

# God speaks through Elijah and Elisha From 1 & 2 Kings

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Session:	Date:	Leader's name:
Start up		Comments
Chat time		
Bible focus		
Teaching time		
Activities		
Bringing it together &	& prayer	
Notes for next week:		

# Sing at least two lines of a song.

Say your seven times table.

Tell us five words that rhyme with 'rhyme'.

Name six makes of cars.

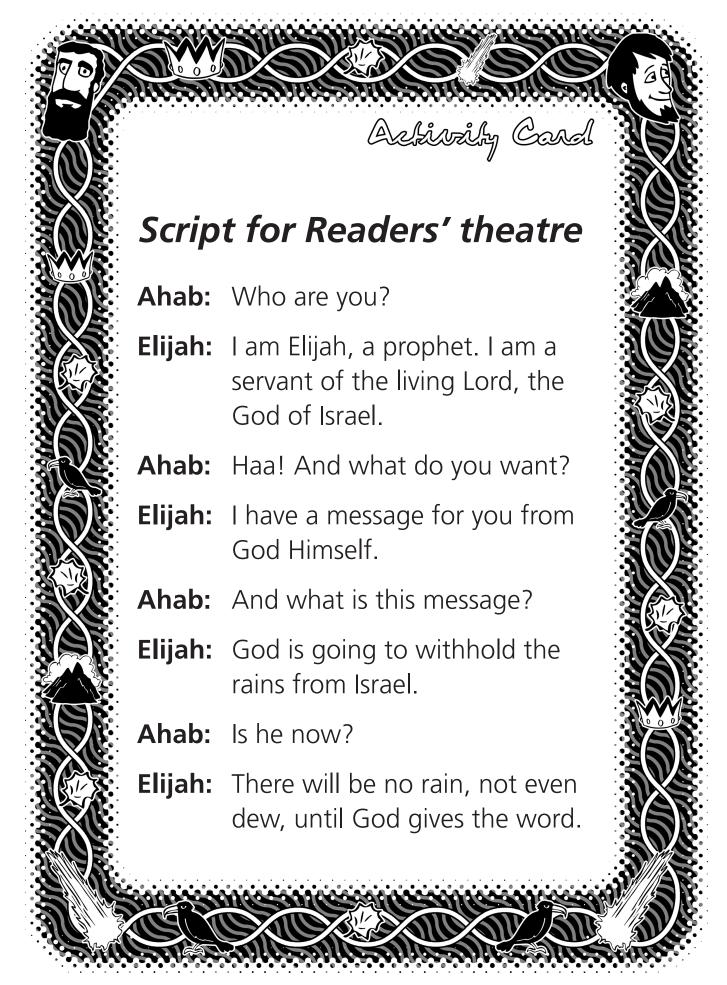
Name five of Jesus' disciples.

What do the following initials stand for? CD VIP ASAP

Seven people had £7 each. How much would they have together after they had each spent £1?

Name one of Noah's sons.

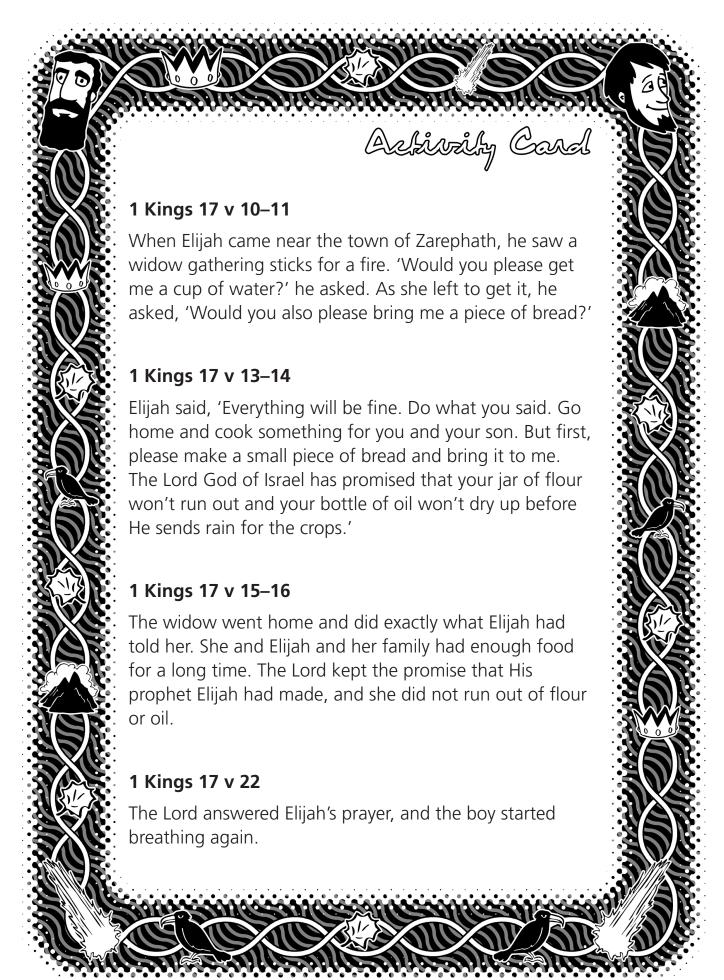
Say 'She sells sea shells by the sea shore' three times quickly.



