
Go and Tell Bible Truth Concept Craft

Jesus Died on the Cross for the Sins of God's People

Craft Description

The children will create a card that reminds them that Jesus took upon Himself the sins of God's people to save them.

Materials

White paper or cardstock
Markers or crayons
Red craft foil or red construction paper
Black construction paper
Sticky back Velcro, 2 hook side, 1 fuzzy side, each about 1" long
Glue

Preparations

1. Print out the craft pages and make 1 copy per child of them on white paper or cardstock.
2. Cut red foil paper/construction paper into little squares.
3. Cut the velcro pieces. Cut out the black "sin" picture.
4. Fold craft page down middle of long side.
5. Set out markers/crayons and glue.

Introducing the Craft:

"Our Big Question is: 'What Did Jesus Come to Do?' We've learned that 'Jesus Came to Bring Us to God.... He Died on the Cross for the Sins of God's People.' That's something very good to know. But many people don't know it! So do you know what God wants us to do? He wants us to go and tell others this very important news. Today we are going to make something we can show and tell them, too. Here's what it looks like..." (Hold up example of craft)

Directions

1. Show children your finished craft, reading the words to them.
2. Have the children color in the pictures of Jesus and God's people on the inside of the card.
3. Have the children fill in the heart on the front of the card with the little red squares of paper.
4. Teacher sticks a hook piece on the middle of the God's people picture and the Jesus on the cross picture. Then stick the fuzzy piece on the back of the black "sin" picture. Stick it in place on velcro piece on God's people.
5. Show the child how Jesus took the sins of God's people and paid for them on the cross. Detach the "sin" picture from God's people and attach it to Jesus.
6. Make sure to write each child's name on their craft.
7. If you have time, you can practice saying the words on the card and moving the sin from God's people to Jesus.

Discussion

This is an especially good time to re-read the key concepts and discuss them. See Deep Down Discussion Sheet for possible questions to talk about.

Craft Wrap Up:

"At the end of our time together today, you get to take home your Go and Tell crafts. And what are you going to do with them? Show and tell someone the important news you've learned today: Jesus Came to Bring Us to God... He died on the cross for God's people's sins!"



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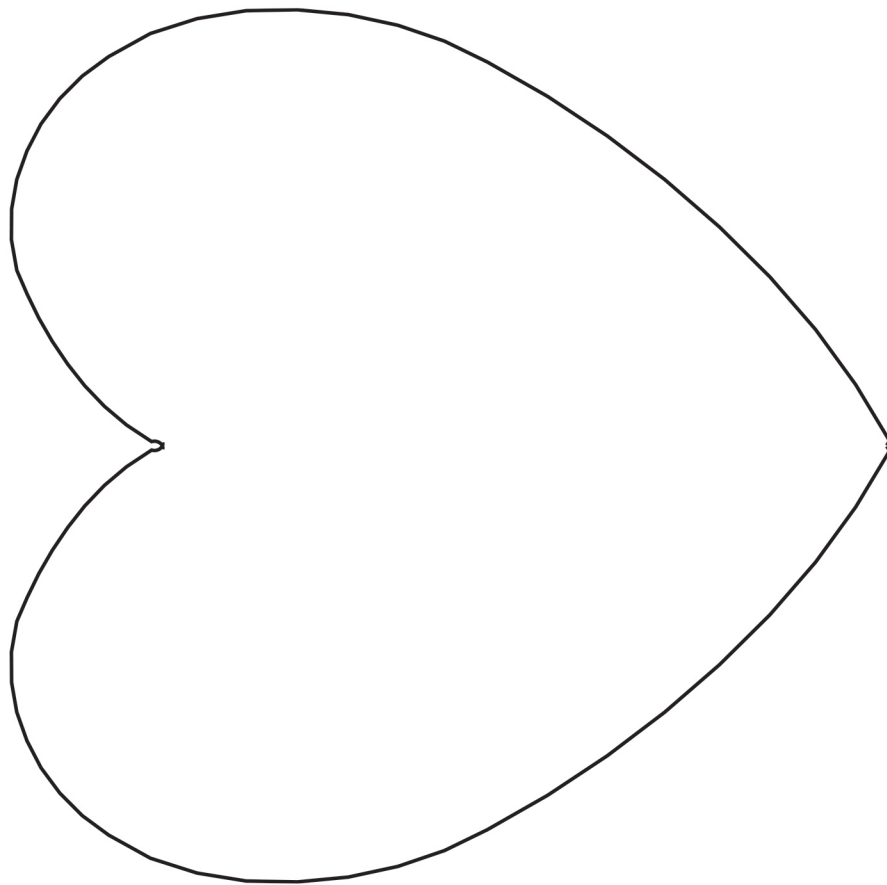


