

for 1 year of weekly classes)
for 2 groups:
ages 5-8 and 9-12



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# **People Who Met Jesus**

# **Purpose of This Course**

- To become acquainted with people who came in contact with Jesus.
- To see how each person or group of persons reacted to Jesus.
- To try to discover why each person or group of persons reacted as they did.
- To see how people today are reacting in the same ways for the same reasons.
- For each student to examine his own reaction to Jesus.
- This series of lessons should bring home the fact that we cannot escape from reaction to Jesus and that what we do with Him, to Him, and for Him are the most important things in all of life.

# Organization of This Course

There are materials for two age groups, 5-8 and 9-12 year-olds.

This course of 52 lessons is divided into 5 parts:

- 1. Family and Friends
- 2. Disciples
- 3. People Jesus Taught
- 4. People For Whom Jesus Did a Miracle
- 5. Leaders and People in Authority

One person or group of persons is considered in each lesson.

Each part has a review lesson.

The last lesson is a review of the entire course.

All scriptures are from the New King James Version.

# PART 1 -- Family and Friends

1. Mary, Jesus' mother-- Luke 1:26-38; 2:1-7.

(Matt. 12:46-50; Lu. 11:27-28; John 19:25-27; Acts 1:14.)

- 2. Joseph, Jesus' stepfather -- Matt. 1:18-25; Luke 2:1-7; Matt. 2:13-15,19-23; 13:55; John 6:42.
- 3. The shepherds -- Luke 2:1-20.
- 4. The wise men -- Matt. 2:1-12.
- 5. Simeon and Ana in the temple -- Luke 2:21-35; 36-38.
- 6. John the Baptizer -- Matt. 3:1-17; 11:10-15; 14:1-12; Luke 7:18-28; John 1:15-36; 3:22-36.
- 7. Jesus' brothers -- Matt. 13:55,56; John 7:1-10 (Psalm 69:8); Acts 1:14.
- 8. Mary and Martha -- Lu. 10:38-42; John 11:1-45; 12:1-8.
- 9. Lazarus -- John 11 and John 12:1-19..
- 10. Review Part 1.

# PART 2 -- Disciples

- **11.** Simon Peter -- John 1:40-42; Matt. 4:18-20; 16:13-24;17:1-8; 26:31-75 (with John 18:10,11); John 21:1-19.
- 12. John -- Mk. 1:19-20; 3:14-17; 10:35-45; John 18:15,16; 19:25-27; 20:1-10.
- 13. Andrew -- John 1:35-42; Matt. 4:18-20; Lu. 6:14; John 6:8-9.
- 14. Philip -- John 1:43-46; John 6:5-7; John 12:20-23; 14:8-9.
- **15.** Matthew (Levi) -- Matt. 9:9-13; Lu. 5:27-32; Mk. 2:14-17; Matt 10:3. **16.** Judas Iscariot -- Lu. 6:13-16; John 12:3-6; Matt. 26:14-16, 21-25, 47-50; 27:1-5; Acts 1:15-20.
- 17. Nathanael -- John 1:45-51.
- **18.** Thomas -- Matt. 10:2-4; John 11:16; 14:1-7; 20:19-29.
- 19. The women -- Lu. 8:1-3; 23:46-49, 55-56; 24:1-12.
- 20. Saul called Paul -- Acts 7:54 to 8:3; 9:1-22.
- 21. Review Part 2.

# PART 3 -- People Jesus Taught

- 22. Teachers in the Temple -- #1--Luke 2:41-52; #2--John 2:13-16.
- 23. The Nazarenes -- Luke 4:16-30; Matt. 13:54-58; Mk. 6:1-6.
- 24. The multitudes -- Matt. 4:23 to 8:1 and others.
- 25. Samaritan woman -- John 4:1-43.
- 26. Zacchaeus -- Luke 19:1-10.
- 27. Rich young ruler -- Matt. 19:16-26; Mk. 10:17-27; Luke 18:18-27.
- 28. Simon the Pharisee -- Luke 7:36-50.
- 29. The 5,000 who were fed -- John 6:5-66 with Matt. 14:21.
- **30.** The 2 criminals on the crosses -- Luke 23:32,33, 39-43.
- 31. The 2 men on the road to Emmaus -- Luke 24:13-36.
- 32. Review Part 3.

# PART 4 -- People For Whom Jesus Did a Miracle

- 33. Mary Magdalene -- Lu. 8:2-3; John 19:25; 20:1-18.
- 34. Three men who asked for healing for someone else:

#1--Nobleman for his son -- John 4:46-53.

#2--Jairus for his daughter -- Mark 5:22-24, 35-43.

#3--Centurion for a sick servant -- Matt. 8:5-13.

- 35. The ten lepers -- Luke 17:11-19.
- **36.** Legion -- Mark 5:1-20.
- **37.** The boy with a lunch -- John 6:1-13 with Matt. 14:21.
- 38. Man born blind -- John 9.
- 39. Syro-Phoenician Greek Woman of Canaan -- Matt. 15:21-28; Mark 7:24-30.
- 40. Bartimaeus -- Mark 10:46-52.
- 41. Review Part 4.

# PART 5 -- Leaders and People in Authority

- 42. Two Kings Herod
  - #1- King Herod the Great -- Matt. 2:1-23.
  - #2- King Herod Antipas -- Luke 3:1,19,20; Matt. 14:1-12; Luke 9:7-9; 23:6-12.
- 43. Pilate -- Matt. 27:1,2,11-26; 62-66; Lu. 23:1-7;13-25; John 18;28 to 19:16.
- 44. Pharisees Lu. 6:6-11; 13:10-17; Matt. 23:1-33; John 11:43-53.
- 45. Scribes -- Mark 2:1-12; 3:22-30.
- 46. Chief priests (Sadducees) and elders-- Matt. 21:23-27; Matt. 26:14,15 with 27:3; Lu. 22:47-54; Matt. 26:59-68; Mark. 15:1; Matt. 27:12,20-22; Matt. 27:41-43; Matt. 28:11-15; Acts 23:8.
- 47. High priests, Annas and Caiaphas -- John 11:47-53; Matt. 26:3-5; John 18:12-14,19-24; Matt. 26:57-68; Mk. 14:53-65.
- 48. Roman soldiers -- Matt. 27:27-37,54; Mark 15:16-26,39; Lu. 23:36-38,47; John 19:23-24,29-37; Matt. 28:2-4,11-15.
- 49. Nicodemus -- John 3:1-21; 7:32,37-53; 19:38-42.
- 50. Joseph of Arimathea -- Matt 27:57-60; Mk. 15:43-46; Lu. 23:50-53; John 19:38-42.
- 51. Review Part 5.
- **52.** Review the entire course.

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# Teacher's Helps People Who Met Jesus

Included in this packet of 52 lessons:

- 44 pages of Outline and Teacher's Lesson Helps.
- 30 pages of aids for teaching, including:
  - 12 Visual Aid Pictures.
  - 3 Maps: "Where it all Happened;" "The City of Jerusalem;" "The Roman World."
  - 3 Charts: "The Herods;" "Jesus' Family;" "The Apostles."
  - 1 Article: Who Crucified Jesus?
  - 9 pages of pictures: According to the Bible, What is Wrong in This Picture.
  - 2 Posters: I Am Meeting Jesus...; Jesus Died...
- 51 pages of Worksheets for Younger Students -- 5 to 8 year olds.
- 51 pages of Worksheets for Older Students -- 9 to 12 year olds.
  - 2 pages of Extra Things for Worksheets, one for each Younger and Older Students.
  - 4 pages of "Stickers" for the Worksheets.
  - 5 Covers, one for each of the 5 Parts of Worksheets.
- 2 Memory lists.
- 15 pages of Special Activities Ideas, including:
  - 9 pages for Booklet The Things I Have Learned About Jesus for Older Students.
  - 1 page of a Bible Reading Schedule for Older Students.
  - 5 pages of letters for the Name Game.

204 total pages in this packet.

# SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Bible Reading for Older Students

Bible reading as a daily habit is so important in the life of a follower of Jesus. Enclosed is a Schedule for Reading Matthew and Luke in which the Older student each week during the year in which this course is studied will read one chapter of Matthew and after that one of Luke. Each chapter that the student reads has a space for him/her to check it off. The schedule can be cut out and mounted on heavy paper to make it more stable and kept in the student's Bible.

# **Booklet:**

# The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me --

Each Older student needs a copy of the booklet.

The booklets must be prepared ahead of time for use beginning with Lesson #1.

# How to make the booklet:

- 1. Photocopy 1 copy of the 9 pages for each student.
- 2. Cut the pages apart on the broken lines.
- 3. There is a page for each lesson except the review lessons.
- 4. Staple all small pages together for each Part at the upper left corner with the title page for that Part on the front. Covers for Parts 2,3,4, and 5 are on page 9.

# How to use the booklet:

- 1. Each student writes their name on the blank on the cover.
- 2. According to boy or girl they paste the picture found on Extra Things For Older Students
- 3. In each lesson he/she will fill in the blanks of the statement from the lesson that tells something that they need to remember and do because Jesus is God's Wonderful Son and He loves them. Each lesson of these Teacher's Helps has the answer key.

#### Name Game

#### Preparing the game

There are 5 pages of letters in squares, including 10 blank squares. There are no letters Q, K, V, X, F because none of these appear in the names we are using in this course.

1. Paste these pages securely and entirely to light cardboard.

2. Place the pasted pages under a pile of heavy books with wax paper between each sheet until they are thoroughly dry.

3. Cut out all the squares of letters, including the blank ones.

4. Place them in a small box or envelope for safe keeping when the game is not played.

#### Game Rules for Older Students

# The object of the game is to review the lessons, not just to win.

- 1. Pile the mixed up letters in the middle of the table. Face up or face down doesn't matter.
- 2. The teacher gives the students a clue for a name they are to make such as one of these:

Make any name we have studied in this Part or the Parts so far.

Make a "5 letter" (or whatever number) name of someone we have studied.

Make the name of one of the disciples of Jesus.

Make the name of the person who... (give an important clue about the person).

Some of the people's names are not given in the text, so give them a clue word that will identify that person. For example, "someone who gave his lunch," or "a person who keeps sheep," or "the kind of criminal who died with Jesus," and such like.

3. At the word "Go" the students begin picking letters from the pile in order to assemble the letters in the correct order.

4. Blank squares may be used as any letter but only one blank in a name.

5. When a student has completed the name he calls out "NAME."

6. Everyone stops.

- 7. The student reads the name he made.
- 8. The teacher checks on the spelling.

9. The student who called out then must tell something about that person, especially how that person reacted to Jesus.

10. If one or two students are finishing a name first most of the time, give them a handicap such as having to make 2 names. In this way the slower students will be able to participate.

11. You may keep score if you wish but remember winning is not the object of the game.

12. After each word, all letters are returned to the pile and the pile is stirred up.

# Game Rules for the Younger Students

Follow the basic rules above with these exceptions:

On a white board, chalkboard, or large paper, print a name in large all capital letters.

Read the name aloud so the students know whose name they are making.

The students then hunt for letters to match what you have written.

When someone has completed the name, the student then tells something about that person. Taking turns others may also add other things about the person, especially how the person reacted to meeting Jesus.

After each word, all letters are returned to the pile and the pile is stirred up.

# Let's Dress Up and Act Out the Story

Prepare costume pieces, long skirts, head cloths, etc. for the students to use. Students pretend they are (one of the people who met Jesus) and tell how you met Jesus and how they felt about Him.

# WORKSHEETS

Older students can often benefit from material on the Younger Worksheets.

# Pictures on the Worksheets

Please remind the students that the pictures of Jesus and the various people who came in contact with Him are just artists' ideas of what the people looked like. The camera was not invented until many centuries later and artists of that time were not common among the Jews. In fact, most Jews believed that it was sinful to make their likeness, based on the second command of the Ten Commandments. It is important to remember that Jesus was a real man, not a feminine-looking person or a long-haired hippy. Even Isaiah 53:2 says in the famous prophecy about Him, "He has no form or comeliness; And when we see Him, There is no beauty that we should desire Him." There is absolutely no indication in Scripture that He always wore white clothes or had a halo to distinguish Him from everyone else. However, we do know quite a lot about the dress and customs of that time.

#### Talk About--What Kind of People Met Jesus

All kinds of people met Jesus: fishermen, rulers, rich, poor, tax collectors, religious leaders, housewives, married, widows, sinners, the dead, foreigners, Jews, thieves, Gentiles, beggars, mothers, fathers, insane, outcasts, sick, soldiers, kings, a governor, teachers of the law, scribes, priests, women, men, children, a preacher, a carpenter, shepherds, wise men, demon possessed.

#### "Stickers" for Worksheets

In this packet there are 4 pages of "sticker" symbols to represent the reactions of the people to Jesus. Each student in both groups needs a copy of all 4 pages.

The students are to decide which sticker should be put on each worksheet. Many people will need more than one sticker. Each lesson in these Helps will give ideas of which stickers are provided to use but you may choose others.

To apply the stickers to the worksheet use paste, scotch tape, or double-sided scotch tape. To save time the teacher should have a variety of stickers cut out ahead of time especially for Younger students and perhaps also the Older students. Some of the shapes may need to

have the corners trimmed to fit on the worksheets.

# Memory Verses

The Teacher's Helps suggest a Bible verse or verses (which are also on the students' worksheets) that goes with each lesson. If available, it is something that person said to or about Jesus. Otherwise it is something they did to or for Jesus. As time permits learn these verses.

There are also 2 lists of people to memorize -- People in Jesus' Earthly Family and Jesus' Apostles.

# **VISUAL AIDS**

#### **Posters**

- 1. "I Am Meeting Jesus every time I read about Him in the Bible." Post this in an easily viewed place in the room. Refer to it often so the lessons help the students think about their own reaction to Jesus. A good time to refer to it is when they are working on their booklets.
  - 2. "Jesus Died..." This poster fits well in the lessons where listed under Visual Aids.

#### Charts

- 1. **Jesus' Family** is provided to help the students understand that Jesus had half brothers and sisters whose father was Joseph. However, His Father was God by way of the Holy Spirit.
- 2. **The Herods** may be complicated for the students to understand but can be used to show that the Herod family was powerful and very wicked. They are important in the life of Jesus.
  - 3. The Apostles, a chart for the Teacher's Information only. Too complicated for students.

#### **Pictures**

1. A series of pictures about Jesus titled According to the Bible, What is Wrong in This

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**Picture?** Many pictures depicting the life of Jesus, especially His birth have things in them that are not in the Bible and some are actually contrary to what the Bible teaches. These will be used in several lessons.

2. Large pictures: a scroll; papyrus; phylacteries; fringes; the High Priest's garments; spices the Pharisees tithed; the council of the Jews; illustration of 5,000 men; inside synagogue.

#### Maps

Each OLDER student should have a copy of all of these maps.

- 1. Where It All Happened --In each lesson, have the students find the city or region where the person lived or where the events took place. If the name of the map is not given in the Helps, it means to use this map, Where It All Happened.
  - 2. The City of Jerusalem--In any lesson taking place in Jerusalem, find the location.

3. The Roman World--In Lessons 20 and 48 find important places.

# PART 1 -- FAMILY AND FRIENDS

IMPORTANT NOTE: The poster: I Am Meeting Jesus... should be placed in a prominent place in the classroom for this entire course. Read it aloud in every lesson to impress on the students' minds that they are deciding how they feel about Jesus as compared to the person or persons they are studying. You could also make copies of the poster so that each student would have one in their folder.

#### Lesson 1

Story: Mary, Jesus' mother-- Luke 1:26-38; 2:1-7.

(Matt. 12:46-50; Lu. 11:27-28; John 19:25-27; Acts 1:14.)

Application: It is important for us to do God's will no matter how difficult it may be.

Study Helps: Mary was chosen by God to be the mother of Jesus His Son -- Lu. 1:26,27,35. God had promised that the Messiah (Christ) would come from the family of King David and that He would be a King. "throne of David" -- Isaiah 9:6-7; Lu. 1:31-33.

Mary was a godly woman like other women who accepted God's plan -- Lu. 1:30,38.

Mary was a virgin when Jesus was born -- Lu. 1:26,27.

Mary and Joseph had authority over Jesus as a child -- Lu. 2:51-52. People nowadays want to keep Jesus as a sweet little baby instead of listening to Him as a person with authority over their lives.

Mary had at least 6 other children after Jesus -- Matt. 13:55-56. These were her own children (not cousins) indicated by the fact that Jesus is called her "first-born" son -- Luke 2:7. See also Psalm 69:8.

Mary had no authority over Jesus as a man.

Jesus said spiritual relatives are more important than physical relatives --Matt. 12:46-50; Lu. 11:27,28.

Jesus asked John to take care of Mary at His death -- John 19:25-27. Last record of Mary (not important position in church) -- Acts 1:14.

#### Visual Aids:

The series of <u>pictures</u> about Jesus titled *According to the Bible, What is Wrong in This Picture?* Use #1-4 in this lesson. Find the false ideas that people have about what the Bible says--halos; Mary dressed like a Catholic nun; a Christmas tree with Mary, Joseph and Jesus. ("Christmas tree" is not in the Bible. First used in Germany about the <u>year 1530</u> <u>after</u> Jesus was born.) We need to be careful to know what the Bible says and what it does not say.

Chart: Jesus' Family.

Map: Find Nazareth, Bethlehem.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; rejoiced.

Younger: Paste bits of dried grass or hay on the picture of the manger. Letters needed:

cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: u e.

Older: Errors in the pictures include halos, Joseph with a shepherd's staff, a decorated Christmas tree. None are in the Bible. The *True and False*: All are false. All are inventions of the Catholic Church but other people believe many of them also.

<u>Verse:</u> -- "Behold the maidservant of the Lord! Let it be to me according to your word." Lu. 1:38. Give each student a copy of People in Jesus' Earthly Family to take home to memorize.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— See page 1 of these Helps for instructions. Have the students read the words The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me each time before they fill in the blanks for that lesson. Fill in today: understand how important it is to follow God's way of having a Christian family.

Younger: Let's Dress Up and Act Out the Story: Pretend you are Mary and tell how you

met Jesus.

Older: Bible Reading-- Introduce this activity. Instructions are on page 1 of these Helps. At each lesson, check to see if the students are reading the chapters.

#### Lesson 2

**Story:** Joseph, Jesus' stepfather -- Matt. 1:18-25; Luke 2:1-7; Matt. 2:13-15,19-23; 13:55; John 6:42.

Application: It is a privilege to obey and serve God no matter what He asks.

Study Helps: Carpenter -- Matt. 13:55. (Jesus a carpenter -- Mark 6:3.)

Jews called Joseph the father of Jesus -- John 1:45; 6:42. He was Jesus' stepfather. An angel appeared to him 3 times in dreams:

1. Announced Jesus' birth; commanded to take Mary to be his wife--Matt. 1:20.

2. Warned of danger from Herod; commanded to go to Egypt--Matt. 2:13.

3. Announced Herod's death; return to Israel--Matt. 2:19.

Warned in another dream about the new Herod; therefore went to Nazareth--Matt. 2:22,23. Joseph's character-- just, kind (Matt. 1:19); obedient (1:24; 2:14,21).

Took care of Mary and Jesus, obeyed God; taught Jesus trade of carpentry.

Visual Aids: Chart: Jesus' Family.

Map: Find Nazareth, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Egypt.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: e u.

<u>Verse:</u> "Joseph...did as the angel of the Lord commanded him and...took the young Child and His mother by night and departed for Egypt... he arose, took the young Child and His mother, and came into the land of Israel." Matt. 1:24; 2:14,21.

Check to see if anyone can repeat the names of the people in Jesus' family.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Have the students read the words The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me each time before they fill in the blanks for that lesson. Fill in today: willing to work doing whatever good job I can do with my hands.

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Younger: Let's Dress Up and Act Out the Story: Pretend you are Joseph and tell how you met Jesus.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 3

Story: The shepherds -- Luke 2:1-20.

Application: To see an angel is a frightening experience, not a sweet, pleasant thing. God does not send angels nowadays to give us His message. We have the Bible.

#### Study Helps:

Shepherds were afraid when angel appeared -- Lu. 2:8,9.

Other examples of fear when an angel appeared --

The Roman guards and the women at Jesus' tomb -- Matt. 28:1-5;

Zacharias in the temple -- Lu. 1:11-13;

Mary -- Lu. 1:26-30.

Galatians 1:8 -- God's warning against listening to so-called angels who bring a different message than what the Bible tells us.

Shepherds rejoiced and told what had seen; glorified God.

The word for "young Child" in Matt. 2 means "a young or little child recently born" whereas the word "Babe" here in Luke 2 means "a newborn baby."

Visual Aids: Map: Find Bethlehem.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him, told others.

Younger: Talk about who the people are in the picture as the students color it.

<u>Verse:</u> "Let us now go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has come to pass, which the Lord has made known to us." Luke 2:15.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Have the students read The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me each time before they fill in the blanks for that lesson. Fill in today: praise and sing glory to God in the Highest.

Younger: Let's Dress Up and Act Out the Story: Pretend you are the shepherds and tell how you met Jesus.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 4

Story: The wise men -- Matt. 2:1-12.

Application: It should never be too far for us to go to church to worship God.

<u>Study Helps:</u> The word for "young Child" in here Matt. 2 means "a young or little child recently born" whereas the word "Babe" in Luke 2 means "a newborn baby."

The wise men were from the East which is probably Mesopotamia, Persia or maybe even further East. They followed a star which indicates that they were astrologers which in ancient times was a respected study of the heavens, not a superstitious religion as today.

We know there were at least two since the word is plural but the number of gifts does not necessarily mean there were three.

<u>Visual Aids:</u> The series of <u>pictures</u> about Jesus titled *According to the Bible, What is Wrong in This Picture?*. Use #5-7 in this lesson. Find the false ideas that people have about what the

Bible says--halos; exactly 3 wise men; the shepherds and wise men visited the stable at the same time; wise men wearing crowns of kings; wise men riding camels (perhaps so). We all need to be careful to know what the Bible says and what it does not say. You may want to review #1-4 also.

Map: Find Jerusalem; Bethlehem.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; worshiped; rejoiced.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: a e.

Older: In discussing the errors of the pictures, use the enlarged ones in the visual aids.

<u>Verse:</u> -- "Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we have seen His star in the East and have come to worship Him." Matt. 2:2.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Have the students read The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me each time before they fill in the blanks for that lesson. Fill in today: want to worship Him.

Younger: Let's Dress Up and Act Out the Story: Pretend you are the wise men and tell

how you met Jesus.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 5

Story: Simeon and Ana in the temple -- Luke 2:21-35; 36-38.

Application: We should be looking forward to when Jesus comes a second time.

Study Helps:

<u>Simeon</u> -- Knew the prophecies and delighted to live long enough to see Jesus. Showed a knowledge the O.T. prophecies in his prayer (v.29-32 i.e. Isa. 9:2; 42:6); was just and devout (v.25); was waiting for the Messiah (v.25); received revelations of the Holy Spirit (v.26,27); told about what was ahead for Jesus and Mary (v.34-35).

Ana -- a prophetess, of the tribe of Asher (v.36); elderly--84 years old (v.37); served God night and day in the temple with fastings and prayers (v.37); gave thanks to the Lord, and spoke

of Him to all those who looked for redemption in Jerusalem (v.38).

<u>Visual Aids:</u> <u>Map</u>: Find Jerusalem. <u>Picture</u>: temple.

<u>Worksheet:</u> <u>Stickers for both groups</u> -- #1 Simeon- believed in Him; #2 Ana- believed in Him; told others.

<u>Verse: Simeon</u> -- "My eyes have seen Your salvation which You have prepared before the face of all peoples, a light to bring revelation to the Gentiles, and the glory of Your people Israel." Luke 2:30-32

<u>Ana</u> -- Ana gave thanks to the Lord, and spoke of Him to all those who looked for redemption in Jerusalem. Luke 2:38

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned -- Fill in today: excited to see Jesus someday myself.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 6

Story: John the Baptizer--Matt. 3:1-17; 11:10-15; 14:1-12; Luke 7:18-28; John 1:15-36; 3:22-36.

Application: We should not be afraid to tell people about Jesus even when they hate us.

Study Helps: Background to the story -- Luke 1:5-25; 57-80.

Fulfilled prophecy by preparing the way for Jesus -- Matt. 3:1-3.

Explain how John was called Elijah (see Older worksheet).

Not afraid to preach about people's sins -- Matt. 3:7-12.

Baptized Jesus -- Matt. 3:13-17.

Needed assurance that Jesus was the Messiah -- Lu. 7:19-23.

Lost his life for preaching the truth -- Matt. 14:1-12.

Knew he needed to decrease in importance and make Jesus known (John 3:30).

#### Lesson Outline:

What kind of person was he?

Where he lived and worked.

The clothes he wore.

What kind of job he had -- fulfilled prophecy.

What did he preach?

To whom did he preach?

His message: Baptism of repentance; About Jesus.

When Jesus came how did he react?

Did he ever doubt that Jesus was the Christ?

How did he die? and why?

Visual Aids: Map: Find the Jordan River.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; told others; doubted.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: i e.

Verse: "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!" John 1:29

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: want to obey God like He did.
Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

IMPORTANT NOTE: If you have not already done so, begin making the letters for the Name Game at this time. They need to be pasted, dried thoroughly, and cut out for use in Lesson 10. All instructions are in these Helps on page 2.

# Lesson 7

Story: Jesus' brothers -- Matt. 13:55,56; John 7:1-10 (Psalm 69:8); Acts 1:14.

<u>Application:</u> Sometimes it is hard for people in our family to believe we are right when we believe in Jesus and follow Him. Be faithful and later see the results of others believing.

Study Helps: Matt. 13:55 gives their names -- James, Joses, Simon, Judas.

John. 2:12 -- after the wedding in Cana, went to Capernaum with Jesus.

John. 7:1-10 -- made fun of Jesus. (Jesus Himself said He would bring a sword into families because not all would believe in Him -- Matt. 10:34-37.)

Mark 3:20-21 -- said "He is out of His mind."

John 7:5 -- did not believe in Jesus (Prophesied -- Psalm 69:8.) until after His resurrection (Acts 1:14).

<u>Visual Aids:</u> <u>Chart</u>: Jesus' Family. Series of <u>pictures</u> titled: According to the Bible What is Wrong With This Picture use #8 & #9 which show adult Jesus with long curly hair, halos and white clothes--standing out as different from others (Read Isaiah 53:2).

Worksheet: Stickers -- rejected Him; believed in Him.

Verse: "He is out of His mind." Mark 3:21.

Check to see if anyone can repeat the names of the people in Jesus' family.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: want to be faithful to Him even if my family does not believe in Him.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 8

Story: Mary and Martha -- Lu. 10:38-42; John 11:1-45; 12:1-8.

<u>Application:</u> We must learn to put Jesus first. Doing our jobs is important but they should never keep us from reading the Bible and going to church.

<u>Study Helps:</u> Place the emphasis in this Lesson 8 on Martha and Mary. Lesson 9 will concentrate on Lazarus.

Both believed in Jesus -- John 11:27, 32; both: homemakers

Martha welcomed Jesus into her home -- Lu. 10:38.

served Jesus in her home -- Lu. 10:40-42; John 12:2.

Mary chose to listen to Him teach-- Lu. 10:39,42.

anointed Jesus -- John 12:3.

Visual Aids: Map: On Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Bethany.

Worksheet: Stickers for both groups -- believed in Him; obeyed Him.

Older: Teacher: Students need the Code Card for Cryptograms on Extra Things for Older Students. Before class, cut out and mount on light cardboard, one for each student. Key to this Cryptogram: "YES, LORD, I BELIEVE YOU ARE THE CHRIST, THE SON OF GOD, WHO IS TO COME INTO THE WORLD."

Be sure to keep the code cards for future lessons.

<u>Verse:</u> <u>Martha</u> "Yes, Lord, I believe that You are the Christ, the Son of God, who is to come into the world." John 11:27.

Mary "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." John 11:32.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: put Him first and most important in my life.

Younger: Let's Dress Up and Act Out the Story: Pretend you are Mary or Martha and tell how you met Jesus.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 9

Story: Lazarus -- John 11 and John 12:1-19.

<u>Application:</u> No matter what may happen to us because we follow Jesus, we must keep on believing in Him and serving Him.

Study Helps: Jesus called him "friend." -- John 11:11.

Think about what Lazarus' feelings must have been when he was raised from the dead.

He went on with regular life after his resurrection -- at a meal -- John 12:2.

There's no record of him being proud or annoyed because people wanted to see a man that had come back from the dead. -- John 12:9.

Many people believed in Jesus because of Lazarus' resurrection -- John 12:9-11.

After he was raised from the dead the chief priests plotted to put him to death because on account of him many of the Jews believed in Jesus -- John 12:10,11.

He did not run and hide when there were those who wanted to kill him.

Visual Aids: Map: On Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Bethany.

<u>Worksheet:</u> -- There is no Bible record of Lazarus' reaction to Jesus. But we can assume that he believed in Him so put the sticker "Believed in Him" on the worksheets.

Verse: There is no record of anything Lazarus said. However, his resurrection had a strong influence. John wrote: "a great many of the Jews... knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus." John 12:9-11.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know He cares about me and I want to be His friend.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 10 Review Part 1.

Worksheet:

Younger: Students choose a picture and tell about the person and how they treated Jesus. Teacher can ask questions also.

Older: Match the people to either what they said or what they did in response to Jesus.

Teacher: At the end of the review lesson, staple each student's worksheets for Part 1 together with the Cover for Part 1 in front.

Memory: Check to see if anyone can repeat the names of the people in Jesus' family.

Special Activities:

Play the Name Game. See instructions on page 2 of these Helps.

Use the people in Part 1.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in anything missing.

# PART 2 -- DISCIPLES

IMPORTANT NOTE: Read the poster: I Am Meeting Jesus...aloud in every lesson to impress on the students' minds that they are deciding how they feel about Jesus as compared to the person or persons they are studying.

The disciples did not always understand what Jesus was telling them, but later after His resurrection they remembered:

John 2:22 -- His statement about the temple of His body.

John 12:16 -- The events of the triumphal entry.

Luke 9:43-45 -- His statement that He was about to be betrayed.

Luke 18:31-34 -- His statements about His coming death and resurrection.

#### Lesson 11

**Story:** Simon Peter -- John 1:40-42; Matt. 4:18-20; 16:13-24;17:1-8; 26:31-75 (John 18:10,11); John 21:1-19.

<u>Application:</u> We must learn to think of what God wants us to do before we speak or act. God knows we are all different and can use each one of us according to our personality and abilities, but we have to learn to use them properly.

Study Helps: (For the Teacher's Information, The Apostles, see chart by that name.)

Define: disciple = a learner, one who follows the teaching of another. Jesus had many disciples from which He chose 12 whom He also named apostles (Lu. 6:13).

apostle = one sent out. Jesus chose 12 for special training and work.

Peter was a fisherman from Bethsaida (John 1:44).

His name was Simon but Jesus named him Peter -- John 1:42. Sometimes called by both names--Simon Peter -- ex. Matt. 16:16; Lu. 5:8.

Peter denied knowing Jesus -- Matt. 26:58,69-74.

Peter did not always stop to think what was right before he spoke or acted--Matt. 16:21-23.

Peter made many mistakes, even denied knowing Jesus. But he repented and learned to do God's will -- Matt. 26:58,69-75.

Peter became a great leader in the kingdom of God -- (Acts and 1& 2 Peter).

Visual Aids: Map: Find Sea of Galilee; Bethsaida.

<u>Worksheet:</u> Stickers -- believed in Him; obeyed Him; followed; denied; wrote about Him.

<u>Younger:</u> The scrolls of the books of the Bible that Peter wrote to be pasted are on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger.

Verse: "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Matt. 16:16.

"I do not know the Man!" Matt. 26:72 "Yes, Lord; You know that I love You." John 21:16. Give each student a copy of the list of Jesus' Apostles to take home to memorize.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Read the title words that begin each sentence with the students each time they write in their booklets. Fill in today: decide that I will think before I say something.

Play the Name Game as time permits.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 12

**Story:** John -- Mk. 1:19-20; 3:14-17; 10:35-45; John 18:15,16; 19:25-27; 20:1-10.

<u>Application:</u> Just because we follow Jesus in every way, we should never think that we should be given special favors or that we can condemn others to hell.

Study Helps:

Son of Zebedee -- Mk. 1:19-20. Although the Scripture does not say specifically, James and John must have been from Bethsaida also since they were working near Andrew and Peter when Jesus called them to be His disciples.

Mother -- Salome, Matt. 27:55,56 with Mk. 15:40.

Father had hired servants -- Mk. 1:20.

<u>Fishermen</u> -- With father & James in the same business as Peter & Andrew -- Mk. 1:16-19. Called to be a disciple with James his brother -- Mk. 1:19-20.

Both on the list of apostles -- Matt. 10:2;

Jesus called John and James "Sons of Thunder" -- Mk. 3:14-17.

In Jesus' inner circle with James and Peter -- at the transfiguration Mk. 9:2.

at healing of Jarius' daughter -- Lu. 8:41,51-56.

in the garden -- Mk. 14:32-33;

at the healing Peter's mother-in-law -- Mk. 1:29-31.

With James wanted to bring down fire on village -- Lu. 9:51-56.

John and James asked for the best seats -- Mk. 10:35-45.

John was known to the high priest -- John 18:15,16.

<u>John</u> wrote 5 books of NT--1,2,3 John; <u>Revelation</u> (1:9,19); <u>Gospel of John</u> in which he called himself, "the disciple," "the other disciple," and "the disciple whom Jesus loved" in this book he wrote about Jesus' life -- 21:7,20,23,24 for example:

John leaned on Jesus' bosom at the last supper -- John 13:23.

John stayed nearby at Jesus' trial -- John 18:15,16.

John was given Mary to care for by Jesus on the cross -- John 19:25-27.

John with Peter went to see the empty tomb -- John 20:1-10.

John was exiled on the Isle of Patmos (Rev. 1:9)

James His brother James also an apostle -- Mark 1:19-20.

In the gospels, never spoken of alone, without his brother John.

Was later beheaded by King Herod to please the Jews -- Acts 12:1,2.

Visual Aids: Map: Sea of Galilee; Bethsaida.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; obeyed Him; followed; wrote about Him.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: o n. Explain that John is one of Jesus chosen apostles and that he wrote about Jesus in the Bible. The 5 scrolls of the books of the Bible that John wrote to be pasted are on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger.

Verse: John said: "That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and our hands have handled, concerning the Word of life [Jesus]...we have seen, and bear witness, and declare to you that eternal life." 1 John 1:1,2.

Check if anyone can repeat the names of Jesus' Apostles.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Read the title words that begin each sentence. Fill in today: believe in Jesus because of the things John wrote about Him.

Play the Name Game as time permits.

Older: Bible Reading- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 13

Story: Andrew -- John 1:35-42; Matt. 4:18-20; Lu. 6:14; John 6:8-9.

Application: It is important to follow Jesus ourselves but just as important to bring others to follow Him too.

Study Helps: Peter's brother -- Matt. 4:18-20; Lu. 6:14; John 6:8;

Fisherman -- Matt. 4:18.

Was one of the two who heard John baptizer call Jesus Lamb of God -- John 1:35-36,40.

List of apostles -- Luke 6:14

Was from the city of Bethsaida as was Philip, Peter and Andrew -- John 1:44 Worked with Philip -- John 6:7,8; 12:22.

**People Who Met Jesus** 

Brought people to Jesus --

Peter John 1:35-42;

boy with lunch -- John 6:8,9. this story is used in detail in Lessons 29 and 37.

Greeks -- John 12:20-22.

Called by Jesus - Matt. 4:18-20; chosen apostle - Lu. 6:13-14.

With Peter, James and John asking important questions -- Mk. 13:3

Visual Aids: Map: Find Bethsaida, Sea of Galilee.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; told others; followed.

Verse: "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated, the Christ). John 1:41.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: want to tell others about Him.

Play the Name Game as time permits and from now on throughout the course.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 14

Story: Philip -- John 1:43-46; John 6:5-7; John 12:20-23; 14:8-9.

Application: Sharing the work we do for Jesus is good.

Study Helps: Jesus chose Philip to be an apostle -- John 1:43; Matt. 10:2-3.

Jesus questioned Philip and Philip asked Jesus a question -- John 6:5-7; John 14:8,9.

Brought Nathanael to Jesus -- John 1:43-46.

Worked with Andrew to bring Greeks to Jesus -- John 12:20-23.

