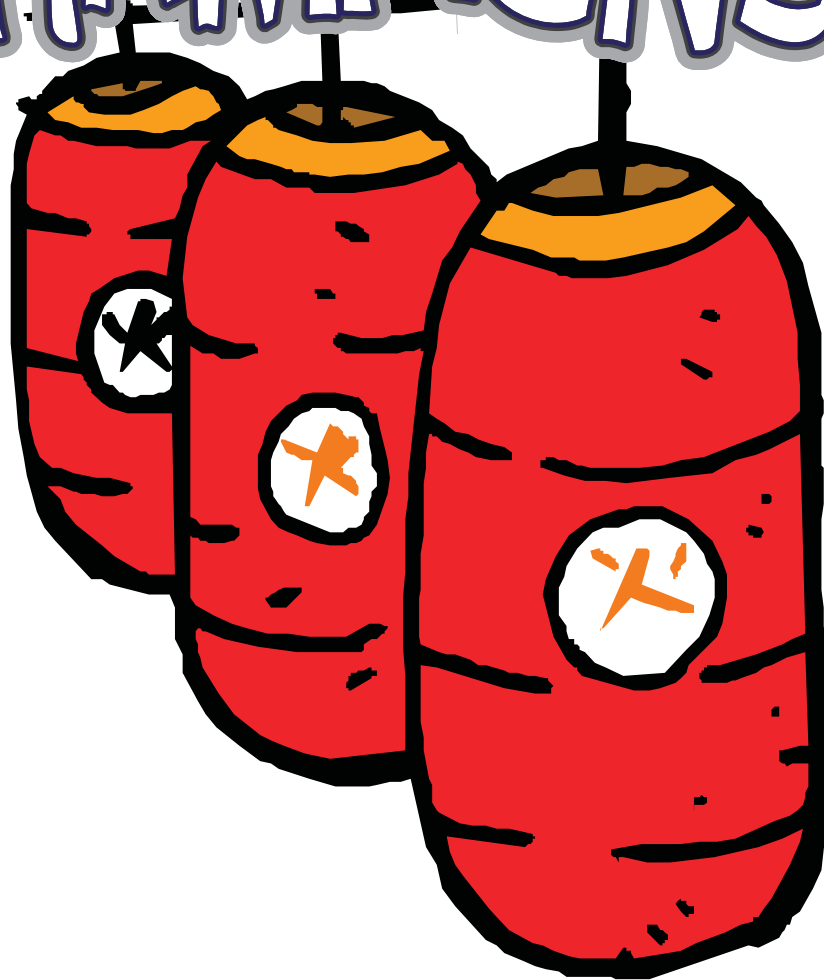


UNIT 1

CHAMPIONS

by the
Fruit of
the Spirit



DIFFICULT



Difficult

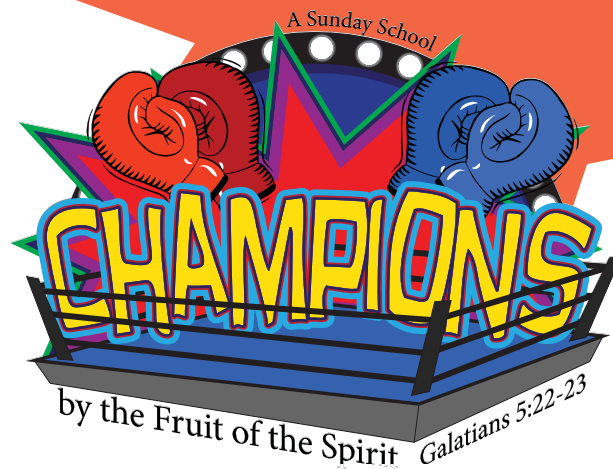
DIFFICULT

Student Book

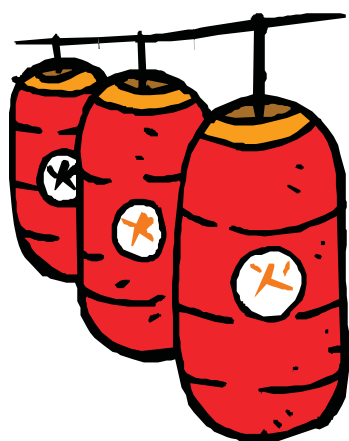
TO BECOME CHAMPIONS...

...you and I must learn to live by the Fruit of the Spirit, and fight against our sin on a daily basis.

This is no easy workout, and will require time, sweat, training, and effort.

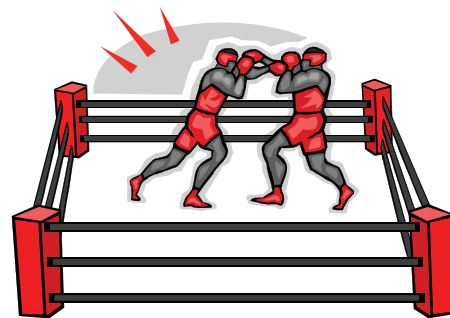


HOWEVER, TO BE A WINNER, YOU WILL NEED A COACH.

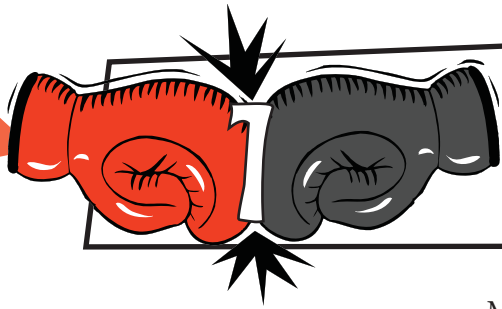


Come to this class each week for your workout and training and listen to your coach. Learn the memory verse, hear the Bible story, and get help with how to knockout the sin that wars within your heart.

Then during the week, get into the ring as you put into practice each lesson in your real life. Each time you do the homework assignment titled "In the Ring," you are throwing a great punch at sin!



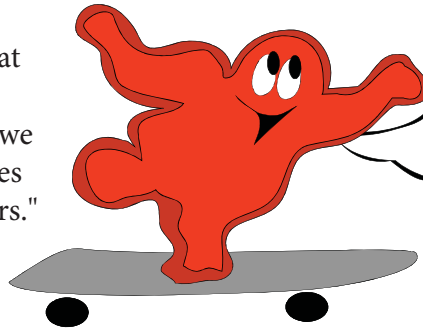
KEEP UP THE FIGHT, AND YOU CAN WIN COMPETITIONS AND BECOME A CHAMPION!