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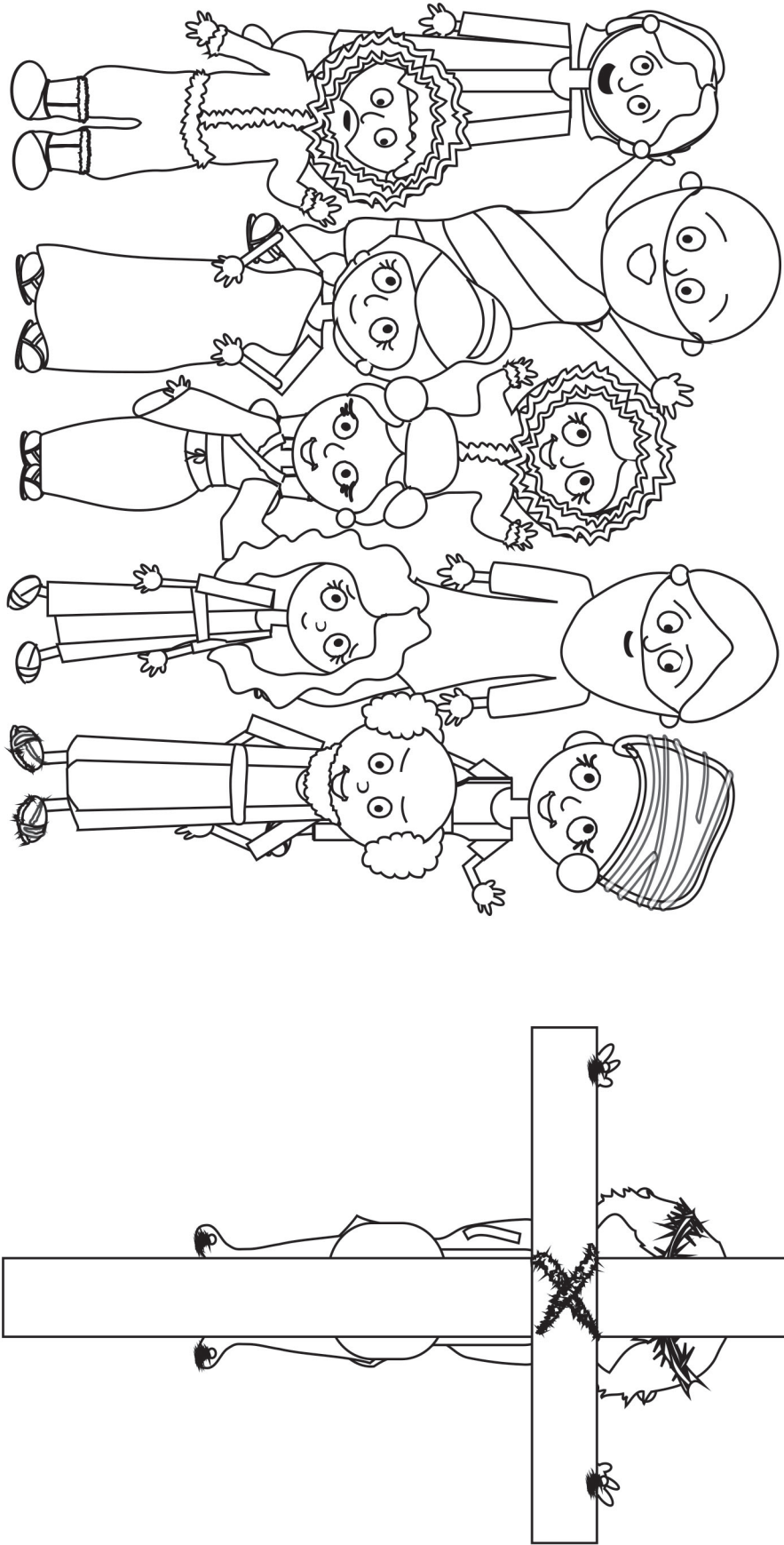
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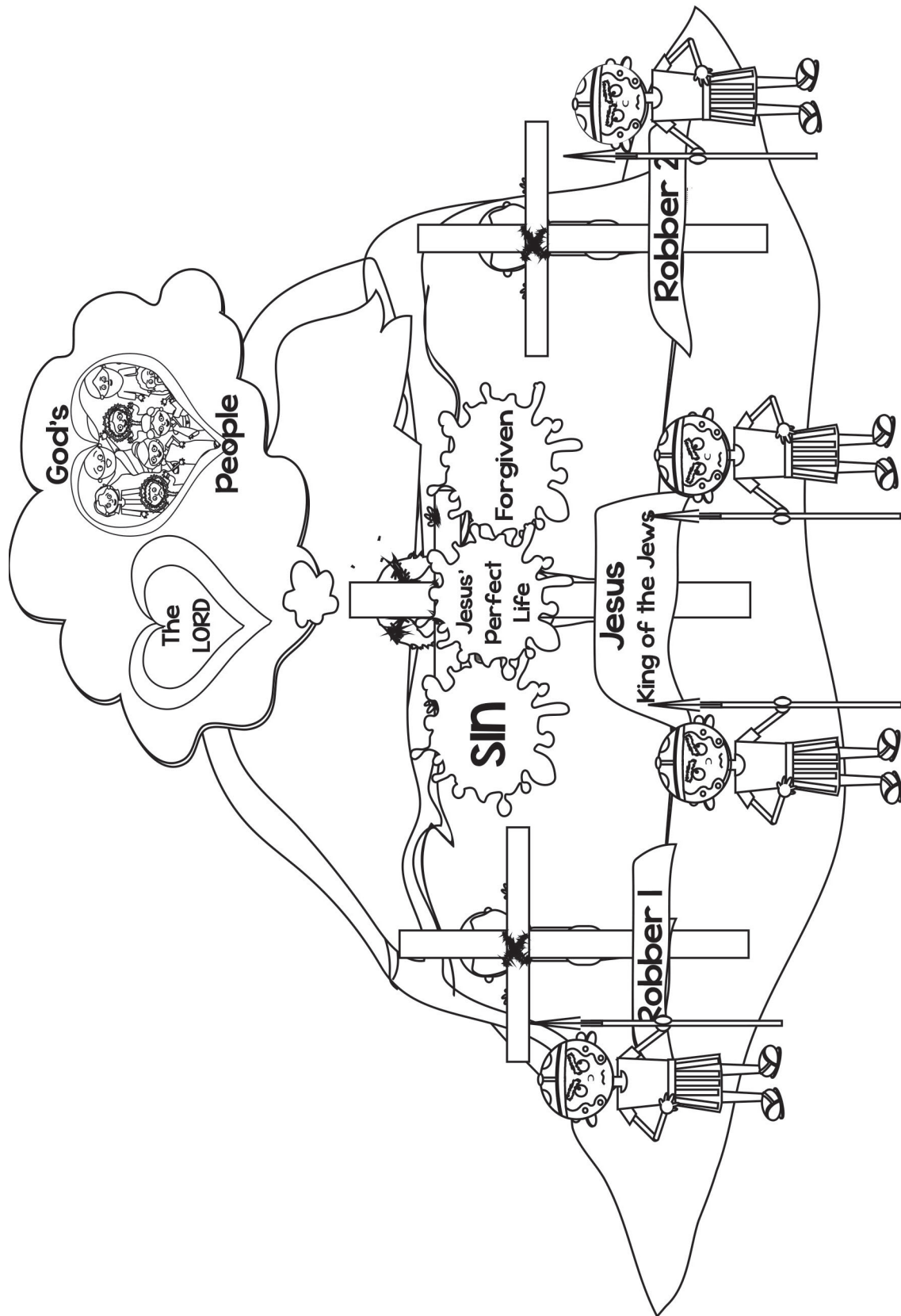
**“I will ransom them
from the
power of the grave,
I will redeem them
from death.”
Hosea 13:14**

He sent Jesus to pay for the sins of God's people on the cross!



**Who are God's people? They are all those who tury away from disobeying
God and trust in Jesus as their Savior!**

This is God's promise to all... even to you and me!



Our Big Question is: "What Did Jesus Come to Do?" We've learned that "Jesus Came to Bring Us to God... He Died on the Cross for the Sins of God's People!" That was the only way God's people could be forgiven their sins. You see, all people have chosen to disobey God and His good ways. No one lives the perfect life that pleases God. That is why we all deserve His punishment! God would have been perfectly fair to punish us for our sins. But, He is so full of mercy and love that He chose to make a way for us to be saved. He sent Jesus to live the perfectly obedient life that none of us have lived. Then, Jesus offered up His perfect life to be the full payment for the sins of all who would ever turn away from disobeying God and trust in Jesus as their Savior. We, too, can be God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our own Savior.

The Case of the Great Price Jigsaw Puzzle Page Matthew 27; Mark 15; Luke 23; John 19

Make copies of picture and cut out into an appropriate number of pieces for your children.

Or, you can print out color versions of this puzzle by downloading it from praisefactory.org.

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