From Bethsaida, same town as Andrew and Peter -- John 1:44.

Visual Aids: Map: Find Bethsaida.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; told others; followed.

Younger: Sign "Sea of Galilee" to paste are on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger.

<u>Verse:</u> "We have found Him of whom Moses in the law, and also the prophets, wrote--Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." John 1:45.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: want to work with others doing good things for Him.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 15

Story: Matthew (Levi) -- Matt. 9:9-13; Lu. 5:27-32; Mk. 2:14-17; Matt 10:3.

Application: Following Jesus is more important than a job. Be sure your job is the kind that God approves of.

Study Helps: Combine the three accounts to capture the details that each tells.

Jesus called Matthew to be an apostle -- Matthew 9:9; 10:2-3.

Known as Levi the son of Alphaeus also -- Lu. 5:27; Mk. 2:14.

In Capernaum (Mk. 2:1), sitting by the Sea (Mk. 2:13,14).

"Left all"-- his job as a tax collector to follow Jesus -- Lu. 5:28.

People Who Met Jesus

Tax collectors were hated by the Jews because they were Jews who collected taxes for the ruling Romans (Gentiles) and were generally extortionists. Matt. 9:11.

Invited friends to a banquet to meet Jesus -- Lu. 5:29-32.

Pharisees complained -- (see also Lu. 18:9-14).

Matthew (Levi) wrote the Gospel According to Matthew.

Visual Aids: Map: Find Capernaum, Sea of Galilee.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; followed; wrote about Him; told others.

Younger: Money pictures to paste are on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger.

Older: Answers to "The Gospel According to Matthew"-- 1. Matthew; 2. quotes; 3. the Holy Spirit; 4. He was with Jesus; 5. birth, miracles, enemies, apostles, teaching, death and resurrection.

Verse: Jesus said to Matthew-Levi, "Follow Me." So he left all, rose up, and followed Him. Luke 5:27,28. Check if anyone can repeat the names of Jesus' Apostles.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: remember to be careful of the kind of job I take when I grow up.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 16

**Story:** Judas Iscariot -- Lu. 6:13-16; John 12:3-6; Matt. 26:14-16, 21-25, 47-50 (see Mk. 14:44); Matt. 27:1-5; Acts 1:15-20.

Application: We must watch closely that we do not betray Jesus by loving money so much that we will do anything to get more. We must always love and be loyal to Jesus.

Study Helps:

One of the 12 apostles chosen by Jesus -- Lu. 6:13-16.

Treasurer for Jesus and disciples -- John 13:29 "held the money box."

A thief -- John 12:6. 300 denarii = wages for a worker for 1 year.

Loved money more than Jesus -- Matt. 26:14-16.

Jesus knew his plan and called him "son of perdition (destruction) and "a devil" because he would betray Jesus -- John 17:12; John 6:70; Lu. 6:16.

traitor = one who is a false friend; betrays the trust another has in him; a deceiver.

Betrayed Jesus for money -- Matt. 26:14-16,21-25,47-50.

Brought men to garden and signaled who Jesus was with a kiss -- Matt. 26:48,49.

Told the soldiers "Whomever I kiss, He is the One; seize Him and <u>lead Him away safely</u>."

Mk. 14:44. Talk about possibly the reason why.

Was "remorseful" over Jesus being condemned -- Matt. 27:3.

Remorseful = to feel hopelessly guilty.

Committed suicide instead of repenting -- Matt 27:3-5; Acts 1:15-20.

See the article: Who Crucified Jesus? in the Helps.

Love of money is sin -- 1 Tim. 6:6-10.

Visual Aids: Maps: On Map Where It All Happened find--Bethany.

On Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Gethsemane, temple.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him ;followed; betrayed.

<u>Verse:</u> "Why was this fragrant oil not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" John 12:5. "What are you willing to give me if I deliver Him to you?" Matt. 26:15.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: to not love money or the

things money can buy.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 17

Story: Nathanael -- John 1:45-51.

Application: We should not believe everything people say about God before we check in the Bible to see if those things are true.

<u>Study Helps:</u> Nathanael and Bartholomew are thought to be the same person. Perhaps had surname of Bartholomew.

Brought to Jesus by Philip -- John 1:45-51.

Doubted what Philip said but went to check it out.

Believed Jesus was the Son of God, the King of Israel, because Jesus told him what he was doing before Philip went to him. Had to have known the prophecies to make such a statement.

From Cana -- among disciples fishing after resurrection -- John 21:2.

Visual Aids: Map: Find Cana, Sea of Galilee.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; followed.

Younger: Pictures to paste in What Does God Know About Me are found on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger. Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: o o.

<u>Verse:</u> "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" John 1:46.
"Rabbi, You are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" John 1:49

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: find out if what I hear people say about God and Jesus is true.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 18

**Story:** Thomas -- Matt. 10:2-4; John 11:16; 14:1-7; 20:19-29.

Application: We believe because of the written inspired testimony of the disciples who were there and saw all the things Jesus did and said.

Study Helps: Called "the Twin" -- John 11:16; 20:24; 21:2.

Was willing to die with Jesus -- John 11:16.

Doubted what he was told about Jesus' resurrection -- 20:24-29;

Believed when Jesus showed him his hands and side -- 20:24-29;

Jesus said "Thomas, because you have seen Me, you have believed." -- 20:29

Among disciples fishing after resurrection -- John 21:2.

The Slowness of EVERYONE to Believe That Jesus Had Risen From the Dead

Even though Jesus had predicted His resurrection many times, the people did not understand what He was talking about.

The women went to the tomb to add spices to a dead body -- Lu. 21:1.

Mary Magdalene only thought someone had stolen the body -- John 20:13,15.

The disciples thought the women's report of His resurrection was "idle tales" -- Lu. 24:11.

When the 2 from Emmaus told the disciples they had seen Jesus, "neither did they believe them" -- Mk. 16:12,13.

Jesus appeared to the 10 but they thought He was a ghost until He told them to look at His hands, side and feet and to handle Him. He asked for food and ate. -- Lu. 24:36-47.

After that, a week later Thomas felt there was some mistake and demanded proof which Jesus gave him -- John 20:24-29.

It's not wrong to want proof. The other apostles also needed proof to believe -Lu. 24:21-27,36-46; Mk. 16:11,13-14.

Visual Aids: Poster: Jesus Died. Map: On Map The City of Jerusalem find--the upper room.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; doubted; followed.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: e u l e a o e.

Older: Need the Code Card for Cryptograms. Key to this Cryptogram: "MY LORD AND MY GOD!"

Verse: "My Lord and my God!" John 20:28.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: check to see what the Bible says when people tell me something about Jesus.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 19

**Story:** The women -- Lu. 8:1-3; 23:46-49, 55-56; 24:1-12.

Application: We should give what we have to help others who go preaching the gospel.

Study Helps: The Scriptures do not always list the same women but frequently add "and others" so in this lesson we have tried to include as many names as possible on the worksheets.

Lu. 8:1-3 -- Jesus went through every city and village, preaching and bringing the glad tidings of the kingdom of God. And the twelve were with Him, and certain women who had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities-- who provided for Him from their substance.

Mary called Magdalene, (Lesson 33 is about her alone),

Joanna the wife of Chuza, Herod's steward,

Susanna.

and many others

Lu. 23:55--24:11 -- came with Him from Galilee (23:49); at the cross (23:49);

saw the tomb (23:55); brought spices to anoint the body (24:1); found stone rolled away (24:2); first to learn of resurrection (24:3-8); and told apostles what saw (24:9).

Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary, mother of James, (Mk. 15:47--Mary the mother of James the Less and of Joses) and others Salome (with Mk. 15:40;16:1 and Matt. 27:55,56 is considered to be mother of Zebedee's sons)

Other Scriptures that talk about these women-- Mk. 15:40-47;16:1-7.

Visual Aids: Map: Find the region of Galilee, Jerusalem.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; obeyed Him; followed; shared.

Younger: Word "Bible" to paste is on Extra Things for Worksheets, Younger.

Older: Key to Unscramble-giving, healed, believed, women, Jesus.

Verse: Certain women who had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities...provided for Him from their substance. Luke 8:2,3. (substance=possessions)

Special Activities:

People Who Met Jesus

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: want to give money to help others who are preaching the good news about Him.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 20

Story: Saul called Paul -- Acts 7:54 to 8:3; 9:1-22.

Application: When we find out we were wrong in what we were doing, we should be willing to humble ourselves and turn to doing what is right like Jesus wants us to.

Study Helps: Paul also tells of his conversion in Acts 22 and 26.

Born in Tarsus -- Acts 21:39.

A Pharisee -- Philippians 3:5; Acts 23:6.

Did not meet Jesus until after He had gone back to heaven.

Turned from persecuting Christians to preaching the gospel and being persecuted himself. Wrote most of the books of the New Testament.

Visual Aids: Maps: On the Map of The Roman World find--Tarsus, Damascus, Jerusalem, and some of the cities where he preached.

Worksheet: Stickers -- rejected Him; angry; believed in Him; told others; obeyed Him; followed; worshiped; wrote about Him.

Older: Need the Code Card for Cryptograms. Key to this Cryptogram: "LORD, WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO?"

Verse: "Lord, what do You want me to do?" Acts 9:6.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: willing to change what I am doing when I find out that I am wrong.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading.

# Lesson 21

Review Part 2.

Worksheet:

Younger: Students choose a picture and tell about the person and how they treated Jesus. Teacher can ask questions also.

Older: Match the people to either what they said or what they did in response to Jesus. Teacher: At the end of the review lesson, staple each student's worksheets for Part 2 together with the Cover for Part 2 in front.

Memory: Check if anyone can repeat the names of Jesus' Apostles.

Special Activities:

Play the Name Game as time permits and from now on throughout the course. Use the people in Part 2, then add people from Part 1.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see if the students are reading. Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in anything missing.

# PART 3 -- PEOPLE JESUS TAUGHT

IMPORTANT NOTE: Read the poster: I Am Meeting Jesus...aloud in every lesson to impress on the students' minds that they are deciding how they feel about Jesus as compared to the person or persons they are studying.

# Lesson 22

**Story:** Teachers in the Temple -- #1--Luke 2:41-52; #2--John 2:13-16.

Application: We need to learn all we can about God, Jesus, and the Bible so we can ask good questions and give good answers.

<u>Study Helps:</u> The Scripture texts have a contrast between both Jesus' actions and the reactions of the teachers in the temple when Jesus was a 12 year-old boy, and when He was a grown man with the Jews in the temple.

The child Jesus amazed them with His understanding and knowledge of the Scriptures. But later when Jesus condemned their misuse of the temple and quoted the Scriptures, they hated Him. "And the scribes and chief priests heard it and sought how they might destroy Him." Mk. 11:18. Why were their reactions so different?

People nowadays are like that also. The baby Jesus is cute and non-threatening and they love to celebrate His birth. But many of the same people don't want to know very much about the Man Jesus because He taught some hard things that mean they would have to change their lives if they did what He taught.

Apparently Jesus cleansed the temple twice, once early in His ministry (John 2:13-16) and again shortly before He was crucified (Matt. 21:12-16; Mark 11:15-18; Luke 19:45-46). In this lesson, the two cleansing incidents are combined to bring out the contrast with His childhood visit in the temple.

Jesus spoke of "my Father's business," and "My Father's house." He knew that Joseph was only His stepfather.

- <u>Visual Aids:</u> <u>Maps</u>: On Map *Where...Happened* find--Nazareth, Jerusalem. On Map *The City of Jerusalem* find--the temple.
- Worksheet: Stickers for both groups -- #1 questioned Him; astonished; #2 questioned Him.

  Older: After pasting the stickers, the students draw an arrow to the picture that goes with each sticker.
- Verse: #1 "Jesus was in the temple...with...the teachers, both listening to them and asking them questions. And all who heard Him were astonished at His understanding and answers." Luke 2:46,47.

**#2** Jesus taught, saying to them, "Is it not written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations'? But you have made it a 'den of thieves.' " And the scribes and chief priests heard it and sought how they might destroy Him. Mk. 11:17,18.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Read the title words that begin each sentence with the students each time they write in their booklets. Fill in today: want to learn all I can about God, Jesus, and the Bible so I can ask good questions and give correct answers.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check each Lesson to see if the students are reading.

#### Lesson 23

Story: The Nazarenes -- Luke 4:16-30; Matt. 13:54-58; Mk. 6:1-6.

Application: Even when you disagree with someone it is no excuse to try to hurt them.

Study Helps:

The Nazarenes were blinded to who Jesus was--did not believe He was the Son of God, but just a human being and were offended --Mk. 6:1-6; Matt. 13:57; were filled with wrath and tried to murder Him for His teaching--Lu. 4:28,29.

What is a synagogue?

A synagogue is the Jewish building used for reading, explaining, and teaching the Old Testament Scriptures. There was at least one in each town; in larger cities there were many. The idea for synagogues is thought to have begun during the Babylonian captivity. Many references are made to them in the New Testament. Some examples: Jesus taught in the synagogue (Matthew 4:23; Mark 1:21; 6:2; Luke 4:15-30; 13:10; John 6:59; 18:20). Paul went to synagogues wherever he traveled to teach the Jews about Jesus (Acts 13:2-5; 17:1-3; 19:8). Even today, the Jews have synagogues in many places throughout the world where they live.

What did a synagogue look like?

It was a building made of stone. The size and type of construction depended on the size and wealth of the congregation. The basic furniture was:

a chest--the cabinet in which the scrolls of the Old Testament were kept;

a platform and pulpit--the elevated place where the scriptures were read

(reader standing: Luke 4:16) and explained (man sitting: Luke 4:20,21);

benches--the teachers, rulers of the synagogue and important people sat in front. The rest of the people sat behind these, with the men on one side and the women on the other.

Inside of a synagogue; A group in a synagogue; A crowd Visual Aids: Pictures in the packet: Map: Find Nazareth. in a synagogue; A synagogue pulpit.

Worksheet: Stickers -- angry; rejected Him.

Older: in Find the prophecy the key is in Lu. 4:17. The answer is Isaiah 61:1,2.

Verse: "Where did this Man get this wisdom and these mighty works? Is this not the carpenter's son? Is not His mother called Mary? And His brothers James, Joses, Simon, and Judas? And His sisters, are they not all with us? Where then did this Man get all these things?" Matt. 13:54-56

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: remember that even when I disagree with someone it is no excuse to try to hurt them .

# Lesson 24

Story: The multitudes -- Matt. 4:23 to 8:1 and others.

Application: Don't do things just because everyone else is doing it. Think for yourself and ask yourself, "What is the truth? What is right? What would God want me to do?"

Study Helps: The Scripture text looks very long but do not try to use all of the sermon on the mount in the Scripture text. But pick out some that the children can understand. The emphasis is on the reaction of the multitude to the things Jesus taught which were different from what their religious leaders taught them. At other times they were amazed when Jesus healed people. Do not try to cover all the stories but use the material in the crossword puzzle on the Older worksheet as a means of showing their reactions.

# The Multitudes had mixed reasons for following Jesus:

Waiting and welcomed -- Lu. 8:40.

Came to hear -- Lu. 5:1,15; 6:17; 21:38.

Came to be healed -- Lu. 5:15.

Wanted to make Jesus an earthly king for personal advantage--John 6:15,26; (Lu. 24:21)

Their mixed reactions to Jesus' miracles and teachings:

Called Jesus, a prophet -- Matt. 14:5; 21:11; Lu. 7:16; 24:19; John 4:19; 6:14; 7:40; 9:17.

Astonished at His teaching -- Matt. 7:28; 22:33; Mk. 1:22;11:18; Lu. 4:32;

by His miracles -- Mk. 7:37. Astonish = to feel wonder and surprise.

Marveled at His miracles -- Matt. 9:8,33; 15:31; Lu. 9:43; 11:14; John 7:21;

at His teaching -- Matt. 22:22. Marvel = to be excited with wonder and surprise.

Rejoiced for all the glorious things done by Him -- Lu. 13:17.

Amazed -- Lu. 5:26; Matt. 12:22; Mk. 1:27. Amazed = to feel overcome with wonder.

Filled with fear -- Lu. 5:26; 7:16; 8:37.

Praised God for His mighty works -- Lu. 18:43; 19:31.

Glorified God for His miracles-- Matt. 9:8; 15:31; Mk. 2:12; Lu. 5:26; for teaching Lu. 4:15.

Glorified = gave great praise to God; worshipped.

Maimed = not able to use a part of body; paralyzed;; crippled; disabled; disfigured.

<u>Mute</u> = unable to speak; dumb (does not mean stupid).

Some left because some teaching too hard -- John 6:60-66.

Crowds are fickle.

They saw Jesus' miracles and believed. Many followed Him for what they could benefit themselves physically. They glorified Him at the triumphal entry into Jerusalem and yelled "Crucify him! Crucify him!" to Pilate a few days later. Rejected = to throw away as worthless. In these Helps see article: Who Crucified Jesus?

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; astonished; followed; rejoiced; rejected Him.

Younger: Answers to pasting stickers: "Truly this is the Prophet." John 7:40. "This is the Christ." John 7:41. Believed in Him. All the multitude rejoiced for all the glorious things that were done by Him. Lu. 13:17. Rejoiced. When Jesus had ended these sayings, that the people were astonished at His teaching. Matt. 7:28. Astonished. "Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" Blessed is the kingdom of our father David That comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" Mark 11:9,10. Followed. "Gracify Him!" Mark 15:13. Rejected.

Older: The Key to the clues and completed puzzle are on page 40 of these Helps. Especially in this lesson, the older students would benefit from the Younger worksheet also.

Verse: "Truly this is the Prophet." John 7:40. "This is the Christ." John 7:41.

"We have seen strange things today!" Lu. 5:26. "Hosanna! `Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!' Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" Mark 11:9,10. "Crucify Him!" Mark 15:13.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: careful to <u>not</u> follow the <u>crowd</u> but <u>choose</u> to believe and do what is <u>right</u>.

# Lesson 25

Story: Samaritan woman -- John 4:1-43.

Application: We should not just tell others about Jesus but we must open the Bible so that God's words will cause them to believe.

<u>Study Helps:</u> Housewife, multiple marriages, fornicator; excited; told others who believed also because of Jesus' own words.

A <u>Samaritan</u> was a descendant of foreign people that Assyria brought in to populate the northern kingdom of Israel after carrying the Israelites away into captivity (2 Kings 17:6,24-33). They knew somewhat about the Law of God, having been taught by a priest sent from captivity to them. 2 Kings 17:33 says: "They feared the Lord, yet served their own gods--according to the rituals of the nations from among whom they were carried away." They were never accepted by the Jews; were hated and considered unclean people with whom they wanted nothing to do.

Jesus' actions at the well showed that He considered the Samaritans worthy of being

taught the truth about God.

Visual Aids: Map: Find region of Samaria, the city of Sychar.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; rejoiced; told others.

Older: Answers to What is a Samaritan--and Babylon, and Judah, and a prophet, almost.

Verse: "Come, see a Man who told me all things that I ever did. Could this be the Christ?"

John 4:29

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: read to others from the Bible so that God's words will cause them to believe.

#### Lesson 26

Story: Zacchaeus -- Luke 19:1-10.

Application: If we have cheated someone or done something wrong to another, we should do whatever we can to make it right.

<u>Study Helps:</u> <u>Tax collector</u> (also called a publican) -- a Jew who worked for the Roman government to collect taxes from the Jewish people. They were hated by the Jews for working for the hated Roman government that occupied their land. The tax collectors were know for extortion (taking more money than legal) from the people.

Zacchaeus was eager to see Jesus, climbed a tree -- Lu. 19:3,4. welcomed Jesus into his home joyfully -- Lu. 19:6.

decided to make right what he had done wrong -- Lu. 19:8-10.

Visual Aids: Map: Find Jericho.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; rejoiced.

Verse: "Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold." Luke 19:8

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know that if I have done something wrong to another person, I should do whatever I can to make it right.

#### Lesson 27

Story: Rich young ruler -- Matt. 19:16-26; Mk. 10:17-27; Luke 18:18-27.

Application: My things and money should never be more important than obeying God.

Study Helps: Wanted salvation but went away sorrowful, rather choosing riches--Matt. 19:16,22.

He was young -- Matt. 19:20.

He was a ruler -- Lu. 18:18.

He came running to Jesus and knelt down -- Mk. 10:17.

Scriptures about giving to poor -- Prov. 19:17; Matt. 25:37-40; Phil. 4:14-17.

Define: distribute = to give out. (Lu. 18:22)

Worksheet: Stickers -- questioned Him; disappointed; rejected Him.

Younger: The pictures to paste are on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger.

Verse: "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" Lu. 18:18

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Fill in today: understand that my things and money should never be more important than obeying God.

# Lesson 28

Story: Simon the Pharisee -- Luke 7:36-50.

Application: The way we treat visitors is the same as if we were treating Jesus that way.

Study Helps: Pharisee (v. 36); ill-mannered (v. 44-46); critical (v.39).

Pharisees considered themselves to be holier than others because they kept strictly God's law with many strict rules that they thought the Law meant. The Pharisees will be studied in detail in Lesson 44.

Anoint = to put oil on.

Worksheet: Stickers -- mocked.

Verse: "This man, if He were a prophet, would know who and what manner of woman this is who is touching Him, for she is a sinner." Luke 7:39

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know that how I treat others who visit me is the same as if I were treating Jesus that way.

# Lesson 29

Story: The 5,000 who were fed -- John 6:5-66 with Matt. 14:21.

Application: To go to church to get prizes (or clothes or food) are not the right reasons.

**Study Helps:** Emphasis on the 5,000 plus people. The boy with a lunch is Lesson 37. You can remind the students that this is the time that Philip (Lesson 14) and Andrew (Lesson 13), whom you have already studied, were involved in finding food for the multitude.

Called Jesus the Prophet -- see Deut. 18:18,19.

They wanted to make Jesus king (v. 15)

--who would restore Israel again because they had a misunderstanding of the kingdom that the Messiah would bring, thinking it would be one on earth;

--for personal gain -- a king who could miraculously provide food for them;

Some disciples left because His spiritual teaching was too hard -- (v. 66).

<u>Visual Aids:</u> <u>Poster</u> of 5,000 men. <u>Map</u>: Sea of Galilee, Capernaum (John 6:17,24).

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; questioned Him; rejected him.

Older: Need code card. Key to this Cryptogram: THIS IS TRULY THE PROPHET WHO IS TO COME INTO THE WORLD.

Verse: "This is truly the Prophet who is to come into the world." John 6:14.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know that the right reasons for which I should go to church are to worship God and learn about Him, not to get prizes or clothes or food.

#### Lesson 30

Story: The 2 criminals on the crosses -- Luke 23:32,33, 39-43.

Application: When we are suffering we should not blame God.

Study Helps: Both criminals were robbers -- Matt. 27:44. one believed; the other mocked.

<u>Visual Aids:</u> <u>Poster</u>: Jesus Died. <u>Map</u> of The City of Jerusalem find--Calvary.

Worksheet: Stickers for both groups -- #1 rejected Him; #2 believed in Him.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: e u l e.

Verse: One of the criminals (robbers) who were hanged blasphemed Him, saying, "If You are the Christ, save Yourself and us." Lu. 23:39.

But the other, "This Man has done nothing wrong." Then he said to Jesus, "Lord, remember me when You come into Your kingdom." Lu. 23:41,42

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know that He died to save me from my sins if I obey Him.

# Lesson 31

Story: The 2 men on the road to Emmaus -- Luke 24:13-36.

Application: We should be excited that Jesus arose from the dead and hurry to tell others.

Study Helps:

Called Jesus the Prophet--v.19 (see Deut. 18:18,19).

Hoping He would redeem Israel from the Romans with an earthly kingdom -- v. 21.

Considered that Jesus had failed but Jesus used the prophecies of the Old Testament to prove that He had not failed--v. 21,25-27.

Excited when discovered that Jesus had risen from the dead--v. 33.

Hurried to share the news with the apostles--v. 33-35.

Visual Aids: Poster: Jesus Died. Map: Find Jerusalem, Emmaus.

Worksheet: Stickers -- disappointed; believed in Him; told others.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: e u l e a o e.

Older: Key to the prophecy and fulfillment exercise is at the end of these Helps, page 41.

Verse: "Jesus of Nazareth, who was a Prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people...our rulers...have crucified Him. But we were hoping that it was He who was going to redeem Israel." Luke 24:19-21

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: excited that Jesus arose from the dead and hurry to tell others about it.

# Lesson 32

Review Part 3.

Younger: Students choose a picture and tell about the person and how they Worksheet: treated Jesus. Teacher can ask questions also.

Older: Match the people to either what they said or what they did in response to Jesus. Teacher: At the end of the review lesson, staple each student's worksheets for Part 3

together with the Cover for Part 3 in front.

**Special Activities:** 

Play the Name Game as time permits and from now on throughout the course. Use the people in Part 3, then add people from the former Parts.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see how much the students are reading. Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in anything missing.

# PART 4 -- PEOPLE FOR WHOM JESUS DID A MIRACLE

IMPORTANT NOTE: Read the poster: I Am Meeting Jesus...aloud in every lesson to impress on the students' minds that they are deciding how they feel about Jesus as compared to the person or persons they are studying.

Jesus had compassion on those who suffered physically. Although He does not do miracles today, we can recognize that He provides doctors and medicines that give us relief and extend our lives. His miracles proved that what He taught was the truth from God.

# Lesson 33

Story: Mary Magdalene -- Lu. 8:2-3; John 19:25; 20:1-18.

Application: We should thank God when we get well from an illness. Most of all we should thank Him for sending Jesus to take away our sins.

Healed of 7 demons -- Lu. 8:2. Showed her gratitude for being healed of Study Helps: such a terrible thing with other women (Lesson 19) by providing for Jesus' needs with their substance (their possessions, money) -- Lu. 8:2-3.

Demons--Lesson 36 has more information.

Explain: Rabboni -- My great Master. John 20:16 says, "which is to say Teacher."

Rabbi -- Master, a term of respect for a teacher.

Lord -- He who has great power and authority; master; owner.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; followed.

Verse: Mary Magdalene said: "My Lord" John 20:13; "Rabboni!" John 20:16

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned -- Read the title words that begin each sentence with the students each time they write in their booklets. Fill in today: remember to thank God when I get well from an illness.

# Lesson 34

**Story:** Three men who asked for healing for someone else:

#1 Nobleman for his son -- John 4:46-53.

#2 Jairus for his daughter -- Mark 5:22-24, 35-43.

#3 Centurion for a sick servant -- Matt. 8:5-13.

Application: We should ask God, according to His will, to help sick people to get well.

Study Helps:

Nobleman -- a royal official, persisted in begging Jesus to help him even when Jesus accused him of just wanting to see miracles; believed and his whole household.

<u>Jairus</u> -- a <u>synagogue ruler</u> (Story also told in Luke 8:41-42, 49-56.) Even though he had asked Jesus to raise her, he was astonished when Jesus did it (Matt. 9:18).

Centurion -- a Roman soldier (Gentile) of such faith and feeling of unworthiness who recognized Jesus' power and authority. (Story also told in Luke 7:1-10.)

Visual Aids: Map: Find #1--Galilee, Cana, Capernaum. #2--Capernaum. #3--Capernaum.

Worksheet: Stickers-#1-believed in Him. #2-believed in Him; worshiped Him. #3-believed in Him.

Verse: #1--The Nobleman said: "Sir, come down before my child dies!" John 4:49

#2--Jairus said: "My little daughter lies at the point of death. Come and lay Your hands on her, that she may be healed, and she will live." Mark 5:23.

#3--The <u>Centurion</u> said: "Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof. But only speak a word, and my servant will be healed." Matt. 8:8

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Fill in today: ask God, according to His will, to help others get well when they are sick.

# Lesson 35

Story: The ten lepers -- Luke 17:11-19.

Application: Jesus wants us to be thankful to others for what they do for us.

Study Helps: What is leprosy? Leprosy is a disease that begins as spots on the skin. Later the spots become lumps which open up into painful sores. The sores gradually cause loss of skin and flesh, with deformity, loss of feeling, paralysis, serious infections, and sometimes blindness. Lepers were outcasts. People with leprosy had to live away from other people and call out "Unclean!" Today there are medicines to treat leprosy but it is still a terrible disease to have.

Only one Samaritan (out of the ten men), whom Jesus called a foreigner (v.18), came back to thank Jesus. See Lesson 25 for more information about Samaritans. The Jews hated the Samaritans, yet the other 9 lepers (Jews) did not return to thank Jesus. Jesus loved the Samaritans and another time in teaching a Jewish lawyer told the story we call "The Good Samaritan (Lu. 10:25-37).

Visual Aids: Map: Find region of Samaria.

Worksheet: Stickers for both groups--All--believed in Him; One--worshiped; and thanked Him.

Verse: Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" Luke 17:13

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: be thankful to others for what they do for me.

Older: Bible Reading -- Check to see how much the students are reading.

#### Lesson 36

Story: Legion -- Mark 5:1-20.

Application: We should be so happy about what Jesus has done for us that we go tell others about Him.

Study Helps:

Explain "demons" -- The words "demons" and "unclean spirits" are used interchangeably (verses 2,8,12,13,15). Servants of Satan ("Beelzebub, the ruler of the demons"--Matt. 12:24-27). Beelzebub is a name used for Satan as Jesus so identified. BE SURE to explain that just because a person is deaf, mute, blind, or epileptic, does NOT mean that they are demonpossessed. Demons in Jesus' day used those methods to control the person. It seems that Satan, the prince of demons, was doing all he could to try to defeat Jesus when He was on earth.

Possessed = to be controlled by something.

Epileptic = a disease of the nervous system which causes times of unconsciousness or seizures.

People of that town asked Jesus to leave--more concerned over their property loss than the miracle Jesus had done.

Decapolis means 10 cities. A region originally given to the Jewish tribe of Manasseh but much later in history was settled by Greeks (Gentiles).

Visual Aids: Map: Find Sea of Galilee, Decapolis and area of Gadarenes.

Worksheet: Stickers -- worshiped; obeyed; told others.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: a. Explain that Mark is one of the men who wrote about Jesus in the Bible.

Verse: "My name is Legion; for we are many." Mark 5:9. He began to proclaim in Decapolis all that Jesus had done for him; and all marveled. Mark 5:18-20.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: happy about what Jesus has done for me.

# Lesson 37

Story: The boy with a lunch -- John 6:1-13 with Matt. 14:21.

Application: We should share what we have with others.

Study Helps: This story was used in Lesson 29 about the reaction of the 5,000 who were fed. It is also in Matt. 14:13-21; Lu. 9:11-17; and Mk. 6:32-44. John 6:9 is the only place that tells us: "There is a lad here who has five barley loaves and two small fish." Matt. 14:21 is the only place that tells us: "men, besides women and children."

The emphasis in this lesson is on the lad (boy) who gave what he had to Jesus. Think of the thrill he must have felt to meet Jesus and to see his lunch that he shared used in the miracle of feeding so many people.

Visual Aids: Poster of 5,000 men.

Map: Find land on the other side of the Sea of Galilee from Capernaum.

Worksheet: Stickers -- shared.

Verse: No verse but: He gave his lunch to feed 5,000 men besides women and children.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: want to share what I have with others who need the things that I have.

# Lesson 38

Story: Man born blind -- John 9.

Application: We should not be afraid to stand up for Jesus even when our family, friends, teachers, and even leaders make fun of us.

Study Helps: beggar (9:8)

Defended Jesus who healed him and believed in Jesus--John 9:30-33,38.

Contrast his faith in Jesus

--with his parents who feared the Jews of the synagogue--v. 20-22;

--with the Pharisees unbelief--v. 18,24-29.

Visual Aids: Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Pool of Siloam.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; rejoiced; defended; worshiped.

Verse: The man born blind said: "Lord, I believe!" And he worshiped Him. John 9:38

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: not to be afraid to stand up for Jesus even when others make fun of me.

#### Lesson 39

Story: Syro-Phoenician Greek Woman of Canaan -- Matt. 15:21-28; Mark 7:24-30.

Application: We can pray now and tell God what our greatest need is and He will listen to us.

Study Helps: A Gentile mother who expressed well her belief in His power and her great need for help. God divides the people of the world into two groups--Jews and Gentiles. In other words, anyone who is not a Jew is a Gentile. This woman, being a Greek, was a Gentile.

This story is told by both Matthew and Mark who used different words to tell where she was from. Both accounts tell us that she came to Jesus when He was in "the region of Tyre and Sidon" which was in the ancient country of Phoenicia. Mark tells us that she was "a Greek, a Syro -Phoenician by birth." Matthew calls her "a woman of Canaan...from that region." Canaan (an old name for Palestine, including Phoenicia) is the term used for the Gentile people with a background of the former people from whom the Israelites had taken the land in the time of Joshua. She obviously was acquainted with the fact that Jesus could heal demon-possession. She even knew to call Him "Son of David," which many of the Jews had called Him also in their belief that He was the promised one to sit on the throne of David.

Demon-possession is discussed in these Helps in Lesson 36.

Lord = He who has great power and authority; master; owner.

Visual Aids: Map: Find Syria, Phoenicia, Tyre and Sidon.

Worksheet: Stickers -- worshiped, believed in Him.

Verse: "Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David ... Lord, help me!" Matt. 15:22,25

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know that God will listen when I pray and tell Him what my greatest need is.

# Lesson 40

Story: Bartimaeus -- Mark 10:46-52.

Application: Even when others try to stop us from following Jesus we must insist on doing it.

Study Helps:

Believed Jesus could heal him and persistently called to him in spite of others trying to deter him. Jesus said: "Your faith has made you well."

Explain: Rabboni -- My master; Teacher.

Visual Aids: Map: Find Jericho.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him; followed Him.

Younger: Make the eyes open and close -- closed eyes are on Extra Things for Worksheets Younger. Cut them out and scotch tape only on the top over the open eyes on the worksheet. With care the eyes can be opened and closed. Letters needed: in the name: e u.

<u>Verse:</u> Bartimaeus said: "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me! Rabboni, that I may receive my sight." Mk. 10:47,51

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: insist on following Jesus even when others try to stop me.

#### Lesson 41

Review Part 4.

Worksheet: Younger: Students choose a picture and tell about the person and how they treated Jesus. Teacher can ask questions also.

Older: Match the people to either what they said or what they did in response to Jesus.

Teacher: At the end of the review lesson, staple each student's worksheets for Part 4 together with the Cover for Part 4 in front.

Special Activities:

Play the Name Game as time permits and from now on throughout the course.

Use the people in Part 4, then add people from the former Parts.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see how much the students are reading.

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in anything missing.

# PART 5 -- LEADERS AND PEOPLE IN AUTHORITY

IMPORTANT NOTE: Read the poster: I Am Meeting Jesus...aloud in every lesson to impress on the students' minds that they are deciding how they feel about Jesus as compared to the person or persons they are studying.

There were some rulers of the Jews who believed in Jesus:

Nicodemus and Joseph of Arimathea

but some did not say so because

--afraid of the Jews -- John 19:38;

--afraid of being put out of the synagogue -- John 12:42;

--they loved the praise of men -- John 12:43.

Saul of Tarsus was a Pharisee, son of a Pharisee who persecuted believers but after he met Jesus he became a believer and a preacher -- Acts 23:6; Philippians 3:5.

Later after the church was begun, a great many priests became believers -- Acts 6:7.

# Lesson 42

Story: Two Kings Herod

#1- King Herod the Great -- Matt. 2:1-23.

#2- King Herod Antipas -- Luke 3:1,19,20; Matt. 14:1-12; Luke 9:7-9; 23:6-12.

Application: Never do anything to hurt others who might take your special place.

Study Helps: See the chart "The Herods" enclosed in this packet.

Not all Herods had title of King. These 2 did.

#1 Matt. 2:1; #2--Matt. 14:9.

#1 Herod at Jesus' birth (called Herod the Great in secular history):

only interested in preserving his power as king to extent of murdering many children in an effort to kill Jesus (Matt. 2).

(Also murdered many of his own family in order to stay in power.)

#2 Herod who killed John and tried Jesus (called Herod Antipas in secular history)

killed John the baptizer -- Matt. 14:1-13.

wanted to kill Jesus -- Luke 13:31.

wanted Jesus to show off with a miracle for him and mocked Him -- Luke 23:8.

Explain: tetrarch -- a ruler, governor of a part of a country under Roman rule.

contempt -- scorn as vile and worthless; dishonor; to look down on with hate.

mock -- to make fun of; laugh at; make sport of; poke fun at.

jealous -- envy.

