

Craft Supplies:

- Large Paper Plate
- Green Tissue Paper
- Kid Friendly Scissors
- Hand-Held Stapler
- School Glue
- Yellow Cardstock Paper
- Scrapbook Paper
- Marker or Pencil



Directions:

- First cut your paper plate in half. This will make TWO Easter crafts. You will only need ONE half. Set aside your paper plate.
- Next grab your green tissue paper and cut it into small squares and place in a pile.
- Now grab your paper plate half and put a good amount of glue all over the paper plate.
- Place the tissue paper on top of the glue, until it's completely covered. This will represent the grass/hill.
- Set it aside till later.
- Out of the scrapbook paper, cut out a simple cross shape. Decorate as you would like.
- Out of the yellow cardstock, trace your hands and trim out.
- To finish off the **Paper Plate Easter Scene** – staple your paper pieces in place on the paper plate. The cross should be in the centre and the handprints on the side to represent the sun rising.
- Then display proudly for ALL to see!!

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Matthew 28: 6

He is not here, for he is
risen, as he said.

Good Friday

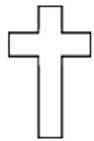
Good Friday is a time in our lives where we stop to celebrate and remember the greatest sacrifice to be ever made within the world. This was the sacrifice of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ who took the sin of the world upon his shoulders and died on the cross.

This was the fulfilment of God's promise and plan to bring back hope and love into the world.

Luke Ch 24:7

Saying, the son of man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again.

What Happened on Good Friday?

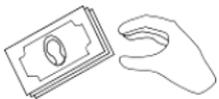


Jesus died on the cross to pay for my sins.

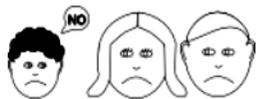
This means that I can pray and ask God to forgive my sins.



What are sins? A sin is anything I do that doesn't please God.
Circle each picture that shows a sin.



