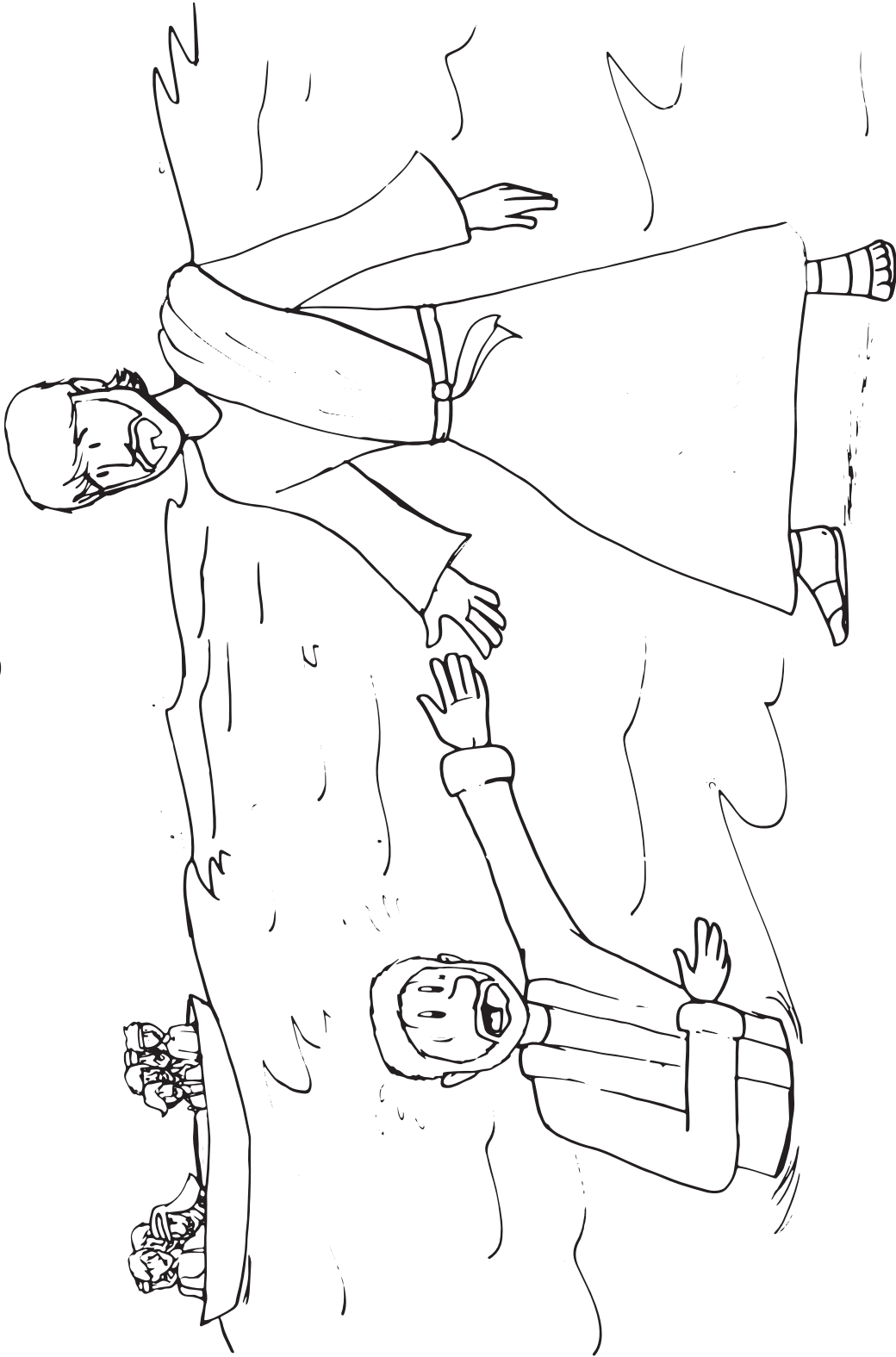


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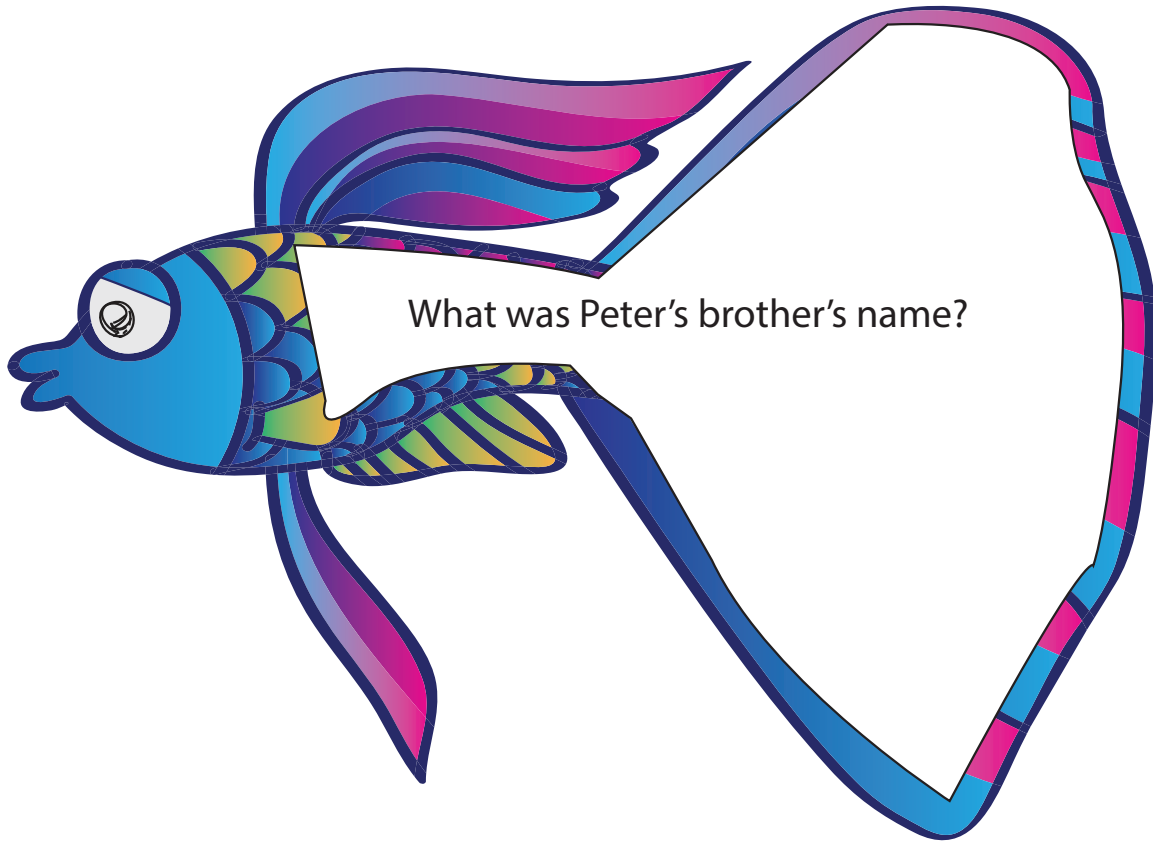
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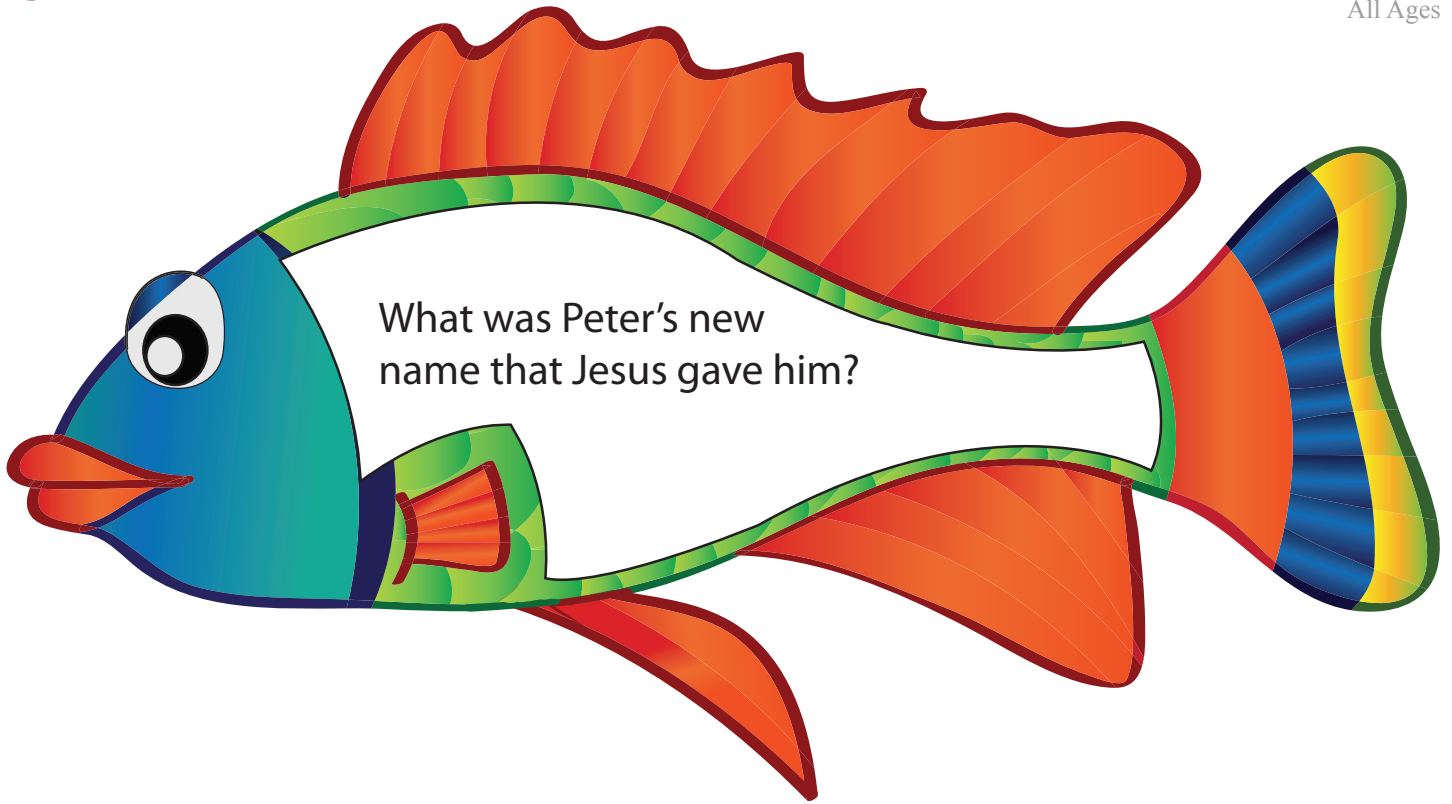
The Apostle Peter Coloring Sheet