Visual Aids: Chart: The Herods (may be too difficult but good for the teacher's information.)

Maps: On Map Where...Happened find #1--Jerusalem, Bethlehem. #2--Jerusalem, region of Galilee; On Map The City of Jerusalem find--Herod's palace.

Worksheet: Stickers for both groups -- #1--jealous; afraid; rejected Him; tried to kill.

#2--questioned, mocked, rejected Him; wanted to kill.

Verse: #1 King Herod the Great said: "Go and search carefully for the young Child, and when you have found Him, bring back word to me, that I may come and worship Him also." Matt. 2:8.

#2 King Herod Antipas: Treated Him with contempt and mocked Him. Luke 23:11.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Read the title words that begin each sentence with the students each time they write in their booklets. Fill in today: know I must never do anything to hurt others who might take my special place.

# Lesson 43

Story: Pilate -- Matt. 27:1,2,11-26; 62-66; Lu. 23:1-7;13-25; John 18;28 to 19:16.

Application: We must put Jesus first regardless of what will happen to us because we do.

Study Helps: Roman governor -- Matt. 27:2.

Explain -- Pontius = Pilate's family name.

Questioned Jesus -- Matt. 27:11-14.

Insisted Jesus was innocent of the accusations brought against Him --

John 18:38; 19:4,6; Lu. 23:14, 15,22.

Offered to chastise Him and release Him -- Lu. 23:16,22;

but had Him scourged to try to please the crowd -- Mk. 15:15.

Denied truth he spoke by his actions--Said innocent but condemned to death -- Lu. 23;24.

Washed his hands to try to say he himself was innocent of condemning a just, innocent man to death -- Matt. 27:24.

Made afraid by Jesus -- John 19:8; by wife's dream -- Matt. 27:19 (superstitious?) but more afraid of the crowd and condemned for political reasons -- John 19:12-15. Set guard at tomb so body could not be stolen -- Matt. 27:62-66 See the article *Who Crucified Jesus* enclosed with these Helps.

Visual Aids: Poster: Jesus Died. Map: On The City of Jerusalem find--Judgment Hall.

Worksheet: Stickers - questioned Him; afraid; rejected Him; killed Him.

Older: To make it easier to find the verses for the exercise "True or False," have the students put a paper marker in Matthew 27 and another in John 18.

Verse: Pilate said: "I find no fault in Him at all"... He said to the Jews, "Behold your King!" "I am innocent of the blood of this just Person. You see to it." John 18:38; 19:14; Matt. 27:24

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: put Him first no matter what will happen to me because I do.

#### NOTE:

There was much interaction between the chief priests, scribes and elders because they made up the ruling council (called Sanhedrin).

Matt. 26:59; Mk. 14:55;15:1; Lu. 22:66; John 11:47.

Sometimes the priests, scribes and elders are called simply "the Jews" -- John 5:16-18; 7:1.

The <u>council</u> (Greek: synedrion; Hebrew: sanhedrin) was made up of 70 members. Most were priests and Sadducean nobles, some Pharisees of which many were scribes, and elders (older men who governed their family or tribal village or area, making all major decisions.) with the High Priest as president. The origin probably goes back to the time of Moses when God commanded that when there was a case "too hard for you to judge... matters of controversy within your gates... you shall come to the priests, the Levites, and to the judge there in those days, and inquire of them; they shall pronounce upon you the sentence of judgment." (Deut. 17:8-11;21:5)

The Pharisee's were closely allied with the scribes, as Matt. 23 indicates, and are never joined in a Bible event with only the elders. The chief priests (Sadducees) however were often joined with the elders of the people in their activities.

The chief priests, rulers, scribes, elders, Pharisees, Sadducees, and High Priests were involved separately and together in desire and efforts to get rid of Jesus.-- Matt. 26:3,4; Lu. 22:2; Lu. 23:13-18.

See the article: Who Crucified Jesus?

# Why the leaders of the Jews wanted to kill Jesus:

They were angry because they claimed that Jesus broke the Sabbath -- Lu. 6:7,11; 13:14. They hated Jesus because He testified:

that their works were evil -- John 7:7; 15:18;

about their sin -- John 15:22;

that they did not keep Jesus' word -- John 15:20;

that they did not know God who sent Jesus -- John 15:21;

that they hated both the Father and the Son -- John 15:24.

that they were wicked -- Matt. 21:41, 45-46;

that "My word has no place in you." -- John 8:37

Admitted Jesus did miracles -- John 11:47.

But they feared "Everyone will believe in Him and the Romans will come and take away our place and our nation" -- John 11:48.

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Sought how they might kill Jesus but were afraid of the people who believed in Him -- Lu. 22:2; John 11:48,53;

For envy delivered up Jesus to be killed -- Matt. 27:18.

# Lesson 44

Story: Pharisees -- Lu. 6:6-11; 13:10-17; Matthew 23:1-33; John 11:43-53. These should be the main story material but also include some of the material found in Study Helps.

Application: We cannot change what God says to what we think is right because then we are not obeying God's commands.

Study Helps:

"Pharisee" means "separated one." The Pharisees were one of the groups of religious leaders of the Jews. They believed in strictly keeping the Law of Moses but made the traditions of men, which were ideas of what the laws meant, just as important to them as God's Law.

They wore special clothes so everyone would know who they were -- Matt. 23:5:

made the tassels on their garments long;

made their phylacteries broad (to be seen of men). <a href="Phylacteries">Phylacteries</a> were small leather cases containing Scriptures from the O.T.--Ex. 13:6-10,12,14,16; Deut. 6:4-9; 11:18-21. Long strips of leather were attached to the cases so they could be tied to the forehead and forearms. The Jews took these Scriptures literally instead of what God meant. He wanted their obedience from the heart, to use their "hands" to do what He said, and their minds ("between your eyes") to think about what He had done for them. Their religion was external and not of the heart but self-righteous and hypocritical.

They thought they were the only ones who understood God and His word.

Highly respected teachers of the Law by the people.

Jesus called them a generation of vipers, hypocrites, fools, and blind guides:

for being evil speaking -- Matt. 12:34; 23:33.

for their self-righteousness -- Matt. 5:20.

for making gold on the temple more important than God's temple -- Matt. 23:16-22.

for their pride against others -- Matt. 9:11,12.

for their lack of mercy on the Sabbath -- Matt. 12:2-7.

for their love of money -- Lu. 16:11-14.

The Pharisees accused Jesus of blasphemy -- Lu. 5:21:

of being in league with the devil -- Matt. 9:34; John 7:20.

of breaking the Law -- Lu. 6:1-2.

Used the Sabbath day to test and accuse Jesus:

Matt. 12:1-8 (plucked grain);

Lu. 6:6-11(healed withered hand);

Lu. 14:1-5 (healed man with dropsy);

John 5:1-18 (healed cripple by pool);

John 9:16 (healed man born blind).

Admitted Jesus had done many signs --John 11:47 but refused to believe for fear of loss of power and authority over the people -- John 11:48.

Questioned Jesus to test or trick Him to be able to accuse Him:

about taxes -- Matt. 22:15;

asked for a sign even though they had seen some of His miracles -- Mk. 8:11;

about divorce -- Matt. 19:3;

concerning adultery -- John 8:3-6;

about many things -- Lu. 11:53,54.

Derided (mocked) Him for His teaching -- Lu. 16:14.

Misused Scripture against Jesus -- John 7:27,52 (Isa. 9:1-2); Matt. 4:14-17.

Called Jesus a sinner -- John 9:24.

Chose "Moses" over Jesus -- John 9:28,29.

Claimed to honor God but rejected His Son -- John 5:23.

Did not believe in Jesus -- John 5:38; or God's word -- 8:37,45.

Put anyone who believed in Jesus out of the synagogue -- John 9:22;

Tried to stone Jesus -- John 8:58-59 "I AM"; John 10:30-33 "I and My Father are One"; John 5:18 -- because He made Himself equal to God.

Persecuted Jesus and sought to kill Him -- John 5:16,18.

Plotted to destroy Jesus and put Him to death --

Mk. 3:1-6 because Jesus healed on the Sabbath;

Lu. 19:47 together with chief priest, scribes, elders, leaders of the people because Jesus drove them out of the temple for selling there;

John 11:47-48 because "everyone will believe in Him, and the Romans will come and take away both our place and nation.";

John 12:17-19 because "Look, the world has gone after Him!" (jealousy-envy);

Mk. 14:1 by a sly way (trickery);

Mk. 14:55-57 by using false testimony at Jesus' trial.

Other Scriptures involving the Pharisees: Matt. 5:20; 22:34-46; 27:62-66 (Matt. 16:1-12 with Sadducees) Mk. 2:16-28; 7:1-13; Lu. 5:17-26;15:1-32.

<u>Visual Aids:</u> Pictures in this packet: Inside of a synagogue; A group in a synagogue; A crowd in a synagogue; A synagogue pulpit; mint, anise, cumin; tassels; phylacteries; the council of the Jews.

Bring samples of mint, anise, cumin for students to see and smell.

Poster: Jesus Died. Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Hall of the Council.

Worksheet: Stickers -- questioned Him; angry; rejected Him; jealous; afraid; plotted; mocked; killed Him.

Younger: The piece for the scroll and pictures to paste for the story are on Extra Things For Worksheets Younger. As teacher reads, students say the picture word and paste the missing.

Older: Answers to clues and completed puzzle on pages 41 and 42 of these Helps.

Verse: "This Man is not from God, because He does not keep the Sabbath." John 9:16. "We know that God spoke to Moses: as for this fellow, we do not know where He is from." John 9:29. "What shall we do? For this Man works many signs. If we let Him alone like this, everyone will believe in Him, and the Romans will come and take away both our place and nation." John 11:47,48

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know I must obey God because I love Jesus, and not just to make me look like I am being religious.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see how much the students are reading. They should be nearing the final chapters.

# Lesson 45

Story: Scribes -- Mark 2:1-12; 3:22-30.

Application: We have to be careful not to let anything become more important than Jesus. We must be willing to give up everything in order to obey Jesus.

Study Helps: A scribe is a person who writes or copies by hand.

Scripture means writings. Script means handwriting.

The scribes held positions as experts in the law of Moses and taught the law (Lu. 5:17,21). They were sometimes called lawyers (Lu. 14:3). Very influential with the people.

The scribes held public offices as the official public writers and copies of the Law even in Old Testament times (ex. 2 Sam. 8:17). Bible times were before the printing press was invented.

They were frequently associated with the Pharisees, the religious party to which most belonged (Matt. 23). Some scribes belonged to another religious party called the Sadducees.

With the Pharisees they loved being called "Rabbi" (honorable teacher) (Matt. 23:1,6).

They wore distinctive long robes, loved greetings in the market place, the best seats in the synagogue, the best places at the feasts; for a pretense (to show off) made long prayers (Matt. 23:5,6; Lu. 20:46,47).

They were teachers and experts in the Law to which they added as requirements their interpretations (traditions of the elders) -- Matt. 7:29; 23:4; Lu. 11:46.

Called "hypocrites" by Jesus many times -- Matt. 23:13,14,15,23,25,27,28,29.

Greedy ("extortion and self-indulgence")-- Matt. 23:25; Lu. 20:46,47.

Members of the Jewish ruling council (Sanhedrin) -- Mark 15:1.

Involved in condemning Jesus to death -- Mark 14:1, 43-45, 53-65; as Jesus had predicted--Matt. 16:21. See article *Who Crucified Jesus* enclosed in these Helps.

Accused Jesus with rest of the council before Pilate of anything to condemn Him to death:

--an evildoer -- John 18:30;

--that He claimed to be Christ a King -- Lu. 23:2;

--He stirs up the people, teaching in all Judea, from Galilee to this place."-- Lu. 23:5;

--of perverting the nation -- Lu. 23:2;

--of forbidding to pay taxes to Caesar -- Lu. 23:2;

--that He made Himself Son of God -- John 19:7.

Mocked Jesus on the cross -- Mk. 15:31; Matt. 27:41.

Incidents in which they are named alone:

Healing paralytic lowered through the roof -- Mk. 2:6;

Accused Jesus of casting out demons by Beelzebub -- Mark 3:22;

Disputed with the disciples -- Mk. 9:14;

They said one time: "Teacher you answered well." -- Lu. 20:39;

Jesus said to beware of the scribes -- Lu. 20:46-47.

# The materials that the scribes used:

The "paper" of that time was made of papyrus, a reed that grew by rivers, especially the Nile in Egypt. The stalks were sliced thinly lengthwise and pieces laid side by side horizontally to form a page. Others were laid vertically on top. They were than mashed together and laid in the sun to dry. After scraping and rubbing the piece they had a piece of paper like our heavy wrapping paper only thicker.

For important documents, animal skins, scraped and cleaned, then sewed together to make the length needed were used. Parchment was also made of animal skins which had been whitened and treated to make a finer material.

All 3 of these were made into scrolls so they could be rolled up on a stick at each end for easier handling and storage. Scrolls of the Law of Moses are still used in Jewish synagogues.

The instruments used to write with were maybe a stylus or a quill.

The ink of the Jews was probably a lamp-black and gum. The New Testament books were written on papyrus with a vegetable soot mixed with gum (or another combination) and moistened as needed.

Hebrew scrolls were written in columns from right to left (the opposite way we write and read in English).

<u>Visual Aids:</u> <u>Pictures</u> enclosed in packet: Scroll; papyrus; phylacteries; mint, anise, cumin; tassels; The council of the Jews; Inside of a synagogue; A group in a synagogue; A crowd in a synagogue; A synagogue pulpit.

Poster: Jesus Died.

Worksheet: Stickers -- questioned Him; rejected Him; jealous; plotted; killed Him; mocked.

Verse: "Why does this Man speak blasphemies like this? Who can forgive sins but God alone?"

Mk. 2:7. "He has Beelzebub...by the ruler of the demons He casts out demons." Mk. 3:22.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in today: know I must be willing to give up everything in order to obey Jesus.

#### Lesson 46

**Story:** chief priests (Sadducees) & elders--Matt. 21:23-27; Matt. 26:14,15 with 27:3; Lu. 22:47-54; Matt. 26:59-68; Mark. 15:1; Matt. 27:12,20-22; 27:41-43; Matt. 28:11-15; Acts 23:8.

Application: We must be careful not to listen to false religious teachers.

#### Study Helps:

"Chief priests" were about the same as Sadducees. Very unpopular with the people.

Sadducees were priests, a sect of the Jews, politicians who favored cooperating with the Romans. They were well-to-do people with no common people in their group.

Sadducees said that there is no resurrection nor angel nor spirit. Acts 23:8

"Elders" were older men who acted as local judges and rulers of each city. Some of these were in the ruling Council in Jerusalem which condemned Jesus to die. They are frequently together with the chief priests against Jesus.

Matt. 21:23-27 -- the chief priests and the elders of the people questioned His authority.

Matt. 26:14,15 -- Judas was paid 30 pieces of silver to betray Jesus by the chief priests.

Lu. 22:49-54 -- chief priests, captains of the temple, the elders, and Judas arrested Jesus.

Matt. 26:59 -- "The chief priests, the elders, and all the council sought false testimony against Jesus to put Him to death."

Mark. 15:1 -- "The <u>chief priests</u> with the <u>elders</u> and scribes and the whole <u>council</u>; bound Jesus and delivered Him to Pilate."

Matt. 27:3 -- Judas brought back the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders.

Matt. 27:12,20-21 -- chief priests and elders accused Jesus before Pilate (of many things -- Mk. 15:3). The chief priests and elders persuaded the multitudes to ask for Barabbas and destroy Jesus. They all said to him, "Let Him be crucified!"

John 19:6,15 -- When the <u>chief priests</u> and officers saw Him, they cried out, "Crucify Him, crucify Him!" The <u>chief priests</u> answered, "We have no king but Caesar!"

Matt. 27:41-43 -- the chief priests mocked Jesus on the cross with the scribes and elders.

Matt. 28:11-15 -- the chief priests with the elders gave a large sum of money to the soldiers to lie about the empty tomb.

Unbelievers who tried to trip Jesus up with questions -- Matt. 22:23-34.

Sometimes worked with the Pharisees against Jesus -- Matt. 16:1-4.

Were envious of Jesus -- Matt. 27:12,18.

Plotted to put Lazarus to death also -- John 12:10.

See the article Who Crucified Jesus enclosed with these Helps.

#### Visual Aids: Picture--Council of the Jews.

Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Hall of the Council.

Poster: Jesus Died.

<u>Worksheet:</u> <u>Stickers for both groups</u> -- questioned Him; jealous; rejected Him; plotted; killed Him; mocked.

Verse: "Crucify Him, crucify Him!" John 19:6. "We have no king but Gaesar!" John 19:15. "He saved others; Himself He cannot save. If He is the King of Israel, let Him now come down from the cross, and we will believe Him. "Matt. 27:42. "Tell them, 'His disciples came at night and stale Him away while we slept.' "And if this comes to the governor's ears, we will appease him and make you secure." Matt. 28:13-14.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Fill in today: know I must be careful not to listen to religious teachers who do not teach the truth.

Older: Bible Reading-- Check to see how much the students are reading.

#### Lesson 47

**Story:** High priests, Annas and Caiaphas -- John 11:47-53; Matt. 26:3-5; John 18:12-14,19-24; Matt. 26:57-68; Mk. 14:53-65.

Application: Religious leaders are not always right. Check what they say by what the Bible says.

Study Helps:

The High Priest was a **position** of high standing over the people of Israel. The first high priest, Aaron, was appointed by God to minister to Him as priest (Ex. 28:1). The term "high priest" is not used in the Old Testament but such terms as "Aaron the priest" (Num. 3:6; 4:33; Lev. 1:7).

At the beginning and for some time, the <u>successor</u> to the high priesthood was from father to son (Ex. 29:29,30; Num. 20:25-29). Later in history, the high priest was appointed or chosen by the council which was called the Sanhedrin. Many times there was the high priest and a second high priest who was like a substitute. In the time when Jesus was on earth the appointment had become involved in politics. It seems <u>Annas</u> was the high priest and <u>Caiaphas</u> was the second high priest. Herod the Great (Herod at the time of Jesus' birth) murdered the high priest and made unqualified men high priest according to his will. At one time a man named Ananus and his 5 sons took turns being high priest. The last high priest before the destruction of Jerusalem in 70 AD was chosen by the zealots by lot.

His garments (Ex. 28:4) were made according to God's instructions and were for glory and beauty (Ex. 28:2). They were holy to be worn to minister to God (Ex. 28:3). The high priest, his sons, and their garments were concentrated to do their holy work by being anointed with oil

(Ex. 29:21; Lev. 8:12).

<u>breastplate</u>—a gold plate with 12 precious gems on which were written the names of the sons of Israel for judgment (Ex. 28:21,30).

ephod--in two pieces fastened at the shoulders with 2 large onyx stones on which was written the sons of Israel as a memorial (Ex. 28:12).

robe of the ephod--under the ephod, the hem trimmed with pomegranates and gold bells Ex. 39:22-26).

tunic--a broidered coat undergarment (Ex. 28:4).

trousers--undergarment (Ex. 28:42).

sash--long belt-like piece wound around the waist several times (Lev. 8:7).

turban--on the head (Lev. 8:9).

mitre--fastened on the turban, a plate of pure gold that had engraved on it:

HOLINESS TO THE LORD because the high priest bore the sin of the holy things offered so that they would be accepted before the Lord (Ex. 28:36-38).

The <u>duties</u> of the high priest were to offer sacrifices for the people with the help of the

priests who were descendants of Aaron of the tribe of Levi. He was the only one that entered the part of the temple called the Holy of Holies where the ark of God was and only once a year on the day of Atonement to sprinkle blood of the special sacrifice he made for the people (Lev. 16).

The high priest was the president of the council. The <u>council</u> (Matt. 26:59; John 11:47) was called the Sanhedrin (Gr. sunedrion means council). This Great Council of Jews which met in Jerusalem had 71 members who were important members of the high priest's, elders' and scribes' families. The council was like a supreme court which tried important cases.

The council held an unfair <u>trial for Jesus</u> by calling false witnesses (Matt. 26:59-61) in order to carry out their plot to kill Jesus. But the witnesses did not agree (Mk. 14:55-59). In spite of this the council condemned Jesus to death. They had prejudged Jesus as guilty before the trial. Many have said it was an illegal trial but the Bible does not use the term *illegal*. It was illegal in the sense that it broke rules that the council had made for itself to follow in all cases they judged. Several of those were:

--No session of the council could be held at night;

--Witnesses favoring the accused were to be heard;

--There was to be a period of 24 hours delay between sentence and the execution. The Jews who were accusing Jesus of breaking the Law of God were not even obeying the Law themselves having 2 High Priests at the same time. Even though they admitted that Jesus did powerful miracles (John 11:47) the council, including the high priest, plotted to take Jesus by trickery and kill Him (Matt. 26:3,4).

See the article *Who Crucified Jesus* enclosed with these Helps. Explain <u>blasphemy</u> -- (Matt. 26:65) to speak insultingly of God.

Visual Aids: Pictures: High priest's garments; The council of the Jews.

Poster: Jesus Died.

Map of The City of Jerusalem find--Hall of the Council.

Worksheet: Stickers -- questioned Him; rejected Him; jealous; plotted; killed him.

Younger: Teacher needs to be prepared to tell the students what color to use for each part of the High Priest's clothes, using Exodus 28.

Verse: The high priest tore his clothes and said, "What further need do we have of witnesses?"
You have heard the blasphemy!" And they all condemned Him to be deserving of death.
Mark 14:63,64.

**Special Activities:** 

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Fill in today: know that I must check in the Bible to see if what religious leaders say is true.

#### Lesson 48

**Story:** Roman soldiers -- Matt. 27:27-37,54; Mark 15:16-26,39; Lu. 23:36-38,47; John 19:23-24,29-37; Matt. 28:2-4,11-15.

<u>Application:</u> Ignorant people often do evil things. Learning all we can about Jesus from the Bible will help us not to ignorantly do bad things.

Study Helps: See the article Who Crucified Jesus enclosed with these Helps.

Mocked, tortured Jesus before taking Him to Golgotha -- Mk. 15:16-20.

Mocked at the cross -- Lu. 23:36-37.

Drove the nails that crucified Jesus -- Lu. 23:33.

Divided His garments -- John 19:22-24.

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After the resurrection, they accepted a large bribe to lie about what saw -- Matt. 28:2-4,11-15

Believed -- "centurion and those with him...Son of God" Matt. 27:54;

"centurion...Son of God" Mark 15:39; "centurion...righteous man" Lu. 23:47.

Why were the Romans in Jerusalem ruling over the Jews? Rome had conquered most of the known world, including Israel. Pilate, a Roman, was governor and the Roman soldiers were there to maintain peace and order.

Explain: ignorance = not knowing something.

Visual Aids: Poster: Jesus Died.

Map of The Roman World find--Rome, Jerusalem.

Worksheet: Stickers -- mocked; killed Him; afraid; some believed.

Older: Need the Code Card for Cryptograms. Key to this Cryptogram: THE CENTURION AND THOSE WITH HIM, WHO WERE GUARDING JESUS, SAW THE EARTHQUAKE AND THE THINGS THAT HAD HAPPENED, THEY FEARED GREATLY, SAYING, "TRULY THIS WAS THE SON OF GOD!"

Verse: They mocked Him, saying, "Hall, King of the Jews!" Matt. 27:29.

They feared greatly, saying, "Truly this was the Son of God!" Matt. 27:54.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Fill in today: know that learning all I can about <u>Jesus</u> from the <u>Bible</u> will <u>help</u> me <u>not</u> <u>do</u> <u>bad</u> things in ignorance.

#### Lesson 49

Story: Nicodemus -- John 3:1-21; 7:32,37-53; 19:38-42.

Application: We must defend Jesus when others speak wrongfully about Him even when we know someone will make fun of us.

Study Helps: A Pharisee -- John 3:1.

Ruler of the Jews -- John 3:1; and teacher of Israel -- John 3:10.

Came to Jesus at night (was he afraid of other leaders?) -- John 3:2.

Believed God was with Jesus because of the signs (miracles) He did -- 3:2.

Later defended Jesus and was ridiculed -- John 7:50-51.

Helped bury Jesus' body -- John 19:38-42.

Explain <u>defend</u> = to stand up for someone.

Visual Aids: Poster: Jesus Died.

Worksheet: Stickers -- questioned Him; believed in Him; defended.

<u>Verse:</u> "Rabbi, we know that You are a teacher come from God; for no one can do these signs that You do unless God is with him." John 3:2

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Remind the students each time they write in their booklets of the words on the cover. Fill in today: me want to defend Him when others speak wrongfully about Him even when I know someone will make fun of me.

#### Lesson 50

Story: Joseph of Arimathea -- Matt 27:57-60; Mk. 15:43-46; Lu. 23:50-53; John 19:38-42.

Application: We must never agree to do something that we know is wrong.

<u>Study Helps:</u> Study all Scripture texts because each one adds something of interest and value to the story.

A rich man -- Matt. 27:58.

From Arimathea a city of the Jews (exact location unknown) -- Lu. 23:51.

A prominent council member -- Mk. 15:43; Lu. 23:49.

Was himself waiting for the kingdom of God -- Mk. 15:43; Lu. 23:51.

A secret disciple of Jesus for fear of the Jews -- John 19:38; Matt 27:57, but after Jesus' death with courage (Mk. 15:43) asked Pilate for Jesus body -- John 19:38-42.

A good and just man who had <u>not consented</u> to the decision and deed of the council to put Jesus to death -- Lu. 23:51.

Buried Jesus in his own new tomb -- Matt. 27:60 with the help of Nicodemus who brought a mixture of myrrh and aloes, about a hundred pounds -- John 19:38-42.

Visual Aids: Poster: Jesus Died.

Worksheet: Stickers -- believed in Him.

Younger: Letters needed: cut from a newspaper or magazine to paste where they are missing in the name: e u l e a o e.

Older: Need the Code Card for Cryptograms. Key to this Cryptogram: A DISCIPLE OF JESUS BUT SECRETLY FOR FEAR OF THE JEWS.

Verse: A disciple of Jesus, but secretly, for fear of the Jews. John 19:38.

Special Activities:

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned— Fill in today: know I must never agree to do something that I know is wrong.

#### Lesson 51

Review Part 5.

Worksheet:

Younger: Students choose a picture and tell about the person and how they treated Jesus. Teacher can ask questions also.

Older: Match the people to either what they said or what they did in response to Jesus.

Teacher: At the end of the review lesson, staple each student's worksheets for Part 5

together with the Cover for Part 5 in front.

Special Activities:

Name Game. Use the people in Part 5, then add people from the former Parts.

Older: Bible Reading-- Have they finished reading all the chapters?

Older booklet: The Things I Have Learned-- Fill in anything missing.

#### Lesson 52

Review the entire course.

Ideas to choose from, or add your own, for a review of the entire course.

Using the visual aids, ask questions.

Give the students a copy of the outline to have them choose:

--their favorite person and tell why.

--the one they liked the least and tell why.

Check if anyone can repeat the names of Jesus' Apostles or the names of people in His family. Play the Name Game.

Repeat all 5 review lessons.

Have you met Jesus lately in reading the Bible?

Who was there? How did you feel?

What did you think about Jesus?

Propose: "If Jesus came to your house what would you do?" Finish any project or worksheet that is lacking.

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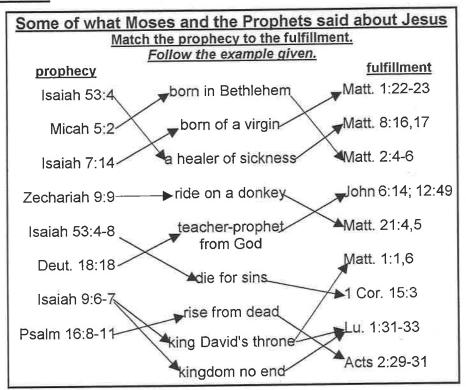
#### Answers to some of the worksheet puzzles.

#### Lesson 24

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#### The Multitudes **ACROSS** 2A--When Jesus returned from healing Legion, the multitude Him. Lu. 8:40. WELCOMED **3A--** How the multitude felt because of the glorious things Jesus did. Luke 13:17. REJOICED **6A**--They God. Matt. 15:31. GLORIFIED 9A--Great things for which they followed Jesus. John 6:2. SIGNS 13A-- What they told Pilate they wanted done with Jesus. Matt. 27:22. CRUCIFIED 16A-- Multitudes saw these speaking. Matt. 15:31. MUTE 17A--They saw these made whole. Matt. 15:31. MAIMED 18A--What about Jesus astonished them. Matt. 22:33. TEACHING 19A--They saw these seeing. Matt. 15:31. BLIND DOWN 1D--Many said that Jesus was the \_\_\_\_\_. John 7:40. PROPHET 4D--Some said Jesus was this. John 7:41. CHRIST 5D--The multitude wanted to make Jesus be this John 6:15. KING 7D--They saw these walking. Matt. 15:31. LAME 8D--The multitude called Jesus this. Matt. 21:9. SONOFDAVID 10D--Whom did the multitude glorify? Matt. 15:31. GOD 11D--How they felt about Jesus' teaching. Matt. 22:33. ASTONISHED 12D--What they did when they saw miracles Matt. 15:31. MARVELED 14D--Why one multitude asked Jesus to leave. Lu. 8:37. FEAR 15D--Reaction when the blind mute spoke and saw. Matt. 12:22,23. AMAZED

#### Lesson 31



#### Lesson 44

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#### Answers to clues for puzzle Lesson 44

A2-Jesus called them this. (Matt. 23 15)HYPOCRITES

A5-They were disciples of this man. (John 9:28) MOSES

A7-Worked with the Pharisees against Jesus. (Lu. 6:7) SCRIBES

A9-Picked up to throw at Jesus. (John 8:59) STONE

A10-Those who ruled the land. (John 11:48) ROMANS

A14-A Pharisee who became a Christian. (Acts 23:6) PAUL

A16-Looked for something so could do this to Jesus. (Mk. 3:2) ACCUSE

A20-A word meaning planned (Matt. 12:14) PLOTTED

A21-Argued with Jesus \_ \_ \_ Him. (Mk. 8:11) TESTING

A22-They do this with commands of men. (Mk. 7:7) TEACH

D1-Something they said Jesus had. (John 8:48) DEMON

D3-Jews day to go to synagogue. (Mk. 3:2) SABBATH

D4-With the Pharisees in the council. (John 11:47) PRIESTS

D6-Accused the disciples of breaking the traditions of these men. (Matt. 15:1,2) ELDERS

D7-Said Jesus was this. (John 9:24) SINNER

D8-What they did about the will of God. (Lu. 7:30) REJECTED

D11-On thing they feared Rome would take. (John 11:48) PLACE

D12-Where Jews met to be taught. (Lu. 6:6) SYNAGOGUE

D13-Watched to see if Jesus would do this on the Sabbath. (Lu. 6:7) HEAL

D15-The Romans might take this away. (John 11:48) NATION

D17-What they asked Jesus to show them. (Mk. 8:11) SIGN

D18-Wanted to give this to Jesus. (John 11:53) DEATH

D19-The name for all people not Gentiles. (John 5:16) JEWS

#### Who Crucified Jesus?

#### Judas -- Jew

Out of covetousness -- love of money -- Matt. 26:14-16.

Was a thief -- John 12:4-6.

Judas betrayed Him to the Jews knowing they planned to kill Him -- John 18:1-5.

Thought Jesus would be judged innocent -- Matt. 27:3-5.

#### The High Priest and other leaders -- Jews

Who were the leaders?

The Jewish council -- Lu. 22:66-71.

chief priests, elders, scribes -- Lu. 22:66--23:5.

Pharisees -- John 11:47-53.

Out of unbelief -- Matt. 26:59-68.

Admitted He did signs -- John 11:47; 12:37.

Out of envy -- Matt. 27:18; John 11:47-48; 12:19.

Hated -- John 15:25.

Out of fear of loss of power -- John 11:48.

Went to all lengths to get rid of Jesus:

Plotted -- Matt. 26:3-5.

Looked for false witnesses -- Matt. 26:59.

Stirred up the multitude -- Matt. 27:20.

Chose guilty Barabbas' freedom & innocent Jesus to be crucified -- Mt. 27:16-22.

#### WHO?

"For truly against
Your holy Servant Jesus,
whom You anointed,
both Herod and
Pontius Pilate,
with the Gentiles and
the people of Israel,
were gathered together to do
whatever Your hand and
Your purpose determined
before to be done."

Acts 4:27,28 (Ps. 2:1-3)

#### The multitude/mob -- Jews

Out of fickleness --

Just days before at triumphal entry called out, "Hosanna to the Son of David" -Matt. 21:7-11.

Now called out "Crucify Him!" -- Matt. 27:20-22; Mk. 15:11-14.

#### All the house of Israel -- Jews -- Acts 2:36; 3:12,13;

#### Pilate -- Gentile

Declared Jesus innocent -- Lu. 23:4,15,22 BUT

Out of fear for his political job -- Mk. 15:15; John 19:12-16; Matt. 27:24.

#### The Roman soldiers -- Gentiles

Out of duty with selfish pleasure nailed Him to the cross -- Mk. 15:16-20; John 19:23.

#### God, the Father

"Him being delivered by the determined purpose and foreknowledge of God..."-Acts 2:23; 4:27,28.

#### Jesus Himself

"I lay down My life for the sheep." -- John 10:15,17-18.

"Christ died for our sins" -- 1 Cor. 15:3; Rom. 5:8.

The remedy for sin -- Acts 2:36-38; Heb. 9:26.

#### I Crucified Jesus

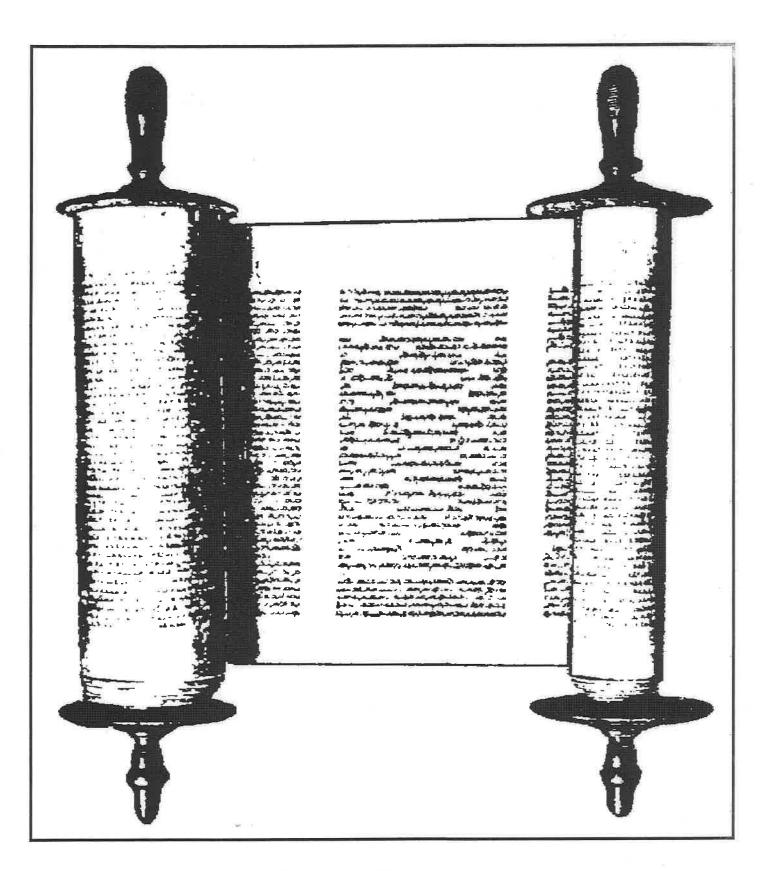
All people have sinned -- Rom. 3:23; Isa. 53:4-6; 1 Pet. 2:24-25.

That means that I have sinned and therefore crucified Jesus.

