The Lord Chooses David as King

Jesse had seven of his sons pass before Samuel, but Samuel said to him, "The Lord has not chosen these." So he asked Jesse, "Are these all the sons you have?"

"There is still the youngest," Jesse answered. "He is tending the sheep."

Samuel said, "Send for him..." So he sent for him and had him brought in. He was glowing with health and had a fine appearance and handsome features.

Then the Lord said, "Rise and anoint him; this is the one." So Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the presence of his brothers, and from that day on the Spirit of the Lord came powerfully upon David.



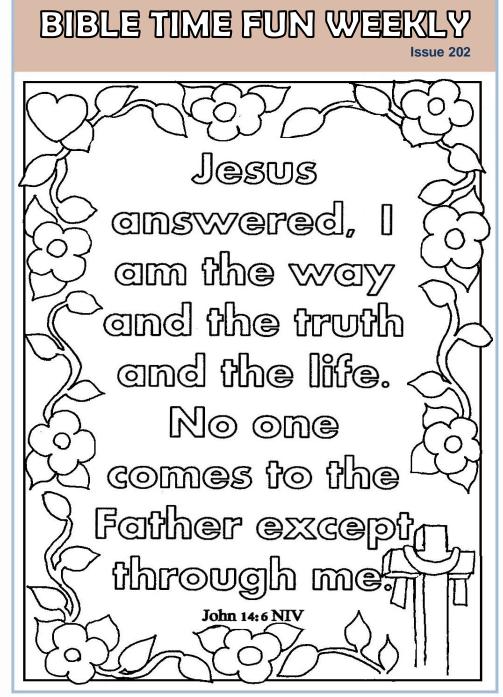
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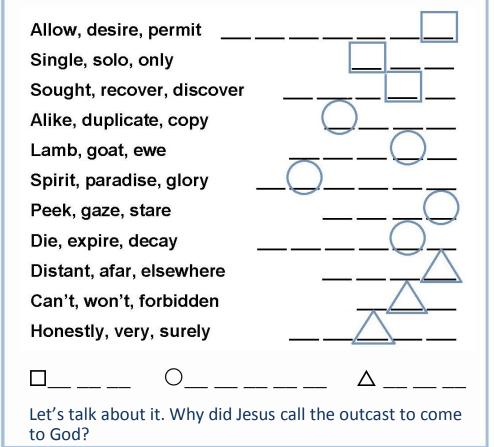


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Use the clues to find the words from the verse and write them in the dashes. Then use the boxed letters to answer the question.

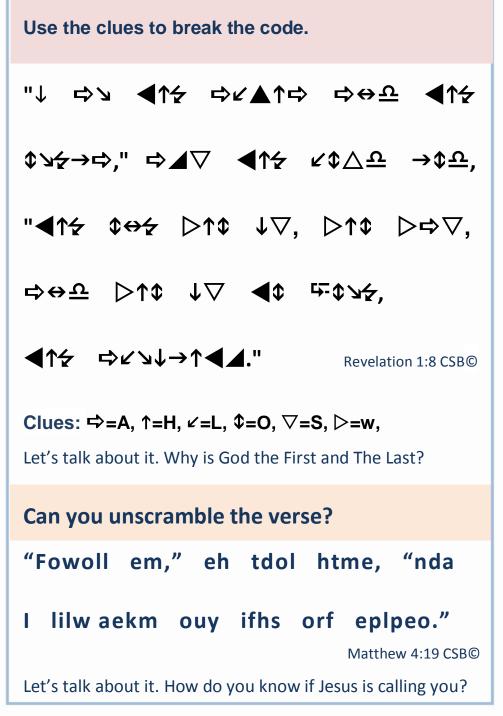
"What do you think? If a man owns a hundred sheep, and one of them wanders away, will he not leave the ninetynine on the hills and go to look for the one that wandered off? And if he finds it, truly I tell you, he is happier about that one sheep than about the ninety-nine that did not wander off. In the same way the Father in Heaven is not willing that any of these little ones should perish.