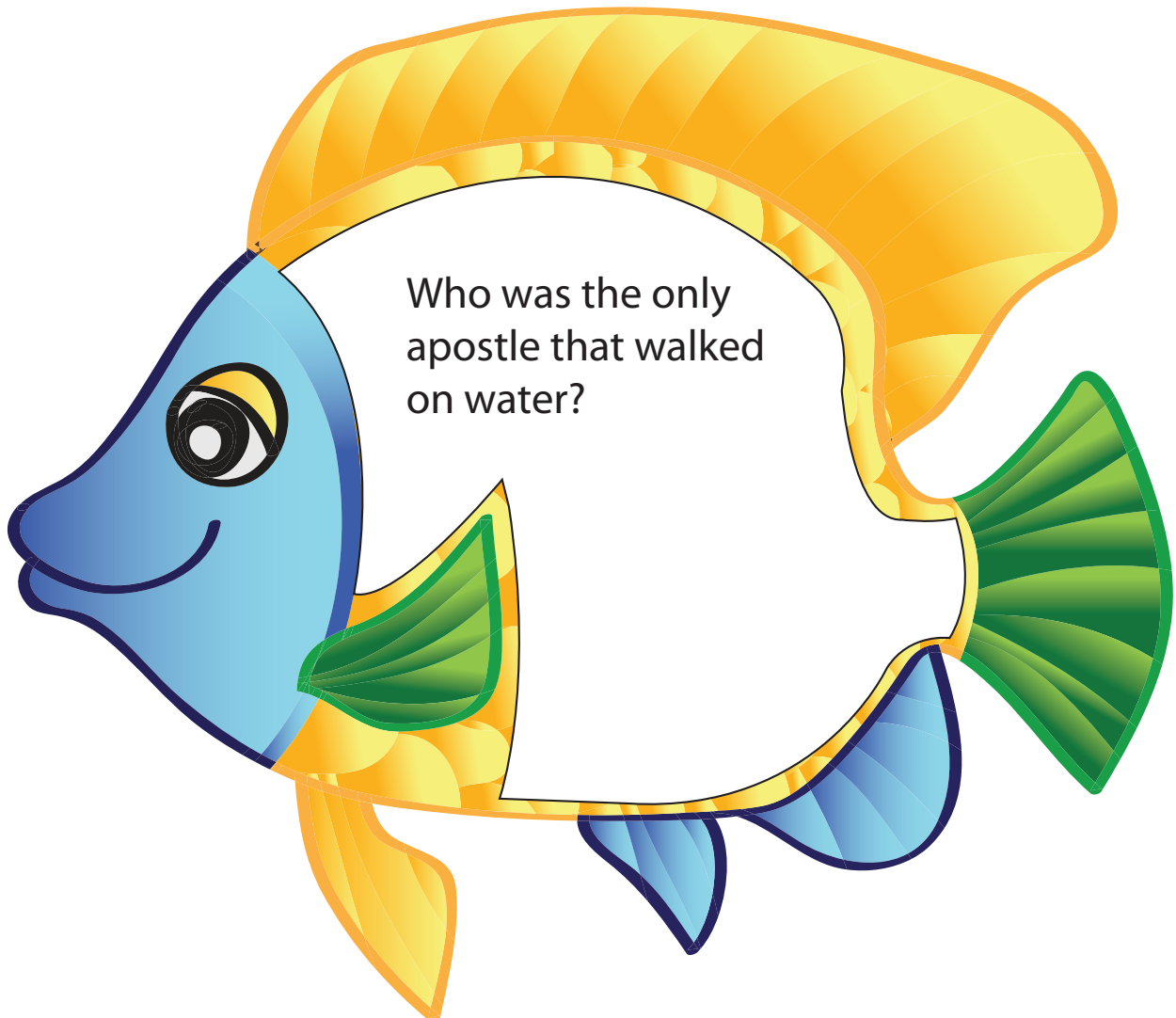
“So He said, ‘Come.’ And when Peter had come down out of the boat, he walked on the water to go to Jesus. But when he saw that the wind was boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, ‘Lord, save me!’ And immediately Jesus stretched out His hand and caught him, and said to him, ‘O you of little faith, why did you doubt?’” (Matthew 14:29-31).

Fish Questions Cutouts

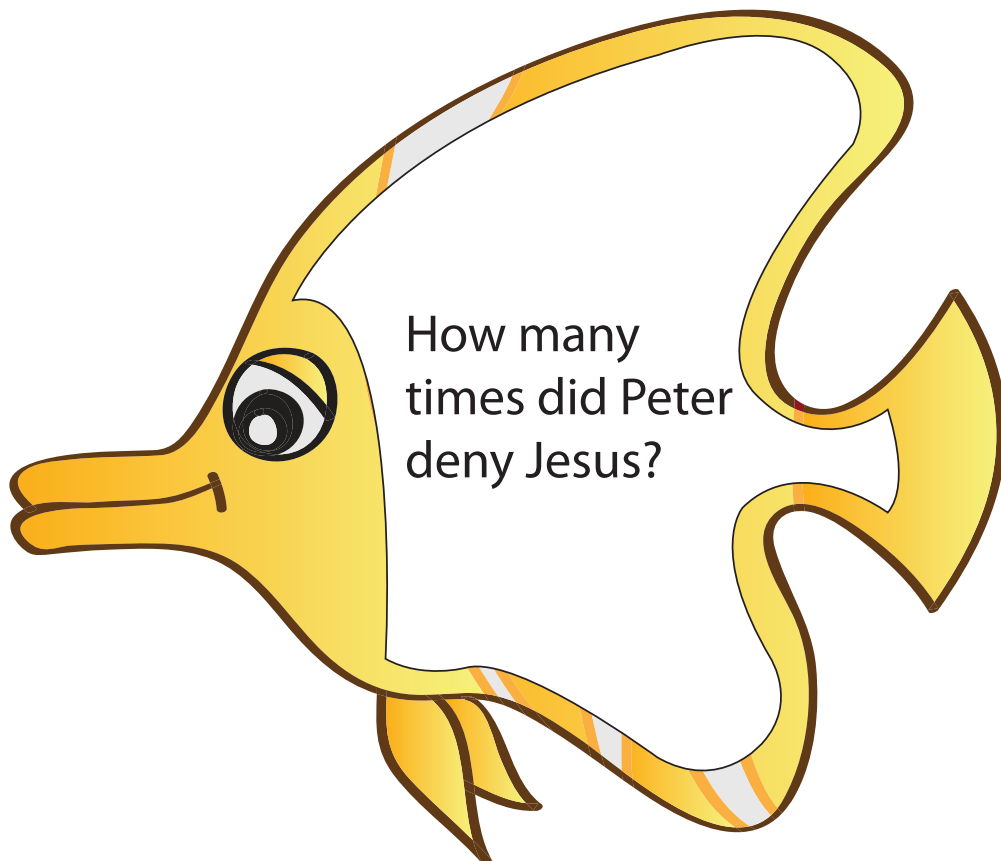
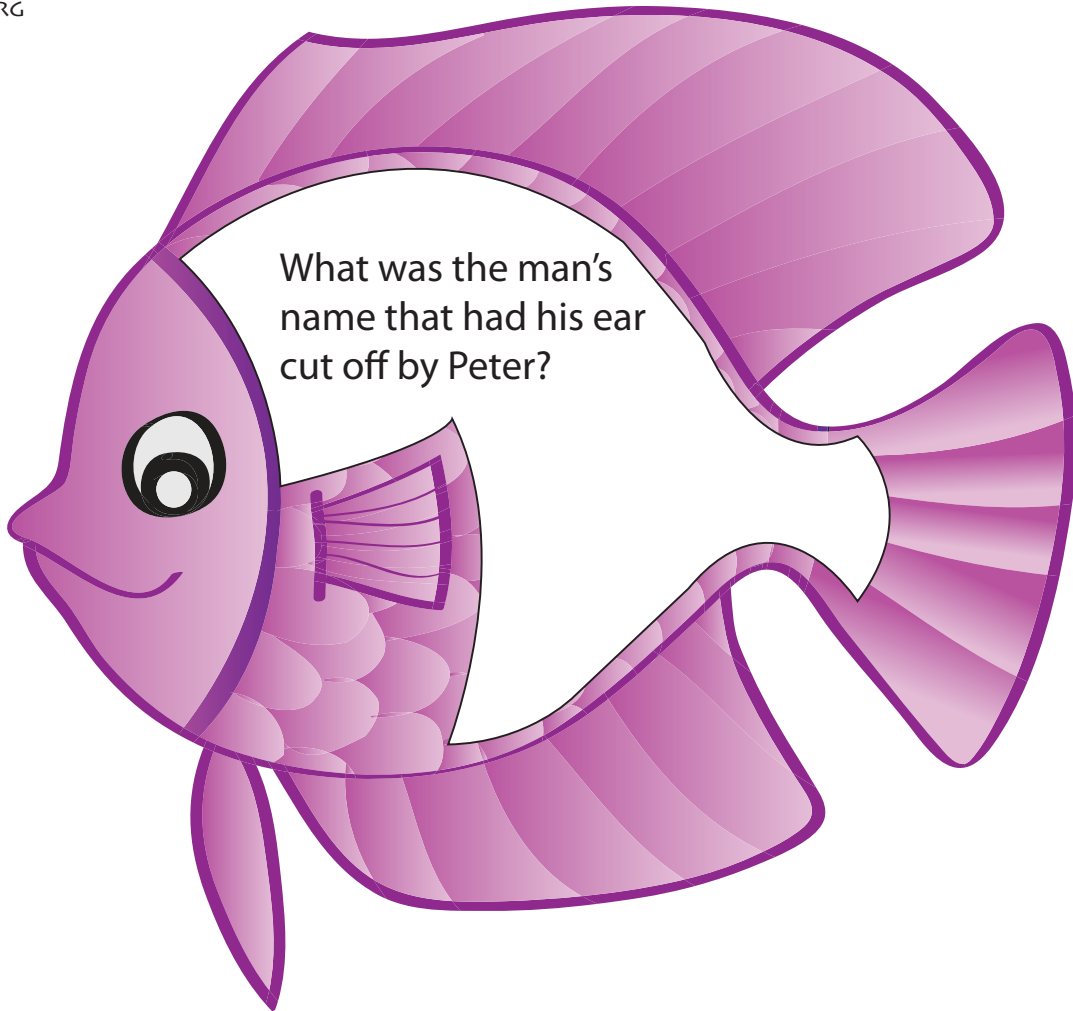