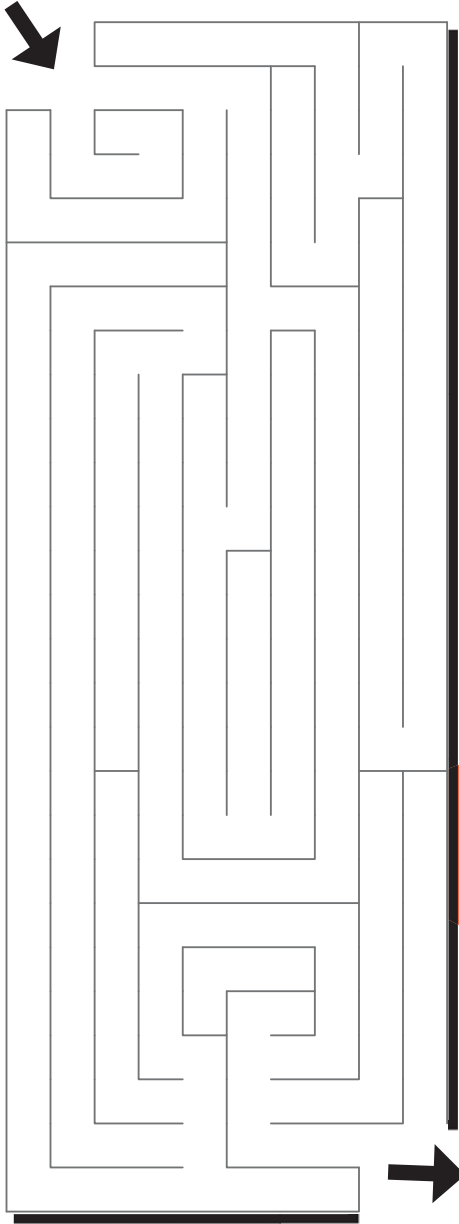
LOVE VS SELFISHNESS

Bible Story: Jesus Dies on the Cross
Matthew 27:27-56

Memory Verse:
"This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters."
1 John 3:16



Look! I can do this on only one blob! Your turn!



X	C	V	B	N	M	A	J	E	S	U	S
S	D	M	F	R	I	E	N	D	L	Y	I
V	S	E	L	F	I	S	H	N	E	S	S
I	A	M	F	G	H	J	K	L	A	S	T
S	C	O	B	Y	W	T	R	Q	R	P	E
I	T	R	E	U	O	L	E	W	N	I	R
B	I	I	C	B	R	O	T	H	E	R	S
L	O	Z	O	I	R	V	F	R	U	I	T
E	N	E	M	Y	Y	E	O	P	Z	T	X
C	S	V	E	B	N	M	A	S	D	F	G

LOVE
SELFISHNESS
FRIENDLY
ENEMY
BROTHERS

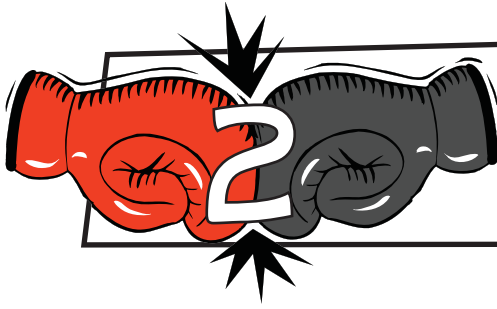
SISTERS
ACTIONS
VISIBLE
FRUIT
WORRY

LEARN
BECOME
MEMORIZE
SPIRIT
JESUS



IN THE RING

Play a game that your friends suggest, play at the time they want (if you have permission) and play it for as long as they want. Do not mention to them what you desire to play. This time, your desires do not matter, because you are showing real LOVE with no thought for yourself.

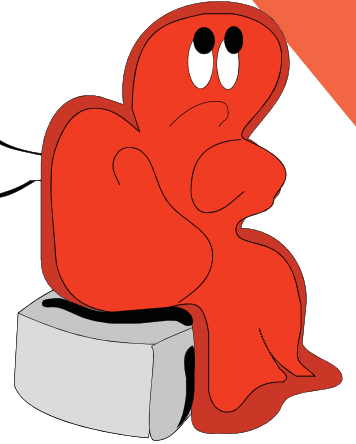


LOVE VS JUDGEMENTAL ATTITUDE

Bible Story: Speck of Dust and Plank
Matthew 7:1-5

A	S	D	F	G	H	V	J	K	M	L	Q
W	O	T	H	E	R	E	A	S	O	N	I
E	R	M	E	M	O	R	Y	D	C	F	N
T	U	E	I	O	P	S	A	S	K	G	T
Y	F	A	U	L	T	E	A	L	I	V	E
J	E	S	U	S	H	W	R	O	N	G	N
Z	J	U	D	G	E	J	K	V	G	L	T
X	P	R	O	B	L	E	M	E	K	L	I
C	T	E	A	C	H	I	N	G	E	R	O
V	B	N	M	A	S	D	F	G	H	J	N

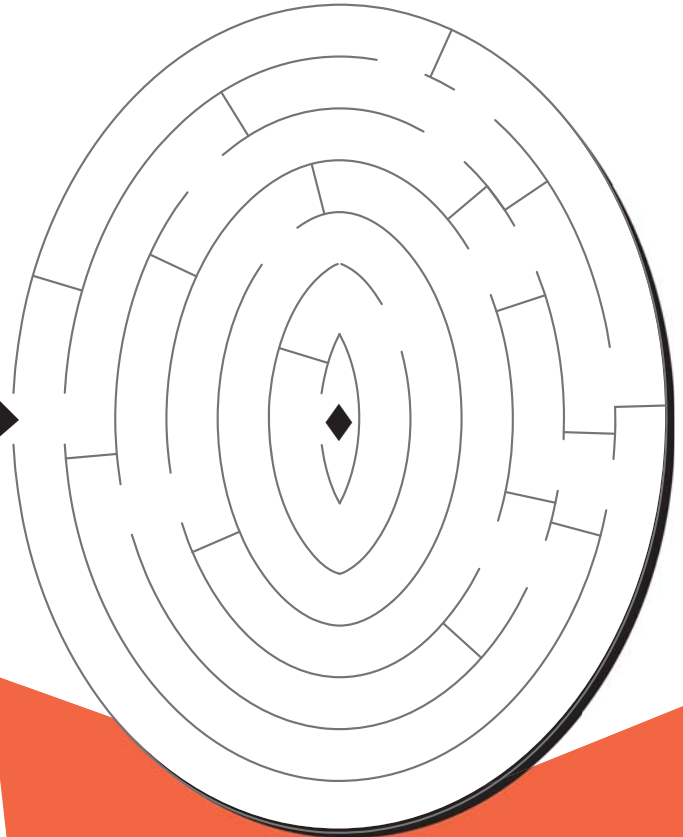
It's not easy to forgive sometimes. But I'm working on it.



