








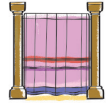



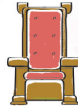





































Secret Message

INSTRUCTIONS: Use the code to find out the secret message.

						
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BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- God called Isaiah to be a prophet.
- Isaiah knew his sin made him unworthy to be near God.
- God forgave Isaiah's sins and gave him a message for God's people.
- The prophet Isaiah told about the Messiah.

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Chronicles 7:14

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why was Isaiah scared to stand before God?
- Who is the Suffering Servant? How do we know?
- How did Jesus suffer for our sin?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Decorate your home to look like a fancy restaurant. Invite your family to wear formal clothing and wait on them as a servant might. Discuss how Jesus proved that He is the greatest servant, and suffered to take away our sins.



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Temple Reforms

INSTRUCTIONS: Find the seven differences between the top and bottom version of the picture.



BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Judah had mostly bad kings, but some were good.
- Hezekiah got rid of places people went to worship false gods.
- Josiah fixed up the temple and found the book of the law.
- Hezekiah and Josiah led the people back to God.

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Chronicles 7:14

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why didn't the people follow God forever after the good kings died?
- Who is our perfect King forever?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Work with your kids to plan different "King (or Queen) for a Day" events for each of them. Assign them different days on which they can make a few house rules that others will need to follow on that day. Talk about what it takes to be a good ruler and what makes Jesus our perfect King.

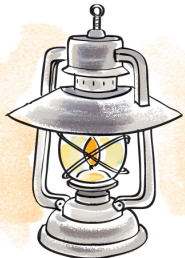
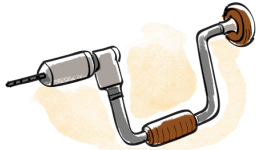
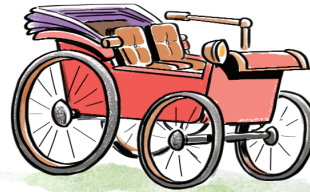
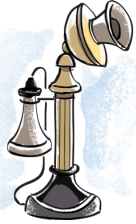


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New and Better

INSTRUCTIONS: Next to each bit of old technology, draw what the modern version looks like.



BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- God called Jeremiah to be a prophet.
- Jeremiah told people that their hearts trick them.
- Jeremiah told God's people about a new and better covenant.

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Chronicles 7:14

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

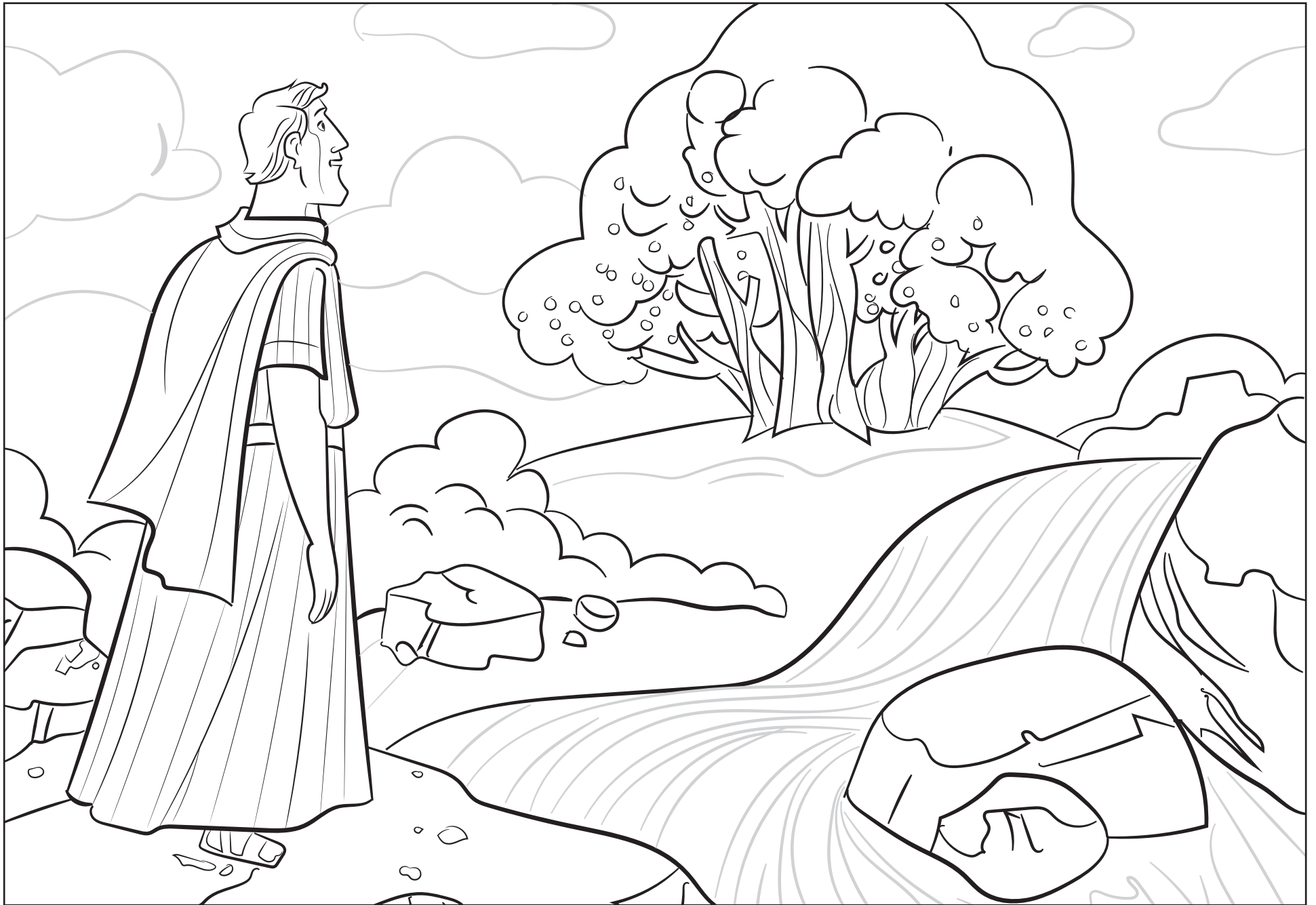
- What did the old covenant require?
- What would make the new covenant so good?
- Who made the new covenant come true? How did He do that?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Plan a trip to a local flea market or second hand store. Work with your kids to select an item that you think you can “flip” into something new and better. Over the next few weeks, work on this renovation project and discuss how Jesus gives us new hearts that are better.




