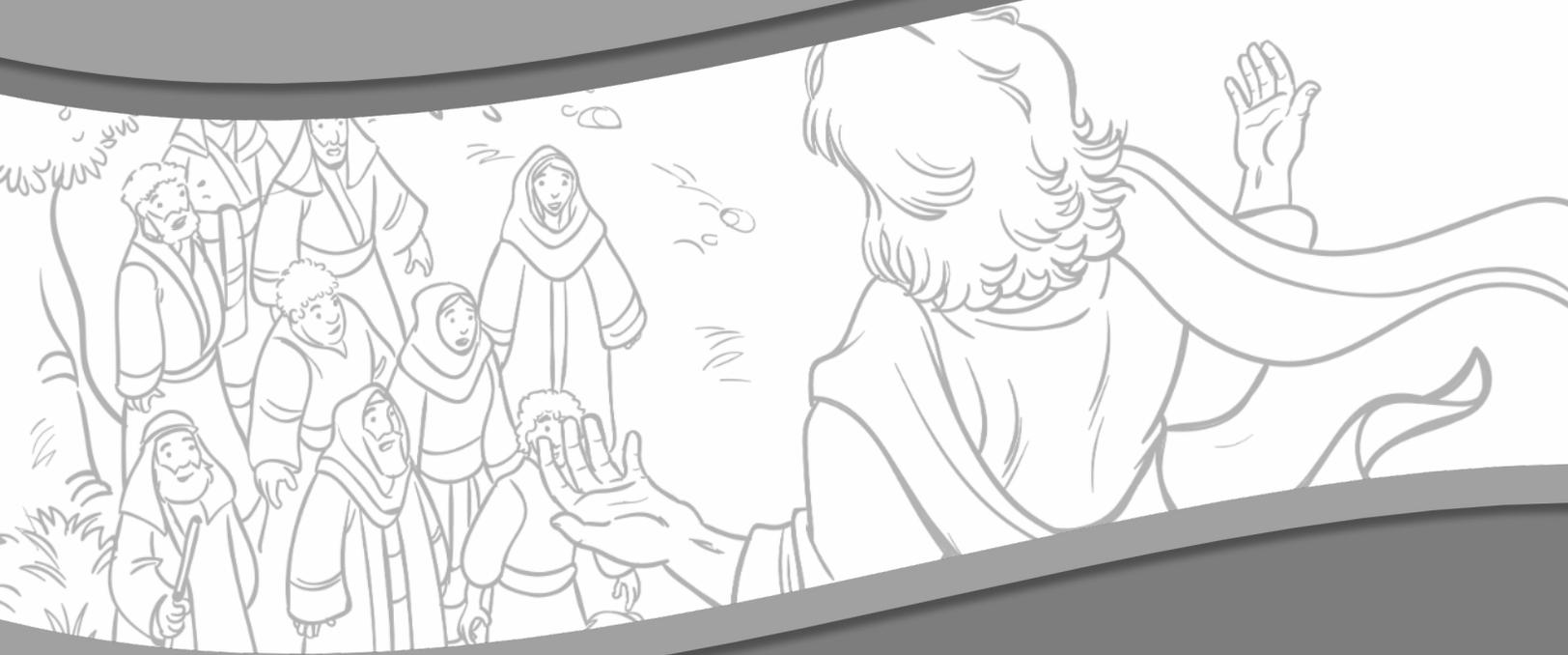




**NEW KING JAMES  
VERSION (NKJV)**



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**LUKE 24:50-53,  
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## UNDERSTANDING THE STORY:

**Jesus died on the cross, He was buried, and then He came alive after three days.**

- What can you remember about Jesus dying? Why did He, the perfect Son of God, have to die?
- After Jesus died on the cross, where did they put His body? If you were watching as Jesus died and His body was put in the tomb, what would you have been feeling?
- After three days, what did Jesus do? Because Jesus rose from the dead, what does that teach us about Jesus?

**After Jesus came alive, He stayed on the earth for 40 more days teaching about God's kingdom.**

- Jesus told His disciples to tell people all over the world about the good news of Jesus (Mark 16:15). What's the good news that Jesus wants all people to hear?

**God had a special promise for His children.**

- What did Jesus command? (Stay in Jerusalem.) Why were they supposed to wait?
- What was this Promise of the Father? (God would give them the Holy Spirit in a special way and they would have power from Him to do what God wanted.)
- Jesus said that they would have power from the Holy Spirit to be a witness - to tell others the good news of Jesus. Where did Jesus want His disciples to go with this good news?