Matthew 18:12-13 NIV©



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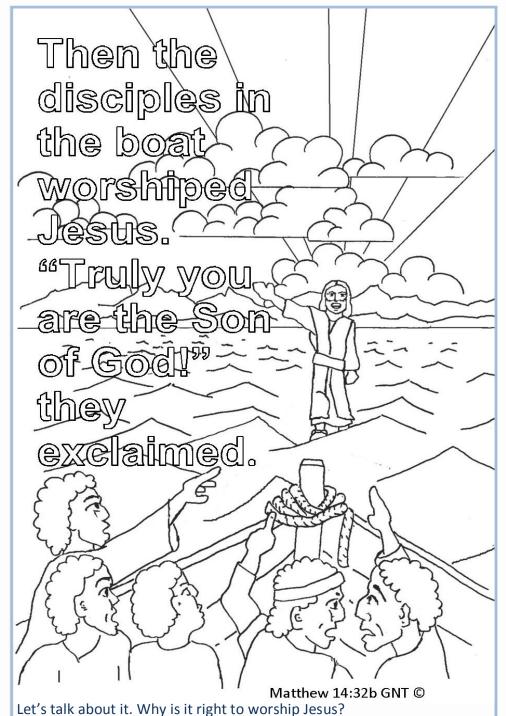
But he <u>was pierced</u> because of our <u>rebellion</u>, <u>crushed because</u> of our <u>iniquities</u>; <u>punishment</u> for our <u>peace</u> was on <u>him</u>, and we are <u>healed</u> by his <u>wounds</u>. Isaiah 53:5 CEV©

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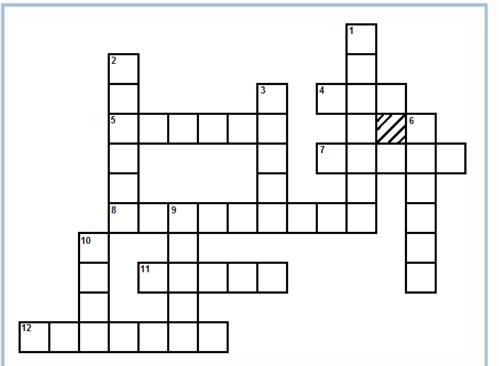
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ACROSS

DOWN

- 4. Gladness
- 5. Creator or writer
- 7. At the side of power
- 8. To feel bitter loathing
- A ruler's place
 Humiliation

1. To see and learn

2. Not standing, position

3. What Christ died on

11. Belief, trust12. To suffer for a long time10. The Palm is part of it

WORD BANK

Looking unto Jesus the author and perfecter of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12:2 KJV PD

Let's talk about it. What joy was ahead for Jesus?

The Explorer's Challenge

Philippians 4:6-7 GNT ©

Don't worry about anything, but in all your prayers ask God for what you need, always asking him with a thankful heart. And God's peace, which is far beyond human understanding, will keep your hearts and minds safe in union with Christ Jesus.

Draw a box around what we are NOT to do. Underline over what we ARE to do. Draw a circle around the PROMISES.

Let's talk about it. Why does God want to give you peace in your heart?

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Unscramble the verse.

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Let's talk about it. What can you do when you have trouble believing?

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You spoke to me, and I listened to every word. I belong to you, LORD God Almighty, and so your words filled my

with joy and happiness.

Jeremiah 15:16 GNT© Let's talk about it. How does God's Word give you joy?

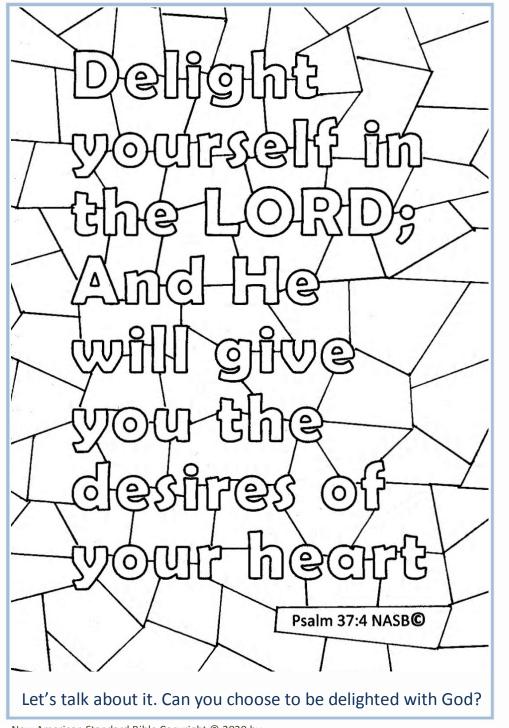
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Find the underlined words.