MEMORY VERSE
JUDGE OTHER MEASURE

MOCKING LOVE INTENTION PROBLEM TEACHING

WRONG FAULT REASON JESUS ALIVE



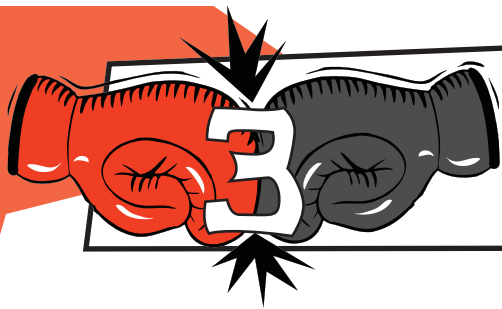
Memory Verse:

"Do not judge, or you too will be judged. For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." Matthew 7:1-2



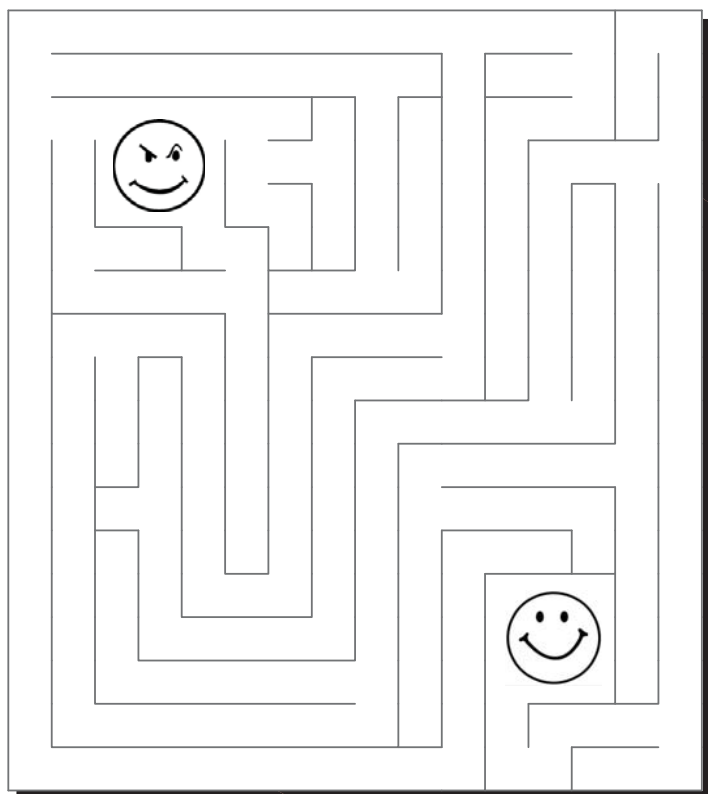
IN THE RING

Tell someone "Good job" and compliment them for something good that you see. Bring a small pocket mirror around with you all day. When you are tempted to judge someone, take out the pocket mirror and look at yourself. Remind yourself that you do not need to help others fix their faults today.

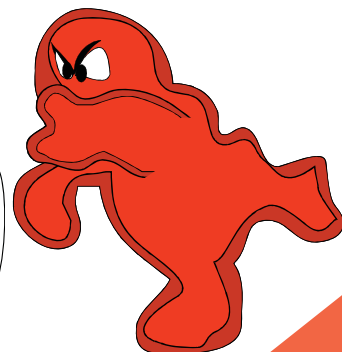


LOVE VS HATRED

Bible Story: Judas Betrays Jesus
Matthew 26:14-16



I get so mad sometimes at other people, I just take off running!



A	S	D	F	J	E	S	U	S	S
K	L	O	V	E	G	B	H	J	I
L	E	M	B	A	R	R	A	S	S
Q	A	W	E	L	M	O	E	A	T
T	D	Y	T	O	I	T	R	G	E
I	E	U	R	U	S	H	A	R	R
Z	R	F	A	S	T	E	N	E	R
X	S	C	Y	F	O	R	G	E	T
V	B	N	M	M	O	N	E	Y	R
T	Y	U	L	I	K	E	R	Q	W

Memory Verse:

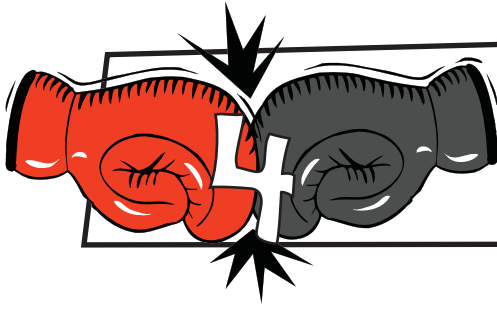
"Whoever claims to love God yet hates a brother or sister is a liar. For whoever does not love their brother and sister, whom they have seen, cannot love God, whom they have not seen." 1 John 4:20

- LOVE
- LIKE
- JESUS
- ANGER
- FASTENER
- FORGET
- BROTHER
- EMBARRASS
- BETRAY
- SISTER
- MISTOOK
- LEADERS
- AGREE
- JEALOUS
- MONEY



IN THE RING

Do something nice for someone you dislike. Hold your tongue when you see someone else cheating or about to mess up. Do not tell on them or get them in trouble.



LOVE VS SELF-JUSTIFICATION

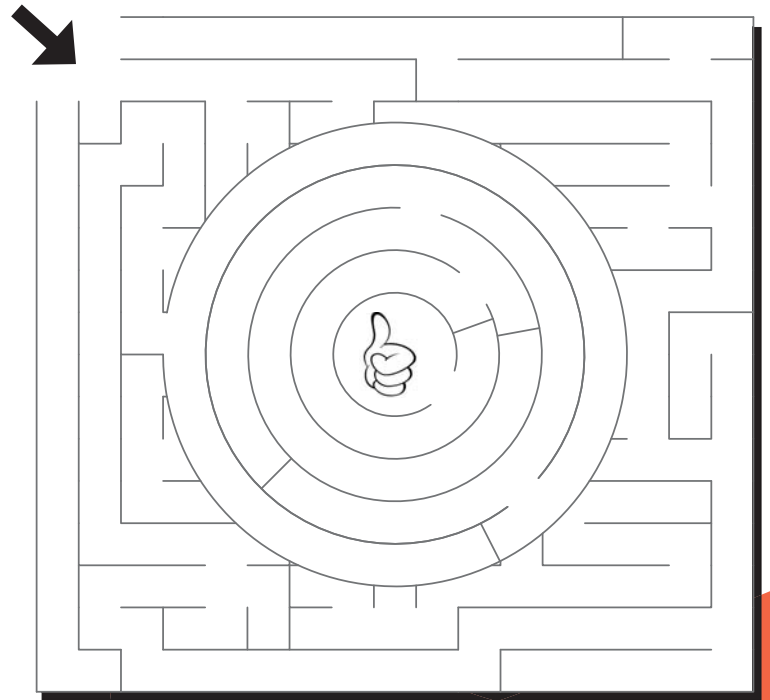
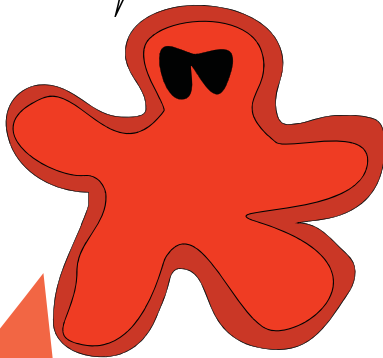
Bible Story: Parable of the Good Samaritan
 Luke 10:25-37

J	D	F	G	H	H	E	A	R	T	E	X	P	E	R	T	S
U	J	N	E	I	G	H	B	O	R	K	L	A	S	D	F	C
S	P	I	R	I	T	G	H	B	J	K	L	B	I	B	L	E
T	Z	X	C	V	B	N	M	B	R	E	L	I	G	I	O	N
I	Q	W	Y	O	U	R	S	E	L	F	O	R	G	I	V	E
F	E	A	R	S	A	M	A	R	I	T	A	N	R	T	E	Y
Y	E	P	A	S	T	O	R	S	T	R	E	N	G	T	H	U