**It was time for Jesus to go back to heaven...**

- After Jesus finished speaking to His disciples where did Jesus go?
- While they looked up as Jesus went, who came and talked to the disciples?

**Jesus returned to heaven where His Father is.**

- Did the work of Jesus keep going when He went back to heaven? How?
- Because God the Holy Spirit was given to each child of God, could God now do many wonderful things through His children? Could many more people hear the good news of Jesus?

## SIMPLE TRUTHS:

**Jesus is still in heaven today.**

- Do you know that Jesus is preparing a home in heaven for His children?
- Think of the love Jesus has. He died on the cross for you and for me and He wants us to be with Him in heaven one day. What must we do to be able to live forever with Jesus?

**God promises His children today the same special promise of the Holy Spirit.**

- Do you want God the Holy Spirit to help you follow Jesus and have power to tell others about Him?
- If you are God's child, you can ask God to give you this special promise too. God wants you to have the Holy Spirit just like the disciples did.
- God wants to use you to help other people know how much He loves them. Jesus came to save people from sin and hell, and to bring them true life. Let's pray that we will help people know Jesus.

## AND REMEMBER...

*Jesus is still doing amazing things because of His great love for people.*

## MEMORY VERSE:

*"But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." Acts 1:8*

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## KEY WORDS FROM BIBLE STORY

JESUS      POWER  
PROMISE    HEAVEN  
FATHER      GOD

FIND THE **KEY WORDS** IN THE **WORDSEARCH**. THE FIRST LETTER OF EACH KEY WORD IS **BOLDED** IN WORDSEARCH.

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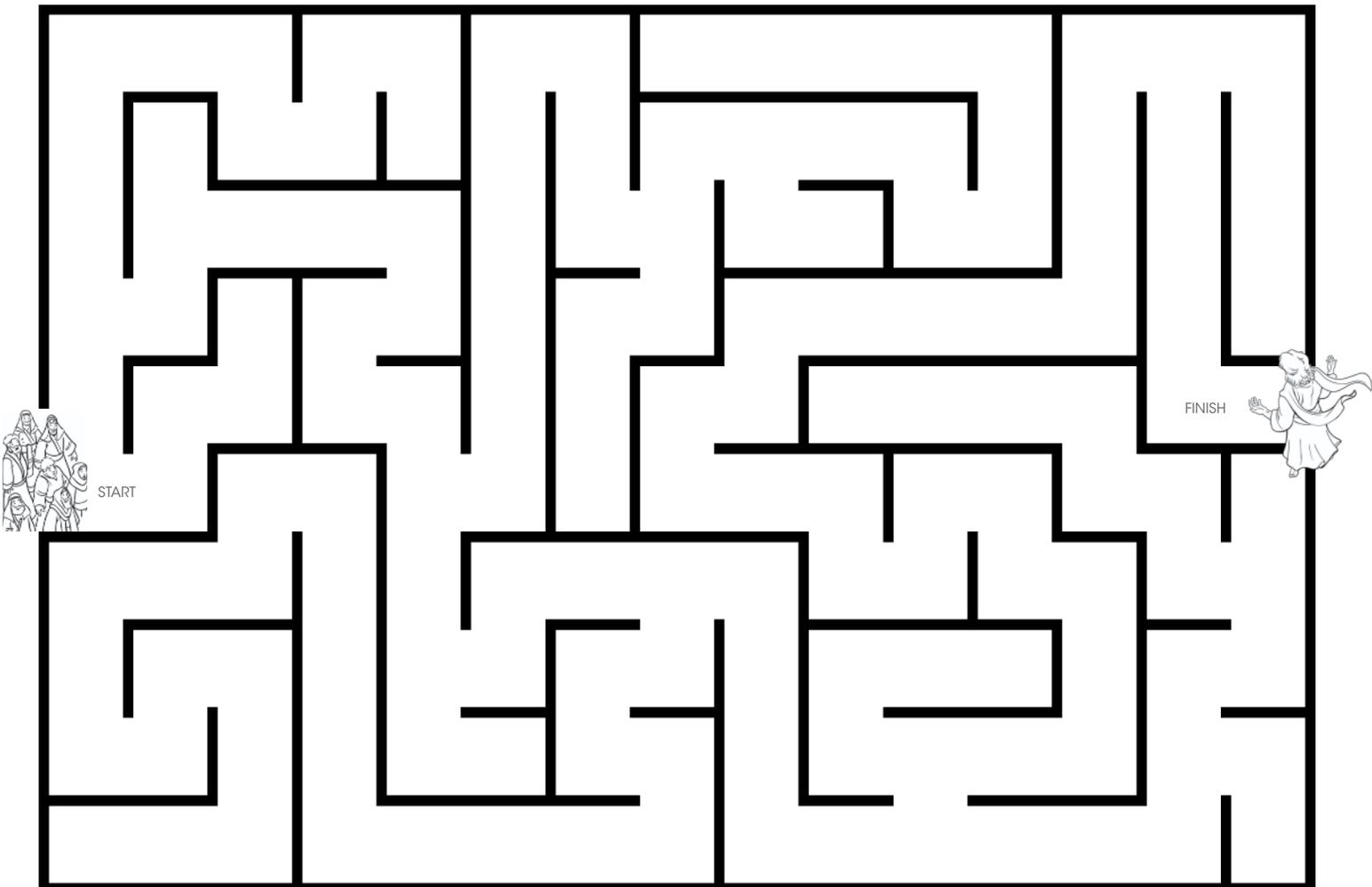
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# JESUS GOES TO HEAVEN FIND THE DIFFERENCES