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name that Jesus gave him?



Who was the only
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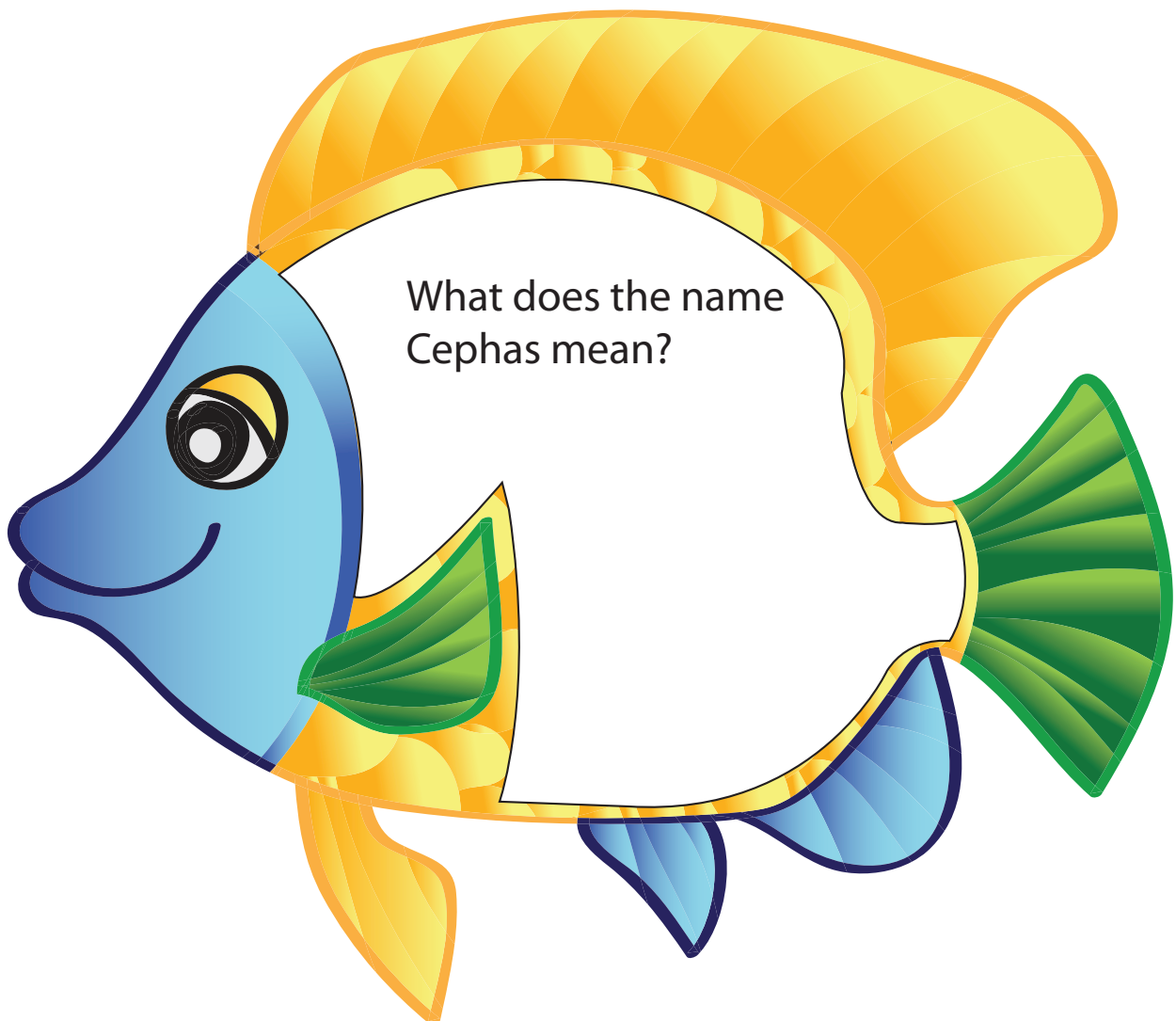
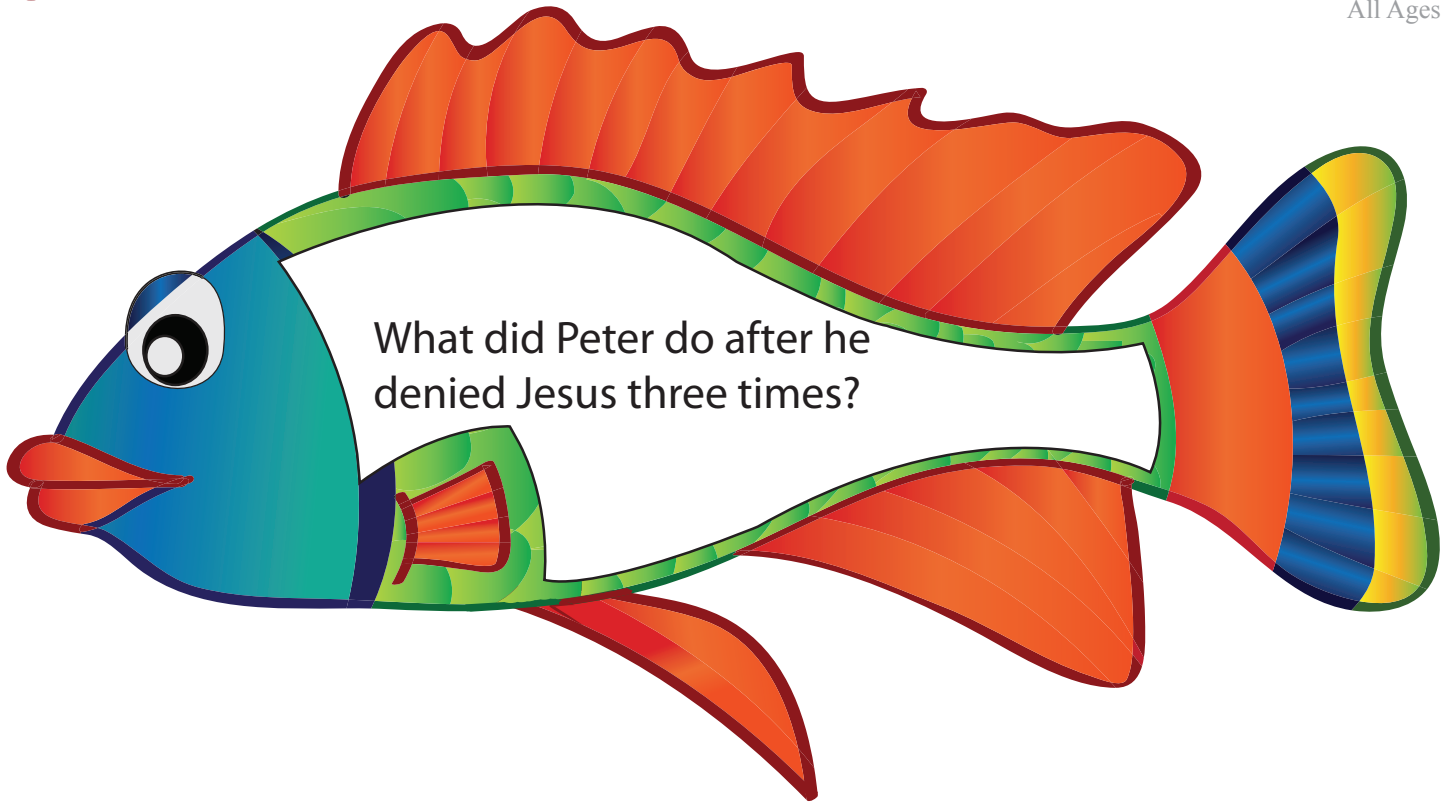