## UTAH - God's messenge Elijah was God's messenger or prophet. God chose Elijah to take his message to Ahab, the king of Israel. List three reasons why this may have been a difficult task. lt was God who sent Elijah to Ahab. What did Elijah What was God's purpose in telling Ahab find out about **God**? that the rain would be withheld? I WONDER WHAT WOULD HAVE HAPPENED IF AHAB TOLD ELIJAH THAT HE WAS SORRY AND TURNED BACK TO GOD? Elijah obeyed God and trusted God to look after him. When is it hard for you to obey God and trust him to look after you? Why not pray to God about that now.

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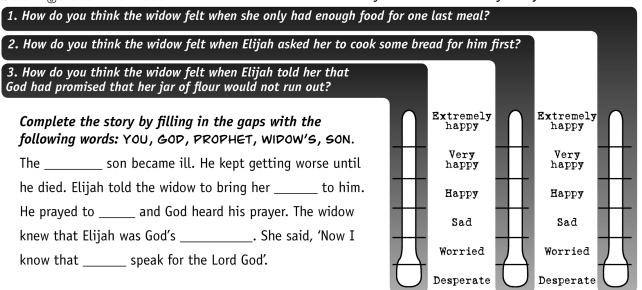


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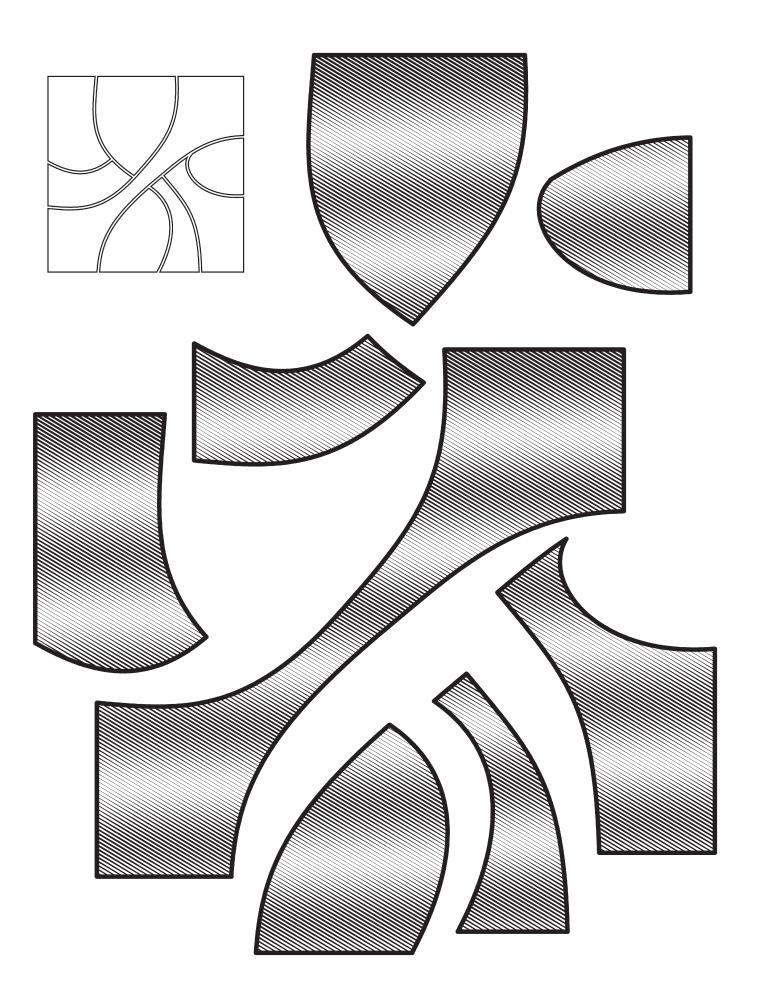
GOD HAS KEPT HIS WORD!

