PARENT GUIDE

EPISODE 2, VOLUME 2:
WHY THE FIREFLY SHINES AT NIGHT
VIRTUE: COURAGE

VIRTUE VERSE

Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me

– John 14:1

QUESTIONS FROM MISTER CRICKET

1. Phillip Cooper and Hardy Banks made fun of Zeke for being afraid of the water. However, both of them were also afraid of things, too. What were they afraid of? And why do you think they poked fun at Hardy?

2. In Mister Cricket's story, Ernie Alabaster was the hero who did something very courageous. What was it? And what did it cost him?

3. Life is full of things that frighten us. Admitting our fears is the first step toward conquering them. Can you think of anything you are afraid of?

4. At the end of today's fire fable, we find Zeke Tart in Mister Cricket's pocket, about to step off into the deep end of Hampton Slough. What do you think Zeke Tart was feeling at the moment? Do you think it turned out well for him––or not so well? Why?

5. Today's bible verse tells us what to do when we're afraid. What should we do?