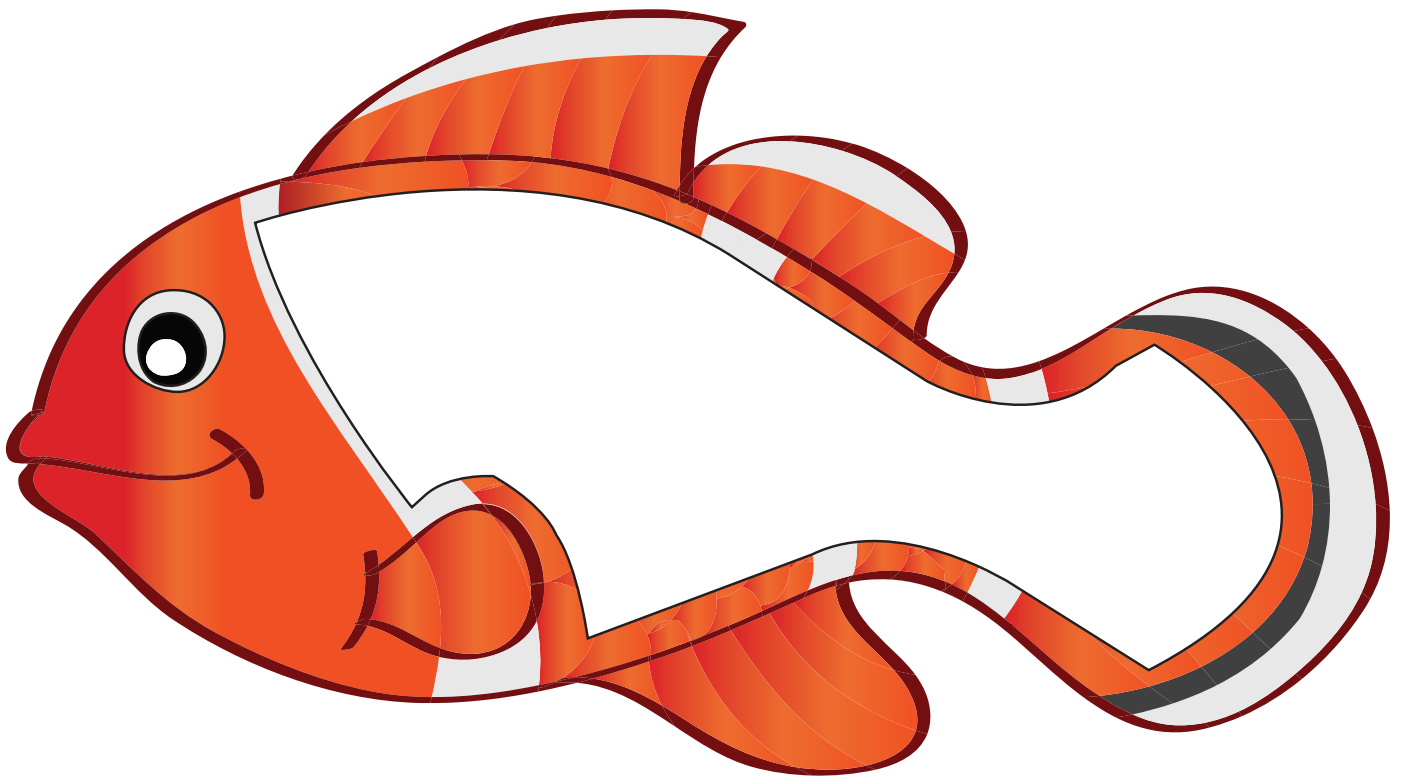
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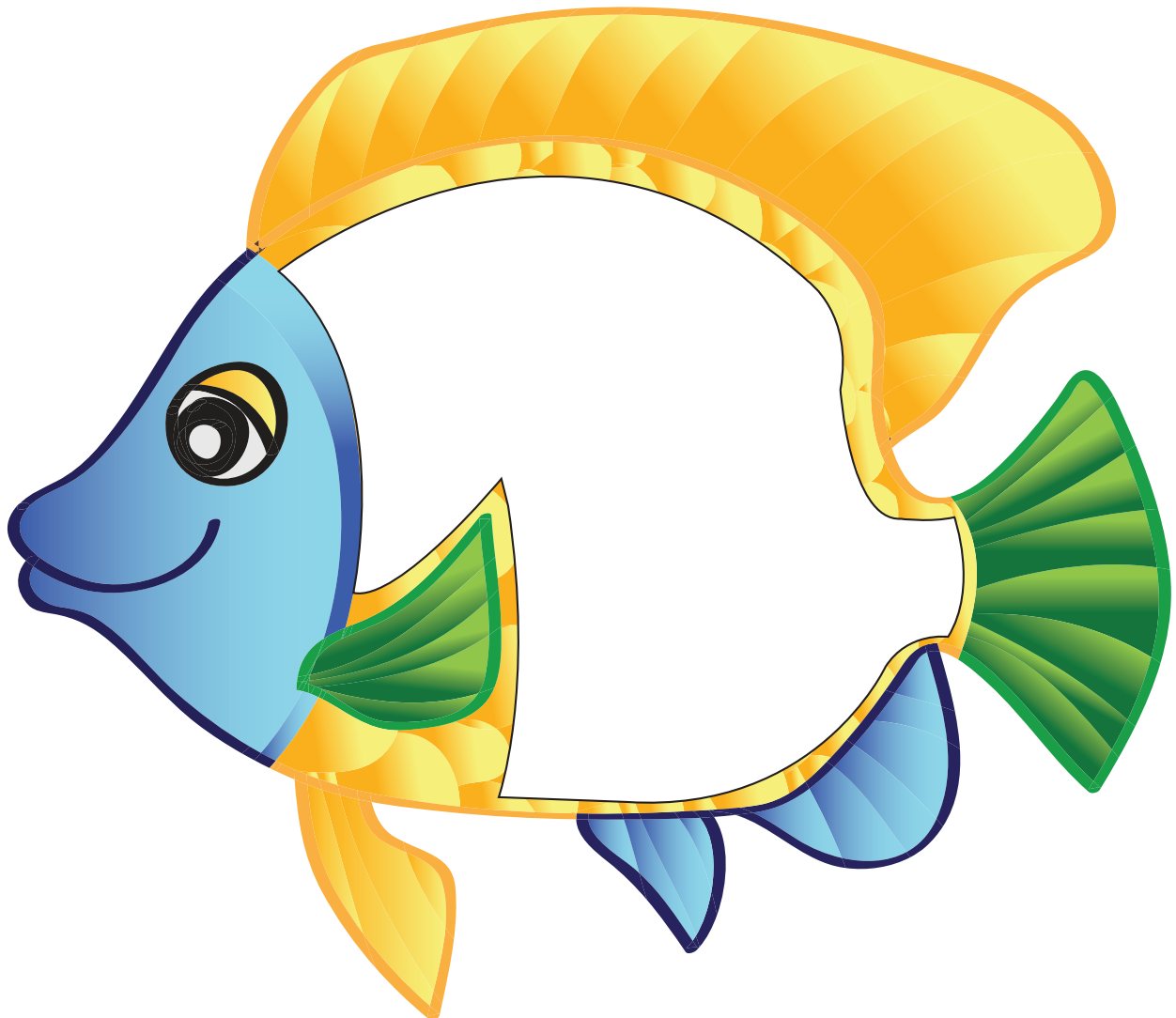
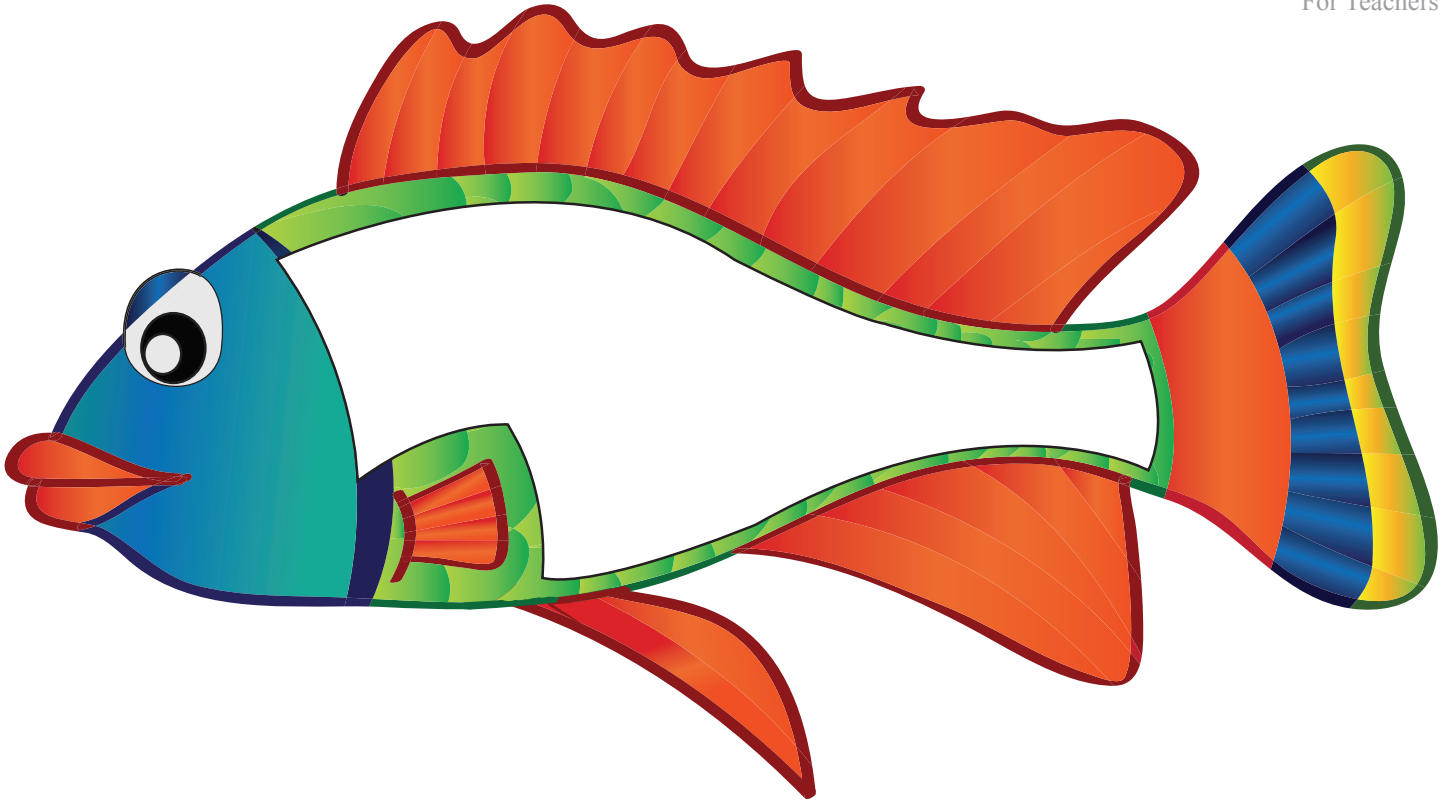


