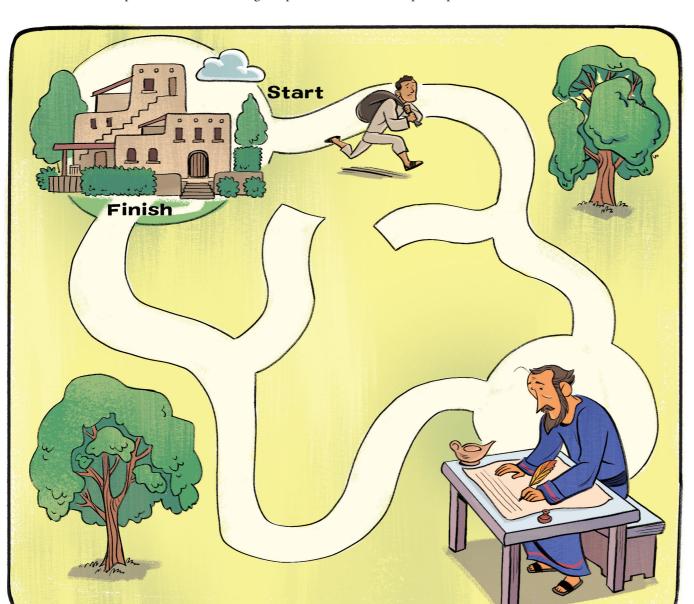
Peacemaker Maze

KEY PASSAGE: 2 Timothy 3:16

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete the maze, marking the path for Onesimus to pick up a letter from Paul and take it back to Philemon.



BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

 How do we live while waiting for Jesus to come back? We follow Jesus and tell everyone about Him.

BIBLE STORY: PAUL'S LETTER TO PHILEMON

- Onesimus ran away.
- Paul told Onesimus the truth about Jesus and he believed.
- Onesimus needed to go back to Philemon and ask forgiveness.
- Paul told Philemon to forgive his servant.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why did Onesimus need to ask Philemon to forgive him?
- What did Paul mean when he said that Onesimus was Philemon's brother?
- Who makes peace between God and us? How?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Pray for brothers and sisters in Christ around the world.
- Invite believers of a different ethnicity or background than yours to share a meal with your family. Talk about how Jesus makes you brothers and sisters.





MAIN POINT: PAUL TOLD PHILEMON TO FORGIVE HIS SERVANT.

Find the Good

TGP FAMILY APP

INSTRUCTIONS: Look at the picture. Draw a circle around the people who are doing good. Draw an *X* over the people who are making a wrong choice.



KEY PASSAGE: 2 Timothy 3:16

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

 How do we live while waiting for Jesus to come back? We follow Jesus and tell everyone about Him.

BIBLE STORY: PAUL GAVE HOPE

- Paul sent Timothy to visit the believers in Thessalonica.
- Paul encouraged believers in hard times.
- Paul said Jesus would come back someday.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why was Paul worried about the believers in Thessalonica?
- Talk about things you are looking forward to when Jesus comes back.
- How does knowing Jesus is coming back give us hope?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

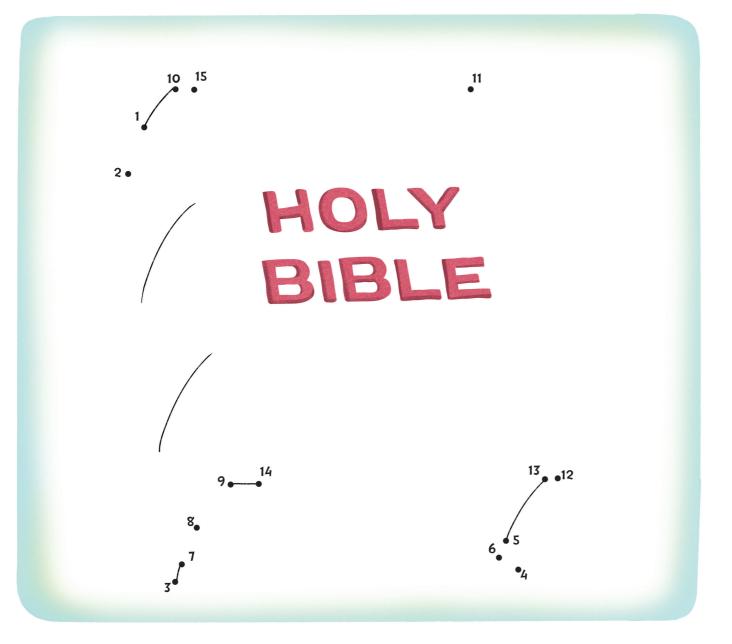
- Look at pictures of believing loved ones who have passed away. Talk about how these friends will come back with Jesus when He comes.
- Volunteer at a local cemetery to pick up trash. Consider placing flowers on a forgotten grave.





Discover God's Truth

INSTRUCTIONS: Connect the dots to complete the picture. What do you see?



KEY PASSAGE: 2 Timothy 3:16

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

 How do we live while waiting for Jesus to come back? We follow Jesus and tell everyone about Him.