ORIGINAL



CHANGES



# JESUS GOES TO HEAVEN <sup>THE</sup> CRAFT

## WHAT YOU WILL NEED:

- Scissors
- Tape **OR** Glue

## BEFORE CLASS INSTRUCTIONS:

1. After making your copies, use scissors to cut out image of Jesus.



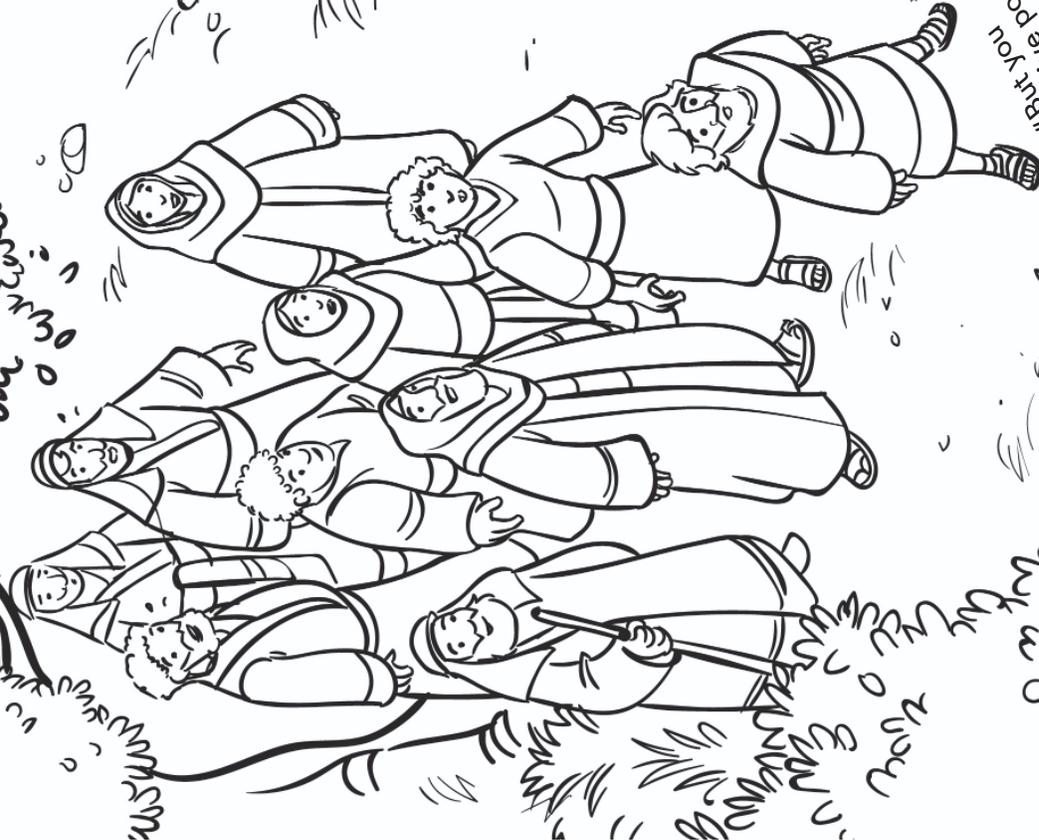
## DURING CLASS INSTRUCTIONS:

1. During class, help children tape **OR** glue Jesus onto their craft sheet (*see coloring page for placement example*).

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