MY SON IS DEAD! YOU ARE GOD'S PROPHET. I'M GOING TO COOK MY LAST MEAL PLEASE MAKE ME SOME BREAD. IT'S A MIRACLE! HE  $\bar{v}$ 

Feelings thermometer colour each thermometer to show how you think the widow may have felt in each situation.



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## The one true God!

#### Information supplied by Obadiah

- 1. Jezebel/Jessie had tried to kill God's prophets.
- 2. Obadiah hid 100/1000 of God's prophets in caves.
- 3. Obadiah met Elijah/Elias as he was looking for grass for the horses.
- 4. Elijah wanted Obadiah to tell Ahab/Jezebel where he was.
- 5. Obadiah was worried that God would take Elijah away and Ahab would reward/punish him.
- 6. Elijah promised Obadiah that he would meet with the king that very day/night.

### 1 Kings 18 v 18 (CEV)

Elijah answered: 'You're the troublemaker—not me! You and your family have disobeyed the Lord's commands by worshipping Baal'.

### 1 Kings 18 v 21b (CEV)

If the Lord is God, worship him! But if Baal is God, worship him!

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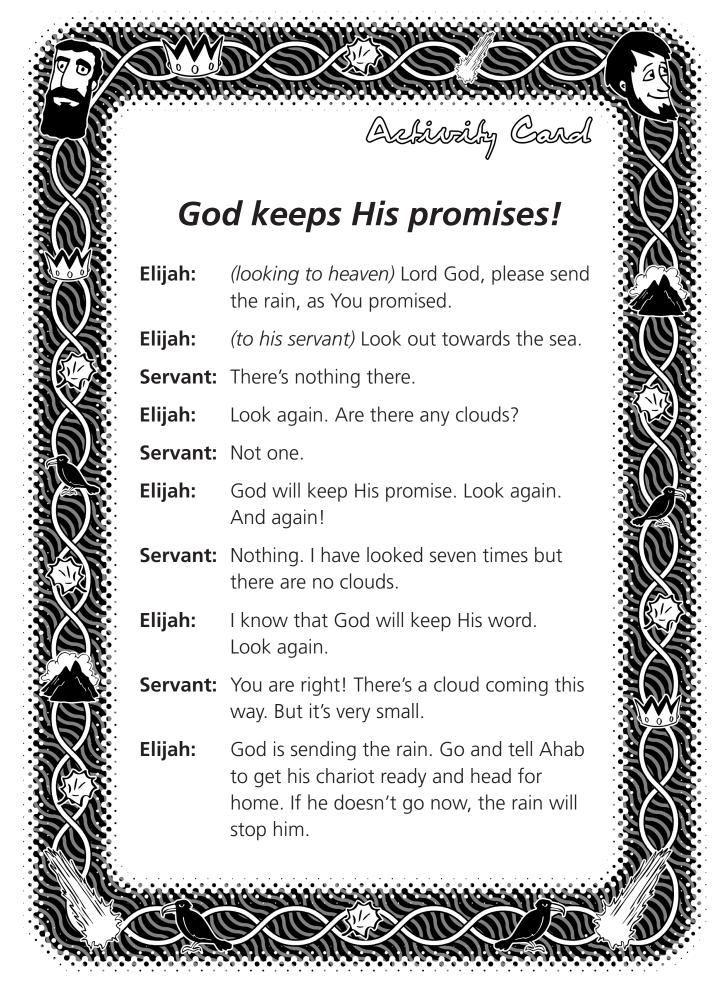
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	TALLENGS
	command: God's people were to God alone.
	own what God did to remind the people of his command.
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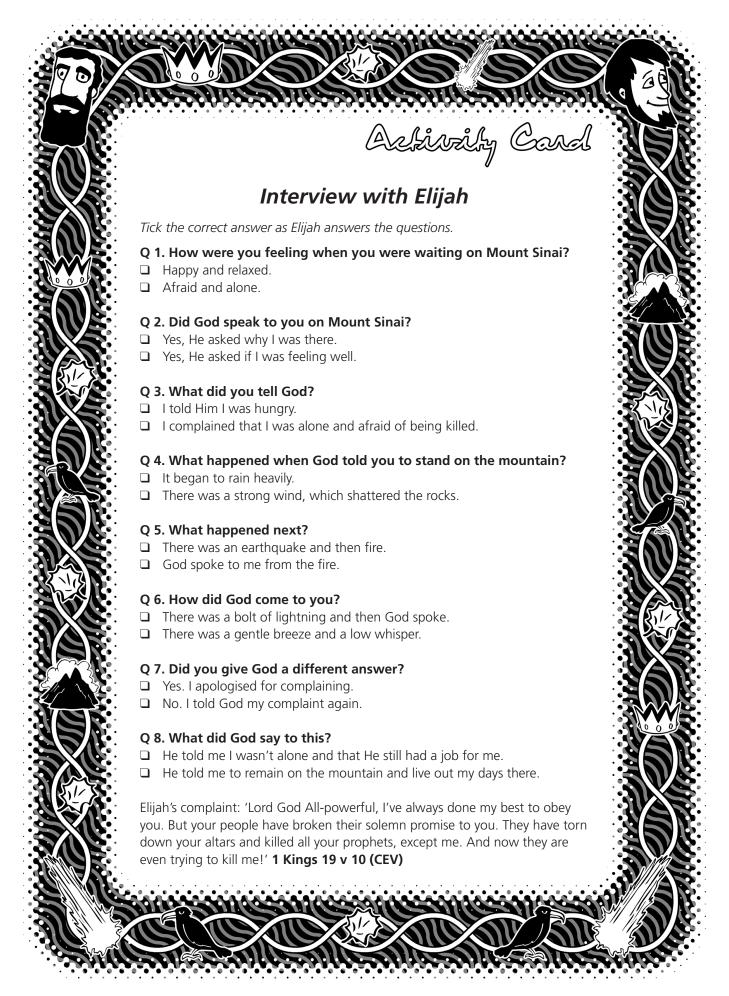
Dentist	Astronaut
Violinist	School pupil
Teacher	Florist
Toddler	Politician
Doctor	Police officer
God	Farmer