stealing



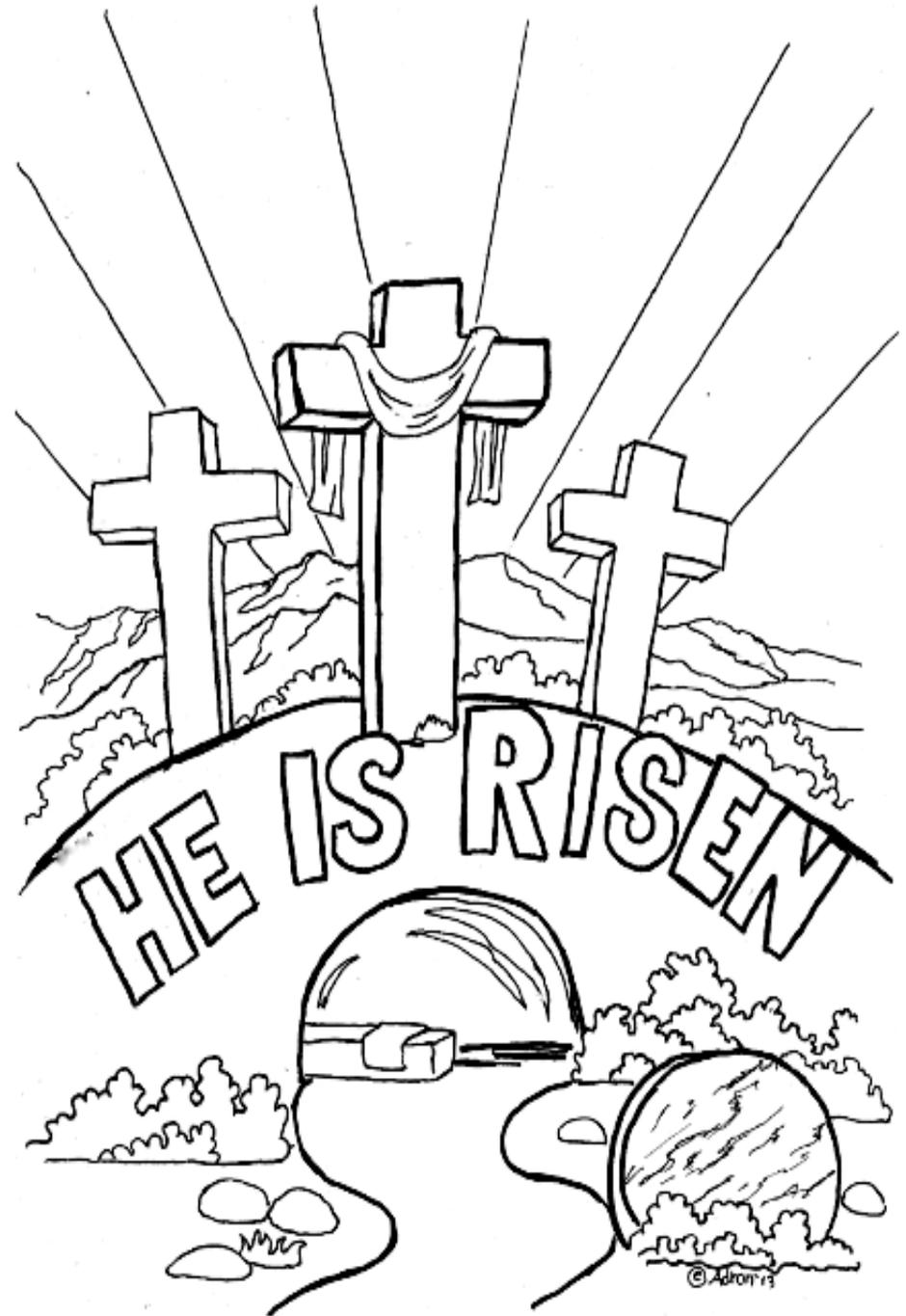
talking back to my parents



sharing



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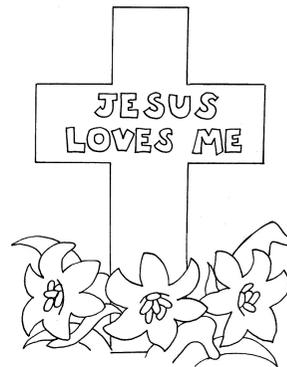


Easter

At we remember that

died on the to show us his

He died on Good and rose again on



Fill in the blanks using the words from the boxes below.

Easter	Jesus	cross
love.	Friday	Easter
Sunday.		

What Happened on Easter?



On Easter morning Jesus came back to life.

Later he went back to live in heaven.

This means that Jesus can give me new life.

I can be happy now and go to heaven later.



Easter Sunday

Easter Sunday is a special day that is celebrated within the world. It is also known as the Resurrection when we celebrate new life and a new beginning. On the first Easter morning the stone was found rolled away and Jesus was not there. Jesus had risen from the grave! Through his resurrection he had now fulfilled the victory for God by overcoming His enemies which were sin, hell and death.

By fulfilling this work for his father, Jesus restored hope and trust in the word of God. In our life we need to be like Jesus, showing strength, courage and love as Jesus did when he died for our sins.

Deuteronomy Ch 31:6

Be strong and of a good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them, for the Lord thy God, he it is that doth go with thee, he will not fail thee, nor forsake thee.