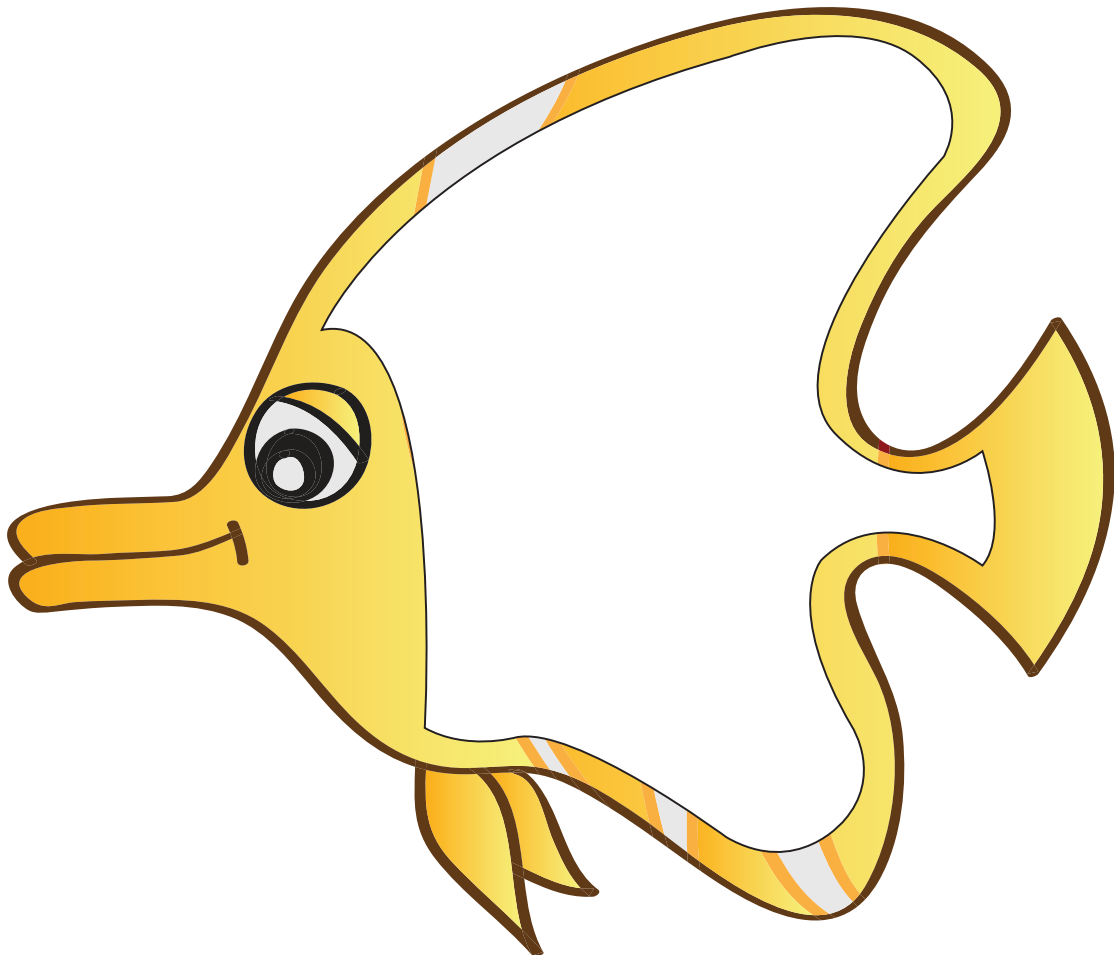
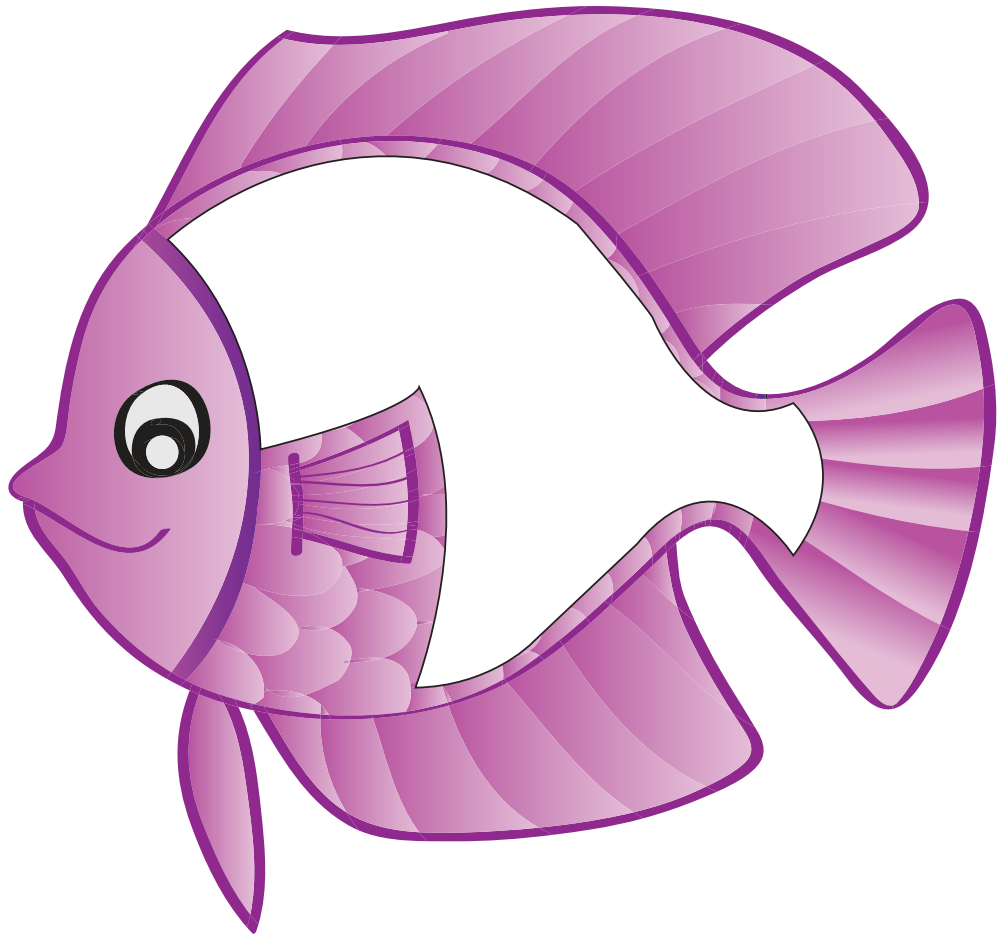
Who preached the first sermon in the church?



