They loved learning about Jesus so much that it was worth being punished. Their love for God mattered more than anything else. They knew that going to AWANA would help them know God better, because they would hear about the Bible and meet other Christian friends.)
4. **Did God help Koratimi and Aisha?** (Yes! God changed the parents’ hearts. Eventually, Koratimi and Aisha convinced their parents that AWANA was a good thing. Their parents saw how much God mattered to them and believed that learning about the Bible was right. They stopped punishing Koratimi and Aisha!)
5. **Would you want to go to church even if it was hard? Why?** (Hopefully, your children say they would go to church no matter what. Even if it is dangerous, God and His people should matter most of all!)

Try This Activity:

Have your clubber(s) **hold a church service in the yard**, just like Koratimi might have. They can **use chairs and decorations** to set up a nice area for the “service.” They might pick their favorite Bible verse to **read, sing** two worship songs (Jesus Loves Me, Jesus Loves the Little Children, This Little Light, etc.), **pray** for Koratimi and her family, and then end the service with a **fun race** around the yard! **Ask** them what **their favorite part** of church is. **Ask** them what they think the **most important part** of church is.

Take a second to post about your night in the [AWANA Facebook group!](#)