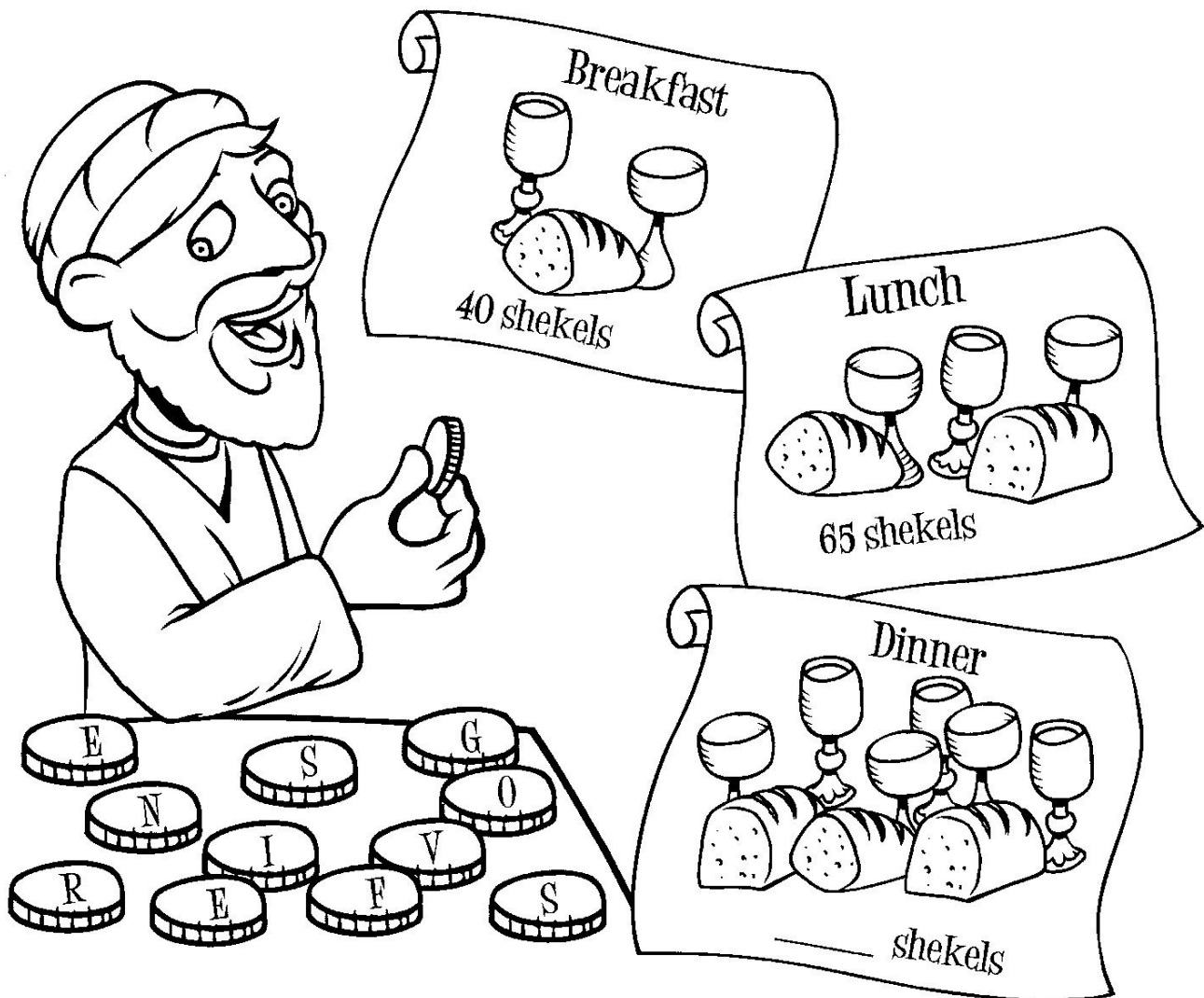


ZACCHAEUS

Luke 19:1-10

The Challenge

Unscramble the letters on Zacchaeus's coins to find a word that tells a way God shows love for us. Write the letters on the blank lines.
(Hint: It's something Zacchaeus experienced!)



The Super Challenge

Zacchaeus bought 2 goblets of water and a loaf of bread for breakfast. He paid 40 shekels. At lunchtime he bought 3 goblets of water and 2 loaves of bread. Lunch cost him 65 shekels.

How much did a goblet of water cost? _____

How much did he pay for dinner? _____

THE BIBLE TIMES HERALD

A SPECIAL REPORT ON LUKE 19:1-10

ZACCHAEUS



Jesus was passing through Jericho when he saw a man named Zacchaeus. Zacchaeus was a tax collector who wanted to see Jesus as he passed by.

Because he was a short man, he climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see Jesus.

When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, “Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today.” So Zacchaeus came down and welcomed Jesus into his home.

The people watching began to mutter, “He has gone to be the guest of a ‘sinner.’”

Zacchaeus said to Jesus, “Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount.”

Jesus said to Zacchaeus, “Today salvation has come to this house. For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost.”

For additional details about this story, please read Luke 19:1-10 in your Bible.

QUESTIONS

1. What was Zacchaeus’ problem in the story?
2. Why were people upset that Jesus was going to eat at Zacchaeus’ house?
3. What did Zacchaeus do as a result of meeting Jesus?
4. Why do you think Zacchaeus wanted to give back more than he needed to?