Memory Verse:
 "Love the Lord your
 God with all your
 heart and with all
 your soul and with
 all your strength
 and with all your
 mind'; and, 'Love
 your neighbor as
 yourself.'"
 Luke 10:27

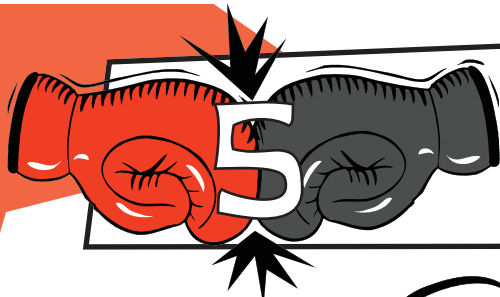
- LOVE
- SCENE
- SPIRIT
- STRENGTH
- HEART
- FEARS
- FORGIVE
- NEIGHBOR
- YOURSELF
- BIBLE
- SAMARITAN
- ROBBERS
- RELIGION
- PASTORS
- EXPERTS
- JUSTIFY

I'm just a little amoeba.
 It's not my fault I
 didn't do it right!



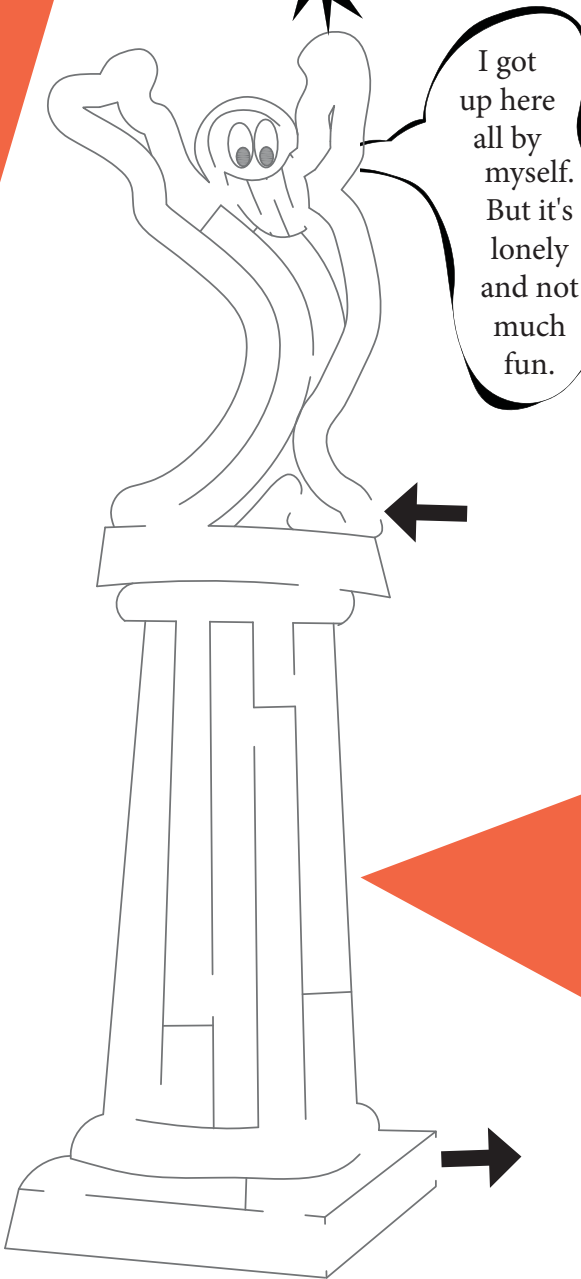
IN THE RING

Stop to help someone in need this week, ignoring all the excuses you may have for not doing it. Do something special for someone who is not in your level of society.



LOVE VS SPIRITUAL VANITY

Bible Story: David Chosen as King
1 Samuel 16:1-13



I got up here all by myself. But it's lonely and not much fun.

E	A	G	E	R	N	E	S	S	P	Z	X	C
N	V	B	N	E	A	N	G	E	R	E	D	M
V	A	S	D	C	J	K	W	R	O	N	G	S
I	F	G	H	O	L	W	E	E	U	I	O	P
O	T	H	E	R	S	R	T	J	D	T	Y	U
U	Z	B	X	D	I	S	H	O	N	O	R	L
S	L	O	V	E	D	E	L	I	G	H	T	H
C	P	A	T	I	E	N	T	C	J	K	L	W
V	B	S	E	L	F	S	E	E	K	I	N	G
M	N	T	R	U	T	H	A	S	S	D	F	G

LOVE
PATIENT
EAGERNESS
ENVOIOUS
BOAST

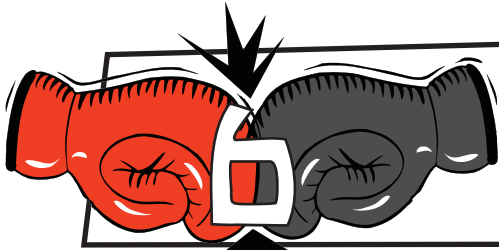
PROUD
DISHONOR
SELFSEEKING
ANGERED
RECORD

WRONGS
DELIGHT
OTHERS
REJOICES
TRUTH

Memory Verse:
"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres."
1 Corinthians 13:4-7

IN THE RING

Ask God if there is a spiritual practice you should stop, as you move your focus onto LOVE. Do more actions this week to show love: do not boast, do what is best for others and not yourself, and do not hold people accountable for the wrongs they do.



JOY VS JEALOUSY

Bible Story: Religious Leaders are Jealous
Acts 5:12-33



J	E	S	U	S	Z	C	X	C	V
B	J	P	N	W	O	R	L	D	A
M	E	I	A	O	S	Y	D	T	C
P	A	R	E	N	T	S	F	A	T
L	L	I	K	D	J	T	G	L	I
Q	O	T	H	E	R	A	H	E	N
Q	U	A	R	R	E	L	I	N	G
W	S	E	R	F	I	G	H	T	S
T	Y	C	H	U	R	C	H	S	I
Y	A	B	I	L	I	T	Y	Y	U

WORLD
JEALOUSY
QUARRELING
ACTING
CRYSTAL
OTHER
FIGHTS

WONDERFUL
PARENTS
TALENTS
ABILITY
CHURCH
SPIRIT
JESUS

Memory Verse:

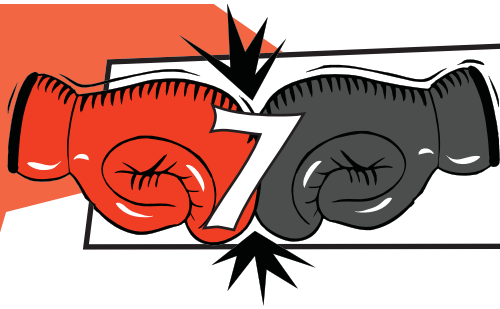
"You are still worldly. For since there is jealousy and quarreling among you, are you not worldly? Are you not acting like mere humans?"

