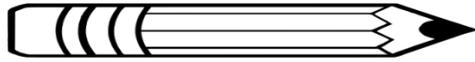
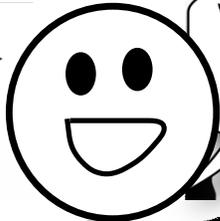


Sermon Notes FOR KIDS

Date: _____



As you attend church services with your family, use this sheet to help you pay attention and learn. We want you to worship with us by singing to God and listening to the message.



who is speaking?



words you heard but don't know...



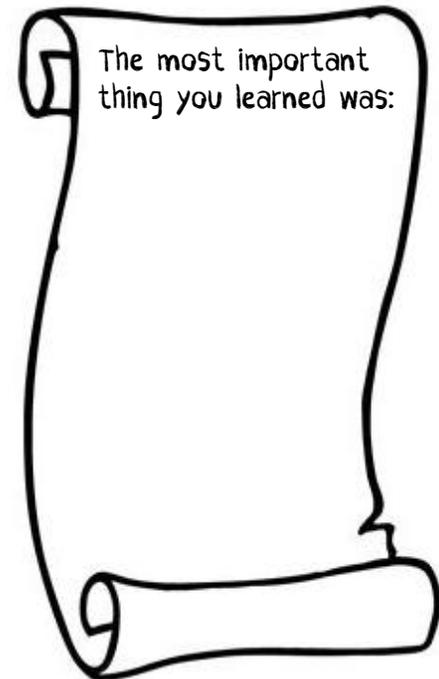
what are we learning about God from this passage?



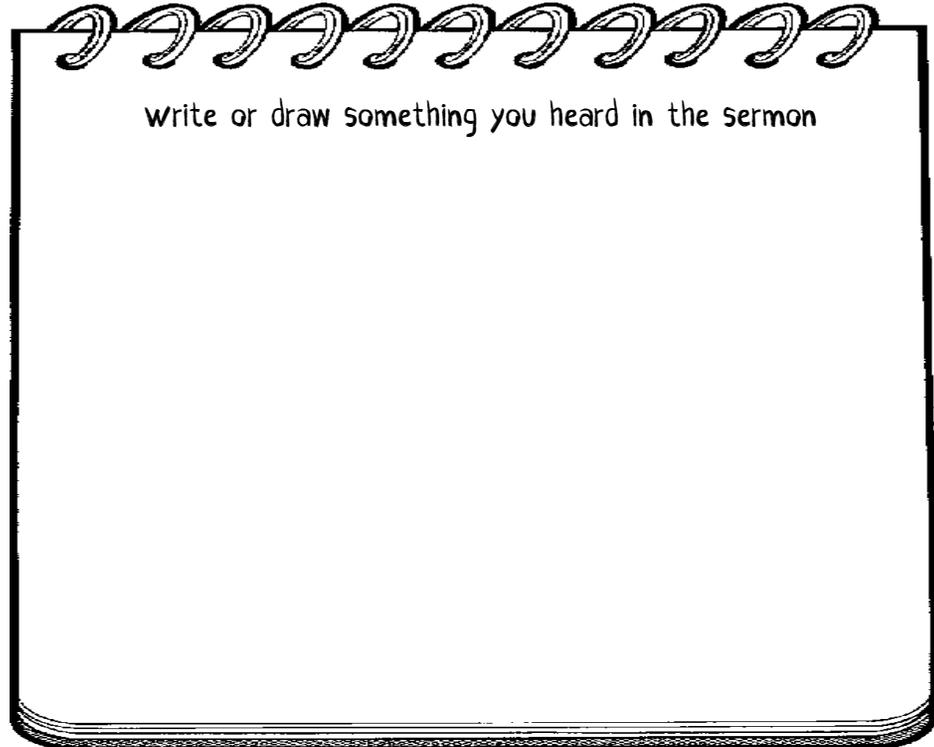
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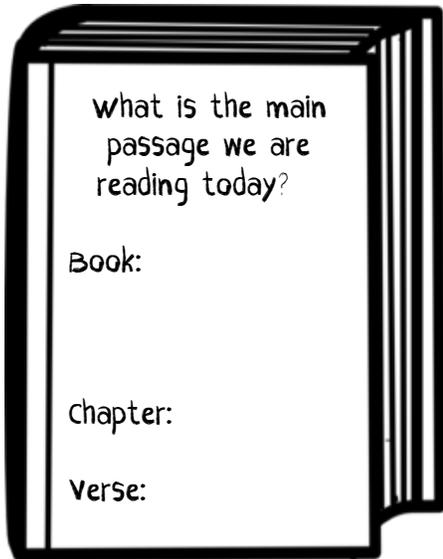
How does today's message apply to your life?