BIBLE STORY: REMEMBER GOD'S TRUTH

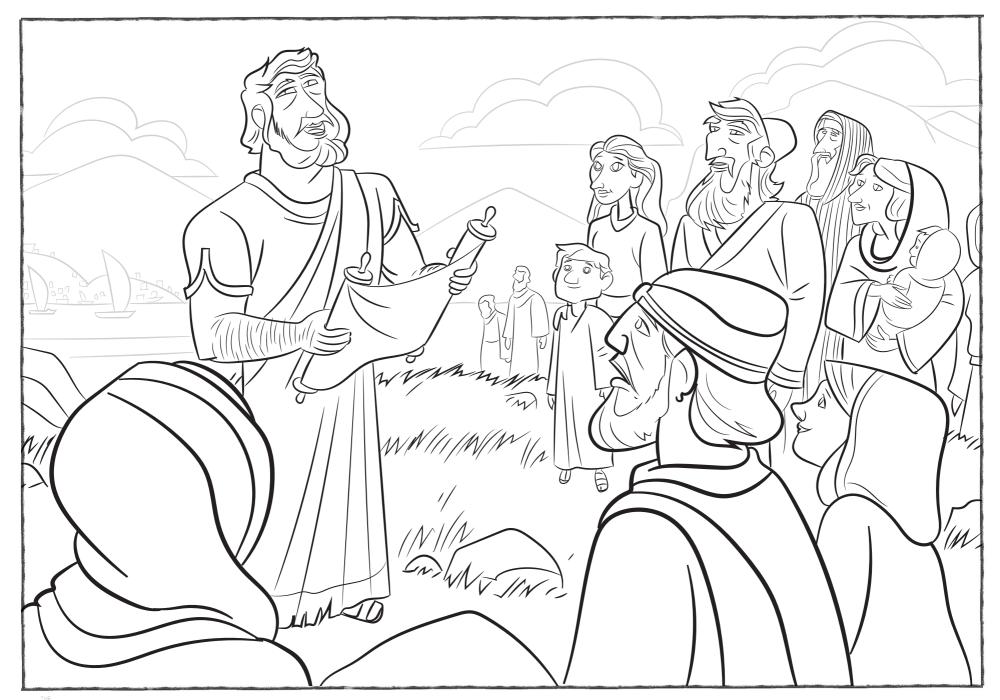
- Jude wrote a letter to believers.
- Jude said to watch out for people who sin and say wrong things about Jesus.
- Jude told believers to always remember God's truth.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- What kind of people did Jude tell believers to look out for?
- How can we know what is true about Jesus?
- Who protects us from sin?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Play a game where you say statements and children must decide if the statement is true or false. Emphasize that knowing what is true about Jesus is most important.
- Practice saying the key passage, 2 Timothy 3:16, from memory as a family.

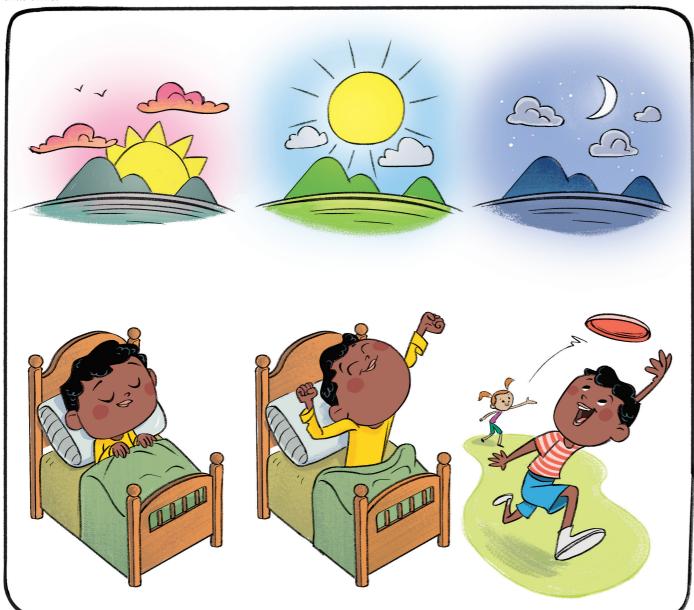




All the Time

TGP FAMILY APP

INSTRUCTIONS: Draw a line connecting the time of day on the top row with the action in the bottom row that you would do at that time.



KEY PASSAGE: 2 Timothy 3:16

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

 How do we live while waiting for Jesus to come back? We follow Jesus and tell everyone about Him.

BIBLE STORY: WHILE WE WAIT

- Peter wrote a letter to believers.
- Peter wrote that Jesus will come back soon.
- No one knows exactly when Jesus will come, so we must always be ready.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Why does it seem that God is slow in sending Jesus back to earth?
- How does God show that He is patient?
- How can we be ready for Jesus' return?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Pray for unbelieving friends and family to turn from sin and follow Jesus before He comes back.
- Take children to a flea market. Find an old item that your family can restore or otherwise "flip" into a new item.