#### Will I Crucify Him Again? -- Heb. 6:4-6.

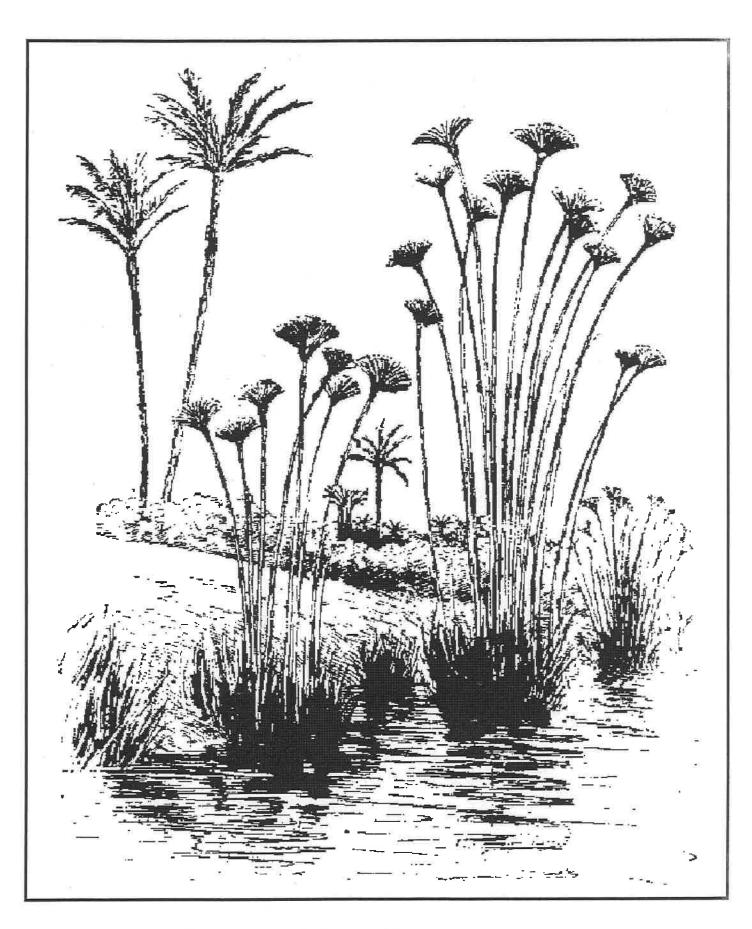
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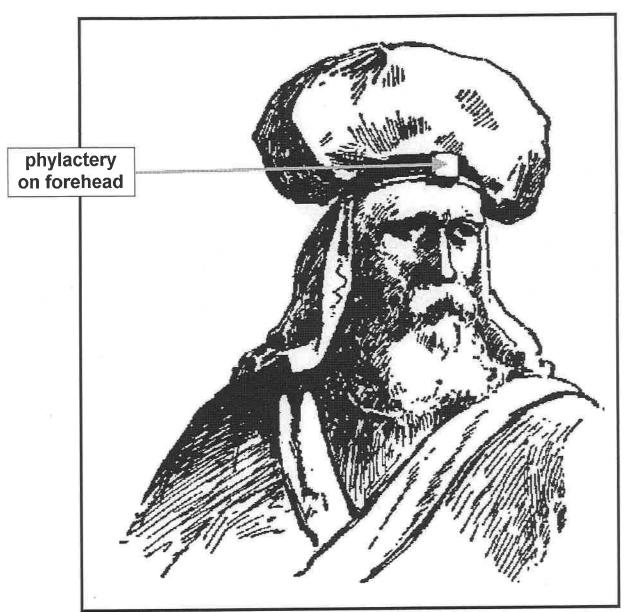


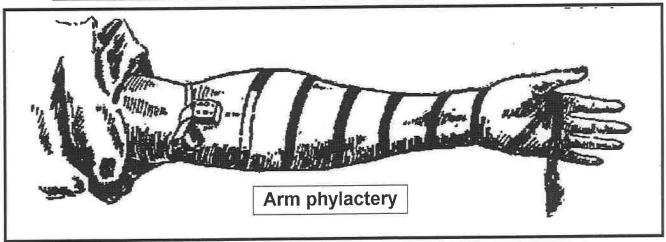
Scrolls were written in columns.

Hebrew was written and read from RIGHT to LEFT.



Papyrus plants from which paper was made.





A phylactery is a small leather case containing these Scriptures from the O.T. Ex. 13:1-10, 11-16; Deut. 6:4-6; 11:13-21.

#### Things the Scribes and Pharisees Tithed

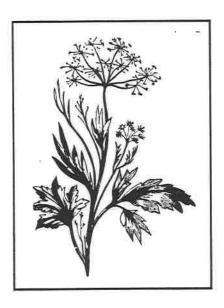
"Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you pay tithe of mint and anise and cumin, and have neglected the weightier matters of the law: justice and mercy and faith.

These you ought to have done, without leaving the others undone." Matthew 23:23



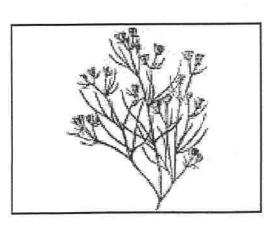
Mint

There are 3,200 varieties of Mint of which several grow wild in Palestine. Some are used in cooking, medicine, and perfume making. Some of the best known kinds are catnip, hyssop, peppermint, rosemary, sage, spearmint and thyme.



Anise

The seeds of Anise are used to flavor pastry, cookies, candy, and some cheeses. Anise tastes somewhat like licorice. It is also useful in some medicines for stomach problems.

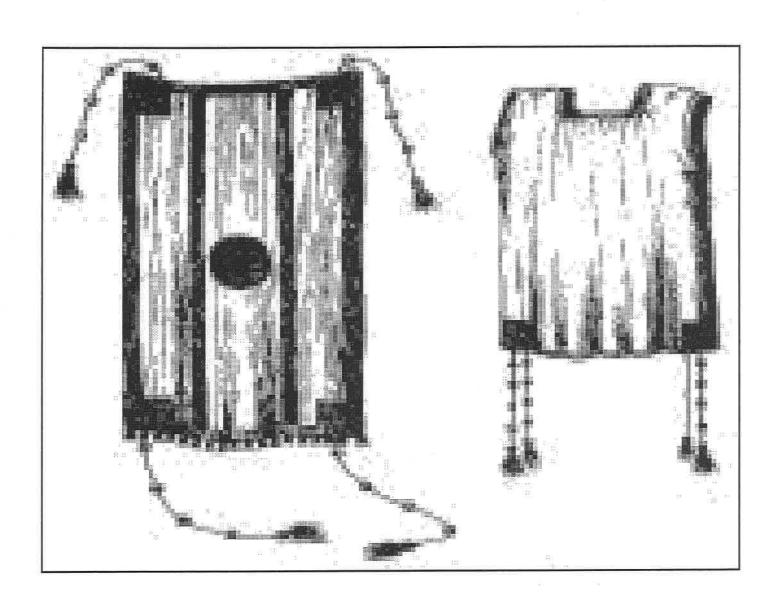


Cumin

The tender seeds of Cummin are crushed and mixed with bread or added to a pot of meat.

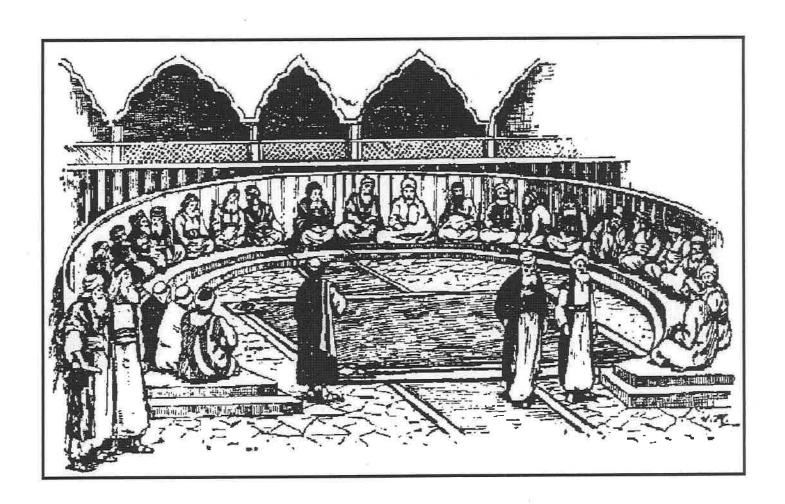
## The Special Holy Garments of the High Priest Exodus 28





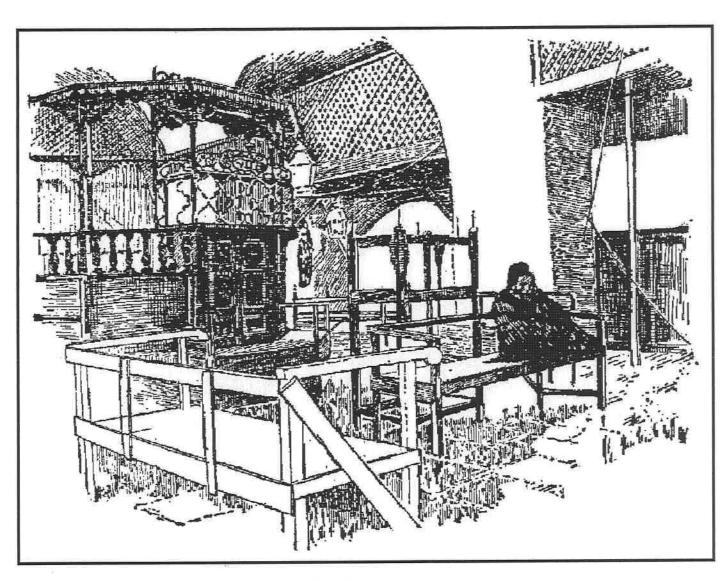
Tassels on hems of garments Num. 15:38-41

## The Council of the Jews also called the Sanhedrin



#### Jesus Fed "5,000 MEN!"

"besides women and children."



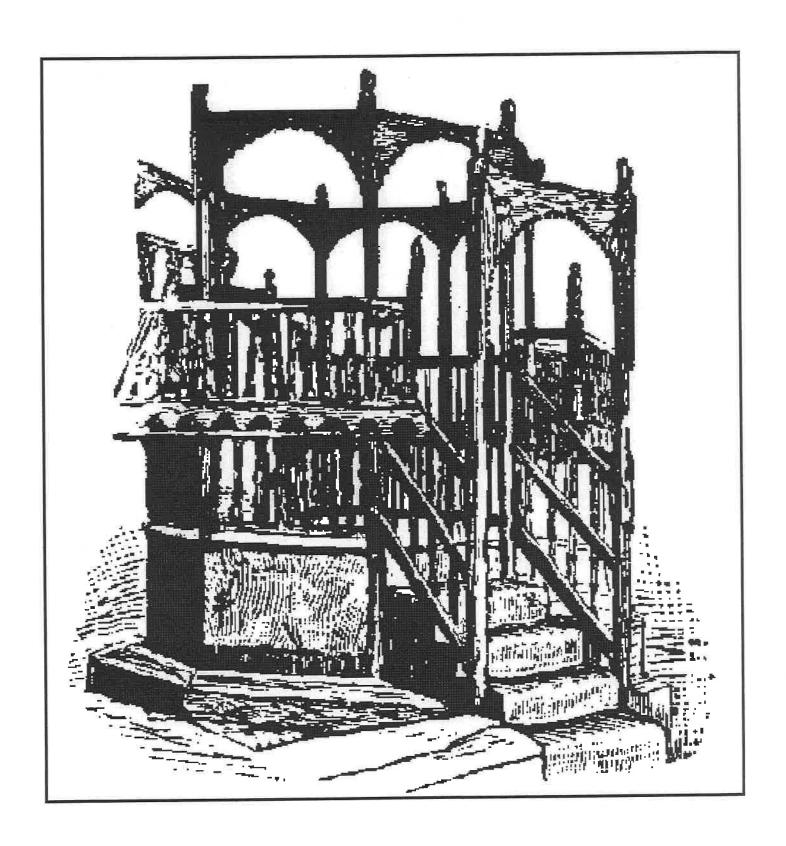
Inside of a synagogue



A group in a synagogue



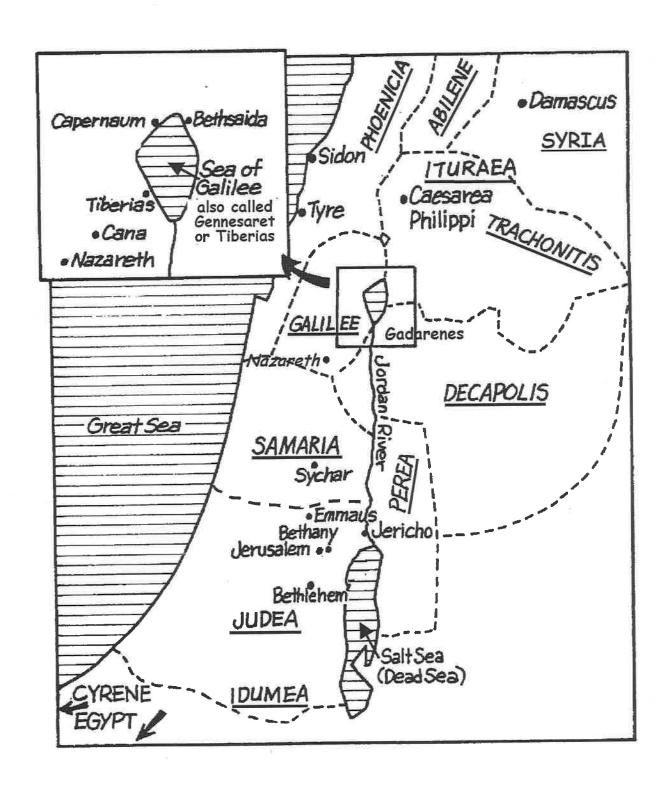
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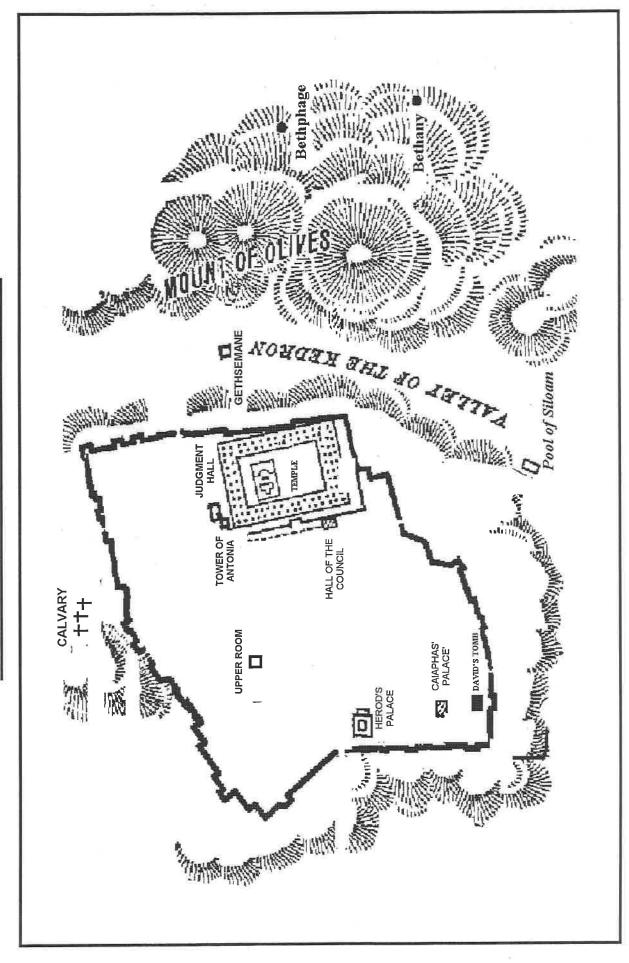
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### WHERE IT ALL HAPPENED

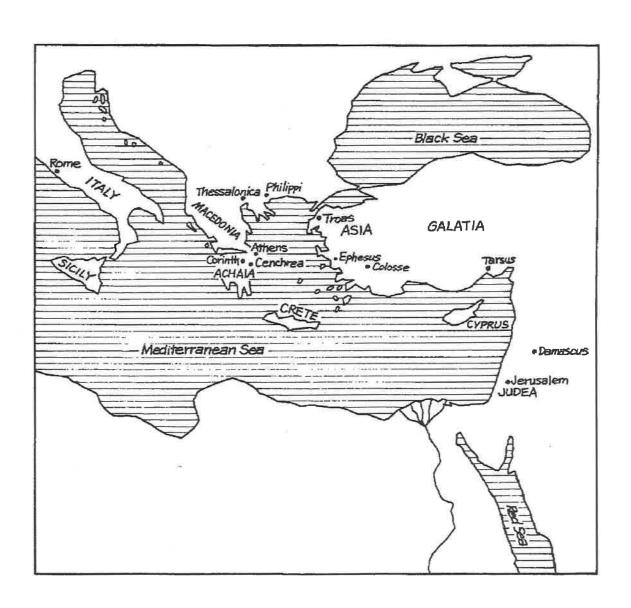
(Matthew, Mark, Luke, John)

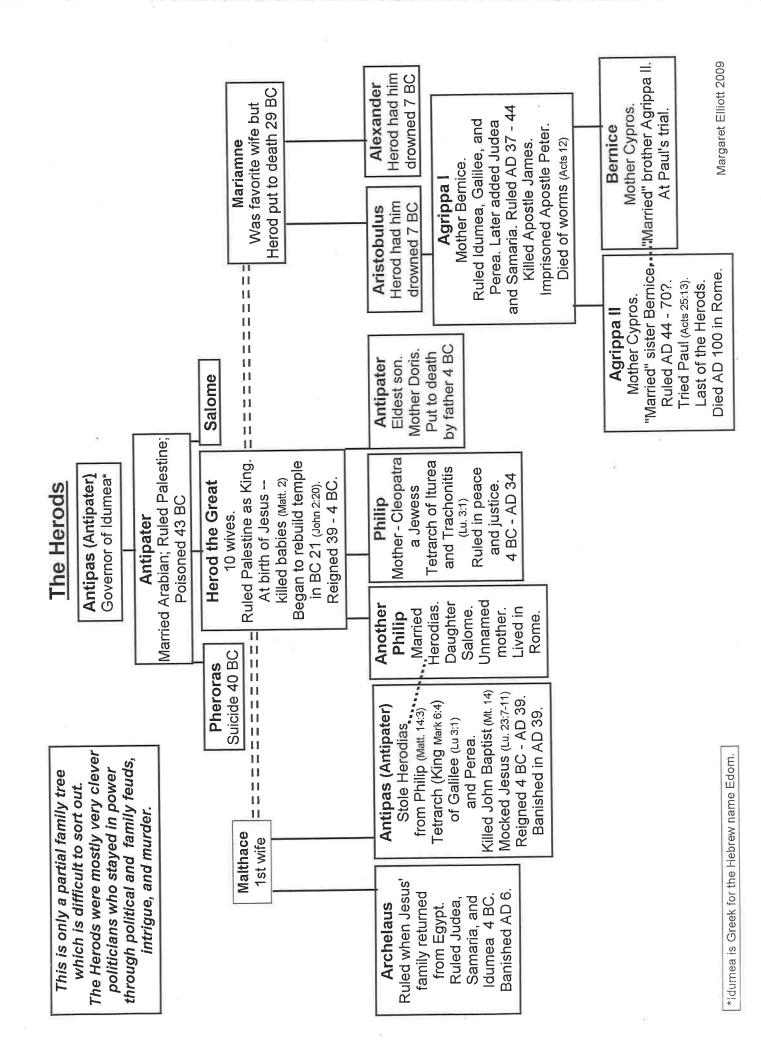


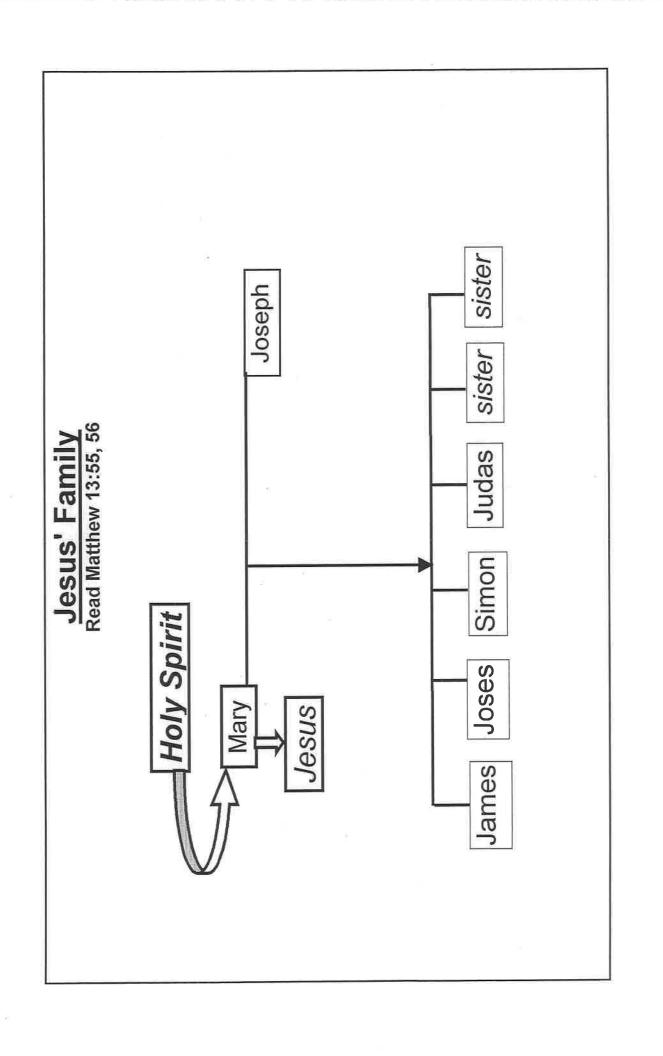
# THE CITY OF JERUSALEM



## THE ROMAN WORLD







# The Apostles

Comparative lists of the apostles whom Jesus chose.

# **Matthew 10:2-4**

Simon called Peter

Andrew, Peter's brother

James, son of Zebedee

John, James' brother

Philip

Thomas

Bartholomew

Matthew, the tax collector

James, son of Alphaeus

Simon, the Cananite

Lebbaeus, whose surname was Thaddaeus

Judas Iscariot, who also betrayed Him

# Mark 3:16-19

Simon to whom He gave the name Peter

Andrew

James, son of Zebedee

John, the brother of James

Philip

**Thomas** 

Bartholomew

Matthew

James, son of Alphaeus

Simon, the Cananite

**Thaddaeus** 

Judas Iscariot, who also betrayed Him

## Luke 6:13-16

Simon, whom He also named Peter

Andrew, Peter's brother

John

James

Philip

**Thomas** 

Bartholomew

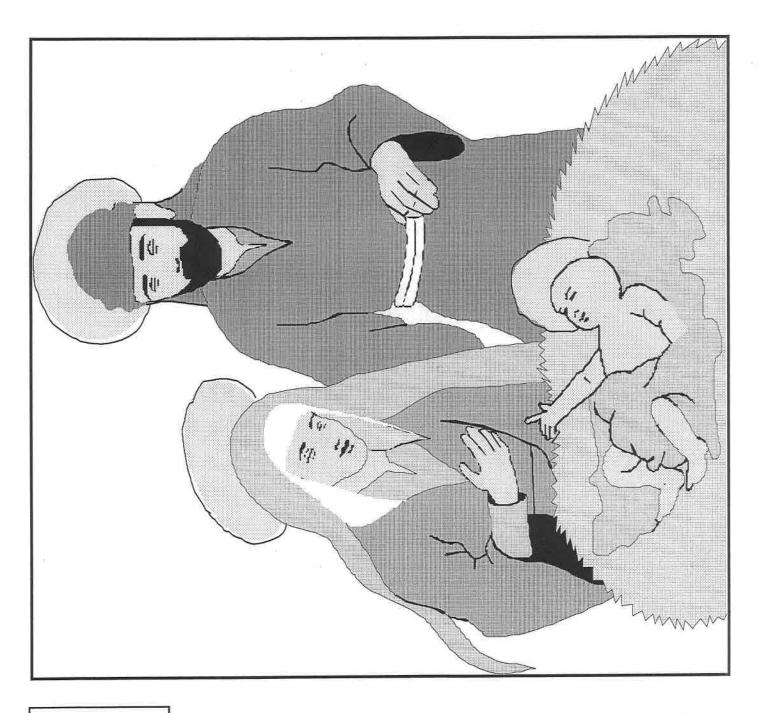
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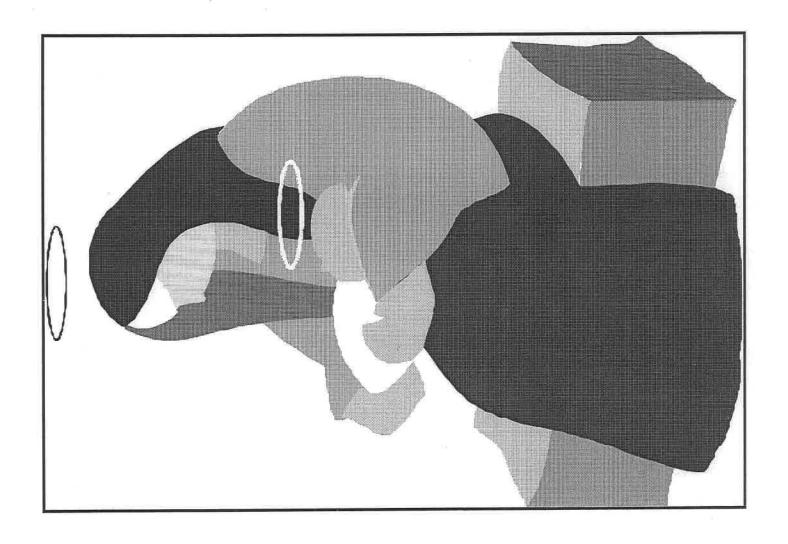
James, son of Alphaeus

Simon, called the Zealot

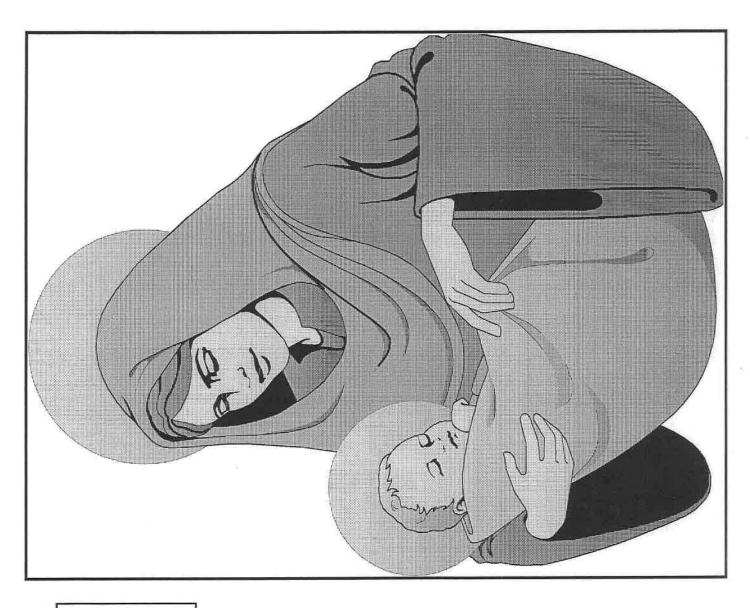
Judas, son of James

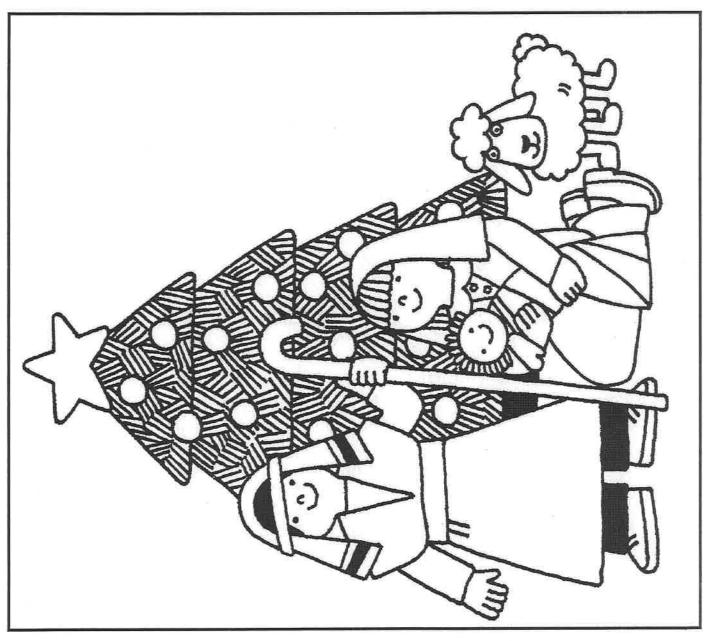
Judas Iscariot, who also became a traitor.

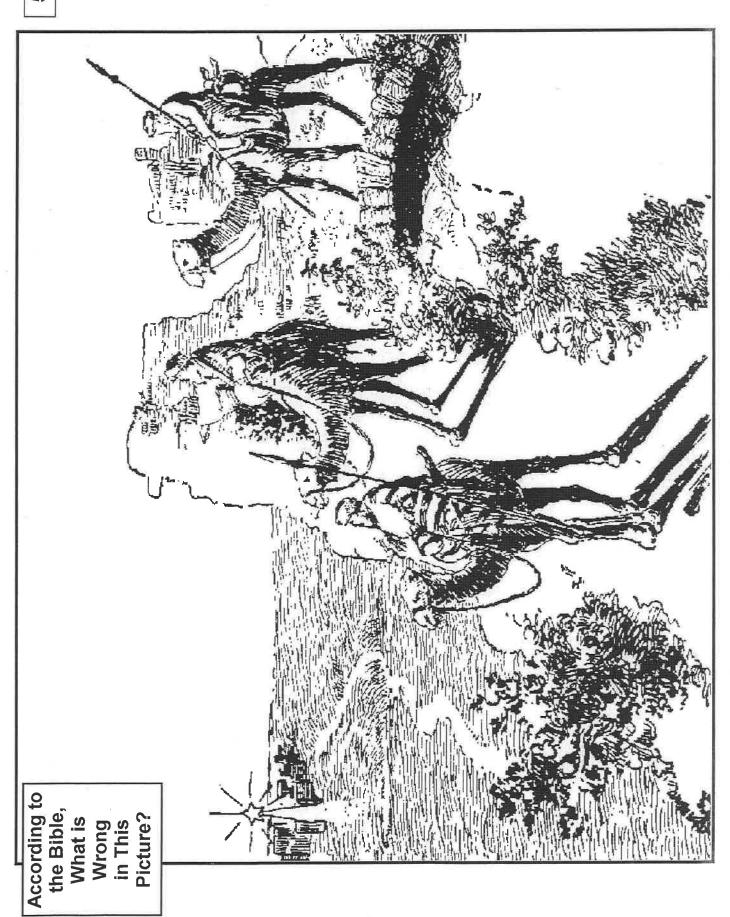


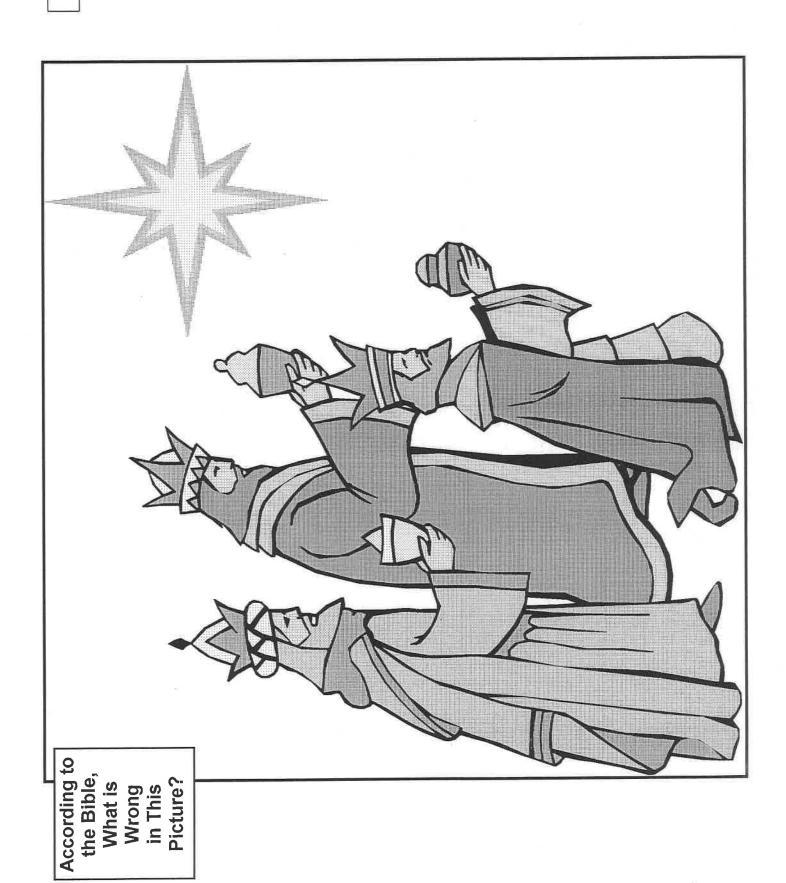


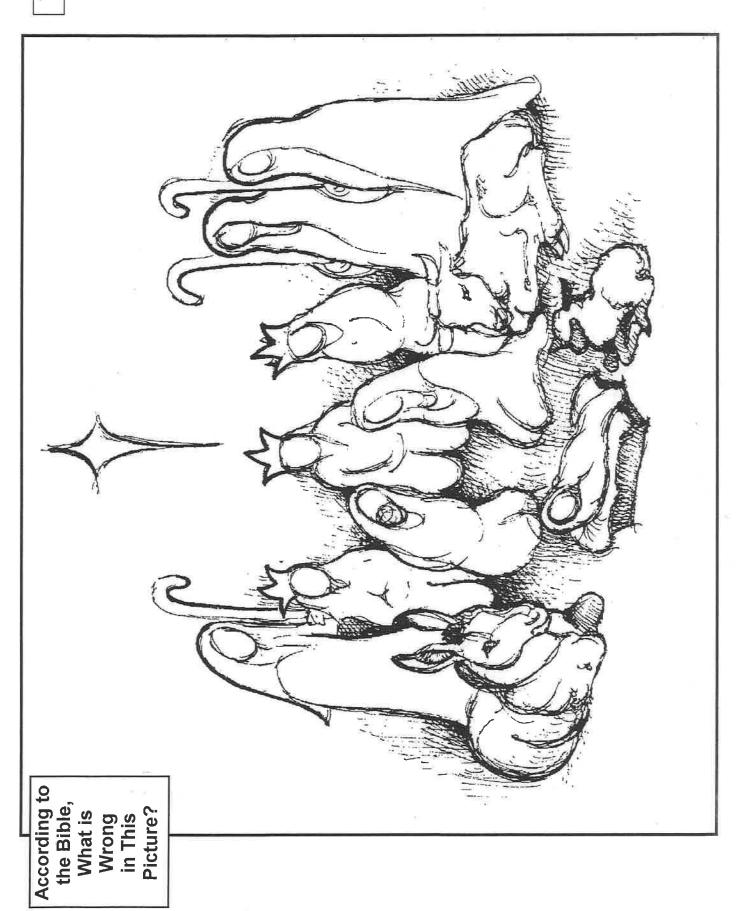
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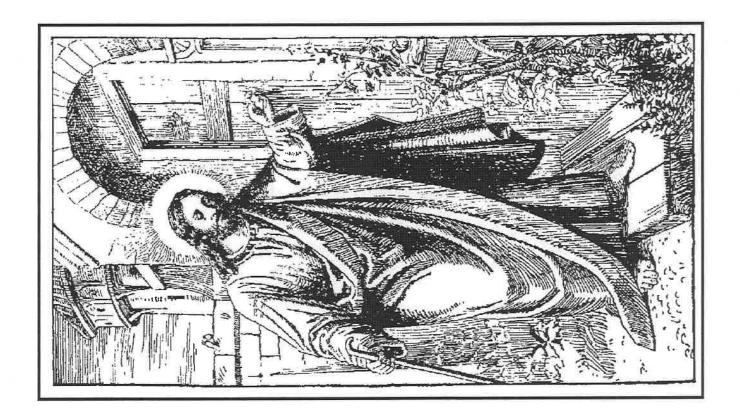














According to the Bible, What is Wrong in This

## every time I read about Him I am meeting Jesus in the Bible.

Jesus said:

"Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

And truly Jesus did many other signs which are not written in this book; in the presence of His disciples,

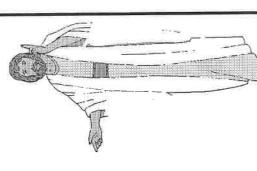
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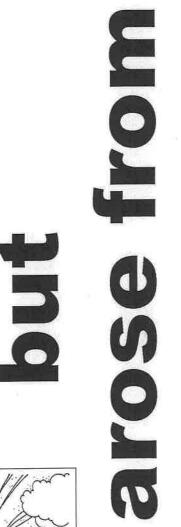
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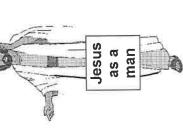
Luke 1:26-38; 2:1-7. (Matt. 12:46-50; Lu. 11:27-28; John 19:25-27; Acts 1:14.)

according to your word." Lu. 1:38 of the Lord! Let it be to me Behold the maidservant



grew up as He Jesus when born

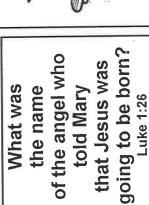
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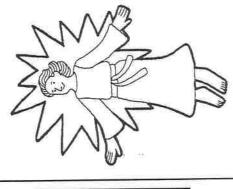


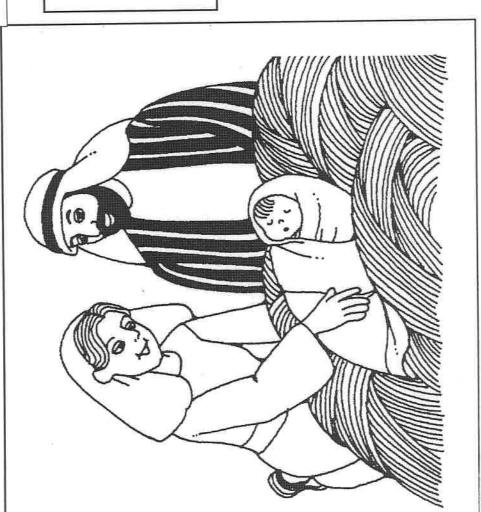
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Who wrote many things about Jesus' birth? Finish the name with newspaper or magazine letters.