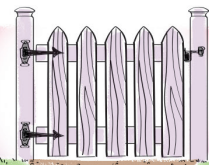




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**STORY POINT: JEREMIAH TOLD GOD'S PEOPLE ABOUT
A NEW AND BETTER COVENANT.**

From Hate to Love

INSTRUCTIONS: Change one letter at a time to make new words, ending with the word love.

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BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Habakkuk felt like only evil was happening all around him.
- When he asked God to stop evil, God said He planned to use evil people to punish Judah's sin.
- Habakkuk did not understand why God would use evil to punish evil.
- Habakkuk learned to have faith and trust in God.

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Chronicles 7:14

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why is there still evil in the world?
- How can we trust God when we face difficult times or evil events?
- Who defeated evil once and for all?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Talk to your kids about evil in the world. Remind them that, although many difficult and bad things happen, God is ultimately in control. Encourage them to think of ways they can be part of God's good work in the world.



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Bound in Chains

INSTRUCTIONS: Add chains and handcuffs to the picture.



Younger Kids Activity Pages

Unit 15 • Session 5 Judah Taken Captive

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- Judah had mostly bad kings, and the people continued disobeying God.
- God sent many prophets to warn the people and tell them to follow God.
- Judah ignored God's prophets and was captured.

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Chronicles 7:14

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- How is God loving to punish sin?
- Did God abandon His people when they were captured? Why or why not?
- Who took our punishment for us?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Organize a game of capture the flag with your family and any friends your kids want to invite over. Talk about how we are born as slaves to sin, but Jesus died to set us free from sin so that we can love and obey God.



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Bone Bonanza

INSTRUCTIONS: Match each skeleton to the flesh-covered animal that it belongs to.



Younger Kids Activity Pages
Unit 15 • Session 6
Ezekiel Gave Hope

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- God showed Ezekiel a valley filled with dry bones.
- God made the bones connect and come back to life.
- The bones represented God's people; they felt hopeless.
- God planned to bring His people home and give them new life.

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Chronicles 7:14

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- How was God planning to give His people new life?
- How are we like the dry bones?
- What is our hope for the future?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Take your family to a natural history museum. Pay special attention to any skeletons that are on display. Discuss the amazing message God had given His people by bringing dry bones to life. Remind them that we can have new life only through Jesus.



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STORY POINT: GOD PLANNED TO BRING HIS PEOPLE HOME AND GIVE THEM NEW LIFE.