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Ritual

A newly ranked Eagle Scout lights the candles representing the 12 Scout laws:

A scout must be trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.

In this ritual, he demonstrates to the younger scouts

what he has so carefully learned from those who went before him;

A man's character is shaped by the principles that he holds in his heart as important.

Integrity. Virtue. Heroism.

The purpose of rituals is to teach timeless truths to the next generation;

We are imagebearers of God and are called to a higher standard.

"Walk as children of light (for the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness, righteousness, and truth), finding out what is acceptable to the Lord." Ephesians 5:8b-10