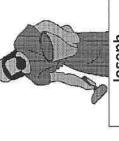




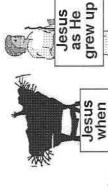
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Matt. 1:18-25; Luke 2:1-7; Matt. 2:13-15,19-23; 13:55; John 6:42.

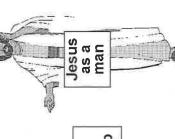
commanded him and...took the young the young Child and His mother, and Joseph...did as the angel of the Lord departed for Egypt... he arose, took Child and His mother by night and came into the land of Israel. Matt. 1:24; 2:14,21



Knew Jesus' Stepfather Joseph



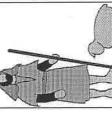
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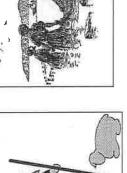


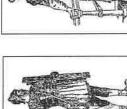
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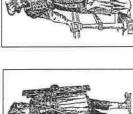


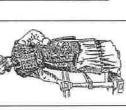




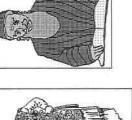












Finish the name with newspaper or magazine letters.

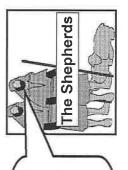
Where are they going?

Who are they?

The Name God Gave Joseph For Mary's Baby

# People Who Met Jesus PART 1 -- Family and Friends

"Let us now go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has come to pass, which the Lord has made known to us."



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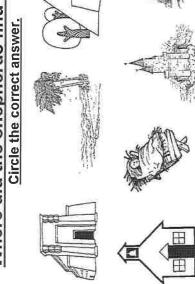
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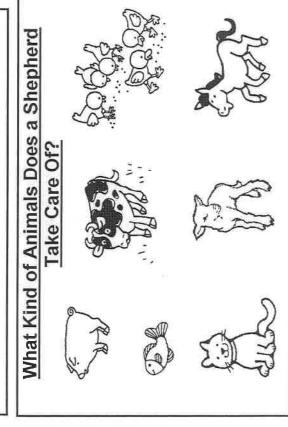
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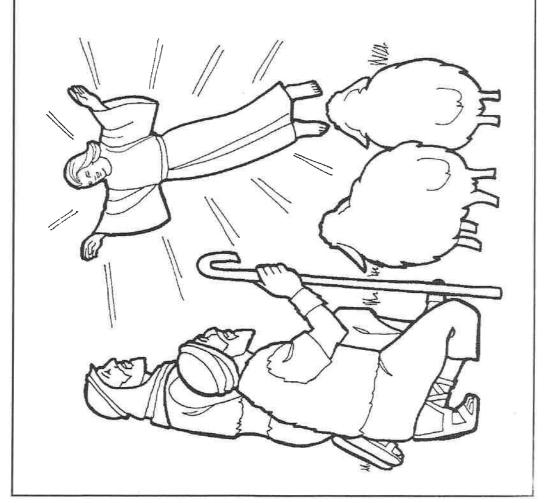
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Where did the shepherds find Jesus?







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Matt. 2:1-12.

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Jesus

Met

Wise men

What Did the Wise Men Follow?

Circle the correct answer.

we have seen His star in the

East and have come to worship Him."

Matthew 2:2

Draw a picture of something you can give to Jesus.

"Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For

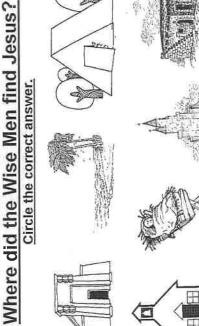












Finish the name with newspaper or magazine letters.

Who wrote about the wise men?

























### -- Family and Friends PART 1 People Who Met Jesus

Luke 2:21-35; 36-38.



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Jesus

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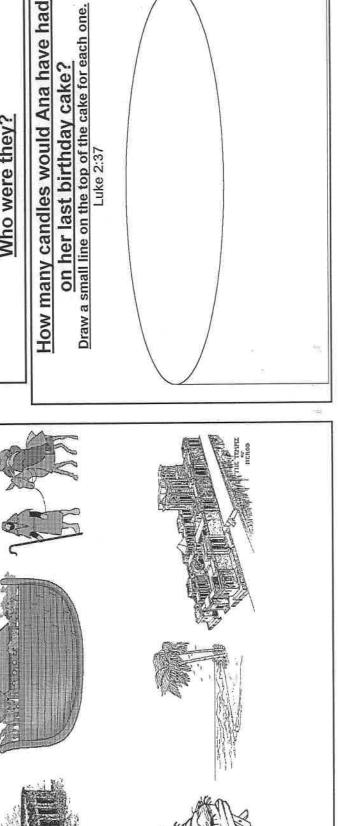


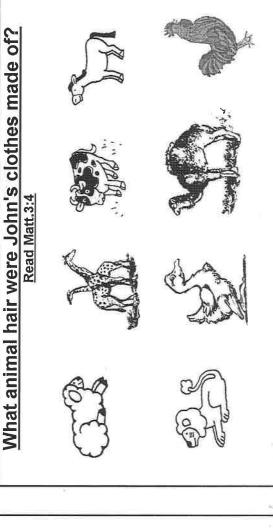


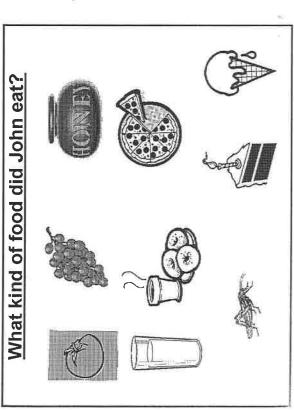


Where did Simeon and Ana see Jesus?

Circle the correct answer.

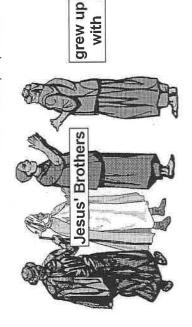


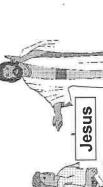




## PART 1 -- Family and Friends People Who Met Jesus

Matt. 13:55,56; John 7:1-10 (Psalm 69:8); Acts 1:14.





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#### Jesus' Family

- 1- Count Jesus' brothers.
- 3- Who was Jesus' mother? 2- Who was Jesus' father?
- 4- Who were the father and mother of 5- How many sisters did Jesus have? Jesus' brothers and sisters?

## Draw your family.

When did Jesus' brothers believe in Him? The 5,000 when He fed 5,000 men when He was born



when He died



after He arose from the dead



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Martha

### -- Family and Friends PART 1 People Who Met Jesus

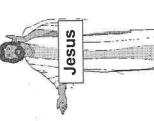
that You are the Christ, the son of God, who is to come Martha 'Yes, Lord, I believe into the world." John 11:27. Mary "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." John 11:32.

Lu. 10:38-42; John 11:1-45; 12:1-8.



Mary and Martha

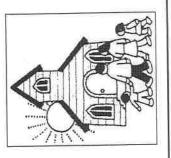
Met



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choose what is best first, what is more important? Sometimes we have to Which picture shows good things later. and then other

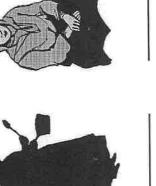




Who was cooking a meal for Je-Who was listening to Jesus? Name the Lady





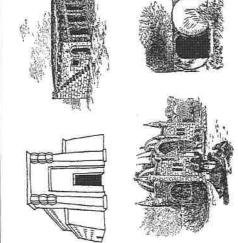




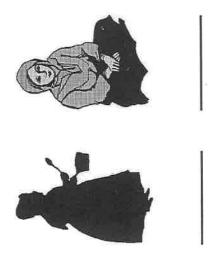


People Who Met Jesus

When Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead, where did Lazarus come out?

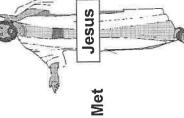


Who are these people in Lazarus' family?



John 11 and John 12:1-19.





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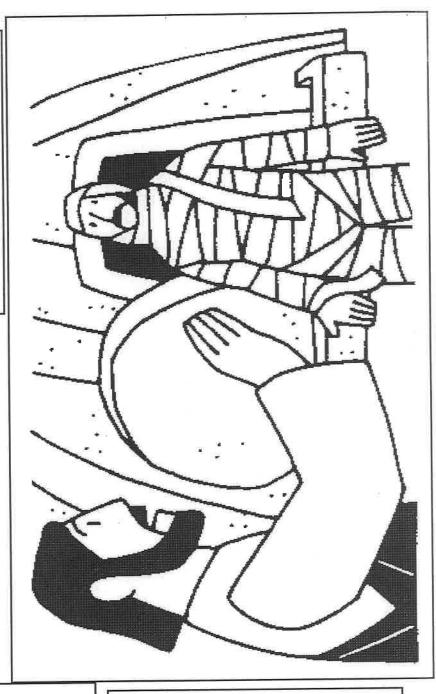
There is no Bible record of Lazarus' reaction to Jesus.

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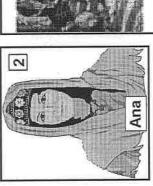
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Pretend you are Lazarus.

How would you feel to come back to live again after you had been dead?
How do you think his family felt to have him back again with them?



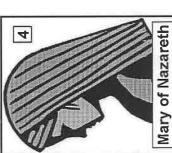
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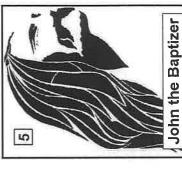


The Shepherds

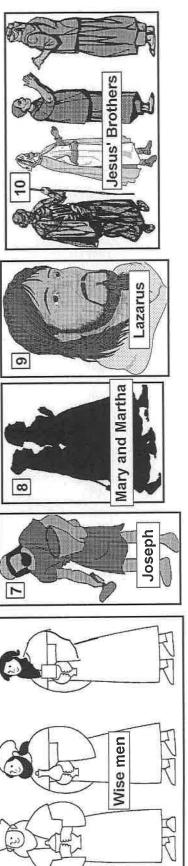
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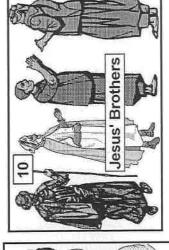












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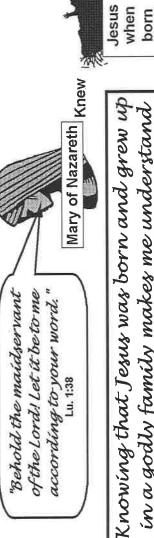
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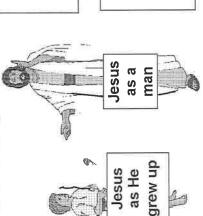
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### -- Family and Friends PART 1 People Who Met Jesus

Luke 1:26-38; 2:1-7. (Matt. 12:46-50; Lu. 11:27-28; John 19:25-27; Acts 1:14.)

according to your word." of the Lord! Let it be to me Behold the maidservant Lu. 1:38





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> in a godly family makes me understand how important it is to follow god's way.

Lu. 1:38

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## What did the angel tell Mary about Jesus?

Son of Joseph the Highest; and the Lord God will give Him the house and "You will conceive in your womb and bring forth a Son and daughter, and throne of His father David. And He will reign over the house of Jacob for shall call His name John Jesus. He will be great, and will be called the

## Things People Believe About Mary

Circle the correct answer or answers.

Are they True or False?

true or false Mary was born of a virgin.

Find the errors in these pictures according to the Bible.

rue or false Mary did not die.

true or false rue or false 1 Tim. 2:5 Mary is the queen of heaven. Mary answers prayer.

Lu. 1:46,47 true or false rue or false Mary never sinned

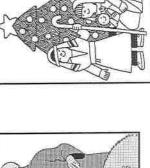
irue or false Mary has appeared to people. Mary does miracles.

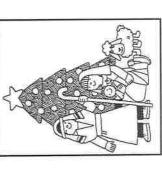
irue or false Mary is a nun.

true or false Matt. 13:55-56 Mary had no other children.

## Cross out the false words.

a 1,000 years forever, and of His kingdom there will be no end." Lu.1:31-33





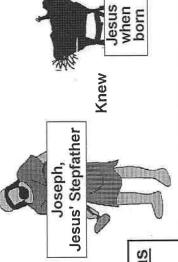
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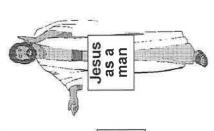
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Matt. 1:18-25; Luke 2:1-7; Matt. 2:13-15,19-23; 13:55; John 6:42.

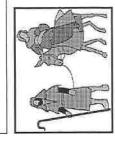
Joseph...did as the angel of the Lord commanded him and...took the young Child and His mother by night and departed for Egypt... he arose, took the young Child and His mother, and came into the land of Israel.

Matt. 1.24; 2:14,21





Jesus as He grew up



## How did Joseph show that he was a good husband and father? 1. He took care of \_\_\_ and Jesus when He was born and during Jesus' childhood. 2. He taught \_\_\_ how to be a carpenter.

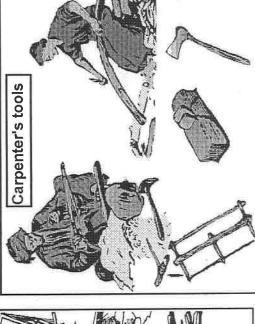
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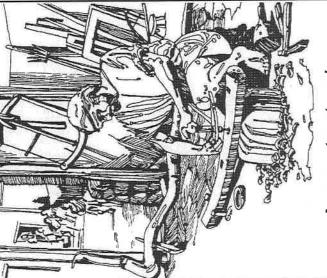
"Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take to you Mary Elizabeth your wife, for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit. And she will bring forth a Son and daughter, and you shall call His name Jesus John, for He will save His people from their sins and the Romans."

Knowing that Jesus worked with His hands as a carpenter, makes me willing to work doing whatever good job I can with my hands.

## When did Joseph obey God? 1. He took \_ \_ \_ to be his \_ \_ \_

- 2. He took \_ \_ \_ \_ and \_ \_ \_ \_ t





A carpenter at work

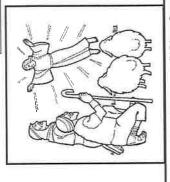
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come to pass, which the Lord "Let us now go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has has made known to us:"



Jesus born Luke 2:1-20 Met The Shepherds

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And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying: (Copy the message of the heavenly angels.

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Luke 2:14

### Why was Jesus born in Bethlehem? Underline the answers.

## Hundreds of years before Jesus was born God said:

Me The One to be Ruler in Israel, Whose goings forth are the thousands of Judah, Yet out of you shall come forth to "You, Bethlehem Ephrathah, Though you are little among from of old, From everlasting."

#### Micah 5:2

because he was of the house and lineage of David, to be reg-"So all went to be registered, everyone to his own city. Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, istered with Mary, his betrothed wife, who was with child. and this how it happened:

wrapped Him in swaddling cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn." And she brought forth her firstborn Son, and Luke 2:1-5,7.

### People to Whom Angels Appeared During the Life of Jesus

Match the person with their reaction when an angel appeared to them.

Zacharias Lu. 1:11,12 Mary Lu. 1:26-29

Joseph

shepherds Matt. 1:19,20; 2:13,19

Jesus Mk. 1:13

Lu. 2:8,9

women Matt. 28:1,5

Mary Magdalene John 20:11-13 Roman guards Matt. 28:2-4

(Bible does not say.)

(Bible does not say.)

became like dead men. Shook with fear, and Troubled and fear

**Troubled** 

**Greatly afraid** 

(Bible does not say.)

"Do not be afraid."

Knowing Jesus makes me praise and sing glory to God in the Highest.

prophet: 6 'But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, Are not the the Jews? For we have seen His star in the East and have come he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. 5 So they Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Jerusalem, 2 saying, "Where is He who has been born King of gathered all the chief priests and scribes of the people together, said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it is written by the to worship Him." 3 When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. 4 And when he had Herod the king, behold, wise men from the East came to The Wise Men Met Jesus -- Matthew 2:1-12 sticker here Find the errors in these pictures. What does the Bible say? -- Family and Friends If the words are NOT in the Bible, cross them out "riding on camels" "three kings" "baby Jesus" "young Child" 'come to the stable" "snow on the ground" If they ARE in the Bible, circle them and draw an arrow from the list to them. PART Unscramble the words of the wise men. "come into the house" Find the Words in this list. People Who Met Jesus "wise men from the East" Jesus Matt. 2:1-12. Wise men sticker here Met

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and said, "Go and search carefully for the young Child, and when and behold, the star which they had seen in the East went before you have found Him, bring back word to me, that I may come and when he had secretly called the wise men, determined from them them, till it came and stood over where the young Child was. 10 When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceedingly great joy. Him. And when they had opened their treasures, they presented what time the star appeared. 8 And he sent them to Bethlehem worship Him also." 9 When they heard the king, they departed; young Child with Mary His mother, and fell down and worshiped divinely warned in a dream that they should not return to Herod, least among the rulers of Judah; For out of you shall come a Ruler Who will shepherd My people Israel." 7 Then Herod, gifts to Him: gold, frankincense, and myrrh. 12 Then, being 11 And when they had come into the house, they saw the they departed for their own country another way.

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Matthew 2:2

Knowing how the wise men worshiped Jesus makes me want to worship Him too.

salvation Which You have prepared before the face of all peoples, a light to bring revelation to the "My eyes have seen Your gentiles, and the glory

Simeon of Your people Israel." Luke 2:30-32

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Simeon must have known in order to say what he said? say about the Gentiles that What do these prophecies

a light and glory to?

Read Luke 2:30-32

Simeon say Jesus

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What 2 groups of people did

**Isaiah 9:1,2** 

Isaiah 42:1,6

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Luke 2:21-35; 36-38.



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Ana gave thanks to the Lord, and spoke of Him to all those who looked for redemption in Jerusalem. Luke 2:38 Met

Jesus

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What Law of the Lord were Mary and Joseph obeying at this time? Read Luke 2:22-24.

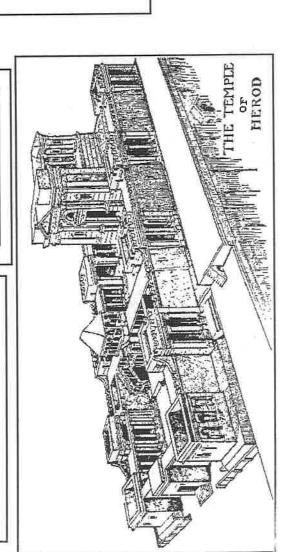
## What tribe of Israel did Ana belong to?

(Luke 2:36)

Reuben Simeon Levi Judah Issachar Zebulun Benjamin Dan Naphtali Gad

Joseph Asher

Knowing how excited Simeon makes me excited to see Him and Ana were to see Jesus someday myself.



#### How did John the Baptizer dress & eat? OLDER sticker here Matthew 3:4 sticker here sticker here PART 1 -- Family and Friends Matt. 3:1-17; 11:10-15; 14:1-12; Luke 7:18-28; John 1:15-36; 3:22-36. Jesus Met John the Baptizer People Who Met Jesus "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away of the world!" the sin John 1:29

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## John Fulfilled Prophecy

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John was clothed in \_\_\_\_

with a\_\_\_

Circle the words in the prophecy and draw an arrow to the fulfillment.

Use a different color for each arrow.

#### Prophecy

The angel said to him, "Do not be afraid, Zacharias...your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you shall call his name. John. You will have joy and gladness, many will rejoice at his birth. For he will be great in the sight of the Lord, and shall drink neither wine nor strong drink. He will also be filled with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's womb. He will turn many of the children of Israel to the Lord their God. He will also go before Him in the spirit and power of Elijah, 'to turn the hearts of the fathers to the children.'

The voice of one crying in the wilderness: "Prepare the way of the Lord; Make straight in the desert A highway for our God."

lsa. 40:3-5
Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet Before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord.
Malachi 4:5.

#### Fulfillment

In those days John the Baptist came preaching in the wildemess of Judea, and saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!"
For this is he who was spoken of by the prophet Isaiah, saying: "The voice of one crying in the wilderness: `Prepare the way of the Lord; Make His paths straight."

Jesus said to them, "I say to you that Elijah has come already, and they did not know him but did to him whatever they wished. Likewise the Son of Man is also about to suffer at their hands." Then the disciples understood that He spoke to them of John the Baptist.

Matthew 17:10-13.

## Put these events in the proper order. Write the number (from 1 to 7) in front of each.

and his food was \_\_\_\_\_

and wild\_

around his waist;

John needed Jesus to reassure him about

who He was.
John said that he had to get less important and Jesus had to become more important.

John prepared the way for Jesus with his preaching and baptizing.

John baptized Jesus.

John died because he told the truth about Herod's sin.

\_ John's birth was announced to his father. \_ John was born to Zacharias and Elizabeth.

Knowing that Jesus obeyed God's law makes me want to obey God too.



Matt. 13:55,56; John 7:1-10 (Psalm 69:8); Acts 1:14.

Jesus grew up with Jesus' Brothers "He is out of

His mind. Mark 3:21

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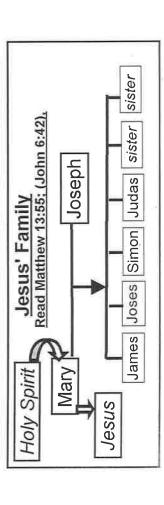
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> Even His brothers did believe in Him. John 7:5 [During the years of His teaching and miracles] What did His brothers think of Jesus?

### How did what Jesus said about families come true even for Him?

"A prophet is not without honor except in his "A man's enemies will be and in his own\_\_\_\_\_ Mark 6:4\_\_\_\_ own country, among his own \_\_\_ those of his own Matt. 10:36



and supplication, with the women and How do we know that Jesus' brothers came to believe in Him after His ascension? Read Acts 1:14 and fill in the missing words. Mary the mother of Jesus, "All continued with one accord in and

#### **My Family**

How many brothers and sisters do you have? Does anyone in the family make fun of you How many of them are Christians? Does your family believe in Jesus? Who goes to church? for going to church? Even if my family does not believe in Jesus I will be faithful to Him.

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that You are the Christ, the Son of God, who is to come Martha "Yes, Lord, I believe into the world." John 11:27.

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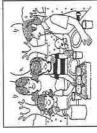
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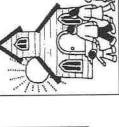
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what is best first, and then other Which of the pictures show that Sometimes we have to choose which is more important? good things later.













I will make Him first and Because Jesus tells me

## Who else said that

Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God?

Who was cooking a meal for Jesus?

Who was listening to Jesus?

Name the Lady

Matt. 16:16

John 6:68-69 Acts 9:19,20

Mark 1:1

Luke 4:41

John 20:30,31

Acts 8:34-37



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Cryptogram of what Martha said to Jesus John 11:27

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how to obey god and go to heaven, most important in my life.

# People Who Met Jesus PART 1 -- Family and Friends

Lazarus was Jesus' friend.

Jesus \_\_\_\_\_\_Lazarus.

Jesus \_\_\_\_\_at Lazarus' tomb.

(John 11:35,36)

Because I know that Jesus cared about His friends, I know He cares about me and I will be His friend too.

Since the Bible does not tell us how Lazarus felt or even anything that he said, How do you think he felt?

--about being raised from the dead?
--about people believing in Jesus because of him?
--about the Jews wanting to kill him?

Who are these people in Lazarus' family?





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#### John 12:9-11.

"A great many of the Jews...came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_

But the chief priests \_\_\_\_\_ --- ---

whom He had raised from the dead.

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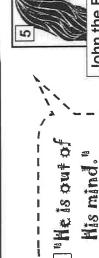
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He did as the angel of the Lord commanded him... 111111

Mark 3:21

departed for Egypt... He arose, took the young Child

and His mother, and came into the land of Israel.

Matthew 1:24; 2:14,21

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John the Baptizer



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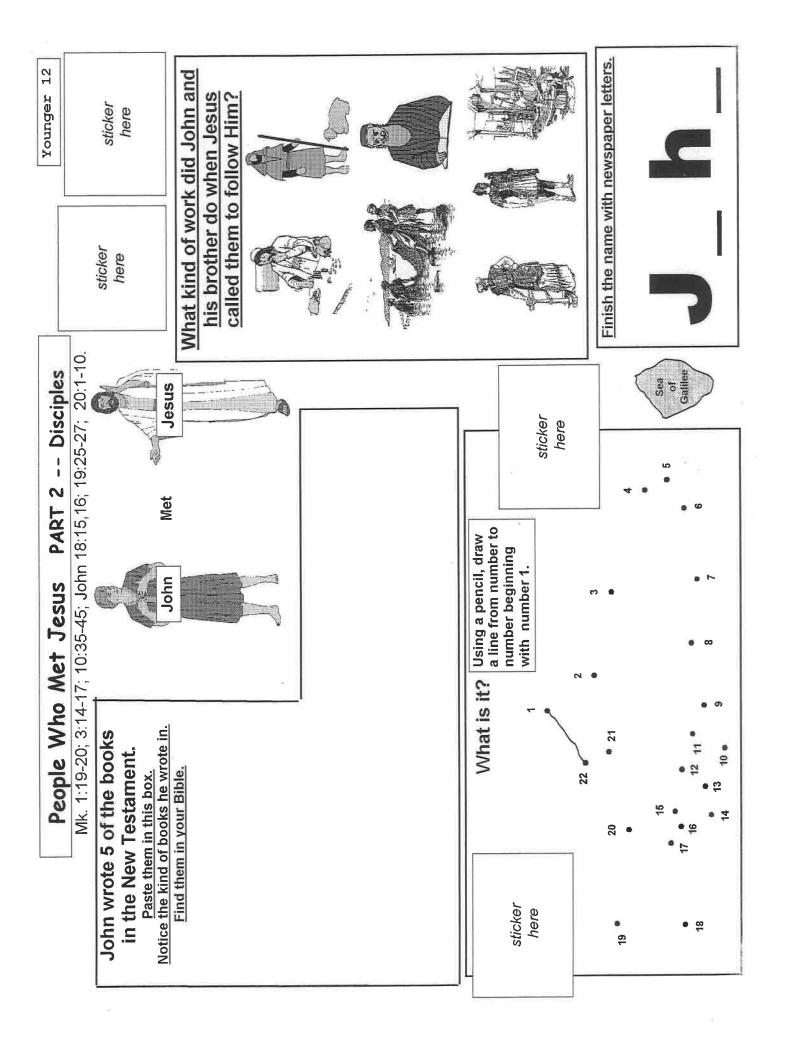
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"I will make you fishers of men."

## PART 2 -- Disciples People Who Met Jesus

John 1:35-42; Matt. 4:18-20; Lu. 6:14; John 6:8-9.

"We have found the Messiah".

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John 1:41.

Jesus Met Andrew

called to be His disciples. who were fishermen Name the 4 men whom Jesus

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John

**Nicodemus** 

James

Who is Andrew's brother?

(John 1: 40,41)

Mark

Joseph

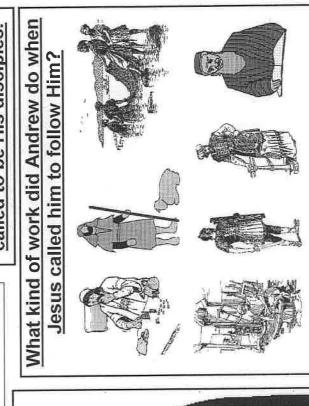
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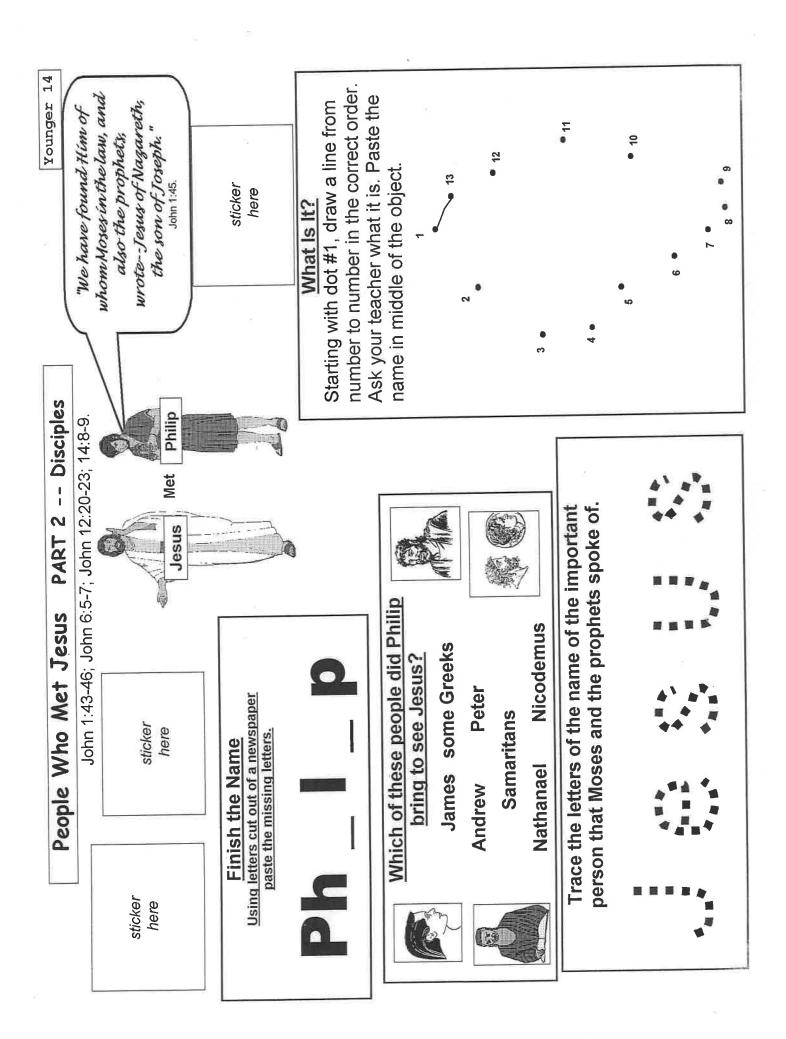
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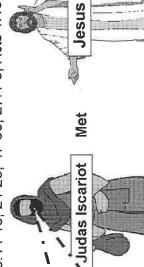
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Lu. 6:13-16; John 12:3-6; Matt. 26:14-16, 21-25, 47-50; 27:1-5; Acts 1:15-20.

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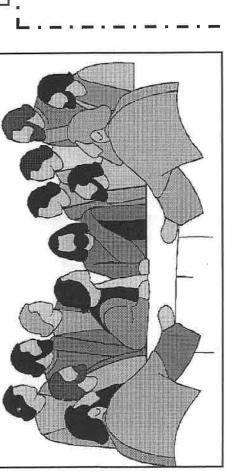


How many men are in this picture?

Can you name the men?

This is a denarius.

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## How many pieces of silver did Judas receive? Draw a circle around the correct number.

Judas kissing Jesus?



#### -- Disciples ~ PART People Who Met Jesus

"Rabbi, You are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" John 1:49

What Does God Know About Me? Paste pictures to fill in the answers.

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and my rising up; You understand

You know my

"O Lord, You have searched me and known me.

Jesus told the Pharisees: "God knows your

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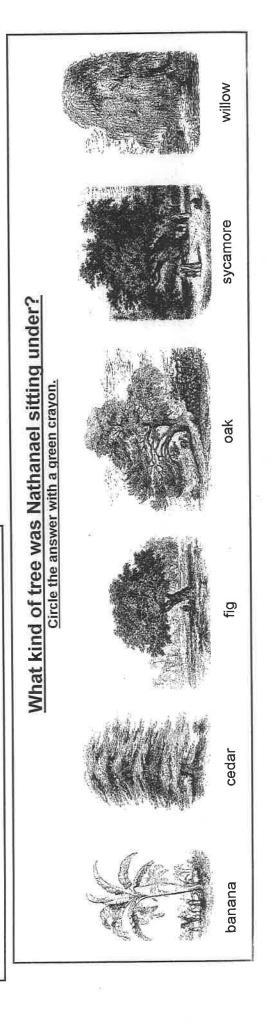
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Finish the Name

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#### Using letters cut out of a newspaper paste the missing letters. , and are acquainted thought afar off. You comprehend But behold, O Lord, You know it altogether." with all my ways. For there is not a word on my and my m my

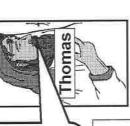
Psalm 139:1-4



Matt. 10:2-4; John 11:16; 14:1-7; 20:19-29. "My Lord and

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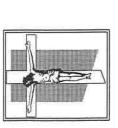
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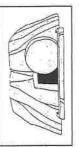
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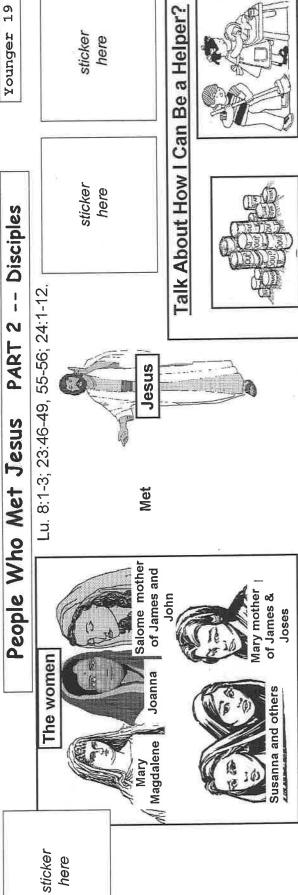
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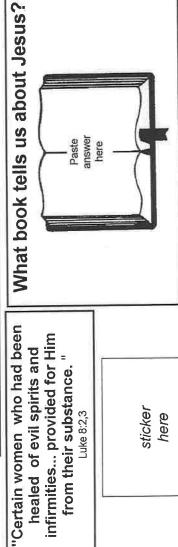


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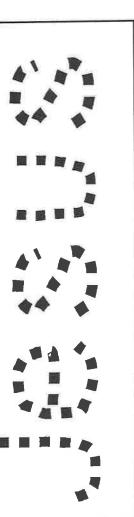
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Luke 8:2,3

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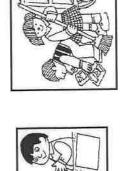
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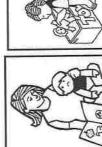




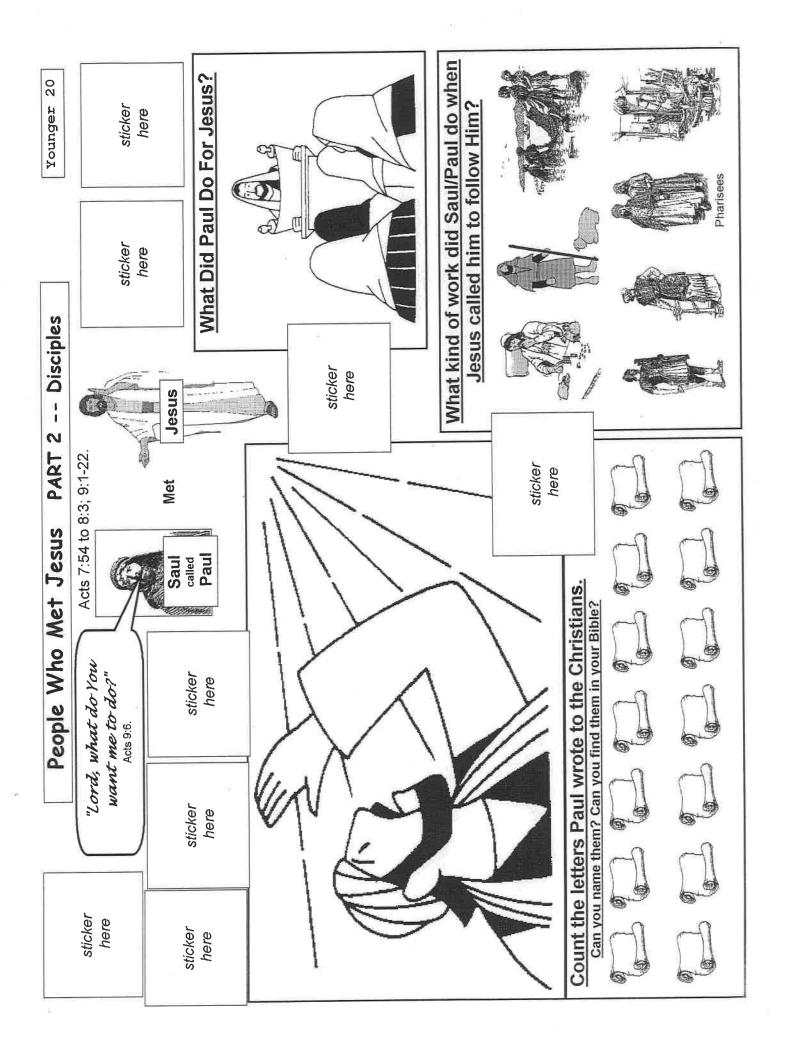




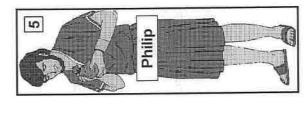






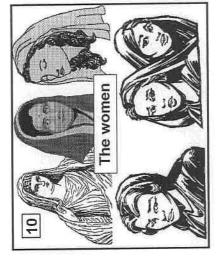


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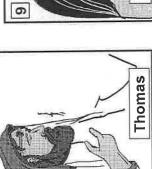




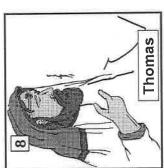




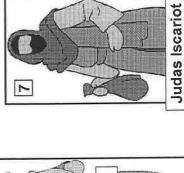
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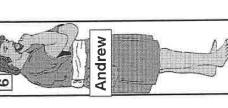


Nathanael













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John 1:40-42; Matt. 4:18-20; 16:13-24;17:1-8; 26:31-75 (with John 18:10,11); John 21:1-19.