The most important thing you learned was:



write or draw something you heard in the sermon



what is the main passage we are reading today?

Book:

Chapter:

Verse:

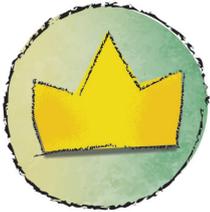


Favorite song today was:

THE GOSPEL

GOD'S PLAN for US

The gospel is the good news, the message about Christ, the kingdom of God, and salvation. Use these prompts to share the gospel with your kids.



GOD RULES. Ask: "Who is in charge at home?" Explain that because God created everything, He is in charge of everything. Read Revelation 4:11.



WE SINNED. Ask: "Have you ever done something wrong?" Tell kids that everyone sins, or disobeys God. Our sin separates us from God. Read Romans 3:23.



GOD PROVIDED. Explain that God is holy and must punish sin. God sent His Son, Jesus, to take the punishment we deserve. Read John 3:16.



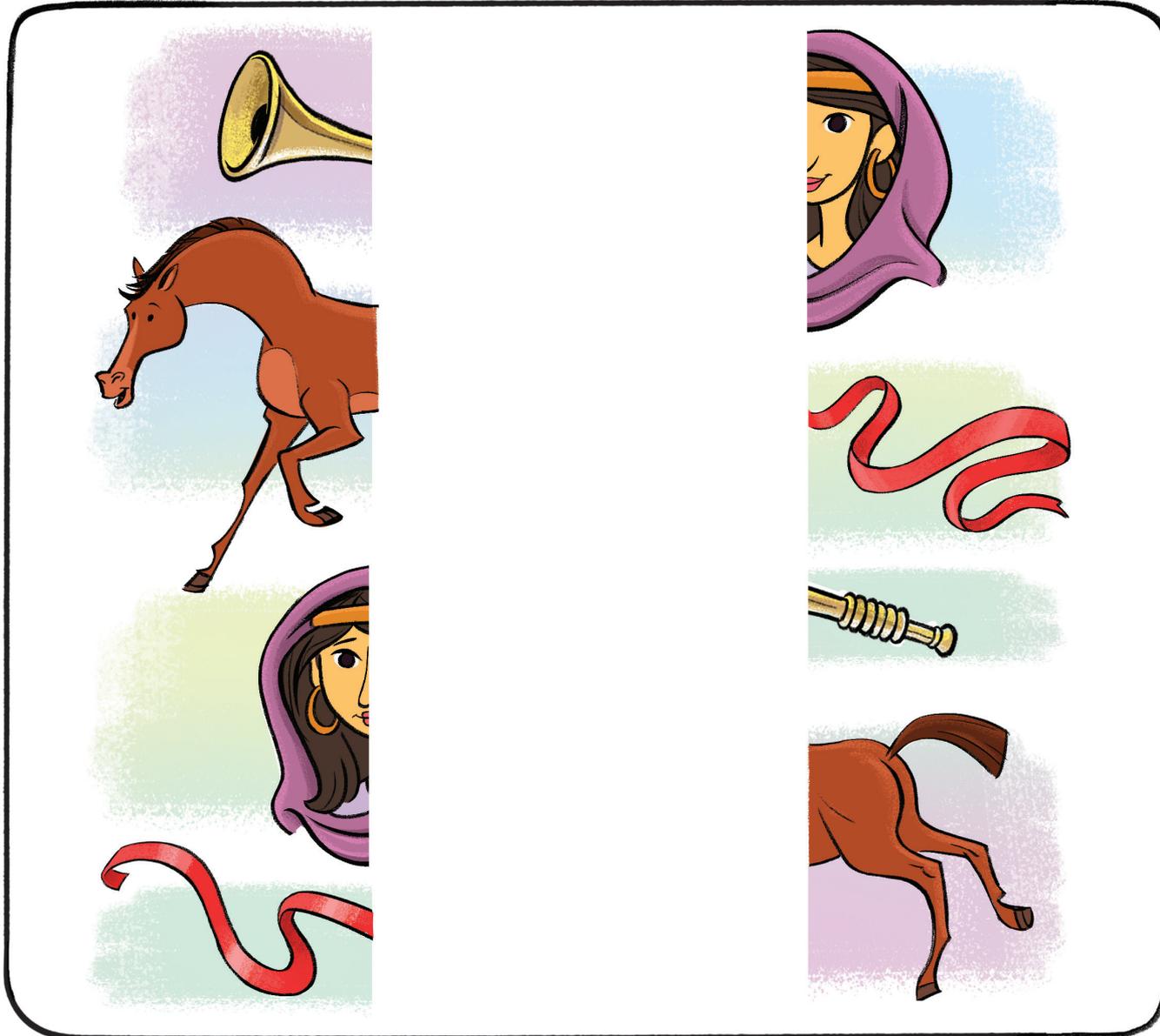
JESUS GIVES. Ask: "What is the best gift you've ever received?" Say that Jesus took our punishment for sin by giving His life, and He gives us His righteousness. God sees us as if we lived the perfect life Jesus lived. This is the best gift ever! Read 2 Corinthians 5:21.