## ELIJAH - so far ... ACROSS 4. God showed his power because he wanted the people to \_\_\_\_\_ back to him. 5. God \_\_\_\_\_ for Elijah in amazing ways. 7. These birds brought Elijah meat and bread. 8. Elijah told the people to fill \_\_\_\_\_ jars with water and pour them over the altar. 10. He was the King of Israel 12. Jezebel was \_\_\_\_\_ with Elijah for everything that had happened on Mount Carmel. 14. She was the Queen of Israel 16. She was from Zarephath. 17. There was no rain for over \_\_\_\_ years, not even dew. 10 DOWN 1. The Lord showed he was the one true God by answering Elijah's 2. Elijah told God that he had had \_\_\_ 3. Elijah told his servant to look towards the sea for any sign of \_\_\_\_\_. 16 6. Elijah told Ahab there would be a \_\_\_\_\_ in the land 9. The Lord sent \_\_\_\_\_ to burn up the meat. 11. Elijah challenged the prophets of \_\_\_\_\_ to a contest. 13. The people called out, 'The Lord is \_\_\_\_\_\_ ' when he sent fire. 17 15. He was God's messenger. Number the following events in the order in which they happened. ELIJAH TOLD AHAB THAT GOD WAS GOING TO WITHHOLD THE RAIN. GOD CHOSE ELIJAH TO BE HIS PROPHET. ELIJAH HID IN THE DESERT FROM JEZEBEL. ELIJAH HID NEAR CHERITH CREEK. THE WIDOW COOKED SOME ELIUAH TOLD AHAB TO COME TO MOUNT CARMEL. BREAD FOR ELIJAH. OBADIAH TOLD AHAB WHERE TO FIND ELIJAH.