1 Corinthians 3:3



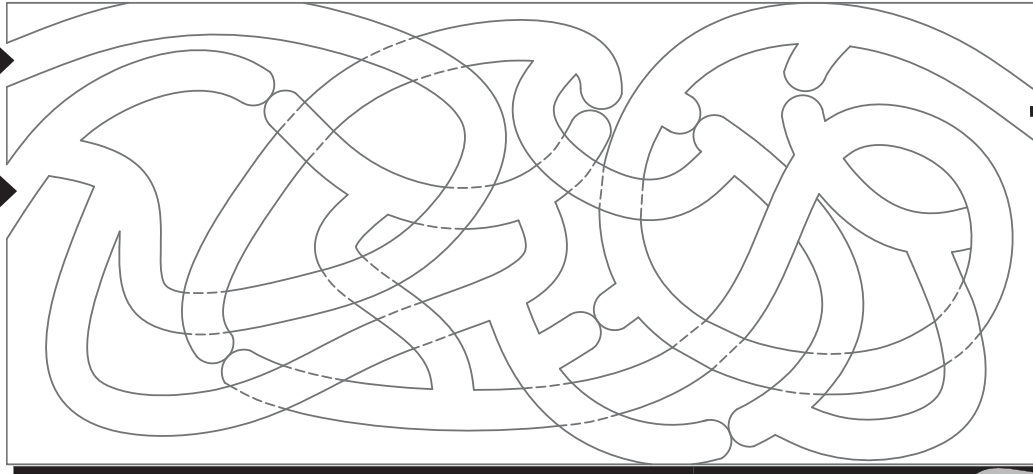
IN THE RING

Thank God for the spiritual gifts, physical appearance, possessions, and family that you have. Ask God to give you joy and contentment for what you have. Choose someone you may have been jealous of in the past, and give them a small gift. (Do not tell them of your past jealousy.)

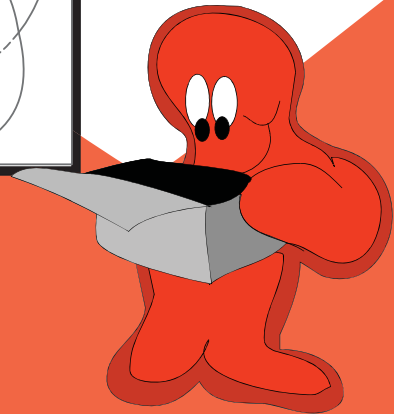


JOY VS GREED

Bible Story: The Rich Young Man
Matthew 19:16-30



I wish there was more stuff in my box.



Memory Verse:

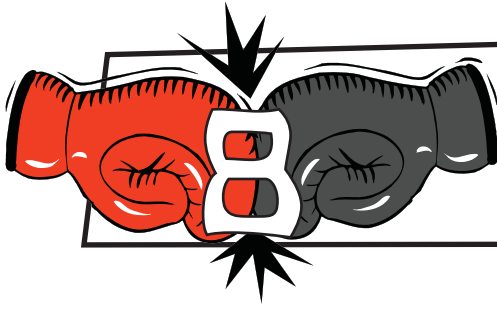
“Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; life does not consist in an abundance of possessions.” Luke 12:15

WATCH
REGARDS
KINDS
GREEDY
CONSIST
ABUNDANCE
POSSESSIONS
MEMORY
MONEY
LOTTERY
STEALS
LOVES
APPEAR
SERVES

A	L	O	V	E	S	Z	X	C	C	V	M	E	M	O	R	Y
P	O	S	S	E	S	S	I	O	N	S	O	B	N	M	E	A
P	T	T	E	K	A	B	U	N	D	A	N	C	E	D	G	S
E	T	E	R	L	Q	W	E	S	G	R	E	E	D	Y	A	D
A	E	A	V	R	T	Y	U	I	I	O	Y	P	Z	X	R	F
R	R	L	E	K	I	N	D	S	C	V	B	N	M	A	D	G
S	Y	S	S	D	F	W	A	T	C	H	G	H	J	J	S	H

IN THE RING

Give some of your own personal money to God in the offering plate at church, not knowing to whom it will go. Use some of your money to serve someone else. If you do not have any money, take a possession you have and give it away.

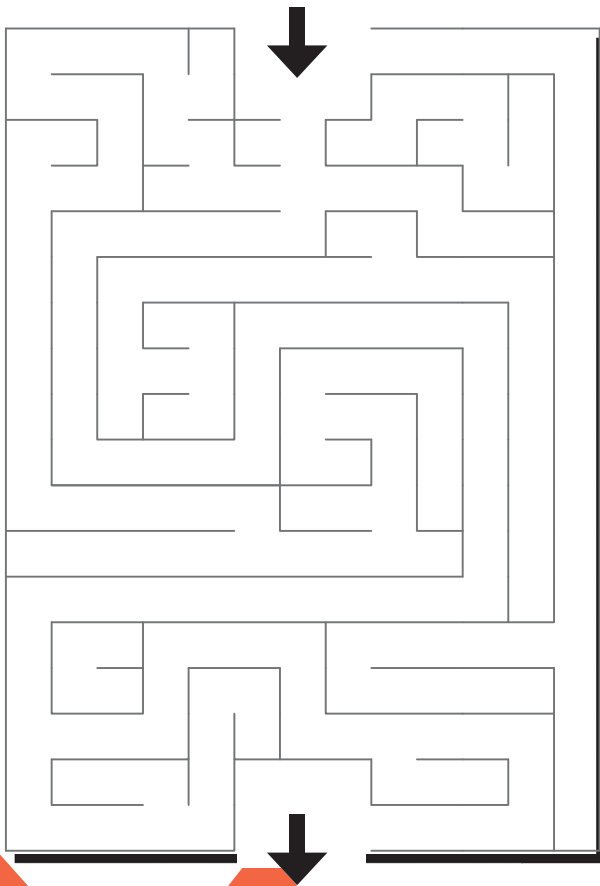


JOY VS SELF-PITY

Bible Story: Jonah and the Worm
Jonah 4:1-10

Memory Verse:

"For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal." 2 Corinthians 4:17-18

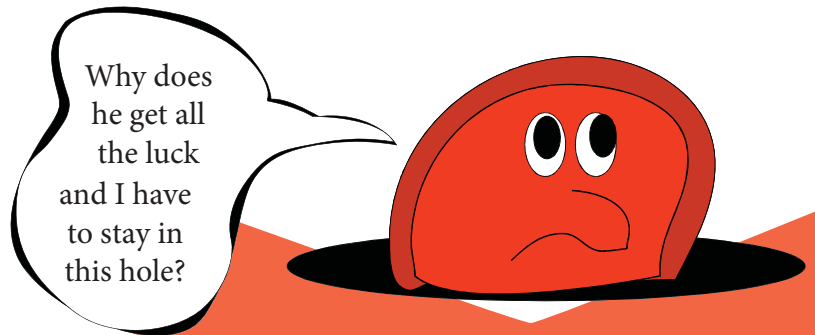


Z	T	E	M	P	O	R	A	R	Y	X	J
A	R	G	U	M	E	N	T	M	C	V	O
C	O	M	P	A	S	S	I	O	N	B	N
H	U	A	U	W	D	E	L	M	N	N	A
I	B	S	N	O	U	T	W	E	I	G	H
E	L	G	C	R	F	E	H	N	N	L	L
V	E	H	L	M	D	R	A	T	E	O	K
E	S	J	E	A	S	N	L	A	V	R	J
R	L	K	A	A	S	A	E	R	A	Y	H
S	P	I	R	I	T	L	D	Y	H	F	G