Fish Cutouts







The Apostle Peter

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Andrew
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Answer Key

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Activity Book New Testament 4 **LESSON 8**

Peter Raises Dorcas Coloring Sheet

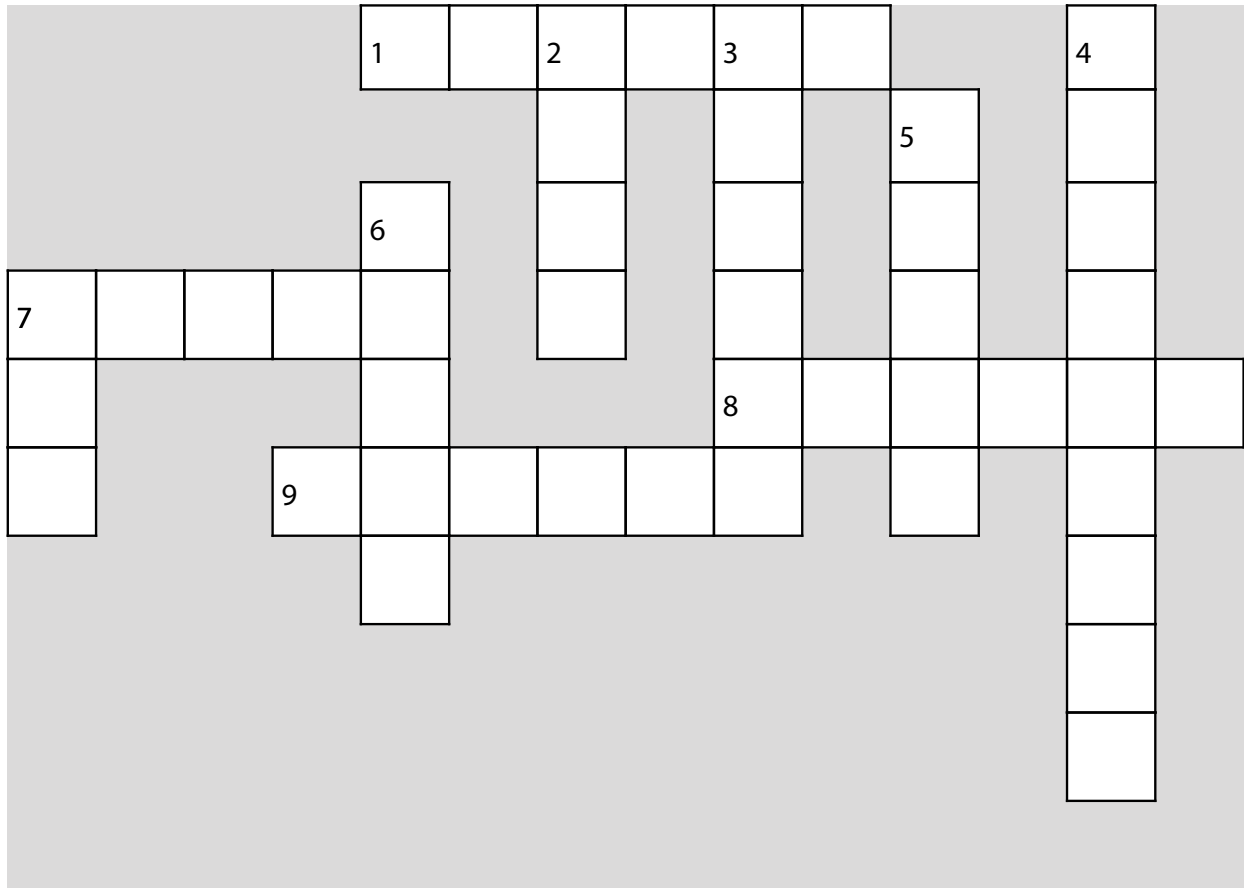
All Ages



“At Joppa there was a certain disciple named Tabitha, which is translated Dorcas. This woman was full of good works and charitable deeds which she did. But it happened in those days that she became sick and died.... When [Peter] had come, they brought him to the upper room.... [Peter] knelt down and prayed. And turning to the body he said, ‘Tabitha, arise.’ And she opened her eyes, and when she saw Peter she sat up. Then he gave her his hand and lifted her up; and when he had called the saints and widows, he presented her alive. And it became known throughout all Joppa, and many believed on the Lord” (Acts 9:36-42).

Peter Heals

Crossword Puzzle

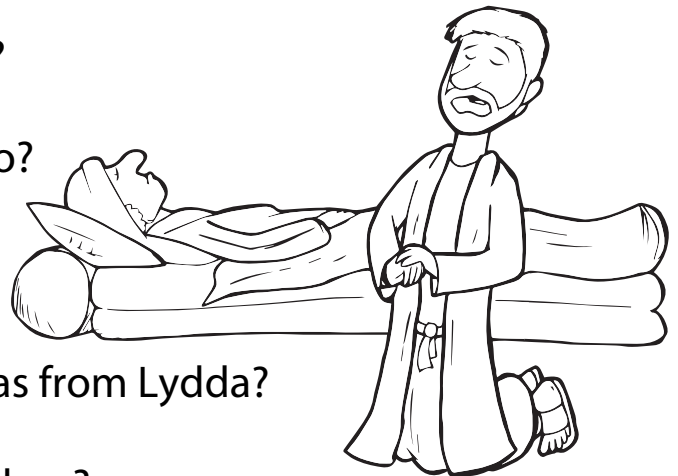


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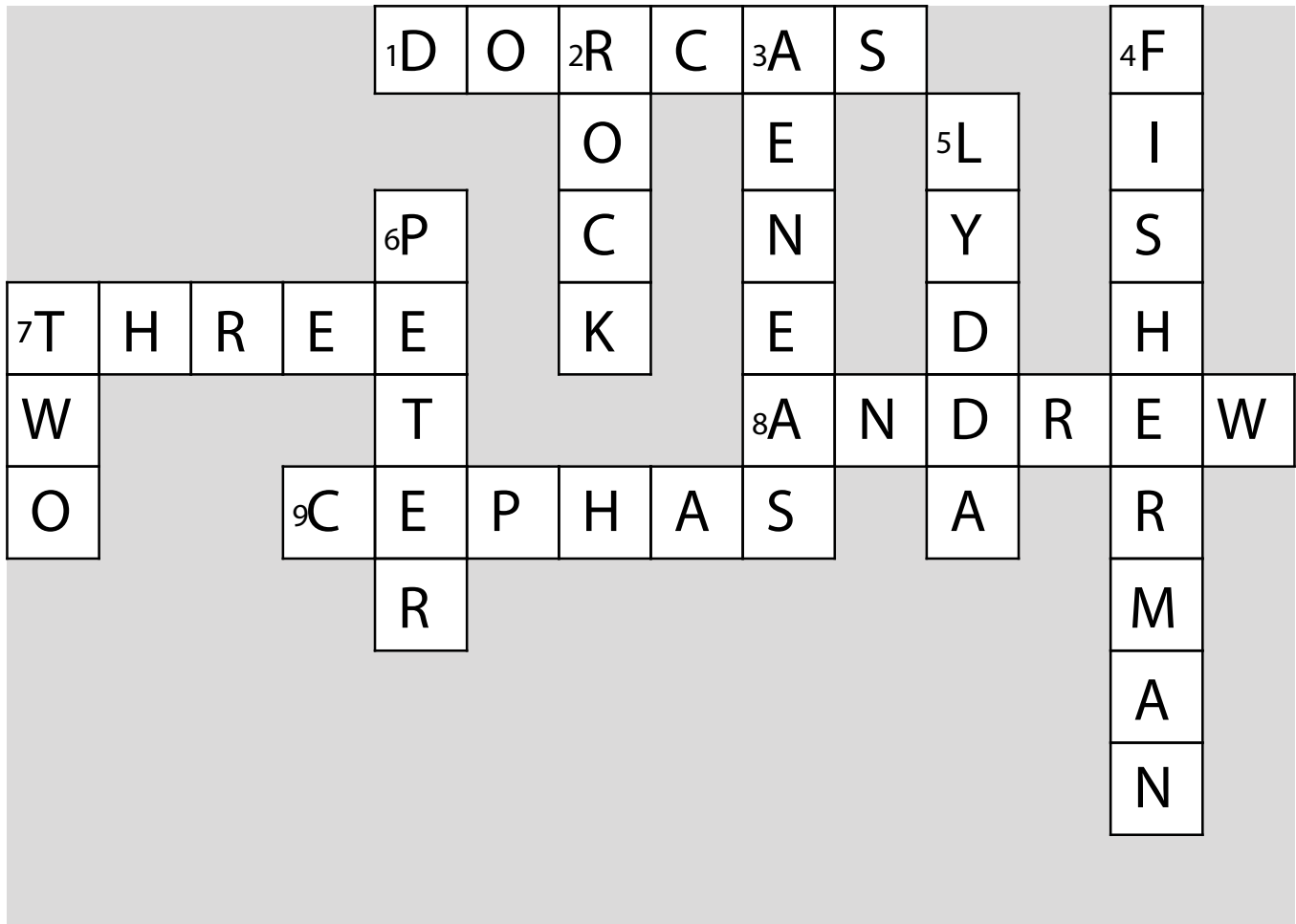
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Activity Book New Testament 4 **LESSON 9**

Peter Teaches Cornelius Coloring Sheet



“Then Peter opened his mouth and said: ‘In truth I perceive that God shows no partiality. But in every nation whoever fears Him and works righteousness is accepted by Him.... God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him. And we are witnesses of all things which He did...whom they killed by hanging on a tree. Him God raised up on the third day, and showed Him openly...to witnesses chosen before by God.... And He commanded us to preach to the people, and to testify that it is He who was ordained by God to be Judge of the living and the dead. To Him all the prophets witness that, through His name, whoever believes in Him will receive remission of sins’” (Acts 10:34-43).