WE RESPOND. Explain that everyone has a choice to make. Ask: "Will you trust Jesus as your Savior and Lord? You can turn from self and sin and turn to Jesus." Read Romans 10:9-10.

Divided

INSTRUCTIONS: Draw a line connecting each object to its other half.



BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Rahab hid the Israelite spies from the king of Jericho.
- God told the Israelites to march around Jericho.
- God made the walls of Jericho fall down.
- Rahab and her family were safe.

KEY PASSAGE: Deuteronomy 31:8

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How can we glorify God? We can glorify God by loving Him and obeying Him.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why did God plan for His people to battle for the promised land instead of just letting them have it?
- Why did Rahab hide the spies?
- How do you think the Israelites felt marching around Jericho for six days with nothing happening?
- What would it be like to watch the wall around Jericho come down?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Read Matthew 1 as a family. Find Rahab in Jesus' genealogy.
- Tie a bright red rope in your window. Share the Bible story when neighbors ask about it.

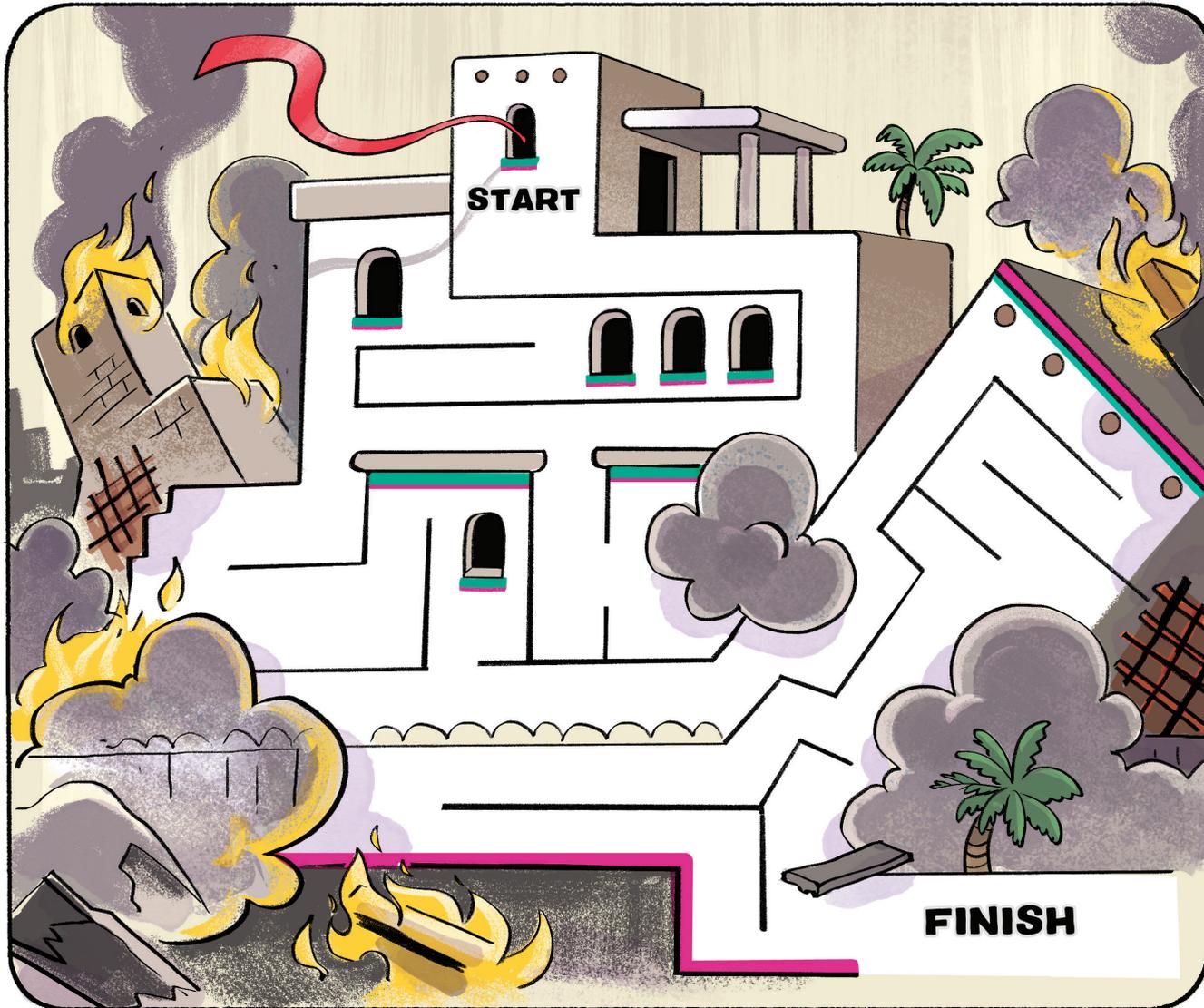


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Escape from Jericho

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete the maze to lead Rahab's family out of Jericho.



Younger Kids Activity Pages

Unit 8 • Session 2

The Battle of Jericho

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Joshua sent two spies to Jericho.
- Rahab had faith in God and helped the spies.
- God brought down the walls of Jericho, but Rahab's family was spared.
- God's people were victorious over the people of Jericho.

KEY PASSAGE: Deuteronomy 31:8

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How can we glorify God? We can glorify God by loving Him and obeying Him.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- What does Rahab's story show us about God's love?
- How was faith important in this story?
- Why does God sometimes use methods that we don't understand?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Hold a competition to see who in your family can build the sturdiest tower using building blocks or interlocking bricks. Use books or other weights to see whose structure is the strongest. Discuss why only God could defeat Jericho.



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