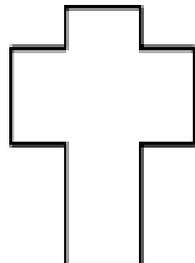
Easter Word Search

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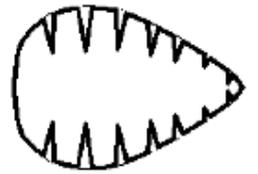
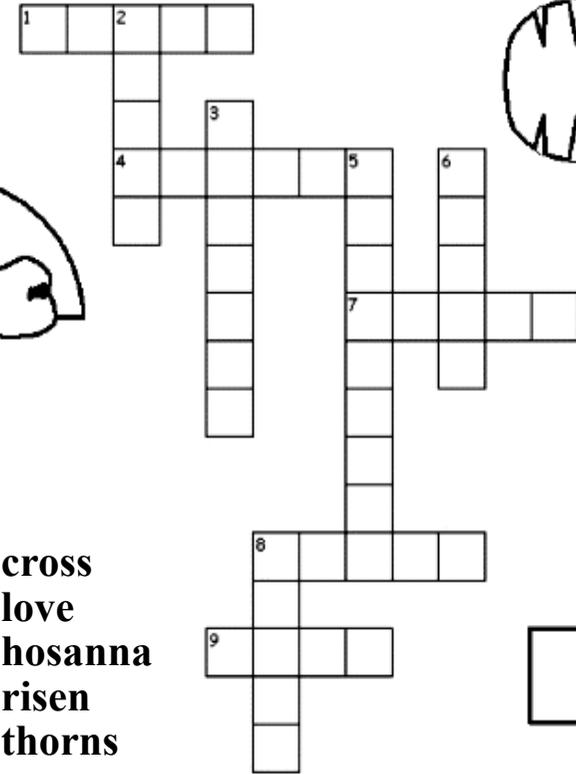


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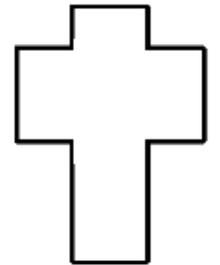
SACRIFICE
 SIN
 SON
 STONE
 THORNS
 TOMB

Easter Crossword



Word List

bread cross
 sacrifice love
 stone hosanna
 empty risen
 slept thorns



Across

1. Taking this during the last supper symbolised Jesus' body.
4. Jesus was forced to wear a crown made of these.
7. The angel told the women "Jesus isn't here. Jesus is _____."
8. Instead of praying the disciples did this when Jesus went off to pray by himself.
9. The main reason God gave his only son, Jesus to die for each of us.

Down

2. On Sunday the two Mary's found a tomb that was _____.
3. The word people shouted that means blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
5. Jesus became the _____ for us so we could be forgiven for our sins.
6. Jesus was meant to die on this.
8. This was put in front of the tomb so nobody could steal Jesus' body.



Jesus and His disciples at the Last Supper - we follow this example at communion time.

CAN YOU GUESS WHO I AM?

Draw a line from the clue to the person it describes.



Mary Magdalene

I was crying, but then I heard Jesus say my name and saw Him standing in front of me!

I was guarding Jesus' tomb. When I saw the angel, I got very scared.



Simon Peter



Angel

Jesus asked me if I loved Him three times - and I said "Yes".

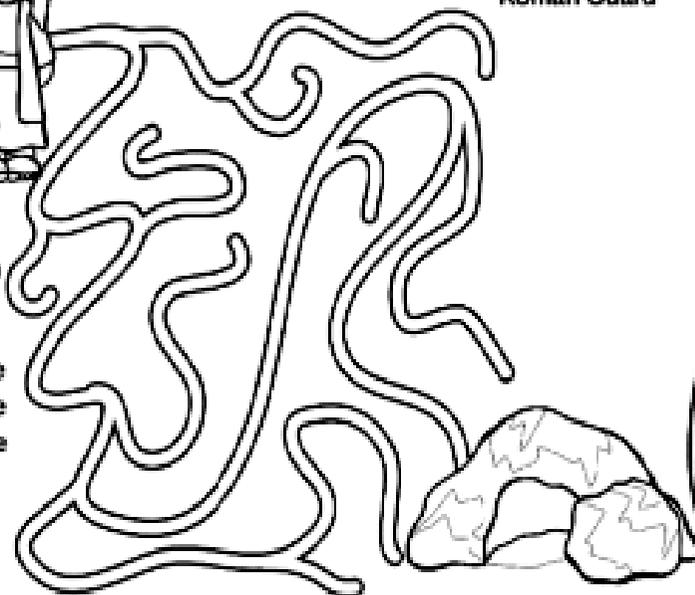
I told the women, "Do not be afraid; Jesus has risen from the dead!"



Roman Guard



Can you help the disciples and the women get to the empty tomb?



HE IS RISEN

Spot 8 differences between the two pictures.



Easter Egg Symmetry

Complete the egg designs so that both sides are the same.