Peter Teaches Cornelius

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| Caesarea | Vision |
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| Gentile | Tanner |
| Household | Trance |
| Relatives | Unclean |
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Answer Key

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LESSON 10

Peter in Prison Again Coloring Sheet



“Peter was therefore kept in prison, but constant prayer was offered to God for him by the church. And when Herod was about to bring him out, that night Peter was sleeping, bound with two chains between two soldiers; and the guards before the door were keeping the prison. Now behold, an angel of the Lord stood by him, and a light shone in the prison; and he struck Peter on the side and raised him up, saying, ‘Arise quickly!’ And his chains fell off his hands. Then the angel said to him, ‘Gird yourself and tie on your sandals’; and so he did. And he said to him, ‘Put on your garment and follow me’” (Acts 12:5-8).

Who Should We Pray For? Worksheet

Instructions: Use the words in the Word Bank to fill in the blanks.

1. Ephesians 6:18 tells us that we should pray for _____
2. 1 Timothy 2:2 says we should pray for _____
3. Hebrews 13:7 tells us it is important to pray for those who _____
4. Romans 10:1 says that we should pray for those who are not _____
5. Matthew 5:44 says that we should pray for our enemies and those who _____ us.
6. Matthew 6:5 says that when we pray we should not be like _____ who want to be seen by others.
7. James 5:15-16 says that we should pray for the _____.
8. In 2 Corinthians 13:7 Paul prayed that Christians would do _____.
9. 2 Corinthians 13:11 Paul prayed that Christians would be of one _____.

Word Bank

Saints World Leaders
Rule Over You
Saved Persecute Hypocrites
Sick No Evil Mind



Who Prayed This? Worksheet

Instructions: Use the names in the Name Bank to fill in the blanks.

1. Who prayed for enemy army to be struck blind _____? (2 Kings 6:18)
2. Who asked God for a sign _____? (Judges 6:39)
3. Who prayed for protection from his brother Esau _____? (Genesis 32:9,11)
4. Who prayed for wisdom and understanding _____? (1 King 3:6,9)
5. Who prayed inside a huge fish _____?
6. Who asked God to send fire on his altar _____? (1 Kings 18:36)
7. Who prayed for a son _____? (1 Samuel 1:20)
8. Who prayed for Timothy night and day _____? (2 Timothy 1:1-3)
9. Who prayed that it would not rain _____? (James 5:17-18)
10. Who prayed to God about his people's sins _____? (Ezra 10:1)



Name Bank

Hannah Gideon Jacob
Paul Jonah Elisha
Elijah Elijah Solomon Ezra

Answer Key

Who Should We Pray For Worksheet

1. Saints
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4. Saved
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6. Hypocrites
7. Sick
8. No Evil
9. Mind

Who Prayed This? Worksheet

1. Elisha
2. Gideon
3. Jacob
4. Solomon
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7. Hannah
8. Paul
9. Elijah
10. Ezra

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Activity Book New Testament 4 **LESSON 11**

Following Jesus Coloring Sheet

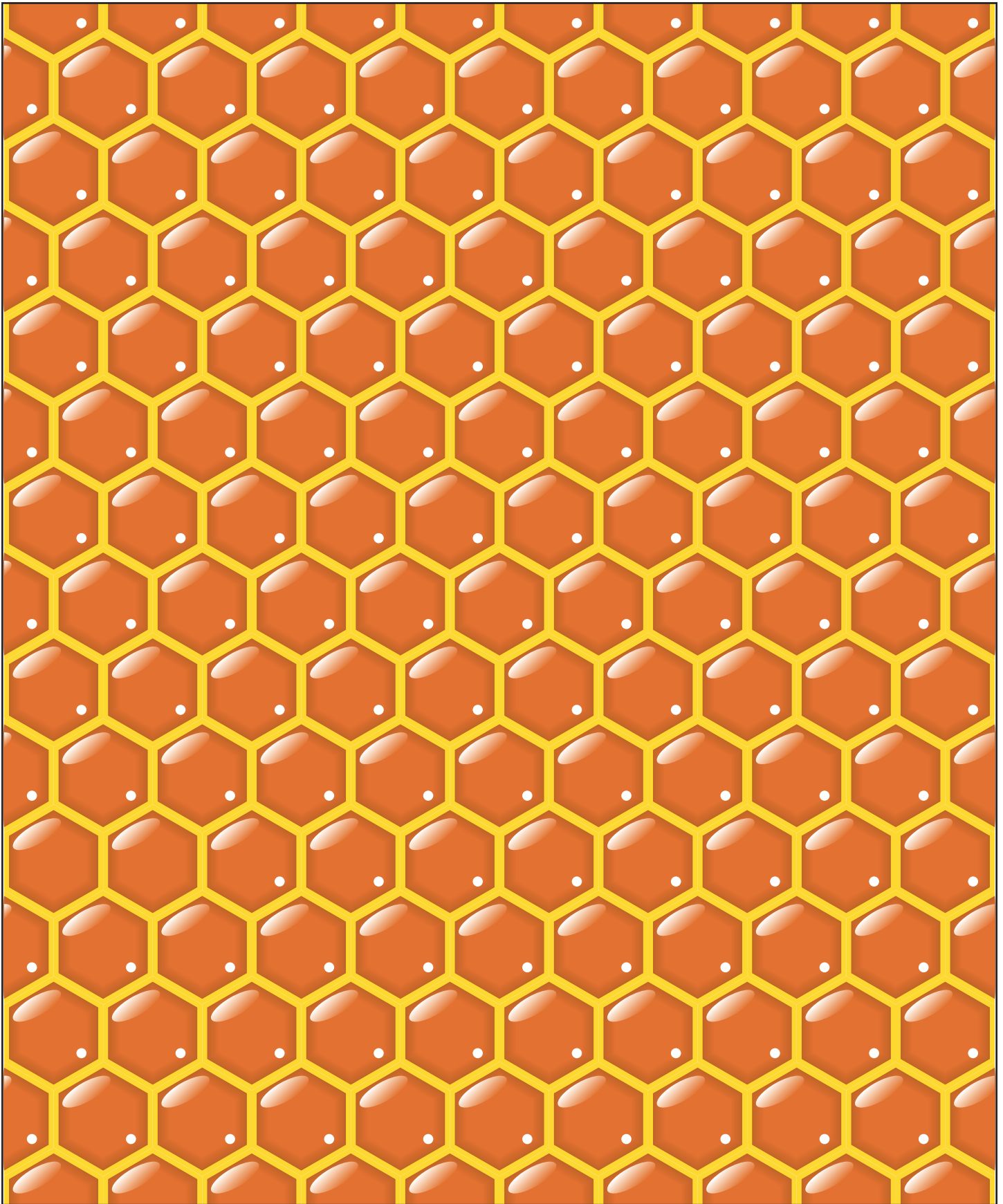
All Ages



“For those whom He foreknew He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, in order that He might be the firstborn among many brothers” (Romans 8:29, ESV).

“Bee” Like Jesus Activity

Ages 2-5







Be Careful What You Think

Matching Activity

Instructions: Draw lines to match the following scriptures with their correct book, chapter, and verse.

Matthew 5:8

"I will behave wisely in a perfect way. Oh, when will You come to me? I will walk within my house with a perfect heart. I will set nothing wicked before my eyes; I hate the work of those who fall away; it shall not cling to me."

Psalms 51:10

"Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth."

Psalms 24:3-4

"But you have not so learned Christ, if indeed you have heard Him and have been taught by Him, as the truth is in Jesus: that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts."

Psalms 101:2-3

"Who may ascend into the hill of the Lord? Or who may stand in His holy place? He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who has not lifted up his soul to an idol, nor sworn deceitfully."

Philippians 4:8

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."

Colossians 3:2

"Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."

Ephesians 4:20-22

"Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things."

Philippians 4:8

Fill in the Blank Activity

Instructions: Fill in the blanks below with the correct word. Use your Bible if needed (New King James Version). Then, find the words from the blanks in the word search.

“Finally, brethren, whatever things are _____, whatever things are _____,
 whatever things are _____, whatever things are pure, whatever things are _____,
 whatever things are of _____, if there is any _____ and if there is
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Exploring God's Word



Activity Book New Testament 4 **LESSON 12**

Following Jesus in Persecution Coloring Sheet



“But he who received the seed on stony places, this is he who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; yet he has no root in himself, but endures only for a while. For when tribulation or persecution arises because of the word, immediately he stumbles” (Matthew 13:20-21).

Following Jesus Matching Activity

All Ages

Instructions: Draw a line matching the citation with the verse that goes with it.

Hebrews 12:11

“And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance.”

James 1:2-3

“These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world.”

Matthew 5:10

“If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me before it hated you. If you were of the world, the world would love its own. Yet because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. Remember the word that I said to you, ‘A servant is not greater than his master.’ If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you. If they kept My word, they will keep yours also.”

Romans 5:3

John 16:33

“My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience.”

John 15:18-20

“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”

“Now no chastening seems to be joyful for the present, but painful; nevertheless, afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.”



Following Jesus

Fill in the Blank and Matching Activity

Instructions: Using a New King James Version Bible, fill in the blanks below. Then, match the ground with its correct meaning.

