

The boys and girls in a family have the job to get something to burn on the fire. But what did they look for to burn?

This was not an easy job in Israel. Wood was far too valuable to be burned. So the children looked for these things to burn -

Straw

Dried grasses and leaves or twigs

Dried twigs from bushes especially thorn bushes

Sun-dried animal chips from the camel and oxen. These burned like charcoal with a clean, hot, flame and little smoke.

Charcoal

What do you think Jesus used for the fire in John 21:9?