Ten Little Ladies

Tune: Ten Little Indians

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One little, two little, three little ladies (Hold up your fingers as you count.)
Four little, five little, six little ladies
Seven little, eight little, nine little ladies
Ten with lamps shining brightly.

Five little ladies brought enough oil. (Smile very big and hold up five fingers.)
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Five lamps kept on shining. (Wiggle fingers to indicate a shining light.)

Five little ladies ran out of oil. (Look sad while hold up the opposite hand)
Five little ladies ran out of oil.
Five little ladies ran out of oil.
They were left in darkness. (Close hand in a fist to indicate darkness.)

The bridegroom came and the first five were ready. (Hold up the first five.)
Five went in and they were happy. (Move hand to indicate going in.)
The other five were not there waiting. (Hold up the second five fingers again.)
They were seeking oil. (Shake head sadly.)

Jesus wants us to be ready. (Hold up the first five again.)
Jesus wants us to be ready.
Jesus wants us to be ready.
So let your light shine brightly. (Wiggle fingers to indicate a shining light.)

Parents: Please help your child(ren) learn to sing this song, as we will be using it again next week. Thanks!

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