Matthew 13:3-9

“Then He spoke many things to them in _____, saying: ‘Behold, a sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell by the _____; and the _____ came and _____ them. Some fell on _____ places, where they did not have much _____; and they immediately _____ up because they had no depth of earth. But when the sun was up they were _____, and because they had no _____ they _____ away. And some fell among _____, and the thorns sprang up and _____ them. But others fell on good ground and _____ a crop: some a _____, some sixty, some thirty. He who has ears to _____, let him _____!’”

Wayside

“He who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and produces: some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.”

Stony Places

Thorns

“He who hears the word, and the cares of this world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and he becomes unfruitful.”

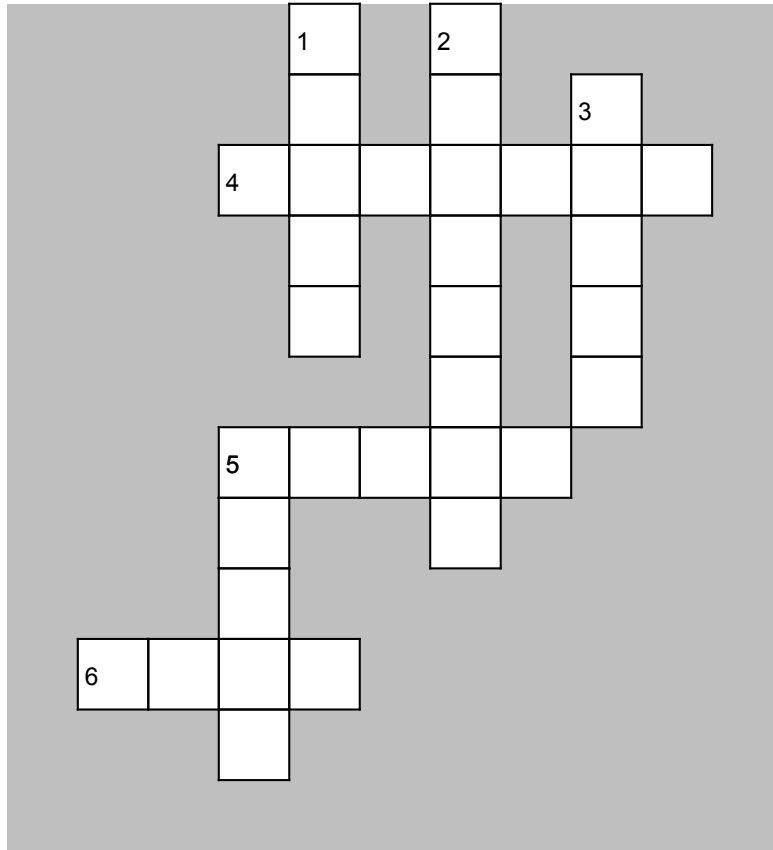
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“When anyone hears the word of the kingdom, and does not understand it, then the wicked one comes and snatches away what was sown in his heart.”



Following Jesus Crossword Puzzle



Across

4. Was stoned for preaching the truth
5. The apostle that was killed by Herod
6. _____ and Silas were thrown into prison.

Down

1. Was thrown in prison after a lame man was healed
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3. Killed James and John the Baptizer
5. If we are following _____, we will be different from many of the people around us.

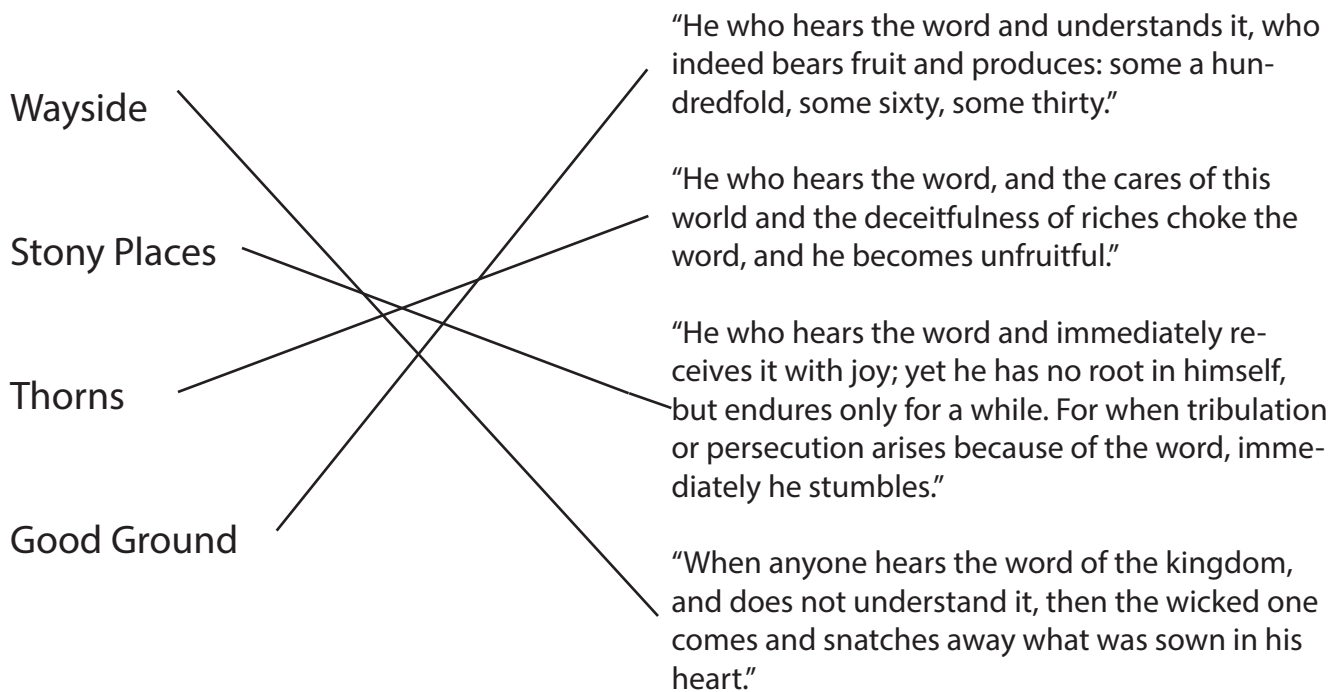


Answer Key

Fill in the Blank

“Then He spoke many things to them in **parables**, saying: ‘Behold, a sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell by the **wayside**; and the **birds** came and **devoured** them. Some fell on **stony** places, where they did not have much **earth**; and they immediately **sprang** up because they had no depth of earth. But when the sun was up they were **scorched**, and because they had no **root** they **withered** away. And some fell among **thorns**, and the thorns sprang up and **choked** them. But others fell on good ground and **yielded** a crop: some a **hundredfold**, some sixty, some thirty. He who has ears to **hear**, let him **hear**” (Matthew 13:3-9).

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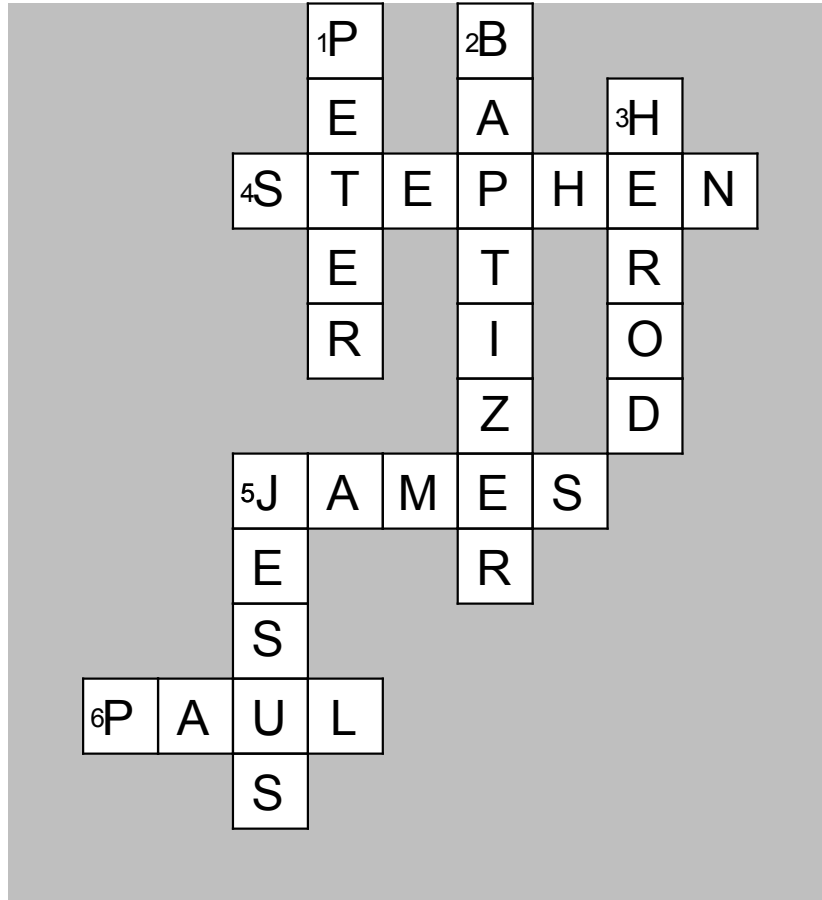
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2. John the _____ was beheaded because he was not afraid to preach the truth to Herod.
3. Killed James and John the Baptizer
5. If we are following _____, we will be different from many of the people around us.