ARGUMENT
MOMENTARY
TROUBLES
ACHIEVERS
ETERNAL

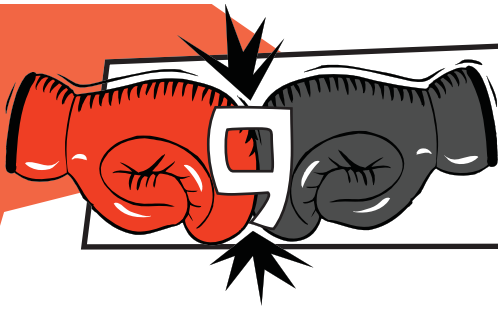
GLORY
OUTWEIGH
UNCLEAR
TEMPORARY
SPIRIT

NINEVAH
JONAH
WHALE
WORM
COMPASSION



IN THE RING

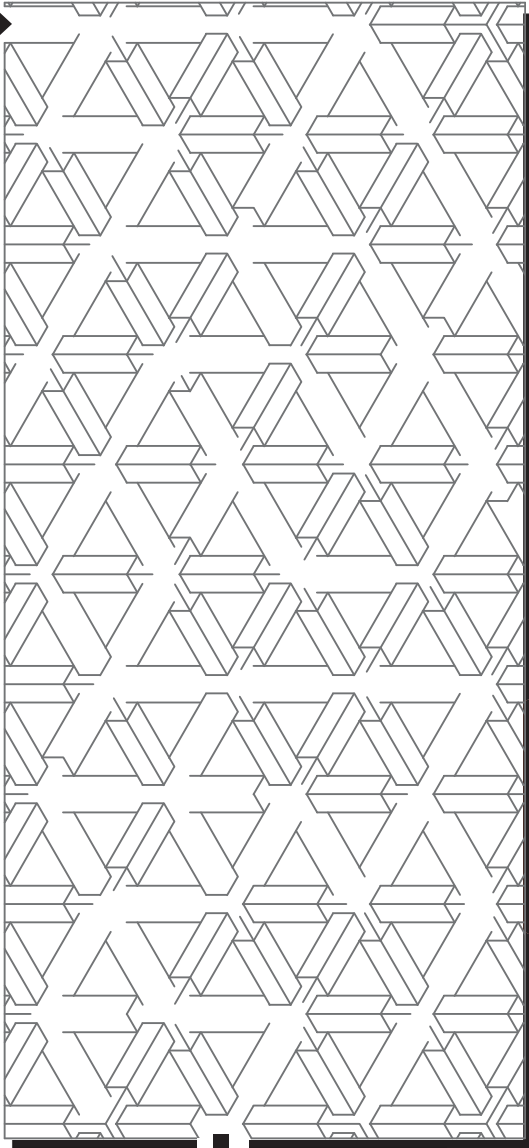
Help at a homeless shelter, or a ministry that feeds the poor. Alternatively, visit the sick in a hospital. Pray and ask God to open your eyes to the bigger picture, and help you take your eyes off yourself.



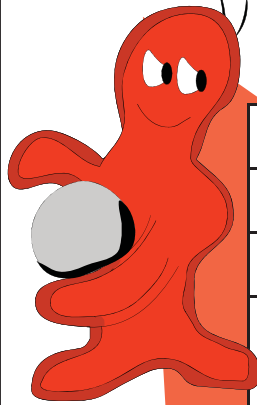
JOY VS UNGRATEFULNESS

Bible Story: Jesus Heals 10 Lepers
Luke 17:11-19

Memory Verse:
"Enter his gates with
thanksgiving and his
courts with praise;
give thanks to him and
praise his name."
Psalm 100:4



I'm grateful I have
this neat rock!



C	W	H	A	P	P	Y	Z	X	H
O	O	C	V	R	B	N	M	A	O
U	N	G	R	A	T	E	F	U	L
R	D	R	E	I	S	D	F	G	Y
T	E	A	S	S	P	I	R	I	T
H	R	T	P	E	H	J	E	J	K
A	E	E	E	O	P	G	N	E	L
N	D	F	C	O	V	E	T	S	Q
K	E	U	T	Y	U	I	E	U	W
S	R	L	T	D	O	O	R	S	E

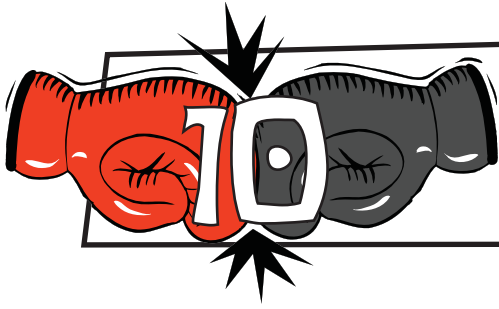
ENTER
DOORS
THANKS
COURT
PRAISE
UNGRATEFUL
GRATEFUL

SPIRIT
COVETS
RESPECT
HAPPY
WONDERED
JESUS
HOLY

IN THE RING

Thank your parents (or someone else) for something they give you every day. Choose something to go without for a while, as a reminder that you may not always have it.



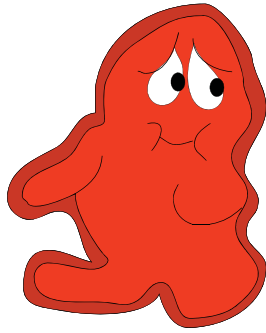


PEACE VS WORRY

Bible Story: Elijah Fed by Ravens
1 Kings 17:1-6

How can I do well
in school? I can't
even hold a pencil!

SEEK
FIRST
KINGDOM
RIGHTEOUSNESS
THINGS
GIVER
PEACE
WORRY
START
IMPORTANT
VALUES
TRUST
JESUS
SPIRIT



A	S	D	F	G	H	J	K	L	Q	W	E	R	T	Y	J	O
O	P	K	I	N	G	D	O	M	W	J	P	E	A	C	E	Z
P	I	I	R	I	G	H	T	E	O	U	S	N	E	S	S	X
T	R	U	S	T	W	E	R	T	R	K	T	H	J	E	U	C
Z	I	U	T	Y	G	I	V	E	R	V	A	L	U	E	S	V
X	T	H	I	N	G	S	Q	W	Y	L	R	A	S	K	D	B
C	V	B	I	M	P	O	R	T	A	N	T	D	F	G	H	N

Memory Verse:
"But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well."
Matthew 6:33



IN THE RING

Share something you have with someone else, even if it means you will have to go without. Either food, clothing, bus fare, or something else that costs you money. Ask God to meet your needs.