MEMORY VERSE

“...There is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.” Luke 15:10

FINISH THE PICTURE



Ideas For Home:

Today your child learned that Zacchaeus climbed a tree to see Jesus. Jesus knew Zacchaeus needed forgiveness.

1. Have your child finish coloring this book.
2. Help your child learn the *Memory Verse*.
3. Practice the *Bible Story Rhyme*.
4. Read and discuss the bible story with your child.
5. Encourage your child to ask for forgiveness when he/she sins.

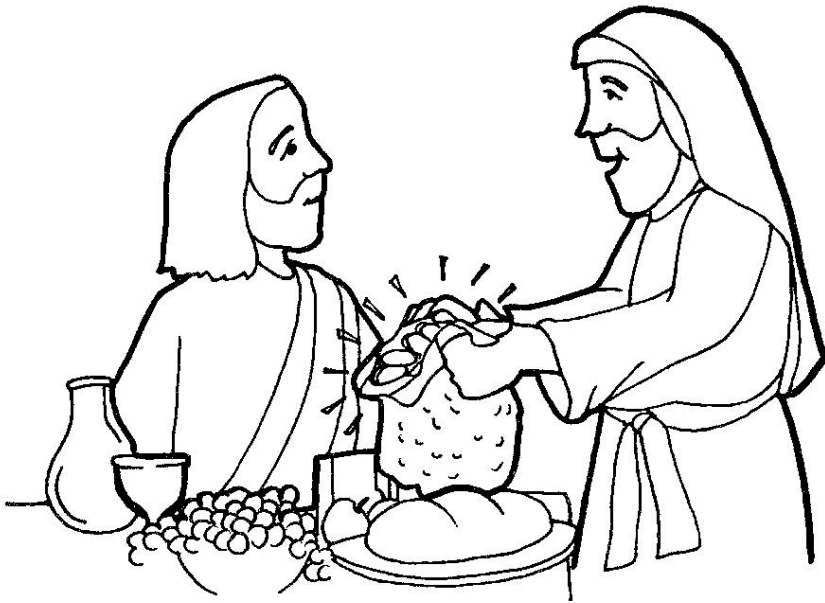
Bible Story Mini Book

Zacchaeus

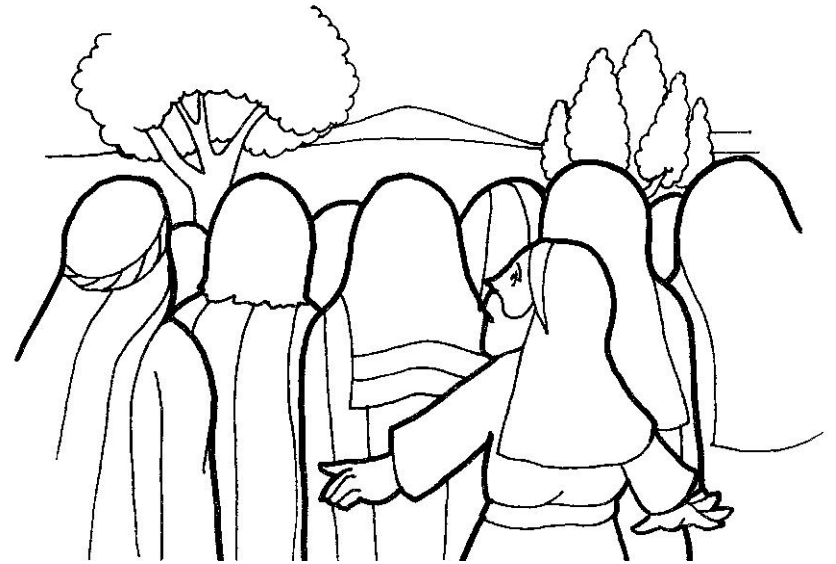


Luke 19:1-10

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Zacchaeus realized he was a sinner. He decided to give half his money to the poor.



Zacchaeus wanted to see Jesus when he came to town, but he was too short.

Memory Verse

“...there is rejoicing...over one
sinner who repents.”

Luke 15:10

Bible Story Rhyme

Zacchaeus wasn't very tall,

*(Hand out as if touching Zacchaeus on the
head)*

He couldn't see above them all.

*(Pretend to shield your eyes from the sun
while looking around)*

So, he climbed up in a tree,

(Pretend to climb a tree)

It was Jesus he could see!

*(Touch your right pointer finger to your left
palm and then your left pointer finger to your
right palm)*



**Zacchaeus climbed up in
a tree to see Jesus.**

Have You Ever Sinned?

The Bible teaches that we have *all* sinned and do not measure up to God's glory. It also teaches that the price for sin is death which separates us from God. But even though we are sinners, Christ died for us and paid the price for our sin. We just need to ask him to forgive us and receive his free gift of salvation. Just pray this prayer, with a sincere heart, and Jesus will forgive you of your sins. You will become a child of God and live with Him in heaven.

“Dear Jesus,

Please forgive me for the bad things that I have done. Please come into my heart and be my Lord and savior. In your name I pray, Amen.”



Jesus stopped and told
Zacchaeus to come down.
Jesus wanted go to
Zacchaeus' house.