"you are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Matt. 16:16

"I do not know the Man!" Matt. 26:72

"Yes, Lord; You know that I love you. "John 21:16



"I will make you fishers of men.

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Christ, the Son of the living Father God." "Everybody believes that You are the

Cross out the words that are not what Peter said.

Jesus

Matt. 16:16

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Who is Peter's brother?

John 1: 40,41)

John

Nicodemus

James

Andrew

Joseph

Judas

Simon

Pilate

Matthew

"I do not and never did know the Man!" Matt. 26:72

more than any of the other disciples." "Yes, Lord; You know that I love You

John 21:16

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What part of the New did Peter write? **Festament** 

Using your tongue correctly Fill in the missing words. 29:20 Do you see a man \_\_\_\_in his words? There is more hope for a fool than for him. Prov. 29:20 Do you see a man

of words sin is not lacking, Prov. 10:19 In the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of words sin But he who restrains his lips is \_\_\_

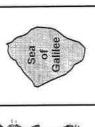
Prov. 21:23 Whoever guards his mouth and tongue Keeps his soul from\_\_\_ :: 22 \_\_\_\_\_ lips are an abomination to the \_\_\_\_\_ But those who deal truthfully are His delight. Prov. 12: 22

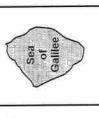
Eph. 4:25 Putting away \_ \_ \_ with his neighbor. Let each one of you speak\_

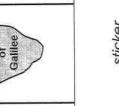
Knowing Jesus makes me decide that I will think before I say something.

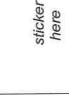
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What kind of work did Peter do when Jesus called him to follow Him?





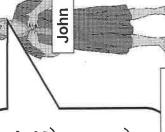






Mk. 1:19-20; 3:14-17; 10:35-45; John 18:15,16; 19:25-27; 20:1-10.

beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and bear witness, and declare to you life [Jesus]...we have seen, and "That which was from the our hands have handled, concerning the Word of that eternal life." 1 John 1:1,2



Met

Jesus

"I will make you fishers of men."

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Who were John's relatives?

Read Matt. 4:21; Mk. 1:19,20. What kind of work did he do? 

and James left to follow Jesus? Who stayed with his father when he

wonderful things

Knowing the

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Their mother was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Read Matt. 27:56 with Mark 15:40,41. What did she do to help Jesus?

makes me believe

in Jesus.

about Jesus John wrote

What Did John Write?

Mark Luke John Acts

Matthew

Romans 1 & 2 Corinthians

Read Mark 15:40,41.

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**Ephesians Philippians** 

Galatians

Colossians 1 & 2 Thessalonians

1 & 2 Timothy Titus Philemon

Hebrews James 1 & 2 Peter



fishing business? work in the With whom did John

Sea of Galilee

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1, 2, & 3 John Jude Revelation

Find them in your Bible.

Mending Nets

Read Matt. 4:18-21

sticker here sticker here Whom did Andrew tell that he

had found the Messiah?

(John 1:40-42)

### 2 -- Disciples PART People Who Met Jesus

John 1:35-42; Matt. 4:18-20; Lu. 6:14; John 6:8-9.

"We have found the Messiah."
John 1:41.

Jesus Met Andrew





Name the 4 fishermen whom Jesus called to be His disciples.

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## The Meaning of Names

Christ is the name in English.

Xptotog (pronounced Christos) is Christ in Greek. カヅヿ (mashiach) Messiah is Christ in Hebrew, the

language of the Old Testament.

Jesus was anointed to be prophet, priest, and king. They all mean "anointed One."

The name Jesus means Savior. (Matt. 1:21)

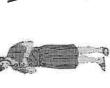
Iησοῦς (lesous) is Jesus in Greek, the language of the New Testament.

want to tell others about Him. Knowing Jesus makes me



Who brought the boy with

With whom did Andrew go to (John 6:8,9) a lunch to Jesus?



(John 12:20-22) tell Jesus some Greeks wanted to see Him?

Who is Andrew's brother?

(John 1: 40,41)

John Nicodemus James Mark Joseph Judas

**Pilate** Matthew

Simon

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John 1:43-46; John 6:5-7; John 12:20-23; 14:8-9.

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Philip Met Jesus

wrote--Jesus of Nazareth, "We have found Him of whom Moses in the law, and also the prophets, the son of Joseph.

John 1:45.

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Which of these people did Philip

bring to see Jesus?

Andrew Peter



James some Greeks



Nicodemus

Samaritans

**Nathanael** 

With which apostle did Philip work?

John 12:20-22

Is it important to be able to work well with others?

Who did not understand what kind of

kingdom Jesus would have?

Where did Philip live? Bethsaida John 1:44 Sea Capernaum

Nazareth •

Cana

Which other apostles lived there also?

With a pencil follow the words in correct order. A Verse Maize

We	<u>.</u>	the		the	Nazareth
have	Moses	law,	John 1:45	son	of
puno	found whom	and	and Joseph.	of	Jesus
Him	of	also	the	prophets,	wrote

all the apostles

the 5,000

Lu. 19:3,11

John 18:36,37

Pilate

John 6:10,15

the crowd

Acts 1:2,6

Write the verse correctly on these lines.

Knowing Jesus makes me want doing good things for Him. to work with others



Find the book Matthew

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in your Bible.

- What book of the Bible did he write?
- 2. How do we know that he knew what the Old Testament said about Jesus? He
  - the Old Testament many, many times.
- Who guided Matthew to write accurately about Jesus? (Read 2 Peter 1:19-21.) က
- 4. How did Matthew know that the things he wrote about happened?
  - 5. What kind of things does Matthew write about that Jesus did or that happened to Him?

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1. When Jesus called him, Matthew was a (farmer,

teacher, tax collector

Who was Matthew?

Luke 5:27,28

2. Matthew was also called (Simon, Levi, John). 3. Before he went with Jesus he (went home, had

great feast) for Jesus and invited (his family,

He gave a (large amount of money, house,

4.

to decide what to do, left everything),

As an apostle, he wrote (one of the gospels,

other tax collectors, Pharisees)

many letters, a book about the church)

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### I need to consider these things: When I look for a job

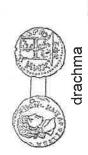
- 1. Will I have to work on Sunday or Wednesday night?

  - Are the products that the company makes and sells Will I be expected to lie about anything?Are the products that the company mak the kind that God would approve of?
    - When I have a family, will the hours keep me from spending the right time with them? 4

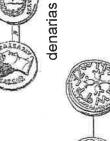
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Knowing what pleases Jesus makes me remember to be careful of the kind of job I take when I grow up.

### Some of the coins used in New Testament times





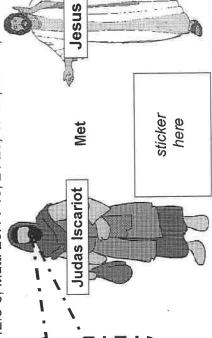


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## PART 2 -- Disciples People Who Met Jesus

Lu. 6:13-16; John 12:3-6; Matt. 26:14-16, 21-25, 47-50; 27:1-5; Acts 1:15-20.

Why was this fragrant ail not denarii and given to the poor? "What are you willing to give ne if I deliver Him to you?" sold for three hundred Matt. 26:15. John 12:5 I





### John 12:6 The Value of the Denarii killed himself



how much He loves me Because I know Jesus the wages for almost a year. I will be careful and

the things money can buy.

pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, gentleness.

not to love money nor

What God says about loving money

Color evil actions and their results in RED. Color good qualities with GREEN. Timothy 6:6-11

nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. And destruction and perdition. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, having food and clothing, with these we shall be content. But those Now godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought and into many foolish and harmful lusts which drown men in sorrows. But you, O man of God, flee these things and who desire to be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and pierced themselves through with many

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sticker here Judas' Sins

Match the sin to the Scripture.

Luke 6:16 oved money

stole money

John 12:4

1 Tim. 6:10 traitor Matt. 27:5 betrayed Jesus

300 would have been One denarius was a days wages.

"Can anything good come out of Nagareth?"

Rabbú, Yow are the Son of god! You are the King of Israel!" John 1:49 John 1:46



Jesus

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## Unscramble this Verse

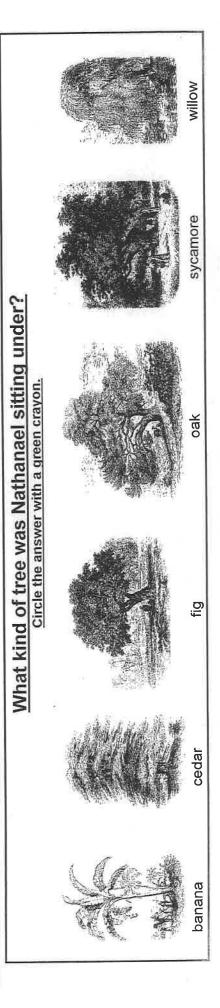
of you the are are King Rabbi. God Son Israel you the you of John 1:49

I will make sure that what about God and Jesus Because I love Jesus I hear people say istrue.

deceit!...Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." thought afar off. You comprehend my path and my lying down, and are Because Jesus told Nathanael, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no You know my sitting down and my rising up; You understand my He would heal on the Sabbath, to find an accusation against Him. King David said: "O Lord, You have searched me and known me. Jesus told the Pharisees: "God knows your hearts." Lu. 16:15 Jesus knew from the beginning who they were who did not The scribes and Pharisees watched Him closely, whether "Why do you think evil in your hearts? Matt. 9:4 believe, and who would betray Him. John 6:64 Jesus knows everything about people. But He knew their thoughts. Lu. 6:7,8 Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, Underline what Jesus and God know. he believed in Jesus. John 1:47-49.

acquainted with all my ways. For there is not a word on my tongue,

But behold, O Lord, You know it altogether." Psalm 139:1-4

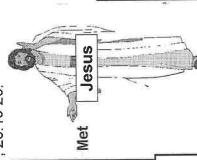


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Matt. 10:2-4; John 11:16; 14:1-7; 20:19-29.

Thomas NOKX AQX



**VOX!"** John 20:28

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I will check to see what the Bible says when people tell me something about Jesus. Because I love Jesus

### Match the people with the proof they needed and received. Jesus had risen from the dead? Who wanted proof that

		Had the Scriptures
Thomas		explained to them;
John 20:25-28		saw Him break the
		bread.
		Had to see Jesus'
Peter and John	20	scars in His hands
John 20:3-8.		and feet.
17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 1		Jesus showed His
2 on the road		hands and feet; ate
Lu. 24:13-35		fish and honeycomb.
		Went to the tomb
the 11 apostles		and saw it empty
Lu. 24:33-45		with the cloths lying
		aside.

## How do we get proof today?

signs in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you Jesus said to him, "Thomas, because you have seen Me, you have believed. Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." And truly Jesus did many other may have life in His name. John 20:29-31. Underline the answer.

## rwo apostles speak to us

Peter wrote: "For we did not follow cunningly devised fables when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Underline the words that tell us they saw and heard Jesus. Christ, but were eyewitnesses of His majesty."

heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and our hands have handled, concerning the Word of life--John wrote: "That which was from the beginning, which we have the life was manifested, and we have seen, and bear witness, and declare to you that eternal life which was with the Father 2 Peter 1:16

that which we have seen and heard we declare to you." and was manifested to us-1 John 1:1-3.

## Should we believe everything we hear?

Underline what we should do. Read what the Bible says.

in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with These [Bereans] were more fair-minded than those all readiness, and searched the Scriptures daily to find out whether these things were so. Acts 17:11

But the prudent considers well his steps. Prov. 14:15 The simple believes every word,

### -- Disciples PART 2 People Who Met Jesus

The women

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Lu. 8:1-3; 23:46-49, 55-56; 24:1-12. Jesus Met Salome mother of James and John

Joanna

// Magdalene

Mary

**Unscramble These** Important Words NIVGG G DEEEVIBL B MOEWN W ELEDHA SEUSJ

### Giving

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Mary mother

Susanna and others

who had been healed

"Certain women

infirmities... provided

for Him from their

substance." Luke 8:2,3

of evil spirits and

of James &

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Underline how we can help Jesus today by giving things.

and clothe You? Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and come to You?" And the King will answer and say to them, "Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink? one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me." The righteous will answer Him, "Lord, when did we see Matt 25:37-40

Let him who stole steal no longer, but rather let him labor, working with his hands what is good, that he may have something to give him who has need.

Eph. 4:28

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Today, men, women, boys and girls are needed

to serve Jesus according to what God says in the Bible.

as He traveled around preaching and teaching. to serve Him by providing what He needed Women whom Jesus had healed chose

Both were important to Jesus.

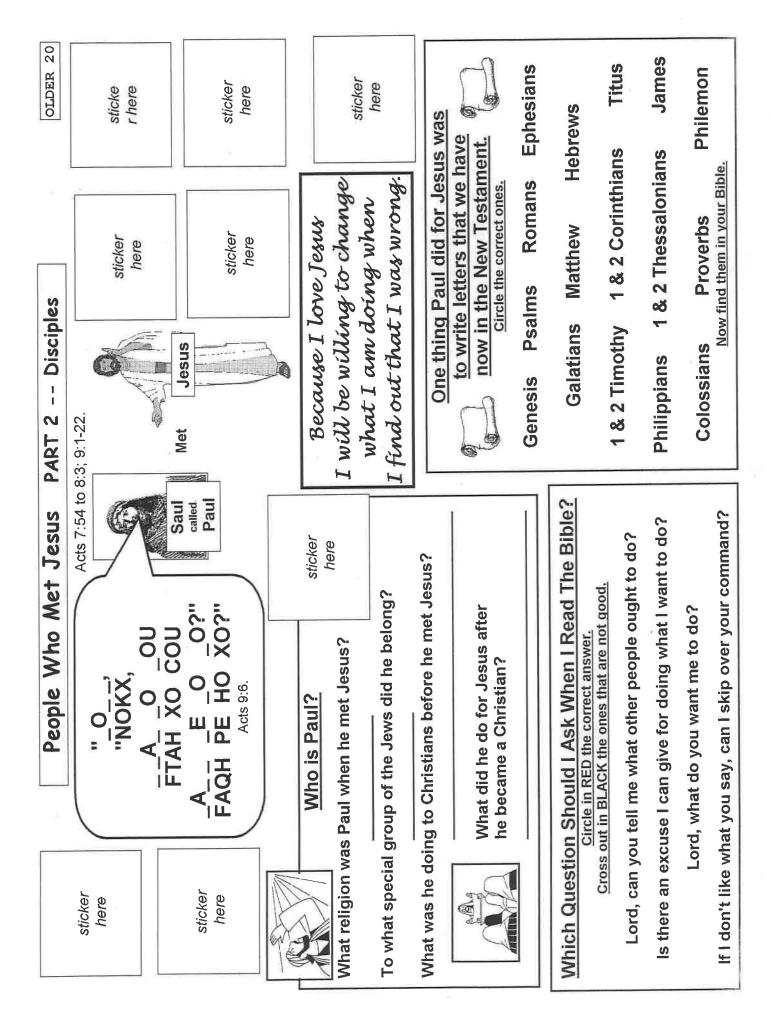
Jesus chose 12 men to be His special

worker helpers called apostles.

Men AND Women Serve Jesus

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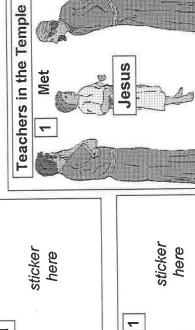
who are preaching the gospel, want to give to help others the good news about Jesus. Knowing Jesus makes me



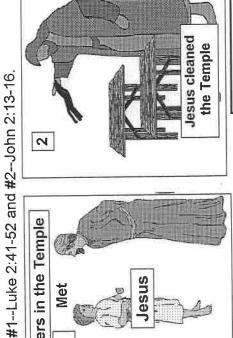
Jesus when He talked How old was the boy to the teachers?

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asking & answering What was Jesus doing playing sleeping in the temple? questions



Jesus

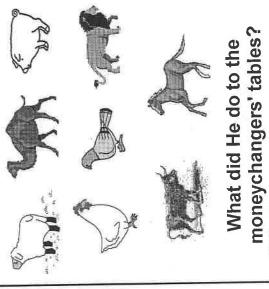


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drive out of the temple? Why? When Jesus was a grown up man, what animals did He



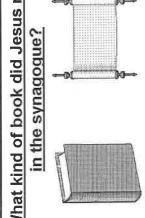


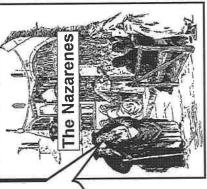
HEROD Talk about what the temple was used for. Who told the Jews to build the temple?

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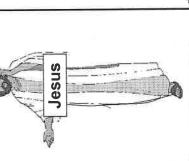
Luke 4:16-30; Matt. 13:54-58; Mk. 6:1-6. wisdomand these mighty works? Is this not the carpenter's son? "Where did this Man get this

What kind of book did Jesus read Isnot Hismother called Mary?' Matt. 13:54-56





Jesus Met



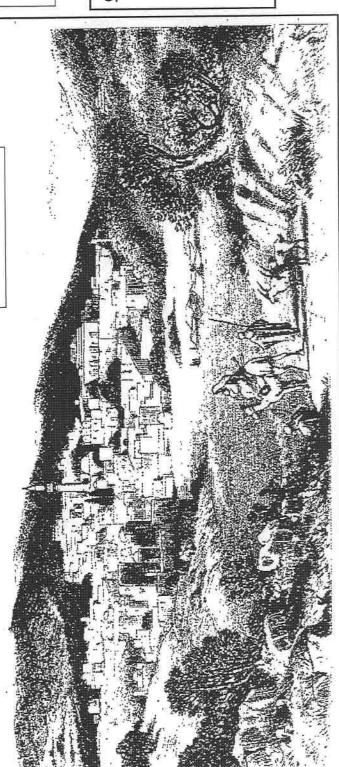
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a synagogue

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Nazareth

Can you name them? Jesus' real Father? Jesus' stepfather? Jesus' brothers? Jesus' mother?



Another Multitude

## People Who Met Jesus

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### Matt. 4:23 to 8:1 and others.

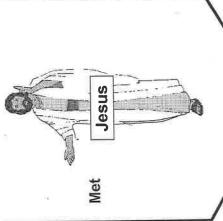
### What is a multitude?

a few people

many, many people

a small number

a large number



The Multitudes

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"Truly this is the Prophet." John 7:40. "This is the Christ." John 7:41.

paste the correct sticker beside it.

As the teacher reads each thing hat a multitude said or did, All the multitude rejoiced for all the glorious things that were done by Him. Lu. 13:17

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> When Jesus had ended these sayings, that the people were astonished at His teaching. Matt. 7:28.

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careful

Be

something

just

to do

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because

that's

Blessed is the kingdom of our father the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" Mark 11:9,10. "Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes David That comes in the name of in the name of the lord!'

sticker

are doing.

others

what

"Crucify Him!" Mark 15:13.

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"Come, see a Man who told me all things that I ever did. Could this be the Christ?" John 4:29

John 4:1-43.

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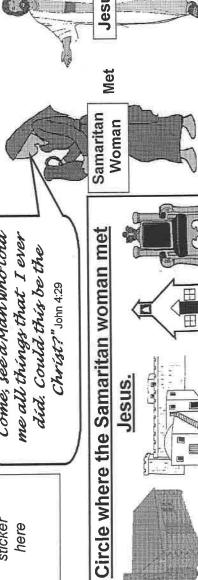
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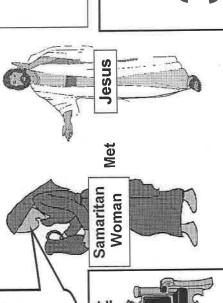
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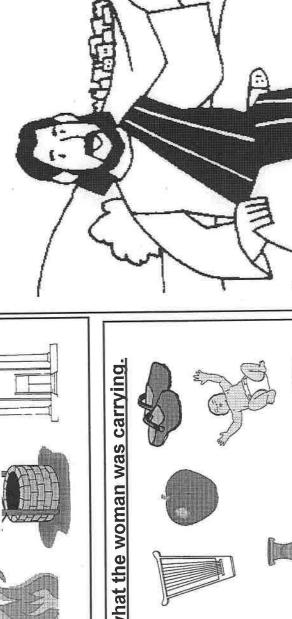
How many husbands had she had?

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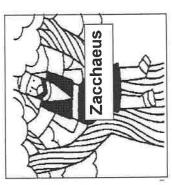
Circle what the woman was carrying. Hoty Bible

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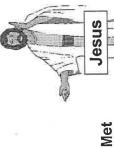
Coins in Jesus' Days

Luke 19:1-10.



denarias

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How much of what Zacchaeus had was he going to give to the poor?

all 1/2 none

Which one of Jesus'

shekel

apostles was a tax collector?

How much was he going to return to those he had cheated?

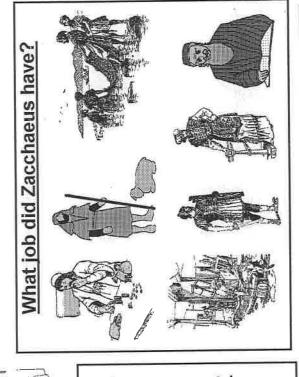
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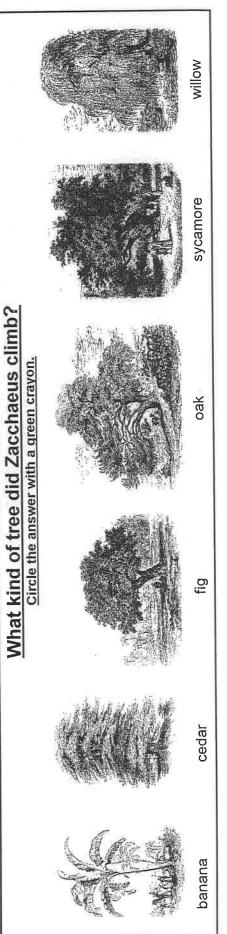
Matthew

Andrew

Peter

James





Matt. 19:16-26; Mk. 10:17-27; Luke 18:18-27.

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what shall I do Good Teacher, eternal life?" to inherit Lu. 18:18

Jesus

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Rich Young

Ruler

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Matthew 6:19-21

"Do not lay up for yourselves

on earth, where and rust destroy and where

break in and steal;

but lay up for yourselves treasure

nor rust destroys and , where neither moth .⊑

where thieves do not break in and

steal. For where your there your

will be also."

words, the students "read" the pictures in the correct places.

As the teacher reads the printed

Jesus, saying, "The righteous will answer the

Lord, when did we see You hungry and

You,

When did we see You a stranger and take You in,

or thirsty and give You

or naked and TM You?

Or when did we see You

and come to You?'

"And the

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will answer and say to them,

'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.' "

Matt. 25:37-40

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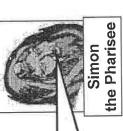
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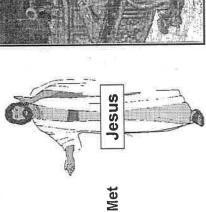
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what manner of womanthis is prophet, would know who and This man, if He were a who is touching Him, for she is a simmer."







In Bible Times, What was the Polite Thing to do for a Guest Read Luke 7:44-46.

Luke 7:39









Using green, circle what Simon failed to do for Jesus' feet. Using blue, circle what greeting he did not give Jesus. Using yellow, circle what he did not give to anoint Him. Using red, circle what the people wore on their feet.

If Someone Comes to Visit You, How Should You Treat Them?







How Do Grownups Welcome a Guest?





"This is truly the Prophet who is to come into the world." John 6:14.

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PART 3 -- People Jesus Taught John 6:5-66 with Matt. 14:21 Met People Who Met Jesus

What did Jesus feed (Draw a picture) the people?

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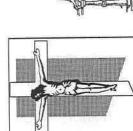
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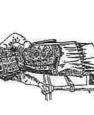
What did the people want to do with Jesus?

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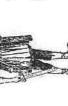
Who else was fed besides the men?



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What did Jesus do? Why?

Said, "No." Said, "Yes."

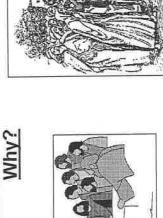
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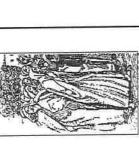
Who Left Jesus?

Went away.

How many men, besides women and children were fed? Circle the correct number.

1,000 8,000 10,000 5,000 500 2,000





People Who Met Jesus If You are the Christ, save (*robbers*) who were hanged blasphemed Him, saying, #1 One of the criminals fourself and us." Lu. 23:39

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\_uke 23:32,33, 39-43. Jesus Robber on cross

Robber on cross

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"Lord, remember me when You #2" wt the other, "This Man has come into Your kingdom. Then he said to Jesus, done nothing wrong. Lu. 23:41,42

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> that whoever believes in Him "For God so loved the world but have everlasting life." His only begotten Son, should not perish Why Jesus Died that He gave

How many robbers were crucified with Jesus? Circle the correct number.

Finish the name with newspaper or magazine letters.

John 3:16

Luke 24:13-36.

people...our rulers... have crucified Him. But we "Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in were hoping that it was He who was going to deed and word before god and all the redeemed Israel."

Lu. 24:19-21

Met Men on the road

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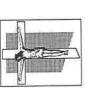
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on the road that goes to Emmaus? How many men did Jesus talk to Draw a circle around the correct number.

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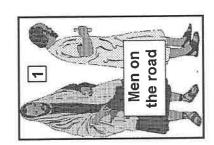


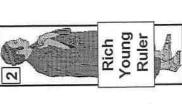
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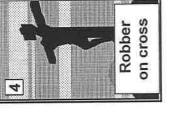
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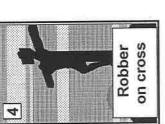
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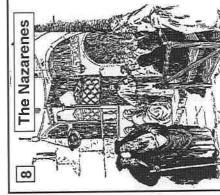


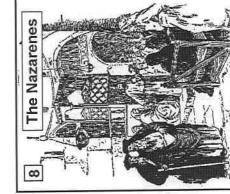


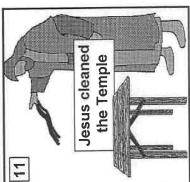


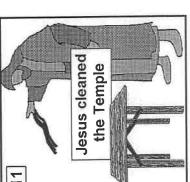


Another Robber on cross





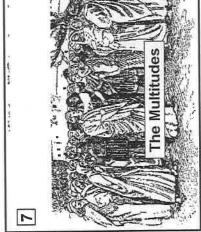




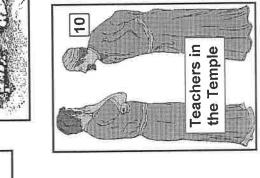
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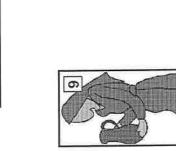






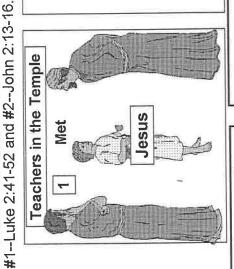
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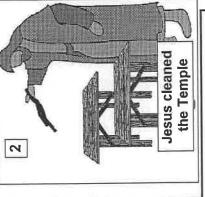




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Talk about what the temple was used for. Who told the Jews to build the temple?





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teachers,

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Jesus

His at

and

them

temple

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Joseph, His stepfather?

"My Father's business" (Lu. 2:49) "My Father's house" (John 2:16) which father was He understanding

Why were the Jews upset

I can about

learn all

want to

makes me

Jesus

Underline the correct answer. with Jesus?

They were breaking the Law. They hated money.

They loved the money that animals in the temple. they made by selling

answers.

talking about?

Luke 2:46,47 answers.

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were

asking

questions.

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Write the verse in correct order here:

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God, His Father in heaven?

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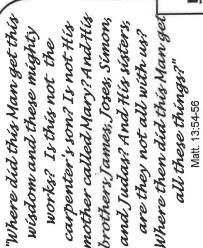
give correct God, Jesus, questions ask good the Bible so I can and and

the scribes and chief priests to want to destroy Him? What did Jesus do and say as an adult that caused

made a whip of cords, He drove them all out of the temple, with Jesus found in the temple those who sold oxen and sheep and house a house of merchandise!" John 2:14-16 "It is written, My house shall be called a house of prayer,' but you have made it doves, and the moneychangers doing business. When He had the sheep and the oxen, and poured out the changers' money doves, "Take these things away! Do not make My Father's and overturned the tables. And He said to those who sold a 'den of thieves.' " Matthew 21:13

Luke 4:16-30; Matt. 13:54-58; Mk. 6:1-6.

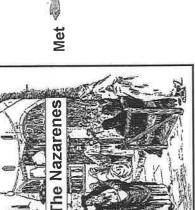
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Jesus read in Luke 4:18,19 Find the prophecy

Jeremiah 49:8,9. Psalm 69:15,16. Isaiah 61:1,2.

Nazareth

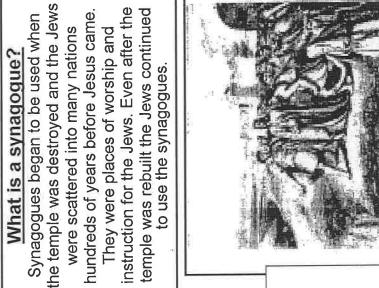


Jesus

made the Nazarenes angry? What did Jesus teach that

prophecy He had just read. 2. That in the past God had done miracles for Gentiles 3. That the Romans were 1. That He fulfilled the God's chosen people. instead of the Jews.

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them, what did the Nazarenes After hearing Jesus teach try to do to Jesus?

Why could Jesus not do mighty work in Nazareth except to heal a few sick people? Read Mark 6:5,6.

that even when I disagree with someone Because I love Jesus I must remember it is no excuse to try to hurt them.

CHRIST BLIND FEAR PART 3 -- People Jesus Taught will be careful to tells the truth I believe and do not just follow the crowd but Because Jesus will choose to what is right. Jesus Met People Who Met Jesus The Multitudes Matt. 4:23 to 8:1 and others. sticker sticker here here

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### The Multitudes

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The Multitudes Thought About Jesus

What and Why

2A--When Jesus returned from healing Legion,

3A-- How the multitude felt because of the glorious things Jesus did. Him. Lu. 8:40. Luke 13:17. the multitude

God. Matt. 15:31. 6A--They

9A.-Great things for which they followed Jesus. John 6:2.

13A--What they told Pilate they wanted done with Jesus. Matt. 27:22. 16A-- Multitudes saw these speaking. Matt. 15:31.

17A--They saw these made whole. Matt. 15:31.

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18A--What about Jesus astonished them. Matt. 22:33. 19A--They saw these seeing. Matt. 15:31.

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John 7:40. 1D--Many said that Jesus was the

4D--Some said Jesus was this. John 7:41.

5D-The multitude wanted to make Jesus be this John 6:15.

7D--They saw these walking. Matt. 15:31.

8D--The multitude called Jesus this. Matt. 21:9.

11D--How they felt about Jesus' teaching. Matt. 22:33. 10D--Whom did the multitude glorify? Matt. 15:31.

12D--What they did when they saw miracles Matt. 15:31.

14D--Why one multitude asked Jesus to leave. Lu. 8:37

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15D--Reaction when the blind mute spoke and saw. Matt. 12:22,23.

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did. Could this be Come, see a Man things that I ever who told me all the Christ?" John 4:29







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Jesus

Met

Samaritan Woman

Judah after carrying the Israelites to them. They were almost never somewhat about the Law of God, and a prophet sent from captivity Read 2 Kings 17:24-33; John 4:9; 8:49. people that Assyria and Babylon northern kingdom of Israel and away into captivity. They knew having been taught by a priest people with whom they wanted nated and considered unclean accepted by the Jews; were A descendant of the foreign brought in to populate the Cross out the incorrect words. What is a Samaritan?

> about her life that made her say What did Jesus tell the woman He was a prophet?

that she had had 5 husbands her name her address

that now she was living with a man who was not her husband

where she went to school

Unscramble the Verse John 4:29

nothing to do.

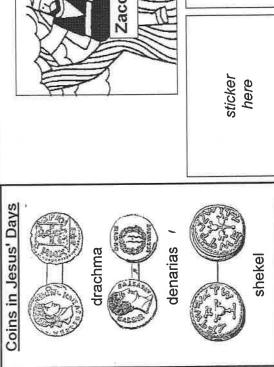
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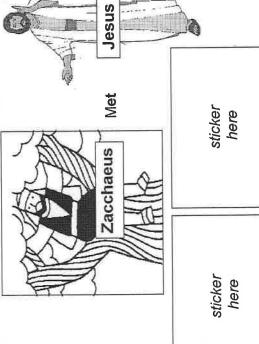
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Luke 19:1-10.





Find a verse in the story to prove your answer. to Zacchaeus?

Why was Jesus friendly

I have taken anything the\_\_\_\_; and if \_\_\_\_ accusation, "Look, Lord, I give from anyone by I restore\_\_\_\_

> A (Jew, Greek, Roman) who worked for the Roman government to collect taxes from the Jewish people. What did Jesus say about tax collectors when What did the Jews think of tax collectors' indifferent He was taking to the Jews? What is a tax collector? Read Matt. 21:31-32 loved them hated them

Knowing Jesus makes me know that done something wrong to another, if I have cheated someone or I should do whatever I can to make it right.

that knew Jesus. Name another tax collector

What did Jesus

do for him?

'You still lack one thing. Sell

distribute to the poor, and you will have treasure in

all that you have and

PART 3 -- People Jesus Taught People Who Met Jesus

Matt. 19:16-26; Mk. 10:17-27; Luke 18:18-27 what shall I do "Good Teacher, eternal life?" to inherit

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Ruler

Met

Jesus

heaven; and come, follow Me."