PEACE VS FEAR

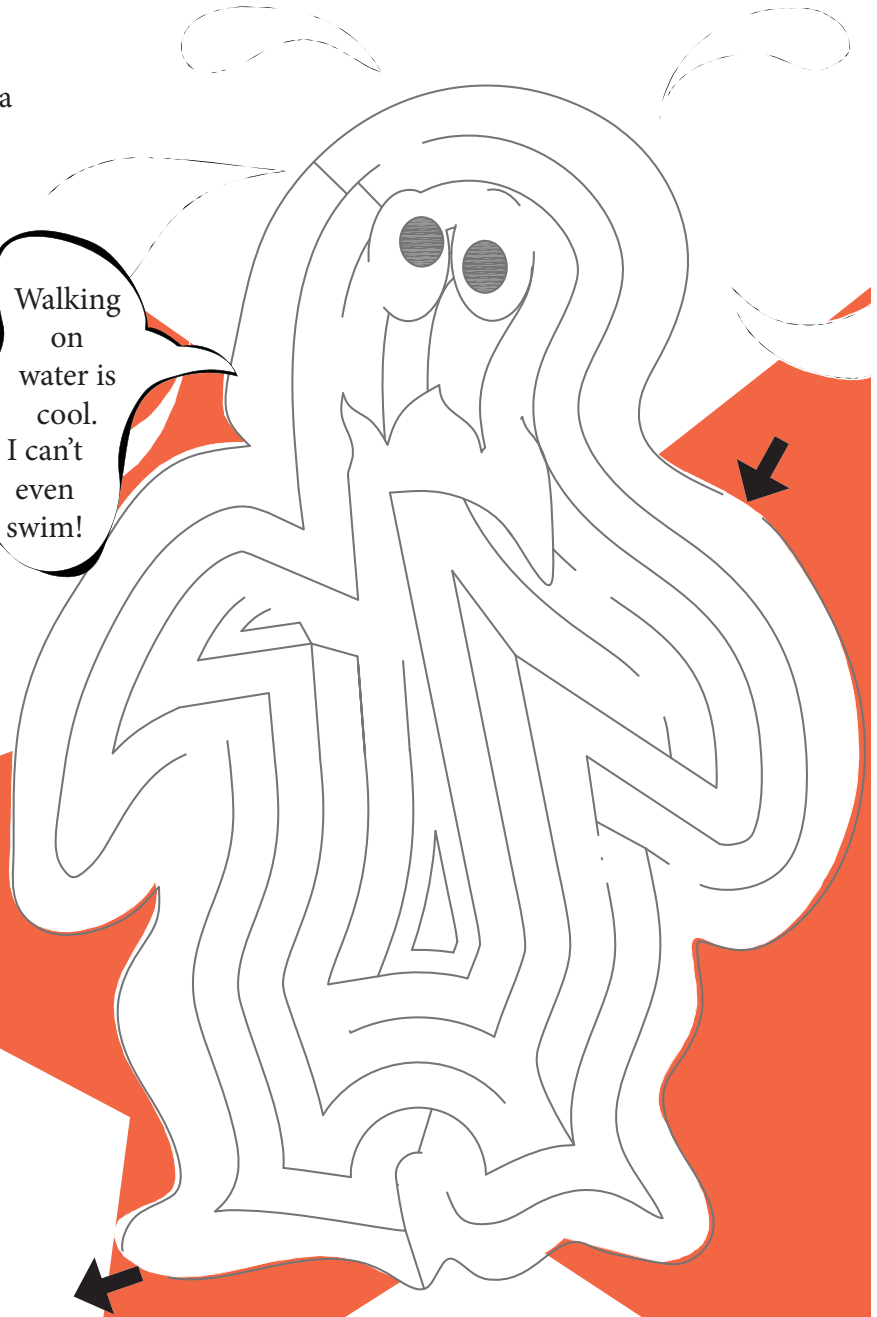
Bible Story: Peter Walks on Water
Matthew 14:22-33

Memory Verse:

"Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."
Matthew 17:20-21

A	G	I	V	I	N	G	C	D
S	O	M	T	I	A	O	H	F
D	S	P	R	U	C	D	R	G
F	M	O	U	N	T	A	I	N
G	A	S	L	F	I	Y	S	O
H	L	S	Y	A	O	A	T	T
J	L	I	V	I	N	G	I	H
K	W	B	O	T	H	R	A	I
L	E	L	R	H	T	E	N	N
Q	J	E	S	U	S	E	S	G

Walking on water is cool. I can't even swim!



TRULY
FAITH
SMALL
LIVING
MOUNTAIN
NOTHING
IMPOSSIBLE

CHRISTIANS
GIVING
BOTH
AGREE
ACTION
GOD
JESUS

IN THE RING

Choose something that feels impossible to do, and set aside your fear. Ask Jesus to help you do it. Then start taking steps into it. (It is a success for you to start, even if you sink as Peter did. The task is to choose something that feels impossible and try it.)



PEACE VS DISCORD

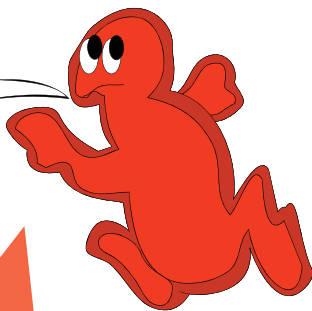
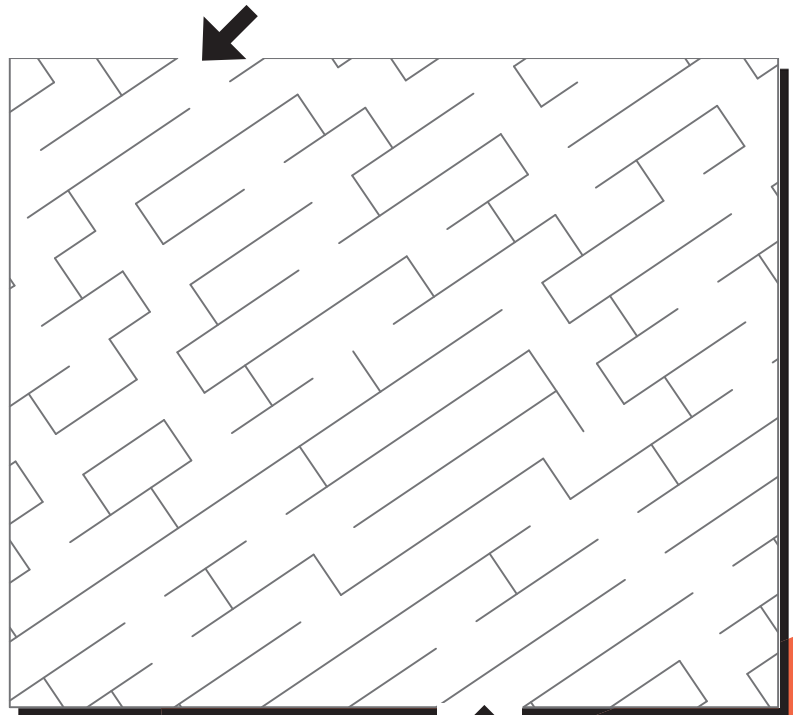
Bible Story: Turn the Other Cheek
Matthew 5:38-42

