

GUESS MY STATE: HOW TO PUT YOUR TRACT TOGETHER AND SHARE JESUS

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1. Print the two pages of the tract so that they are on one page-- front and back. This is a free tract to print and use. Print as needed.
2. Cut out the pages by cutting on the 5 dark lines.
3. Arrange the pieces like this:



The page at the top goes on top of the next and then that one on top of the next...Like in the pictures.

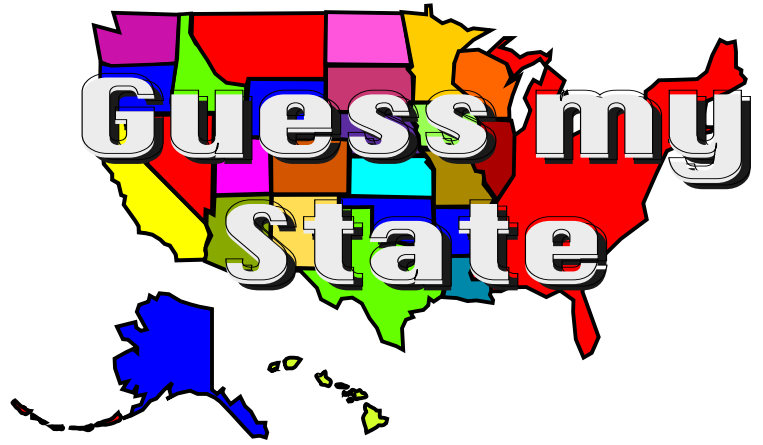


4. Put them together in order. The page numbers are lightly placed so you can make sure. Fold down the middle to make the booklet.



5. Staple together on fold. You may have to gently bend some of one side over to fit if you only have a regular sized stapler. If you do this, make sure you smooth and flatten the pages back out after stapling.
6. Get to know the scriptures and practice sharing Jesus with your church friends. Then take this tract and share with someone. When you share, pray and read it with them if they need help. Trust God with the results, don't force anything. Follow-up if you know the person. You might ask later if they've thought about it more. Another time, you might ask if they have a Bible. Another time, invite them to church... Finally, offer them an opportunity to receive Jesus as their Lord and Savior...this could be on the first day or later if the Holy Spirit shows you that you need to wait. A true, repentant heart is the best test to see if they are ready. If there is no conviction of sin, let God convict them. To see if they are repentant, check to see if they believe they themselves are a sinner. Then ask if their sin makes them sad when they realize they have broken God's laws. If someone thinks they are good enough without Jesus, they are not ready. As you prepare, ask God to help you truly care about the state of everyone's soul...not just friends, but even people you don't like...and those you don't know!

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Your soul can rest easy--God wants to rescue your soul. That's why He's called the Good Shepherd, He wants to rescue and shepherd your soul and mine. When Jesus saw the people, He was sorrowful "(They were) like sheep without a shepherd," Matt 9:36. He saw the lost souls and cared for them. Wanting to save those souls and yours--He completed the work God gave Him to do. He willingly died on a criminal's cross for you...though He was innocent and without sin. He made the ultimate sacrifice giving His life for you and for the sins of the world. John the Baptist said this when he saw Jesus, "Behold, the Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world." Jesus died, was buried and rose again. He bought us back with the price of His own life!

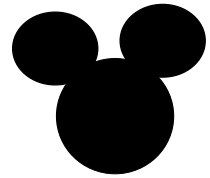
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Guess my birth state:

Clue 1.



Clue 2.



Clue 3. A famous landmark there:



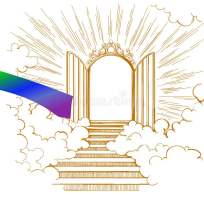
State #2 _____

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Jesus also said, "Repent for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand." Mark 3:2



so you could gain this world...and lose your soul...or you could repent of the things of this world and take hold of HEAVEN!



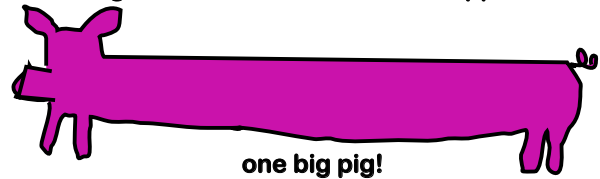
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Guess this state:

Clue 1: The largest wild hog was found here.

Clue 2: Contains the largest swamp in North America.

Clue 3: Largest state east of the Mississippi.



one big pig!