Lu. 18:22

Rich Young

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Knowing Jesus helps that my things and money should never be more important me to understand Lu. 18:18

Theard that saying, he went away sorrowful,

But when the young man

for he had great possessions.

Matt. 19:22

### A Surprising Idea Circle the correct answers.

When we feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, it is the same as if we had done it to: clothe the needy, and visit the sick, (Read Matthew 25:37-40.)

Moses What will our reward be? Mary, Jesus Read Matthew 25:34, 46.) the Apostles,

eternal life get rich enter the kingdom nothing

What Can I Do To Help The Poor?

Write one thing in this box

than obeying God.

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Fill in the important missing words Treasure

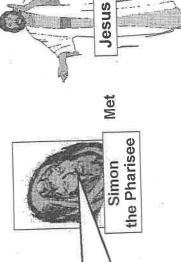
will be also." Matt. 6:19-21 where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. where moth and rust destroy and "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on where thieves break in and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in For where your treasure is, and "He who lays up treasure for Jesus says: you will have treasure in Matt. 19:21 is not rich toward Lu. 12:21 "Give to the there your

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Luke 7:36-50

This man, if He were a prophet, would know who and what manner of woman this is who is touching Him, for she is a sinner."



## Who Were the Pharisees?

The word *Pharisees* means "the separated ones."

They were religious leaders of the Jews who believed in following strictly the of Moses, both what was written and ideas of what it meant.

They wore special \_\_\_\_ so that people would know them.

They had many ceremonies to separate themselves from others.
They believed they were the only ones who could give the true meaning

people reclined while eating

In the homes of the rich,

of \_\_\_and His \_\_\_\_.

They were haughty and arrogant.

They had a religion that was on the outside but not of the \_\_\_.

However, as teachers of the Law they

were highly respected by the people.

## Custom of Jesus' Times

People wore sandals on the



streets and roads that were not paved but dusty or muddy. When a guest arrived he was offered water to wash his feet. Oil was also offered for guests to refresh their heads. He was greeted with a kiss on the cheek

Which of these customs did Simon fail to do? Lu. 7:44-46







How Should We Treat a Guest?

Knowing Jesus shows me that the way I treat other people who visit me is the same as if I were treating Jesus that way.

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HO YOPE IGHO John 6:14.

ohn 6:5-66 with Matt. 14:21

Jesus

Met

What kind of miracles had the multitude seen? dead raised to life bread multiplied (John 6:2,11)

fishes multiplied

diseases healed

## What kind of king were the Jews expecting? Read Isa. 9:6-7; Acts 1:6; Lu. 24:19-21.

1- an earthly king to sit on David's throne in Jerusalem and restore the kingdom of Israel.

2- a king of a spiritual kingdom

## What kind of kingdom did Jesus come to make? Read John 18:36; Rom. 14:17; Lu. 17:20,21

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Who Stayed With Jesus? Who Left Jesus? Draw a line to the answer

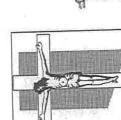
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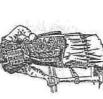
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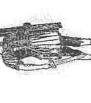
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not to get prizes or clothes or food Knowing Jesus shows me that the right reasons for which I should go to church are

## What did the people want to do with Jesus? Why?







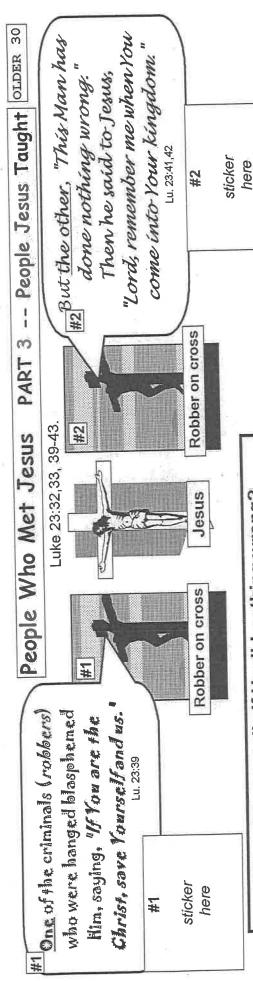


## What did Jesus do? Why?

Said, "No." Said, "Yes."

Went away.

to worship god and learn about Him,



Why did Jesus die if He did nothing wrong? Underline the key words.

"For God so loved the world that He gave
His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him
should not perish but have everlasting life. John 3:16
"Christ died for our sins" 1 Cor. 15:3
"He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but
he who does not believe will be condemned." Mk. 16:16

## **Unscramble These Verses**

Lu. 23:39,41,42

wrong kingdom said Then to remember blasphemed If You us he me You Him said Your of the and the are But the saying Yourself come save when nothing into has Lord other one criminals This done Man Jesus Christ

(Match the words with the reference.)

God says:

'You shall not steal."

Eph. 4:28

"Let him who stole steal no longer, but rather let him labor, working with his hands what is good, that he may have something to give him who has need."

Lev. 19:11

"You shall not steal, nor deal falsely, nor lie to one another."

Ex. 20:15

Knowing Jesus has taught me that He died to save me from my sins if I obey Him.

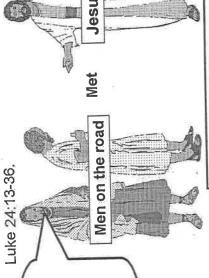
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"Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in people...our rulers... have crucified Him. But we were hoping that it was He who was going to deed and word before God and all the redeemed Israel."

Lu. 24:19-21



Jesus

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Some of what Moses and the Prophets said about Jesus

Match the prophecy to the fulfillment.

Follow the example given.

Isaiah 53:4 prophecy

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fulfillment

Matt. 1:22-23

born in Bethlehem born of a virgin

Micah 5:2

Isaiah 7:14

Matt. 8:16,17

a healer of sickness

Matt. 2:4-6

ride on a donkey

Zechariah 9:9

Isaiah 53:4-8

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Isaiah 9:6-7

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Psalm, 16:8-11

John 6:14; 12:49

teacher-prophet from God

Matt. 21:4,5

die for sins

Matt. 1:1,6

rise from dead

king David's throne

Lu. 1:31-33

1 Cor. 15:3

kingdom no end

Acts 2:29-31

from the dead and hurry to tell others I should be excited that Jesus arose about what He has done to save me.

When did the men recognize Jesus?

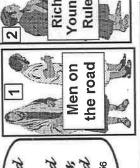
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Review of Part 3

carpenter's son? Is not His mother called are they not all with us? Where then did "Where did this Man get this wisdomand Mary? And His brothers...and His sisters. this Man get all these things?" Matthew 13:54-56 these mighty works? Is this not the



ω Young Ruler Rich

Simon the Pharisee

"We have seen strange things today!"

"Truly this is the Prophet." John 7:40.

"This is the Christ." John 7:41.

"Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes the lord! Hosanna in the highest!" Blessed is the kingdom of our father David That comes in the name of in the name of the lord! Mark 11:9,10. Luke 5:26.

Samaritan

told me all things that I ever did. Could this "Come, see a Man who be the Christ?" John 4:29

"Crucify Him!" Mark 15:13.

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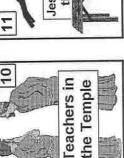
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Luke 19:8

Lord, remember me when You come "This Man has done nothing wrong. Luke 23:41,42 into Your kingdom."



My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations??

He taught, saying to them, "Is it not written,

all who heard Him were astonished at His understanding and answers. Luke 2:46,47

He was in the temple...with...these and

save Yourself and us. "Luke 23:39

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Luke 18:18

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come into the "This is truly the Prophet who is to world."

John 6:14.

Lu. 8:2-3; John 19:25; 20:1-18.

"My Lord"
John 20:16

Mary Magdalene

Met Jesus

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How many demons did Jesus cast out of Mary?

What Mary Called Jesus

Color the letters and talk about what the words mean.

Why must we be careful not to use these words at any time in any meaningless way like some people do?

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34 Younger that You should come

under my roof. But only speak a word,

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"Lord, I am not worthy

and my servant will be

healed. "Matt. 8:8

Jesus

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#3 Matt. 8:5-13. #2 Mark 5:22-24, 35-43; #1 John 4:46-53

> before my child dies!" John 4:49 "Sír, come down

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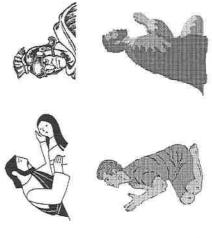
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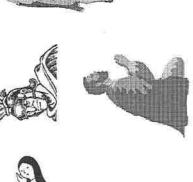
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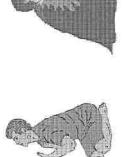


### What sick person did Jesus heal in each family?

Circle the answer and draw an arrow to connect them.

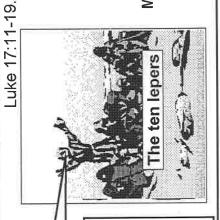






4 -- People For Whom Jesus Did a Miracle PART People Who Met Jesus

"Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" Luke 17:13 One of the lepers,
when he saw that he was healed,
returned, and with a loud voice
glorified God,
and fell down on his face at Jesus'
feet, giving Him thanks.
Luke 17:15-16



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How many lepers were healed?

How many lepers thanked Jesus?



### 4 PART People Who Met Jesus

Mark 5:1-20.



"My name is Legion; for we are many. Mark 5:9

act?

How did demon-possessed people

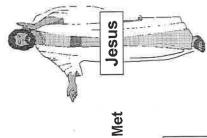
Demons could make a person

- -mute. Matt. 9:32.
- -blind and mute Matt. 12:22.
- -epileptic Matt. 17:15,18.
- -break chains and shackles Mark 5:4.

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-cry out and cut himself with stones Mark 5:5.

Draw a picture of the pigs falling off the cliff.



Legion

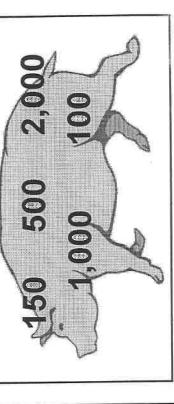
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Who wrote many things about Jesus? Finish the name with cut out letters.

How many pigs received the demons? Mark 5:13.



## PART 4 -- People For Whom Jesus Did a Miracle People Who Met Jesus

John 6:1-13; Matt. 14:21.

## Circle the correct number:

- --loaves of bread that the boy had;





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He gave his lunch feed 5,000 men besides women so Jesus could

What do you share and children.



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Jesus

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The boy with a lunch

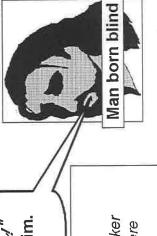
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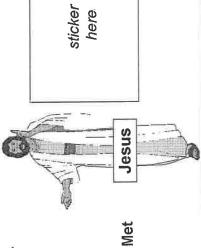
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And he worshiped Him. "Lord, I believe!" John 9:38



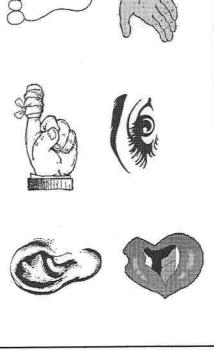
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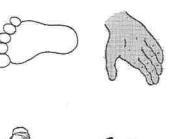




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Circle the part of the man that Jesus healed.









Pretend you are blind by shutting your eyes very tight Now days there are many things to help blind people Stay like that while you talk about what it is and covering them with your hands. like to be blind, to not see anything How could you read the Bible? How can you move around? How can you find anything? but in the time of Jesus

they had nothing to help them.

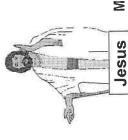


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Matt. 15:21-28; Mark 7:24-30.

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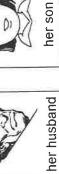
o lord, son of David "Have mercy on me, lord, help me! Matt. 15:22,25

Syro-Phoenician Greek Woman of Canaan Met

## Who did Jesus heal in her family?

Circle the answer:





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her father

her daughter













her uncle

her brother-in-law

her niece



# Who called Jesus "Lord?"

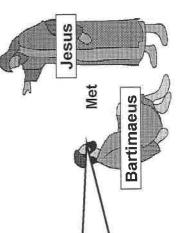
# We also call Jesus

What does "Lord" mean?

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Mark 10:46-52.

"Jesus, Son of David,
have mercy on me!
Rabboni, that I may
receive my sight."



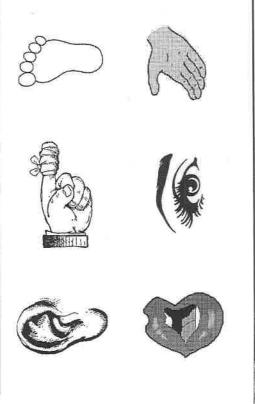
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Finish the name with newspaper or magazine letters.



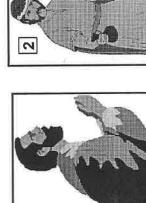
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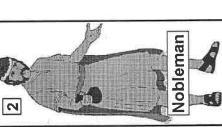




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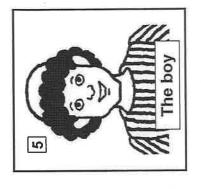
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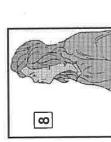


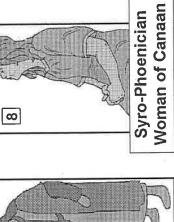


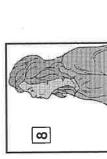


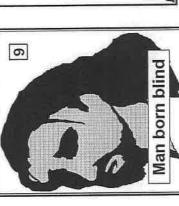


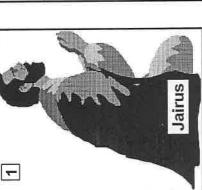


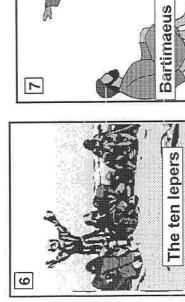








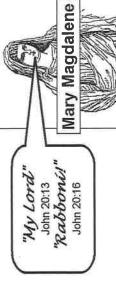


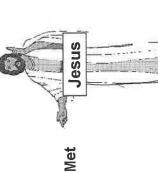


# PART 4 -- People For Whom Jesus Did a Miracle People Who Met Jesus

Lu. 8:2-3; John 19:25; 20:1-18.

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## What do words mean? Match the word with the correct definition.

Word	Definition
Lord	My great Master
Rabbi	He who has great power and authority; master; owner.
Rabboni	Master, a term of respect for a teacher.

Because I love Jesus
I must remember to thank God
when I get well from an illness:
But most of all,
I should thank Him for
sending Jesus
to take away my sins.

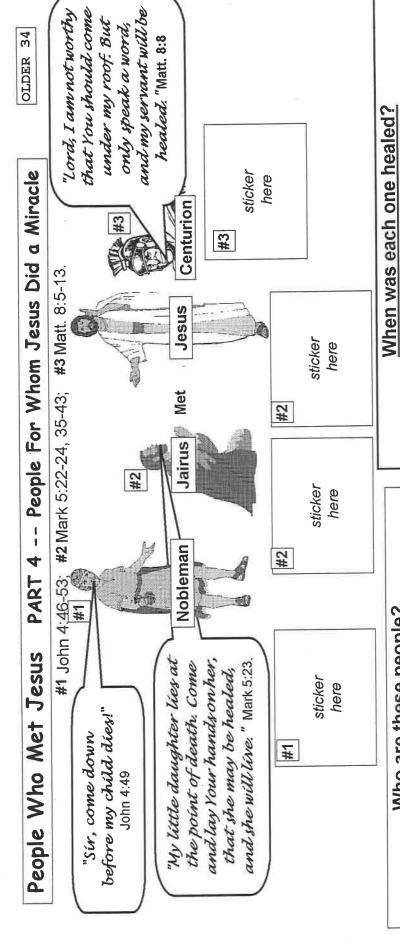
## What we know about demons.

They were also called "unclean demons" & "unclean spirits" (Lu. 4:33-36). To be possessed by a demon meant an evil spirit controlled the person.

_ in God and	he, the of God!	Luke 8:30,31 Jesus not to send them into the Abyss		ver to cast out, control demons.	d the of demons.	Matt. 8:29 They knew they would go into	demons from Mary Maddalene.
James 2:19 Demons	Luke 4:41 Know that Jesus is the,	Luke 8:30,31lesus r	Mark 1:25-27 Jesus.	Matt. 8:16 had the pow	Matt. 12:24-26 is called the_	Matt. 8:29 They knew they woul	Mark 16:9 Jesus cast out

Talk about what is wrong with using "My Lord!" or "My God!" as words of exclamation or anger or any other emotion.

How should they be used?



Who are these people?		when was each one healed?	one nealed?
			at noon
Jairus was a (Mark 5:22) of the in Capernaum (Matt. 9:1,18; 4:13).	Jairus' d	Jairus' daughter (Mark 5:41,42)	as he went home
The Nobleman in Capernaum was a person who had (John 4:51)	Noblema (Joh	Nobleman's son (John 4:50-53)	when Jesus touched
The Centurion in Capernaum was a man who	Conturic	tuevaes environt	at the hour Jesus spoke
had over soldiers. (Matt. 8:9)	(Mat	(Matt. 8:13)	that same hour

to help them get well when they are sick. I should ask God, according to His will, Because I care about others

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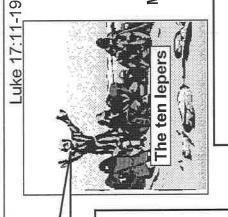
"Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" Luke 17:13

### What is leprosy?

Leprosy is a disease that begins as spots on the skin. Later the spots become

lumps which open up into painful sores.

The sores gradually cause loss of skin and flesh, with deformity, loss of feeling, paralysis, serious infections, and sometimes blindness. People with leprosy had to live away from other people and call out "Unclean!"



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### **Giving Thanks**

Cross out the incorrect words and write the correct one above it.

Eph. 5:20. "Giving thanks sometimes for some things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Phil. 4:6. "Be

with complaining, let your requests be made known to everyone." anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication,

1 Thess. 5:18. "In a few things give thanks; for this is the will of God

in Christ Jesus for others." 1 Tim. 4:4. "For every creature of God is good, and nothing is to be refused if it is received with anger."



One of the lepers, when he saw that he was healed, returned, and with a loud voice glorified God, and fell down on his face at Jesus' feet, giving Him thanks. Luke 17:15-16

Knowing it will please Jesus I will be thankful to others for what they do for me.

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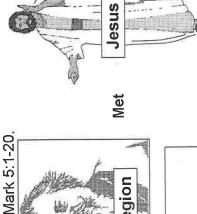


"My name is Legions for we are many. Mark 5:9

## How did demon-possessed people

Demons could make a person

- -mute. Matt. 9:32.
- blind and mute Matt. 12:22.
- -epileptic Matt. 17:15,18.
- break chains and shackles Mark 5:4.
- cry out and cut himself with stones. Mark 5:5.



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Because I am so happy Jesus has done for me I will go tell others about Him. about what

### How did Legion obey Jesus? Underline the answer.

you." And he ... began to proclaim he might be with Him...But Jesus friends, and tell them what great in Decapolis all that Jesus had done for him; and all marveled said to him, "Go home to your possessed begged *Jesus* that things the Lord has done for He who had been demon-Mark 5:18-20

# If the statement is FALSE, find the verse to prove your answer.

True or False

- When Jesus got off the horse, a man with an unclean spirit met Him. T F
  - The man lived among the tombs. T F
- The man could not break the chains and shackles that were on him. T F
  - The man worshiped Jesus. T F
- Jesus commanded the unclean spirit to stay in the man. T F
  - The man's name was Million. T
- Jesus sent the unclean spirits into a herd of swine. T F 4.70.0.10.00
  - The swine jumped and danced with joy. T F
- When the people from town saw the demon-possessed sitting clothed in his right mind, they were happy. T
  - 10. The healed man begged to go with Jesus. T F
- 11. Jesus sent him to Jerusalem to tell what had happened. T
- 12. When people see a miracle they always believe in Jesus. T F

### Draw arrows to who believed in Jesus and who did not believe?

other people of town demons Legion

### What were the people most interested in? their possessions believing in God

leave their region What did they beg Jesus to do? heal more of their people

### Why?

they wanted to share Jesus they were afraid

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He gave his lunch to feed 5,000 men besides women and children.

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The boy with a lunch



### What was a barley loaf?

The Bible says he had "five barley loaves ike good-sized crackers or flat rolls. Eastern loaves were thin and small and two small fish."



The fish were about the size of sardines.



What do you think he said when he went home? Just imagine the boy's excitement to be able to share with Jesus and to see the miracle.

### Whether what he does is is known by his deeds. pure and right. Even a child

Proverbs 20:11

### Think About This

from which

grain

is made to

flour

make bread.

Barley is a

your Bible with someone new in class? If Jesus needed your lunch, would you In Matthew 25 Jesus tells us that your games with your brother? your time to help your mother? your pencils with your friend? the same as doing it for Him. what we do for others is So, are you sharing? share it with Him?

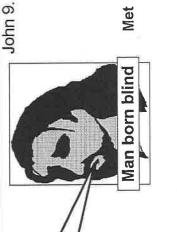
want to share what I have Knowing Jesus makes me with others who need the things that I have.

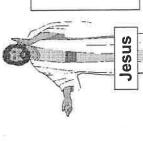
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"Lord, I believe!" And he worshiped Him. John 9:38

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### Who?

1--Who was afraid of the Jews? Why? 2--Who did not believe Jesus healed the man? Why?

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- 3--Who questioned the healed man about who healed him?
  - 4--Who healed the man born blind? 5--Who defended Jesus? 6--Who worshiped Jesus?

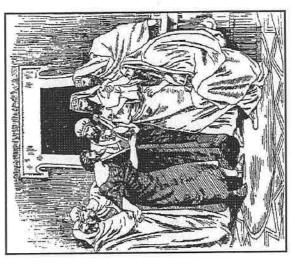
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John 9:38.

- 7--Who believed Jesus was a prophet? 8--Who said Jesus was a sinner? 9--Who believed that Jesus was the Son of God?
- 10--Who was cast out? 11--Who did Jesus say were truly blind after he had healed the blind man?



Who are the people in the picture? What are they talking about? What did they do to the healed man?

I will not be afraid to stand up for Jesus even when my family, friends, or even my teachers make fun of me. Because He is so wonderful

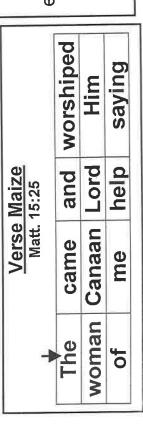
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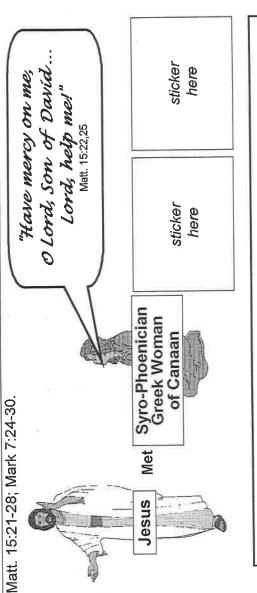
## Why call Jesus "Son of David?"

shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Upon the throne of David and over His kingdom, The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this." had said that the Messiah would be of the family Hundreds of years before Jesus was born God "For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is To order it and establish it with judgment and given; And the government will be upon His government and peace there will be no end, iustice from that time forward, even forever. Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, of King David and would sit on his throne. Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His

by saying: "The book of the genealogy of Jesus Many Jews recognized Jesus as the Messiah, the Matthew begins his book about the life of Jesus Son of David although they did not understand that His kingdom would be spiritual. Christ, the Son of David..." Matt. 1:1.

and tell God what my greatest need is and I know that He will listen. Because I know Jesus, I can pray





### Finish the Story Matthew 15:21-28

And behold, a woman of \_\_\_\_ came from that region and cried out to Him, saying, and Sidon. Jesus went out to the region of

"Have mercy on me, O Lord, \_\_\_ of

My \_\_\_\_\_is severely \_\_\_\_-possessed." But He answered her not a word. And His disciples came and urged But He answered and said, "I was not sent except to the lost Him, saying, "Send her away, for she cries out after us. sheep of the house of \_\_\_\_\_. Then she came \_\_\_\_. Then she came \_\_\_\_. Him, saying, "\_\_\_\_, help me!" Bu

even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their masters' answered and said, "It is not good to take the children's bread "\_\_\_\_, help me!" But He and throw it to the little dogs." And she said, "Yes, Lord, yet table." Then Jesus answered and said to her, "O woman ! Let it be to you as you desire."

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### -- People For Whom Jesus Did a Miracle 4 PART People Who Met Jesus

Mark 10:46-52

"Jesus, Son of Davíd, have mercy on me! Rabbonú, that I may receive my sight." Mark 10:47,51. Even when others try to stop me from following Jesus I must insist on doing it.



sent Him a letter called Him on the phone

sent a friend to ask Him touched Jesus' clothes

jumped up and down called out to Him

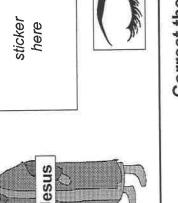
# Which verse tells the correct answer?

## Unscramble What Bartimaeus Said.

David Son of Jesus Rabboni sight I receive me my mercy on have may that

Mk. 10:47,51

Mark 10:46-52



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### Correct the story cross out the incorrect words.

nore, "Son of David and Jonathan, have mercy on me!" Then they called the blind deaf man, saying to him, "Be out and jump around and say, "Jesus, Son of David and you want Me to do for you?" The blind man said to Him, "Rabboni, that I may receive my sight and my hearing." made you well." And immediately he received his sight he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry of good cheer. Rise, He is calling you." And throwing Jesus. So Jesus answered and said to him, "What do So Jesus stood still and commanded him to be called. Then Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has great multitude, blind and deaf Bartimaeus, the son of Timaeus, sat by the road begging and singing. When As Jesus went out of Jericho with His disciples and a many warned him to be quiet; but he cried out all the Solomon, have mercy on me and my friends!" Then aside his garment and cane, he rose and came to and followed Jesus on the road

#2- King Herod Antipas -- Luke 3:1,19,20; Matt. 14:1-12; Luke 9:7-9; 23:6-12. #1- King Herod the Great -- Matt. 2:1-23. #2

Child, and when you have found Him, bring "Go and search carefully for the young back word to me, that I may come and worship Him also." Matt. 2:8

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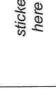
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Matt. 27:1,2,11-26; 62-66; Lu. 23:1-7;13-25; John 18;28 to 19:16.

"I find no fault in Him at all"... "Behold your King! he said to the Jews,

of thus just Person. You see to it. "I am innocent of the blood John 18:38; 19:14; Matt. 27:24







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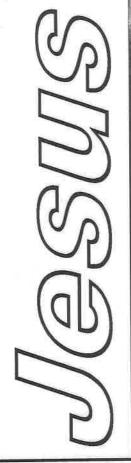
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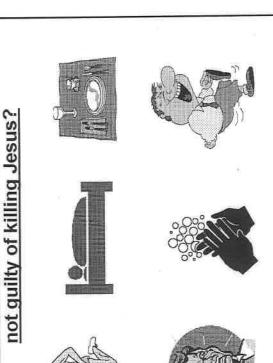
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What did Pilate do to try to say he was

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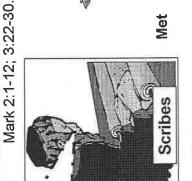


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"Why does this Man speak blasphemies like this? Who can forgive sins but God "He has Beelzebub...by the ruler of the demons He costs put demons." alone?" Mk. 2:7.



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Draw a circle around them and tell how and why they were used. Find 3 things that a scribe used in his work?

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Pretend you are a scribe. Copy the Bible verse. Be very careful to copy it correctly.

Exodus 20:3

You shall have no other gods before Me.

God's Law

Matt. 21:23-27; Matt. 26:14,15 with 27:3; Lu. 22:47-54; Matt. 26:59-68; Mark. 15:1; Matt. 27:12,20-22; Matt. 27:41-43; Matt. 28:11-15; Acts 23:8.

"Grucify Him, crucify Him!" John 19:6.
"We have no king but Gaesar!" John 19:15.
"He saved others; Himself He cannot save. If He is the King of Israel, let Him now come down from the cross, and we will believe Him." Natt. 27:42.

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"Tellthen, His disciples concernight and stole Hin away while we slept."
And if this cones to the governor's ears, we will appease him and make you secure." Matt. 28:13-14.

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Which is an elder?

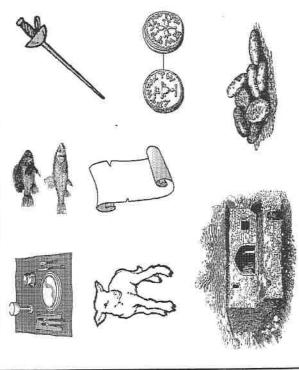
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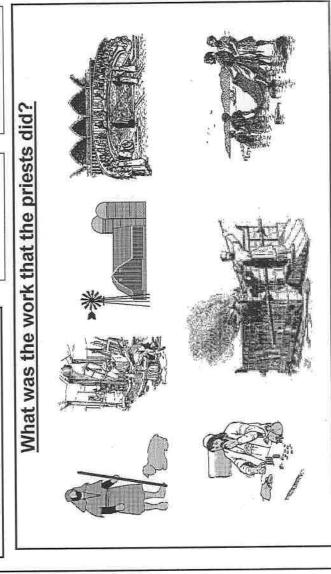
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## What did the chief priests and elders give to the soldiers so they would lie about what happened to Jesus?





### -- Leaders and People in Authority PART 5 People Who Met Jesus

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John 11:47-53; Matt. 26:3-5; John 18:12-14,19-24; Matt. 26:57-68; Mk. 14:53-65.

have of witnesses? You have heard The high priest tore his clothes and said, "What further need do we And they all condemned Him to be deserving of death. the blasphemy!" Mark 14:63.64



Annas and Caiaphas High priests,

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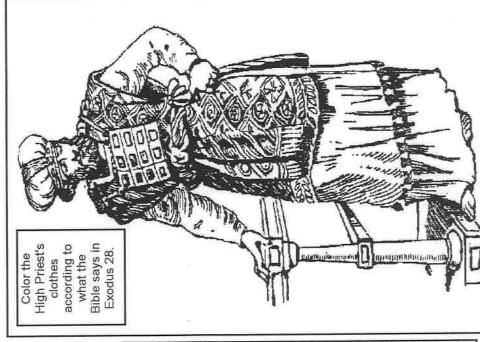
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Matt. 27:27-37, 54; Mark 15:16-26,39; Lu. 23:36-38,47; John 19:23-24,29-37; Matt. 28:2-4,11-15.

Mocked Him, saying,

"Hail, King of the Jews!" Matt. 27:29

Met Roman soldiers "Truly this was the Son of God!"

... They feared greatly, saying,

Matt. 27:54.

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What kind of crown did the soldiers put on Jesus' head? Circle the correct answer sticker

when Jesus died on the

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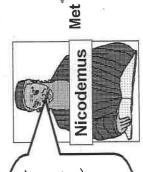
What is happening in this picture? Why do you think the soldiers are

acting this way to Jesus?

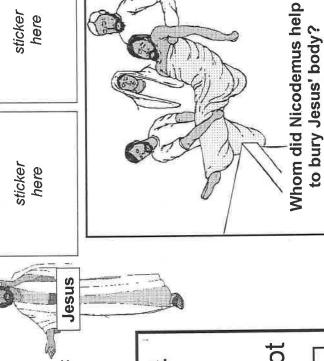
John 3:1-21; 7:32,37-53; 19:38-42.

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se signs that You do unless Rabbi, we know that You god; for no one can do the are a teacher come from God is with him." John 3:2



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John 3:16, Words Jesus Said to Nicodemus

God so loved the world that He gave His

Only begotten

Son, that whoever believes in Him should not

Perish but have

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**Gospel means Good News.** 

When did Nicodemus come to see Jesus?

Read John 3:2

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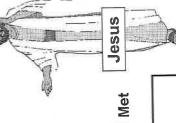
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Matt 27:57-60; Mk. 15:43-46; Lu. 23:50-53; John 19:38-42. What are these men doing?

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A disciple of Jesus,
but secretly,
for fear of the Jews.
John 1938





Joseph of Arimathea

What are these men doing? Name the two men who are

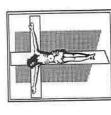


What kind of man was Joseph?

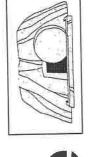
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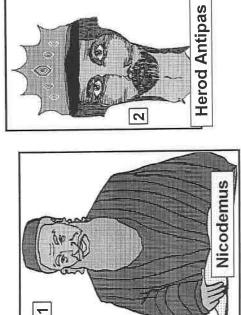


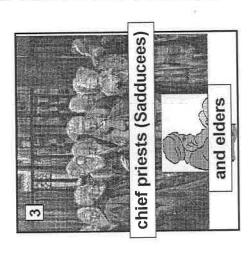
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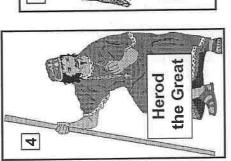
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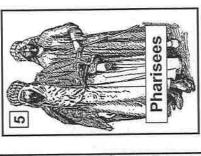
# PART 5 -- Leaders and People in Authority

### Review of Part 5



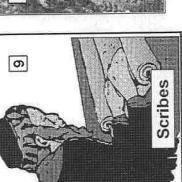




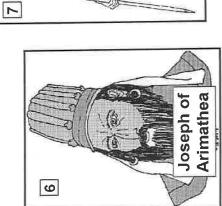


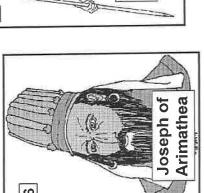


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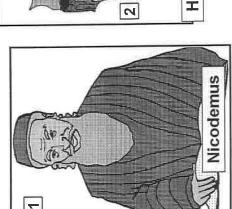


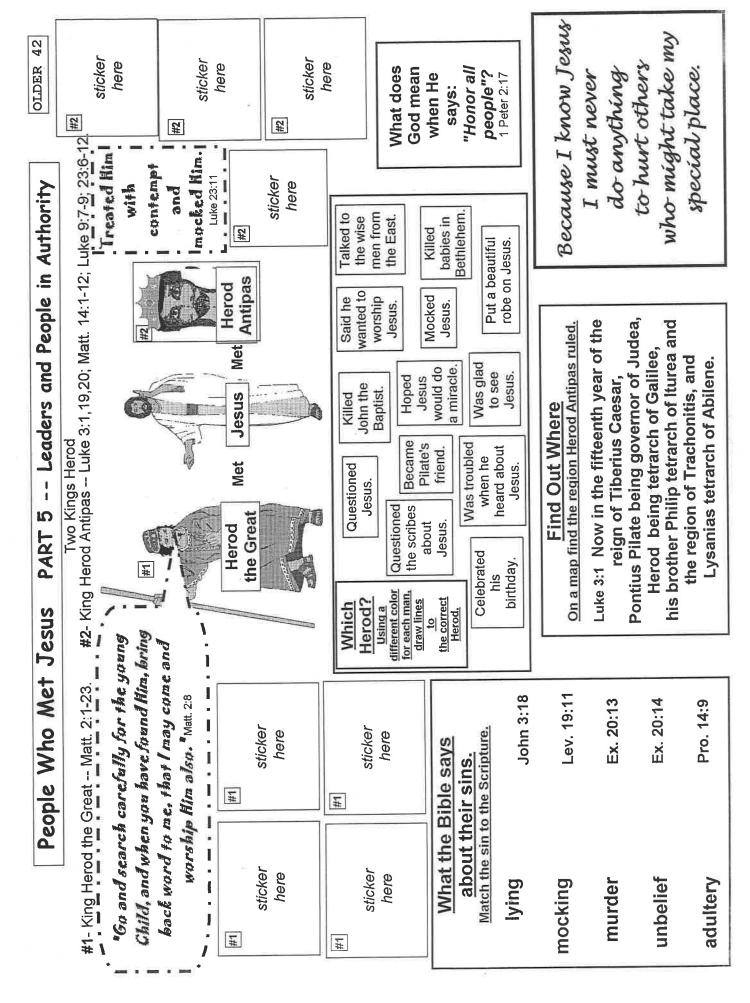




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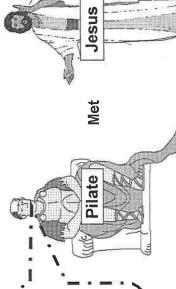
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Matt. 27:1,2,11-26; 62-66; Lu. 23:1-7;13-25; John 18;28 to 19:16.

