

Reduce The Risk Of A Tragic Accident:

At the 2010 BLIA Annual Meeting Chris Gondeck gave a presentation regarding Boating Safety & Etiquette. (To read the list of guidelines Chris presented, please go to *Boating Safety & Etiquette* under *Cool Stuff*.)

Chris also mentioned that he has a solar powered light on his swimming raft to reduce the risk of a nighttime accident. **What a wonderful (and easy to do) idea!** Reflective tape is useless unless a boater shines a light on the raft.....and, unfortunately, safety may not be foremost on the minds of all nighttime boaters.



You can buy these solar powered lights for as little as \$3.00 at Target (I got this one in a box of 4 for \$19.99) and three clamps and screws cost \$1.70 at ACE. Installation took minutes.

I'm sure it can be done better, but this should suffice.

For about 5 bucks you may save a life. **Why live with the risk???**

Thanks, Chris, for a potentially lifesaving suggestion!

Paul