I have <u>told you</u> this so that <u>you will</u> have <u>peace</u> by <u>being united</u> to me. The <u>world</u> will <u>make</u> you <u>suffer</u>. But be <u>brave</u>! I have <u>defeated</u> the world!" John 16:33 GNT©

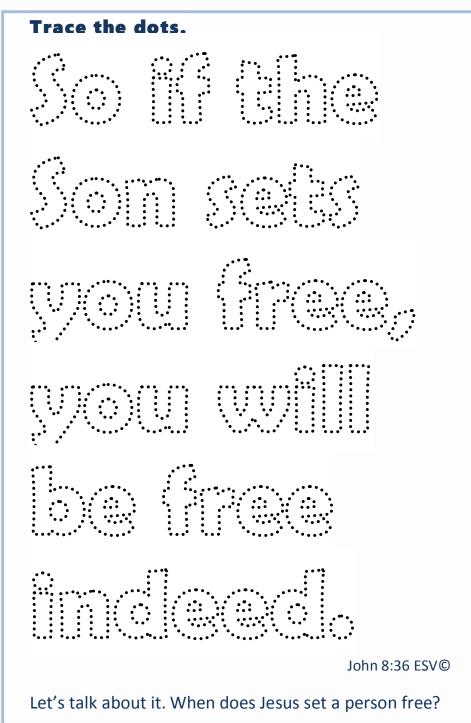
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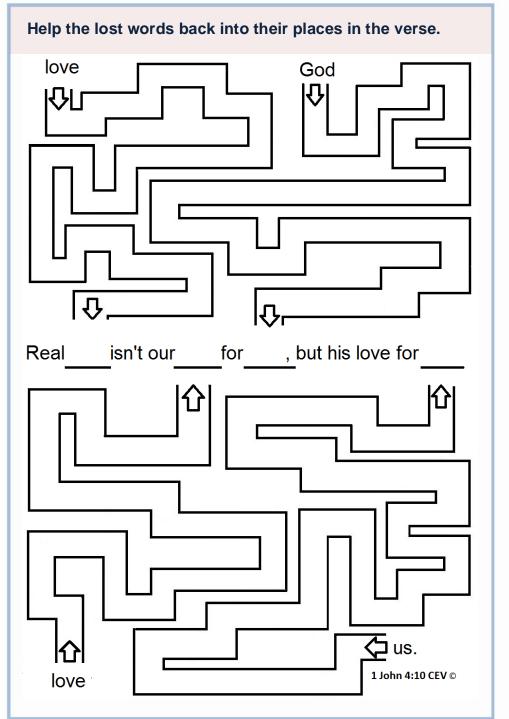


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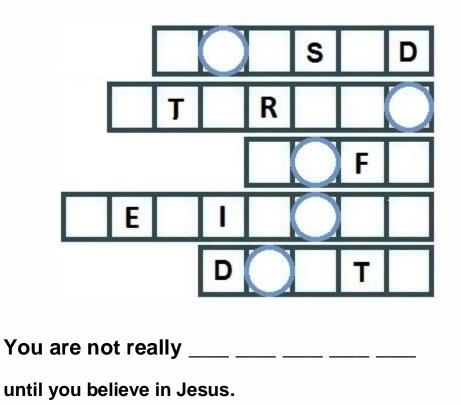


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Use the clue letters to find the words from the verse and write them into the grid. Copy the circled letters into the dashes to finish the message.

Truly, truly, I say to you, he who hears my word, and believes Him who sent me, has eternal life, and does not come into judgment, but has passed out of death into life. John 5:24 NASB©

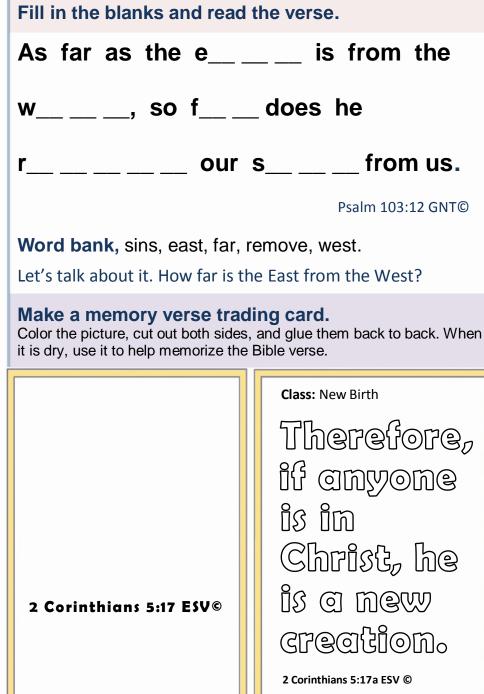


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