State #4 _____

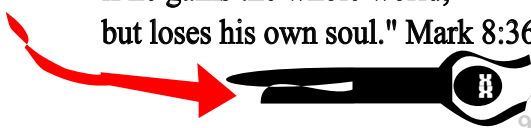
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WHAT state IS your SOUL in?

A soul is: Dead or Alive
Lost or Saved
Bound or Free



These are the words of JESUS:
 "For what does it profit a man if he gains the whole world, but loses his own soul." Mark 8:36



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3. Texas is the second largest state; borders the Gulf of America for over 3K miles; and the King Ranch in south Texas is larger than Rhode Island! It is 825,000 acres or 1,289 square miles making it the largest ranch in the United States. Rhode Island has 1,034 square miles of land.

4. A wild hog that was 9 feet long and 1,100 lbs was killed in Fayette County, GA. The man who shot it wasn't on a hunting trip. It was in his neighbor's front yard! Someone knocked on his door and asked him to get his gun. The Okefenokee Swamp in south GA is the largest swamp in the US. And yes, Georgia is the biggest state east of the Mississippi!



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Three clues to guess my state:

1. Home of Moon Pies and Cotton Candy.



2 The world's largest population of salamanders live here.



3. About 440 miles long and 120 miles wide.

State #1 _____

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Guess this state:



Clue 1: One of the Biggest

Clue 2: 3,300+ miles of coast line

Clue 3: Contains one ranch that is larger than Rhode Island.

State #3 _____

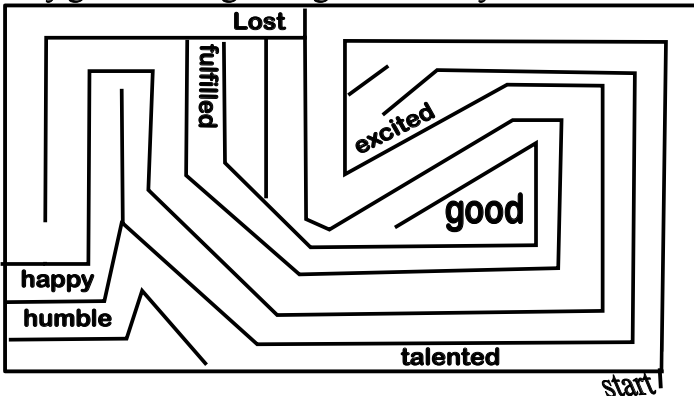
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Did you guess the right state?

1. Tennessee: a dentist in Nashville, TN invented cotton candy in 1897. Moon Pies were created in a Chattanooga bakery in 1917 when KY coal miners requested a snack as big as the moon. AND the TN Great Smoky Mountains are home to more salamanders than anywhere else in the world!
2. California: Home of beaches, Disney Land and the Golden Gate Bridge!

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I am going to guess your state...follow the maze to see my guess...I am guessing the state of your soul.



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There is no GUESSING When you put your faith in Him.

"I have written these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life."

1John 5:13

How is someone born again? It is the work of God.

God draws people to Himself and brings them to repent and believe in Jesus. His perfect son, Jesus, died on the cross and rose again for you. If God has made you ready to be saved, turn your heart to Him and humbly ask God for forgiveness and salvation. Truly allow Jesus to be Lord of your life and begin walking with Him daily. Only He can Change the STATE of a SOUL!

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ARE YOU READY TO MOVE?

You must be born into a different state

"...Unless a man is born again, he will not see the kingdom of Heaven."

John 3:3b



You must be re-born, not in sin...but into the Righteousness of Christ!

Then you can stand before God and live!

1 John 2:29, "If you know that He is righteous, you know that everyone who practices righteousness is born of Him."

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Every soul on earth is in a bad state...we are born in this state

Romans 6:23 says, "The wages of sin is death..."

We all sin...and deserve death...this is the bad news. But the Good News is the next part of that verse, "But the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord!"

You see every soul is eternal and lives in a certain state: either dead apart from God, or living forever with Jesus!

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I'm guessing you are one of many lost souls.

But do you really want to play guessing games with the state of your soul? **NO!** Sin leaves every soul lost...if you are lost, you are not alone. Isaiah 54:6a says, "All of us like sheep have gone astray." That means we've all wandered away from God, the Good Shepherd, and are lost. We were actually born apart from God because of sin that was passed down to us...sin is part of our human nature.

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