"I find no fault in Himatall"... of this just Person. You see to it. "I am innocent of the blood "Behold your King!" John 18:38; 19:14; Matt. 27:24 he said to the Jews,



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### Frue or False? Why?

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> If it is false, find the verse to prove your answer. In your Bible, put a marker in Matt. 27 and John 18 to find the verses. Write the number of the verse at the end of the statement. Write T or F by the number of each statement.

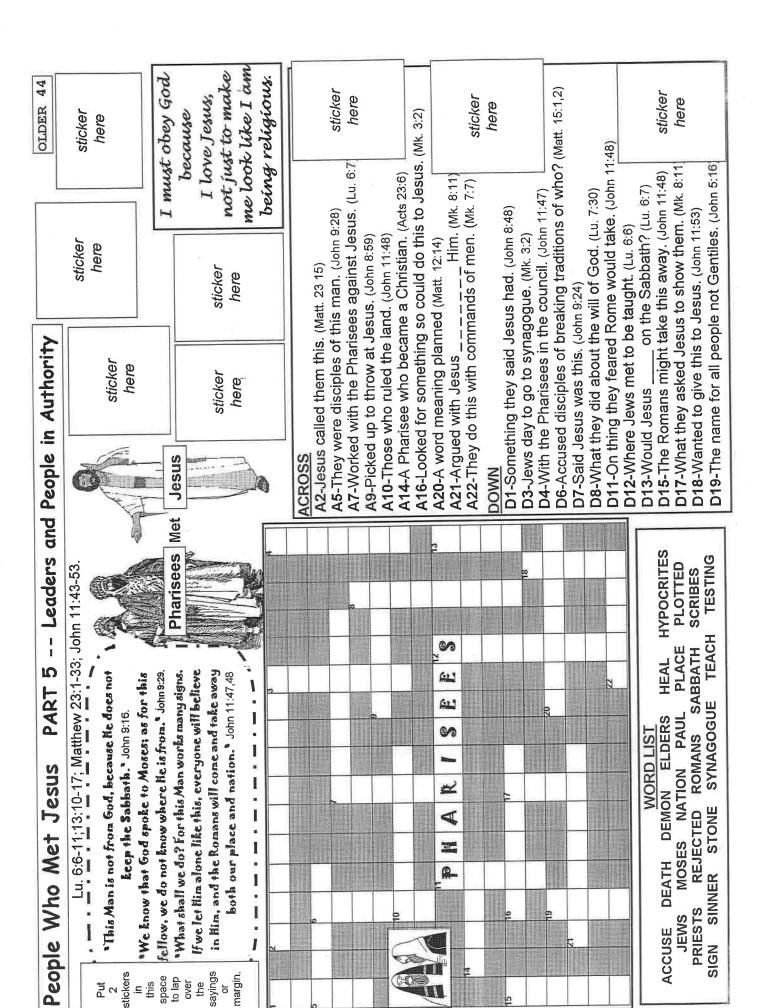
- Pilate was president over the Jews.
- 2. Pilate asked Jesus if He was King of the Jews. 3. The Romans were accusing Jesus of being a
- It was the custom at the feast to release two prisoners 4
- The Jews chose to release Jesus.While Pilate sat on the judgment seat, his wife told him of her bad dream.
- Pilate washed his hands to show that they should drown Jesus.
- Pilate changed the title on Jesus' cross to please the Jews. ω.
- The chief priests and Pharisees were afraid that Jesus' disciples would steal His body. . ග
- Pilate went to guard the tomb himself.

### Pilate said about Jesus:

Why then did he condemn Jesus to die? "I find no fault in Him at all.. Underline the key words that caused Pilate concern. Pilate sought to release Him, but the Jews cried out, saying, "If you let this Man go, you are not Caesar's friend. Whoever makes himself a king speaks against Caesar." John 19:12

When Pilate saw that he could not prevail at all, but rather that a tumult was rising, he took water and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, "I am innocent of the blood of this just Person. You see to it." Matt. 27:24.

Him first regardless of what will Because I love Jesus I must put happen to me because I do.



Why does this Man speak blasphemies like this?
Who can forgive sins but God alone? Mk. 2:7.
"He has Beelzebub...by the ruler of the demons He casts out demons." Mk. 3:22.

## What kind of work did they do?

The word "scribe" means a person who

The scribes in Bible times were the ones who copied the \_\_\_\_\_by hand because the printing press had not yet been invented.

They used paper made rom the \_\_\_\_\_ plant.



The paper was made in sheets fastened together to form a book called a \_\_\_\_\_. The writing was in columns. The Hebrew language was written and read from right to

For important documents they used the skins of animals, usually of clean animals such as

These will receive greater condemnation," Jesus said.

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When the skins were treated to make them whiter they were called parchments.

Because they copied the Scriptures so much the scribes were considered experts in the \_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ given to him by \_\_\_\_.

, love greetings in the marketplaces, the best sticker sticker here here "Beware of the scribes, who desire to go around in , and the best places at Characteristics of the Scribes Fill in the blanks with a picture you draw. sticker here sticker here \_uke 20:46-47. Jesus Met in the Mark 2:1-12; 3:22-30. long sticker Scribes here

Because I love Jesus I have to be careful not to let anything become more important than Him.

I must be willing to give up everything in order to obey Jesus.

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Matt. 21:23-27; Matt. 26:14,15 with 27:3; Lu. 22:47-54; Matt. 26:59-68; Mark. 15:1; Matt. 27:12,20-22; Matt. 27:41-43; Matt. 28:11-15; Acts 23:8.

now come down from the cross, and we save. If He is the King of Israel, let Him "He saved athers; Hinself He cannot \*We have no king but Gaesar!" John 19:15. "Crucify Him, crucify Hin!" John 19:6. will believe Him. Matt. 27:42.

"And if this comes to the governor's ears, we will appease him and make Tellthen, His disciples come of night and state Him away while we slept." you secure. 

<sup>a</sup> Matt. 28:13-14. sticker here

Sadducees not believe?

(Acts 23:8)

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angels

creation

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resurrection

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the elders of the people? Who were

young men older men

acted as judges in each town

Gentiles

Which?

sticker here sticker here Underline the bad things the chief priests and elders did. sticker sticker here here Jesus Met chief priests (Sadducees) and elders

King?" The chief priests answered, "We have no king but Caesar! The chief asked; "What then shall I do with Jesus who is called Christ?" They all said the council, they sought false testimony against Jesus to put Him to death. to the chief priests and elders. The chief priests and elders persuaded the to him, "Crucify Him, crucify Him!" Pilate said to them, "Shall I crucify your The chief priests and the elders of the people questioned Jesus about His priests mocked Jesus on the cross with the scribes and elders. When the Then they bound Jesus, led Him away, and delivered Him to Pilate where they accused Jesus falsely. Judas brought back the thirty pieces of silver authority. Later Judas went to the chief priests who paid him 30 pieces of priests, captains of the temple, and the elders came with Judas to arrest silver to betray Jesus. In the garden where Jesus was praying the chief Jesus. When they brought Jesus to the chief priests, the elders, and all multitudes that they should ask for Barabbas and destroy Jesus. Pilate

He has warned us about false religious teachers, religious teachers who do not teach the truth. I must be careful not to listen to Because I love Jesus and

soldiers told the chief priest and elders that Jesus' body was gone they gave

them a large sum of money to lie about empty tomb.

have of witnesses? You have heard The high priest tore his clothes and said, "What further need do we And they all condemned Him to be deserving of death. Mark 14:63.64 the blasphemy!"



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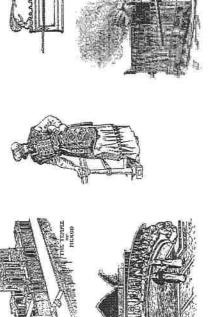
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## What was the job of the High Priest?

Explain the pictures.



because they were afraid the Romans would Why did the High Priests hate Jesus? because His teaching was taking people come and take away their position because He taught false things away from loyalty to them because He was a Roman because He did miracles Circle the answer.

Verse Maize

Because Jesus taught

Draw a line from word to word to follow the verse correctly.

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Matt. 27:27-37, 54; Mark 15:16-26,39; Lu. 23:36-38,47; John 19:23-24,29-37; Matt. 28:2-4,11-15.

Mocked Him, saying,

"Hail, King of the Jews!" Matt. 27:29

"Truly this was the Son of God!" ...They feared greatly, saying, Matt. 27:54.

react to Jesus when He died on the cross?

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How did the Roman Centurion soldier



What is happening Why do you think the soldiers are acting this way in this picture?

to Jesus?

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Things to Think About

1. Did all Roman soldiers treat Jesus like the ones who crucified Him? Give a reason for your answer Yes No

2. What sin did the Roman soldiers add to the sin of crucifying Jesus? They took money to lie about Jesus' resurrection. They thought Jesus' resurrection was a joke.

3. How did the soldiers treat Jesus when He was on the cross? Paid no attention to Him. With more mocking. Gambled for His clothes. With kindness.

Roman soldiers 4. Name all the people and groups of people who crucified Jesus. High priest the council the multitude every sinner the disciples

the chief priest, elders, Pharisees, scribes, Sadducees

not do bad things in ignorance. Learning all I can about Jesus from the Bible will help me

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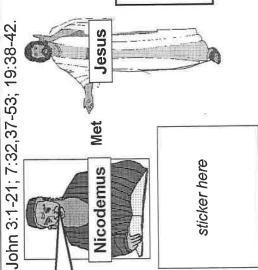
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John 3:2

of the Jews. of Israel. What was Nicodemus' work? John 3:10 John 3:1

Herodians (John 3:1) What religious group was he a member of? Sadducees Pharisees

What other Pharisee became a believer? Acts 23:6

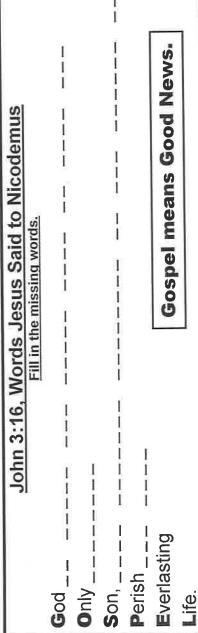


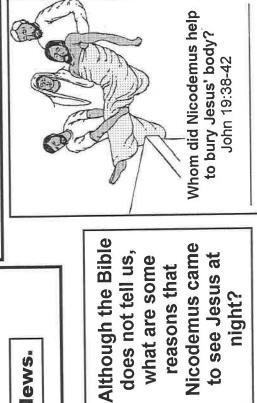
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laughed When Nicodemus defended Jesus, what did others do? made fun of his knowledge John 7:50-52 agreed with him

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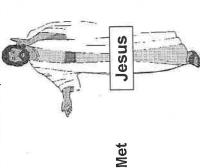
Matt 27:57-60; Mk. 15:43-46; Lu. 23:50-53; John 19:38-42.

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for fear of the Jews. A disciple of Jesus, but secretly,



Joseph of Arimathea



Joseph was not alone in secretly Underline words that show that believing. Circle Why?

synagogue; for they loved the praise of "Nevertheless even among the rulers Him, lest they should be put out of the of the Pharisees they did not confess many believed in Him, but because men more than the praise of God." John 12:42-43

### Who is Joseph?

"a\_\_\_\_\_ council member, who was himself waiting for the \_\_\_\_ of God" (Mk. 15.43) a \_\_\_\_ member, a \_\_\_ and \_\_\_ man. "He had \_\_\_ consented to their decision and " (Matt. 27:57) [to put Jesus to death]. (Lu. 23:50-51) man from

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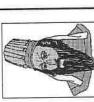
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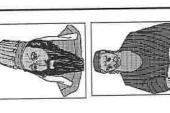
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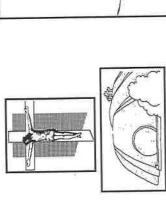
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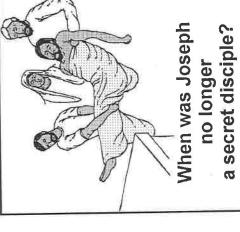
Joseph of Arimathea Was











### Which One?

Defended Jesus at one time. Went to Pilate to ask for Jesus' body. Came to see Jesus at night. Helped to bury Jesus. Buried Jesus' body in his own tomb. Was a secret disciple of Jesus.

Because I know Jesus I must never agree to do something that I know is wrong. Jesus,

A disciple of

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for fear of the Jews.

John 19:38

but secretly,

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and he hoped to see some miracle done by Him..., freated Him with contempt and mocked Him, He was exceedingly glad; for he had desired arrayed Him in a gorgeous robe, for a long time to see Him... and sent Him back to Pilate.

Luke 23:8,11

If we let him alone like this, everyone will believe "We know that God spoke to Moses; as for this "What shall we do? For this Man works many signs. in Him, and the Romans will come and take away fellow, we do not know where Heis from." John 9:29. He does not keep the Sabbath. John 9:16. both our place and nation. John 11:47,48 This Man is not from God, because 

"Grucify Him, crucify Him!" John 19:6.

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chief priests (Sadducees) Review of Part 5 Nicodemus

**Herod Antipas** 

and elders

"Go and search carefully when you have found Him, for the young Child, and bring back word to me. that I may come and worship Him also. Matthew 2:8

"Hail, King of the Jews!" Mocked Him, saying, Matthew 27:29

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Truly this was the Son of ...They feared greatly, saying, **God!**" Matthew 27:54.

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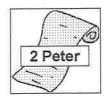
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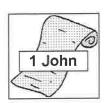


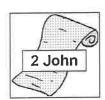
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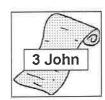
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### Lesson 19

















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### Lesson 44

GOD'S LAW that Moses wrote down









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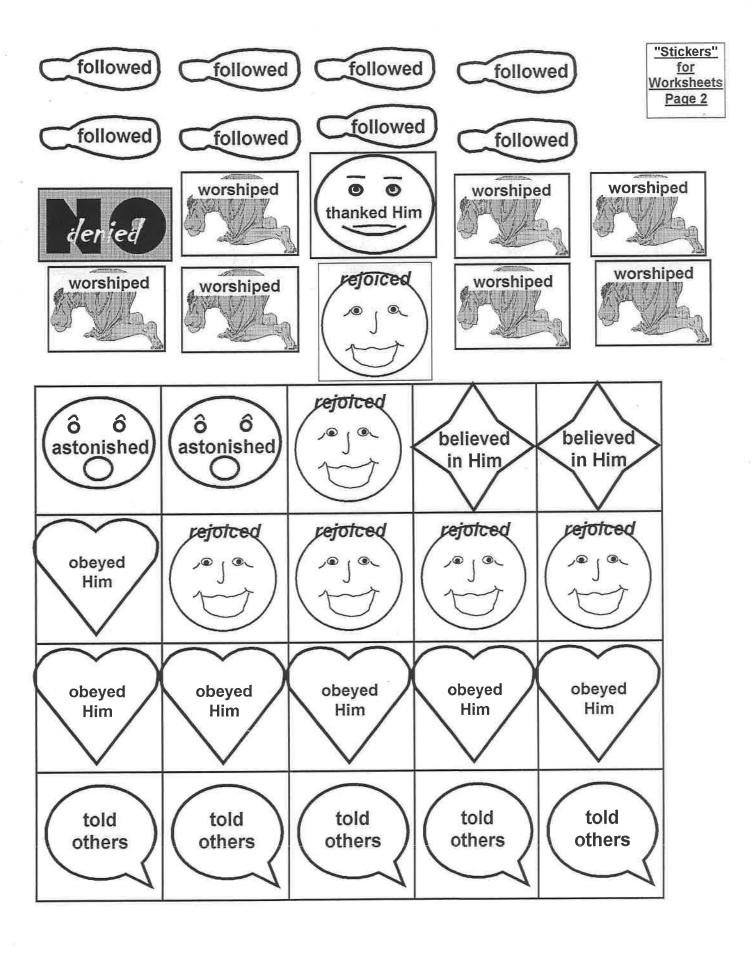


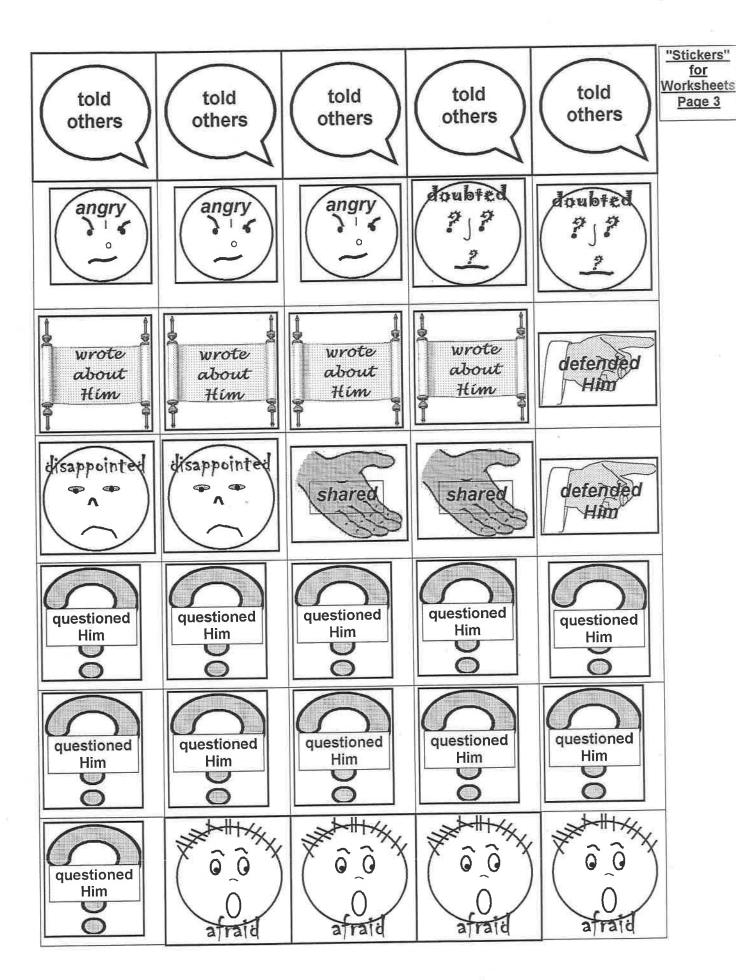
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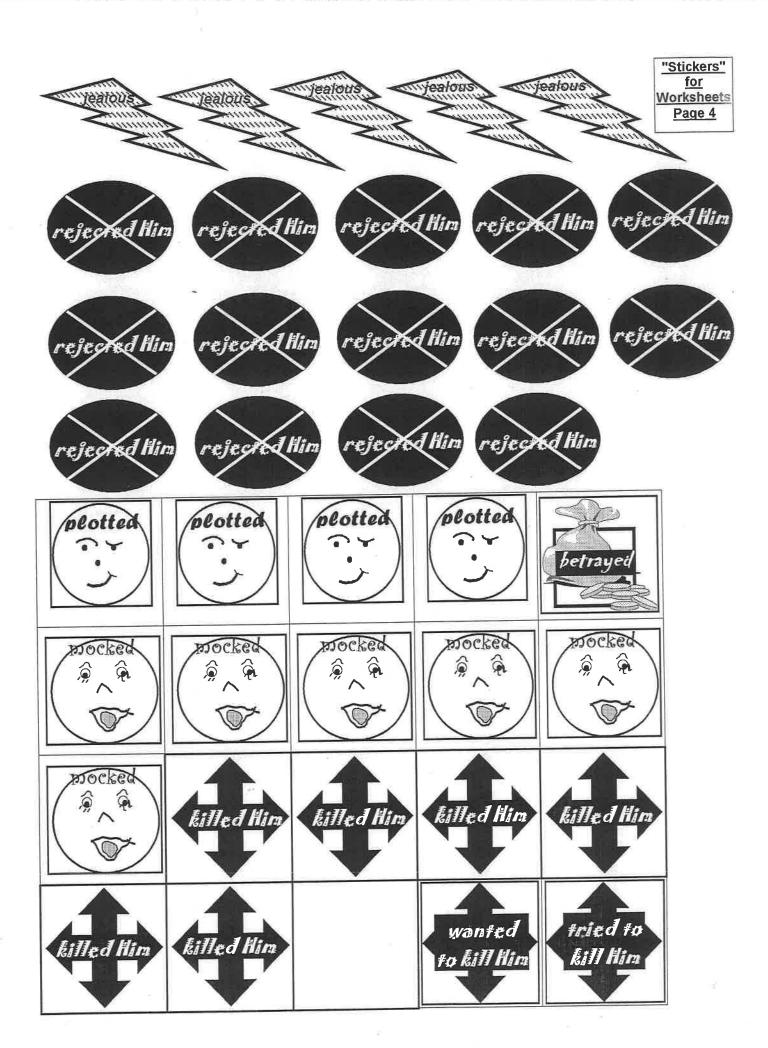
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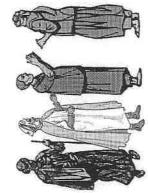




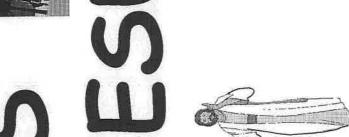








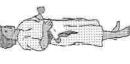




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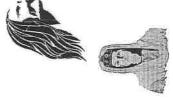












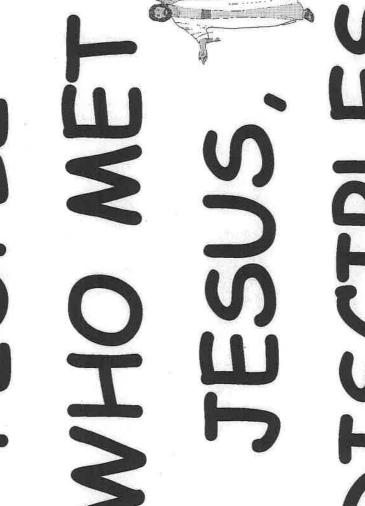






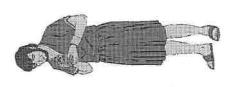




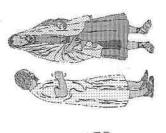


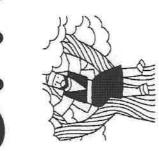


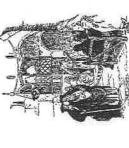




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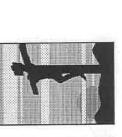




















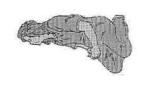




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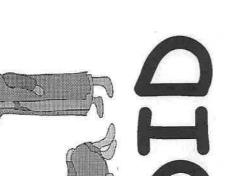


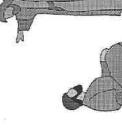








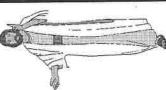




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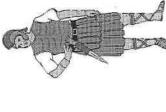


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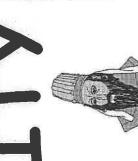






























# **Memory List**

# People in Jesus' Earthly Family

Matthew 13:55-56

(The pictures are only ideas of what they looked like. God has not given us any pictures.)



Mary, His mother

Joseph, His stepfather





His brothers:
James
Joses
Simon
Judas



His sisters:
We do not know how many there were nor their names.

# **Memory List**













# Jesus' Apostles

Simon Peter

Andrew, Peter's brother
James, son of Zebedee
John, brother of James

Philip

**Thomas** 

**Bartholomew** 

Matthew, the tax collector

James, son of Alphaeus

Simon, the Zealot

**Thaddaeus** 

Judas Iscariot, the traitor
After his death Matthias took his place
(Acts 1:26)

Later, to make him an apostle, Jesus appeared to Saul / Paul

> Acts 22:21; 26:17 Romans 1:1; and others















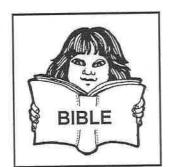
# Schedule for Reading Matthew and Luke

Read one chapter each week for a year. Check off each chapter after you have read it.

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The Things
I Have Learned
About
Jesus
Make Me --

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### PART 1

Lesson 1

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
understand
how important
it is to follow\_\_\_\_'\_\_\_\_

of having a Christian \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ .

# PART 1

Lesson 2

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
willing to \_\_\_\_
doing whatever
\_\_\_\_ job
I can do
with my \_\_\_\_.

### PART 1

Lesson 3

The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me

and sing
\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_
in the Highest.

### PART 1

Lesson 4

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
want
to \_\_\_\_\_

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PART 1

Lesson 5

The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me

someday myself.

PART 1	Lesson	6
	The Things	

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
want
to
God

### PART 1

Lesson 7

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me

want to \_\_\_\_\_\_ to Him even if my \_ \_ \_ \_

does \_ \_ \_ in Him.

### PART 1

Lesson 8

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
put Him \_\_\_\_
and
most important

# PART 1

Lesson 9

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know He cares
about \_\_
and I want to be
His \_\_\_\_

# PART 2

Lesson 11

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
decide that

I say something.

### PART 2

Lesson 12

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
\_\_\_\_\_in Jesus
because of the things
John \_\_\_\_\_
about Him.

Lesson 13

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
want to

about Him.

PART 2

Lesson 14

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
want to

doing
\_\_\_\_ things
for Him.

PART 2

Lesson 15

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
remember
to be \_\_\_\_\_ of
\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_
I take when I grow up.

PART 2

Lesson 16

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
to\_\_\_

nor
the \_ \_ \_ \_ money can buy.

PART 2

Lesson 17

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
find out

people say
about God and Jesus

PART 2

Lesson 18

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
to see what

when people tell me something about Jesus.

PART 2	Lesson 1
	The Things
	I Have Learned
	About Jesus
	Make Me
wa	nt to give money
	who
á	are
	the good news
	about Him

about Him.

PART	2 Lesson 20
	The Things
	I Have Learned
	About Jesus
h	Make Me
	what I am doing when I find out that

Lesson 22 PART 3 The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me want to about God, Jesus, and the Bible so I can ask \_ \_ \_ \_ questions and give answers.

PART 3	Lesson 23
	Things e Learned
	ut Jesus ake Me
remember	that even when I with someone
it is to try	them .

Lesson 24 PART 3 The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me careful to follow the \_\_\_\_\_ but \_\_\_\_\_to
believe and do what is \_\_\_\_.

PART 3	<u>Lesson 25</u>
Th	e Things
ΙHa	ve Learned
Abo	out Jesus
М	lake Me
	 the
	t God's words
will _	them
to_	

PA	ART 3 Lesson 26
	The Things
	I Have Learned
	About Jesus
	Make Me
	know that if I have
	something
	to another person,
	I should do whatever I can
	to

PART 3	Lesson 27
	he Things
ΙH	ave Learned
A	bout Jesus
	Make Me
un	derstand that
my	and
should	be than
	God.

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know that \_\_\_\_ who visit me is
the \_\_\_ if I were
treating \_\_\_ that way.

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know that the \_\_\_\_
for which
I should \_\_\_\_
are to \_\_\_\_ God and
\_\_\_\_about Him, not to
get prizes or clothes or food.

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know that
He \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_ me
from my \_\_\_\_
Him.

Lesson 31
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ave Learned
rout Jesus
Make Me
 om the dead
urry about it.

PART 4	Lesson 33
The 7	Things
	Learned
Abou	t Jesus
Mai	ke Me
reme	ember
to when	
	n illness.

# The Things I Have Learned About Jesus Make Me according to His will, get well when they are sick.

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
be\_\_\_\_\_
to\_\_\_\_
for what they do
for me.

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
about what
\_\_\_\_has done
for \_\_\_.

PART 4	Lesson 37
	The Things
I	Have Learned
	About Jesus
	Make Me
1	want to
	what I have
wh	the things
	that I have.

PART 4	Lesson 38
The	Things
I Har	ve Learned
Abo	rut Jesus
M	ake Me
to _	up for Jesus
	when others
	of me.

PART 4	Lesson 39
The	Things
I Have	e Learned
Abou	ut Jesus
Ma	ke Me
kno	ow that
wil	
	and
	lim what
my great	test need is.

PART 4	Lesson 40
	The Things
I	Have Learned
	About Jesus
	Make Me
on	following even when try to me.
	try to me.
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The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know I must
\_\_\_\_ do anything
to \_\_\_\_ others
who might \_\_\_\_\_
\_ special \_\_\_\_.

PART 5	Lesson 43
The 7	hings
I Have	Learned
Abou	tJesus
Mal	ce Me
<u></u>	
	pen to me
becau	ise I do.

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know I must \_\_\_\_\_
because I \_\_\_\_ Jesus,
and \_\_\_ just \_\_ make me
\_\_\_ like
I am being \_\_\_\_\_.

PART 5	Lesson 45
The T	hings
I Have	Learned
Abou	t Jesus
Mak	ce Me
know I must l	be
to	
in order to	Jesus.

PART 5	Lesson 46
	The Things
I	Have Learned
	About Jesus
	Make Me
know	I must be
	to listen
	eligious
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PART 5	Lesson 41
The	Things
I Have	e Learned
	ut Jesus
	ke Me
know that I	
in the	to see if
what religio	us leaders
is	

Lesson 48

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know that learning all I can
about \_\_\_\_
from the \_\_\_\_ will
\_\_\_ me \_\_\_ \_\_
things in ignorance.

PART 5	Lesson 49
	Things Learned
Abou	ut Jesus
me want to	ke Me
	thers speak ly about Him
	know someone

PART 5

Lesson 50

The Things
I Have Learned
About Jesus
Make Me
know I must \_\_\_\_ agree
\_\_\_ something
that I know is \_\_\_\_.

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Make Me

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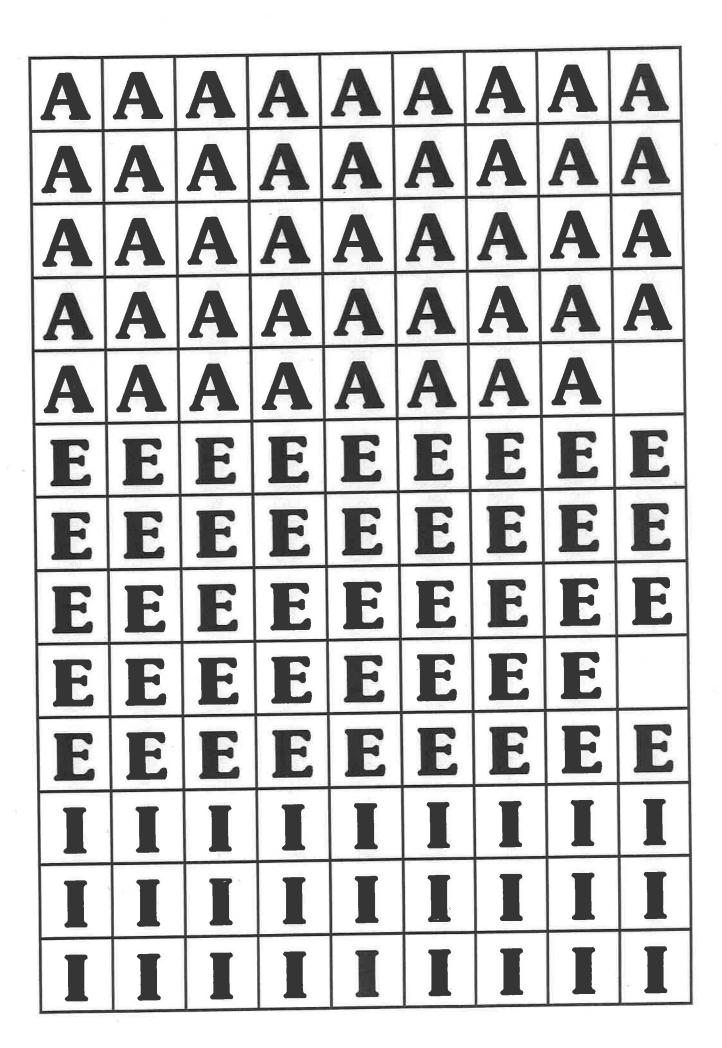
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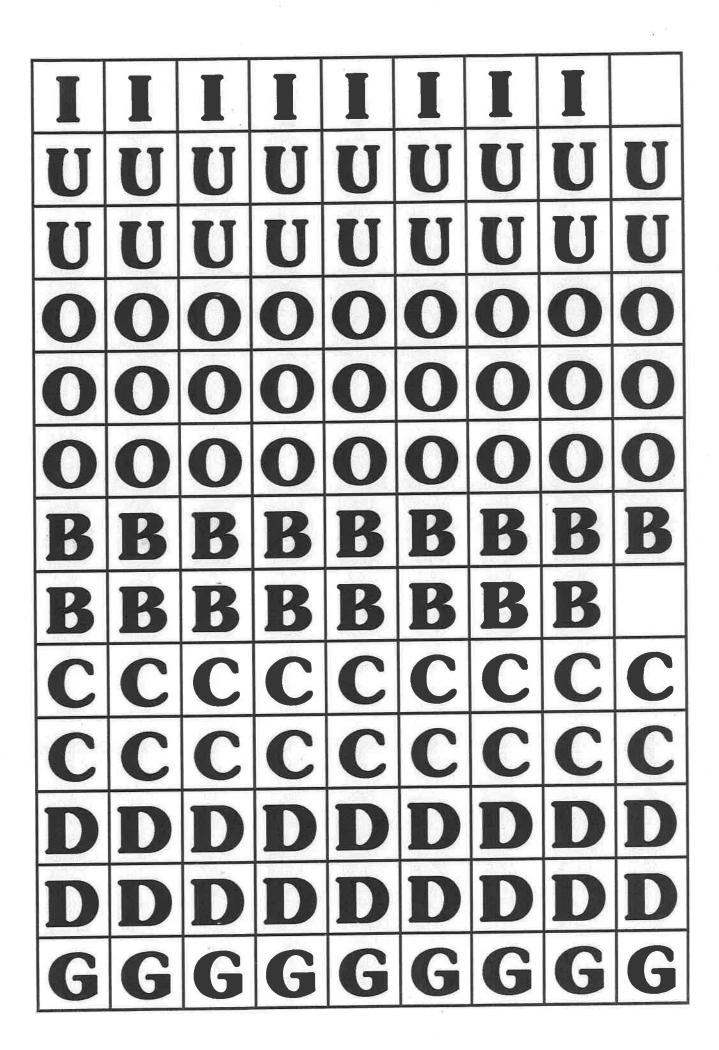
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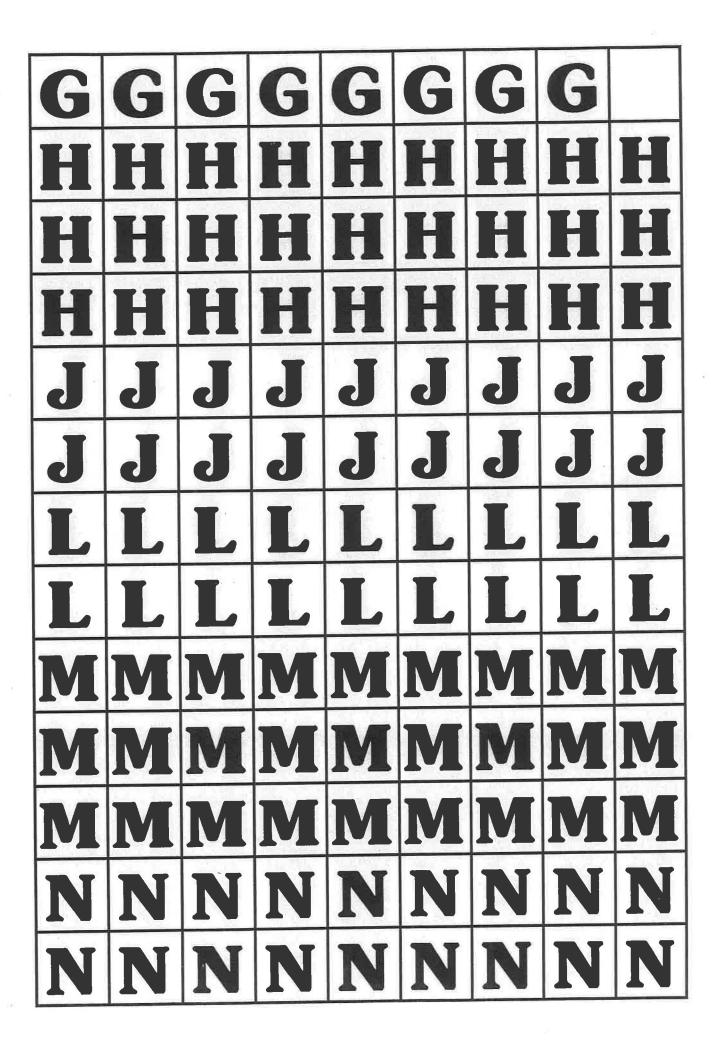
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