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Do all of the following requirements (1-6)

- ____ 1. Explain how the low-impact camping method (See *The Trailman's Handbook*) relates to fires and helps fulfill the Trailman Oath to "be a good steward of creation."
- ____ 2. Research what the Bible says about fire.
 - ____ a. List at least three instances of fire in the Bible.
 - ____ b. How is fire a curse and a blessing to mankind?
 - ____ c. Read Exodus 3:2, Judges 13:20, Hebrews 12:29, Acts 2:3-4. How does God use fire to describe his presence, passion, and purity in the Bible?
- ____ 3. How did man's ability to start, sustain, and control fire change the world?
- ____ 4. Fire safety
 - ____ a. Explain the use of buckets, rakes, and shovels in containing a campfire in a certain location.
 - ____ b. Describe safe places to have a campfire, how to learn local regulations, and how to set up a fire circle.
 - ____ c. Describe safe vs. unsafe clothing near campfires and open flames.
 - ____ d. Describe safe vs. unsafe behavior around a campfire.
 - ____ e. Demonstrate how to put out fire on your clothing, hair, or body.
 - ____ f. Demonstrate safe striking of stick and book matches and safe use of a lighter.
- ____ 5. Fire materials
 - ____ a. Explain the use and purpose of tinder, kindling, and fuel firewood.
 - ____ b. Explain why wet, green, or ant/vine-covered wood is unsafe and not good for fires.
 - ____ c. Describe several types of fire starters that can be made or purchased.
- ____ 6. Fire building
 - ____ a. Demonstrate building at least three different fire-lays and explain when you would use each one.
 - ____ b. Light one of the fire lays, attend it, and keep it burning.
 - ____ c. When finished with the fire, demonstrate the proper way to extinguish it to dead out.

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