S	A	J	S	D	C	F	P	G	A	V	O	I	D	H	J	K
P	R	E	A	C	H	F	A	G	P	O	S	S	I	B	L	E
I	N	S	T	R	U	C	T	I	O	N	S	Q	S	W	E	R
R	E	U	K	Q	R	H	T	D	I	F	F	I	C	U	L	T
I	R	S	E	W	C	J	E	E	V	E	R	Y	O	N	E	T
T	T	D	O	T	H	E	R	Z	X	C	V	B	R	N	M	A
U	Y	I	R	O	M	A	N	D	E	P	E	N	D	S	D	S

Memory Verse:
"If it is possible,
as far as it
depends on
you, live at
peace with
everyone."
Romans 12:18

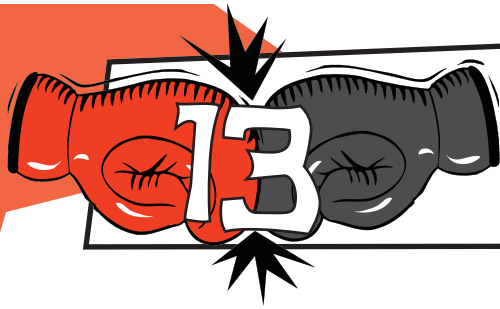
POSSIBLE
DEPENDS
OTHER
PREACH
EVERYONE
ROMAN
PATTERN

DISCORD
CHURCH
DIFFICULT
INSTRUCTIONS
AVOID
JESUS
SPIRIT



IN THE RING

Allow yourself to be wronged once this week. (It will most likely happen on its own.) Your assignment is to do nothing.



PEACE VS SELF-TRUST

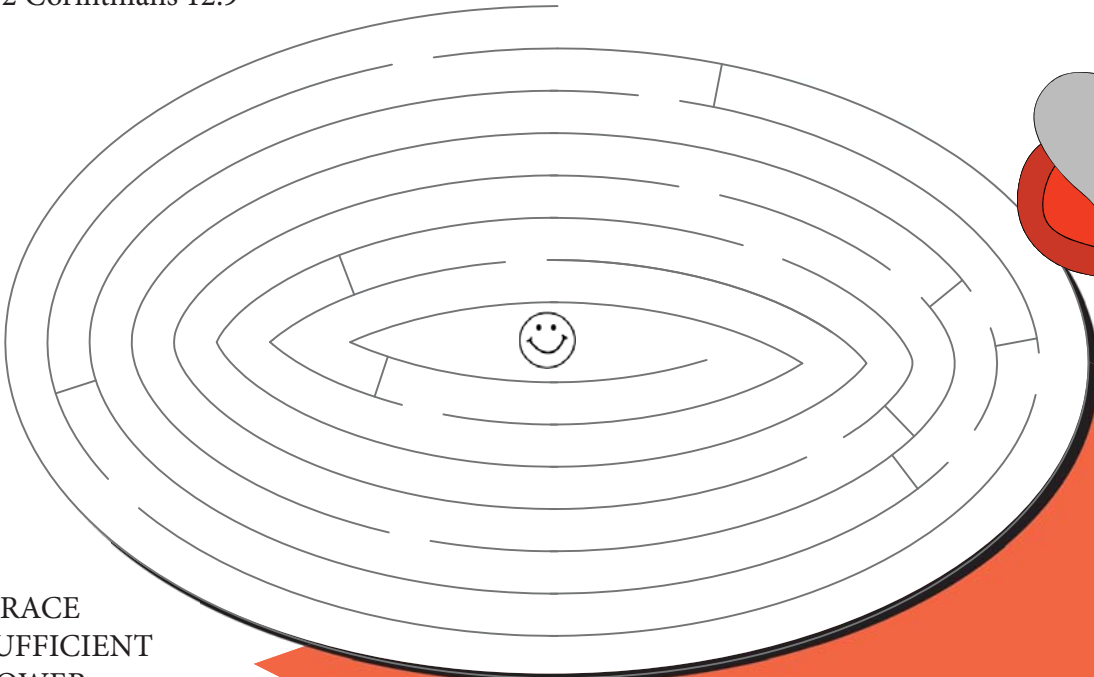
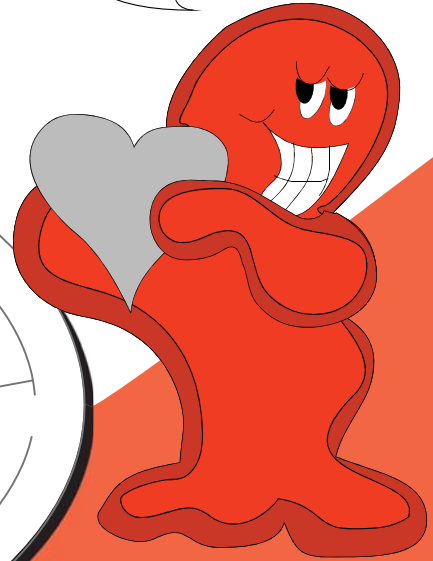
Bible Story: Jesus Feeds the 5000
 Luke 9:10-17

Memory Verse:

"But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me."

2 Corinthians 12:9

I am awesome!
 I bet I can handle
 this on my own.

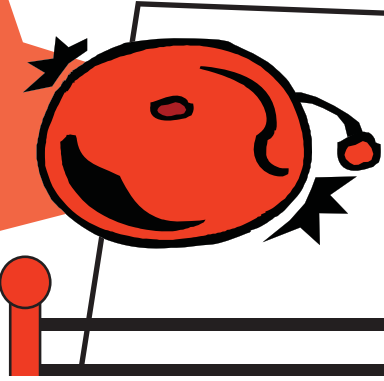


GRACE
 SUFFICIENT
 POWER
 PERFECT
 WEAKNESS
 BRAGS
 BOAST
 PAUL
 CHRIST
 PEACE
 OPPORTUNITIES
 JESUS

B	A	F	P	P	E	R	F	E	C	T	T	Y	U	I	J	O
R	S	G	E	O	P	P	O	R	T	U	N	I	T	I	E	S
A	D	H	A	W	E	A	K	N	E	S	S	B	O	A	S	T
G	R	A	C	E	S	U	F	F	I	C	I	E	N	T	U	P
S	J	K	E	R	L	L	Q	W	E	R	C	H	R	I	S	T

IN THE RING

Ask God for an opportunity to serve Him in an area where you are weak. Sign up in your church to serve in that area. If you are quiet, speak out more this week. If you are loud, be quiet more this week.



You are a very valuable treasure to God.



"And the Lord
has declared
this day that you
are his people,
his treasured
possession as he
promised...

...and that you
are to keep all
his commands."
Deuteronomy 26:18

Champions Difficult
English



20031

www.ChildrenAreImportant.com
info@childrenareimportant.com
We are located in Mexico.
DK Editorial Pro-Visión A.C.