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## ELIJAH MEETS GOD ON MOUNT SINAI

We have learnt much about Elijah and how God worked in his life.

What do you think Elijah would have learned about God from each of the following events in his life?

When God sent fire to burn up the meat, wood and altar on Mount Carmel.

When God sent rain in answer to Elijah's prayer.

When God sent an angel to give tired Elijah food and water.

When God met Elijah on Mount Sinai and encouraged him.



WHAT DO YOU THINK IS THE MOST IMPORTANT, OR SURPRISING, THING YOU HAVE LEARNT ABOUT GOD?

## **WORD SEARCH**

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AHAB BREEZE CARE CAVE COMPASSIONATE COMPLAINT CONTROL DROUGHT EARTHQUAKE ELIJAH ELISHA ENCOURAGE FEARFUL FIRE GOD ISRAELITES JEZEBEL LORD LOVE MEET MERCY MESSAGE PLAN POWER PROPHET PURPOSE RAVEN REACTION REST SINAI STRENGTH TURN WIDOW

WORSHIP

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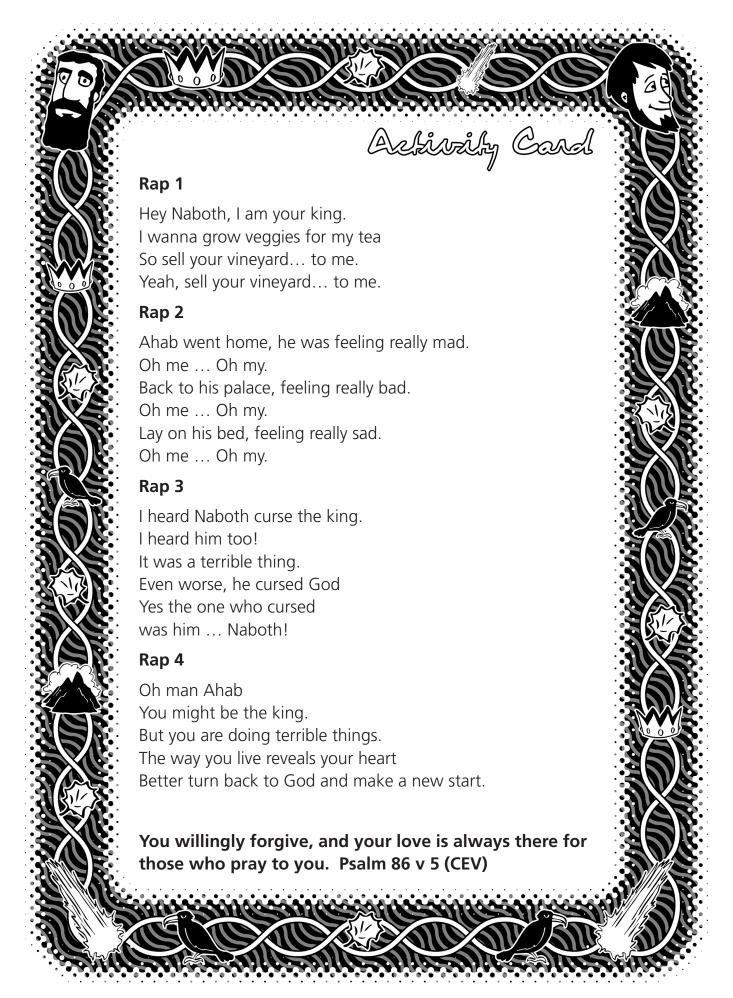
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List A	List B	
red	fast	
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short	rich	
high	hot	
freezing	difficult	
relaxed	dirty	
new	angry	
sad	wet	
male	sick	
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red tall obedient short high freezing	fast intelligent handsome rich hot difficult	
red tall obedient short high freezing relaxed	fast intelligent handsome rich hot difficult dirty	

If you brush your hair	your hair will be neat.	
If you clean your teeth	your breath will be fresh.	
If you eat too many sweets	your teeth may decay.	
If you exercise regularly	you will become fit.	
If you wear sunscreen	you are less likely to get sunburnt.	
If you walk with your eyes closed	you will run into things.	
If you wear a swimsuit in winter	you will be cold.	
If you keep the school rules	you will stay out of trouble.	
If you stand in the rain	you will get wet.	
If you study hard	your schoolwork will improve.	



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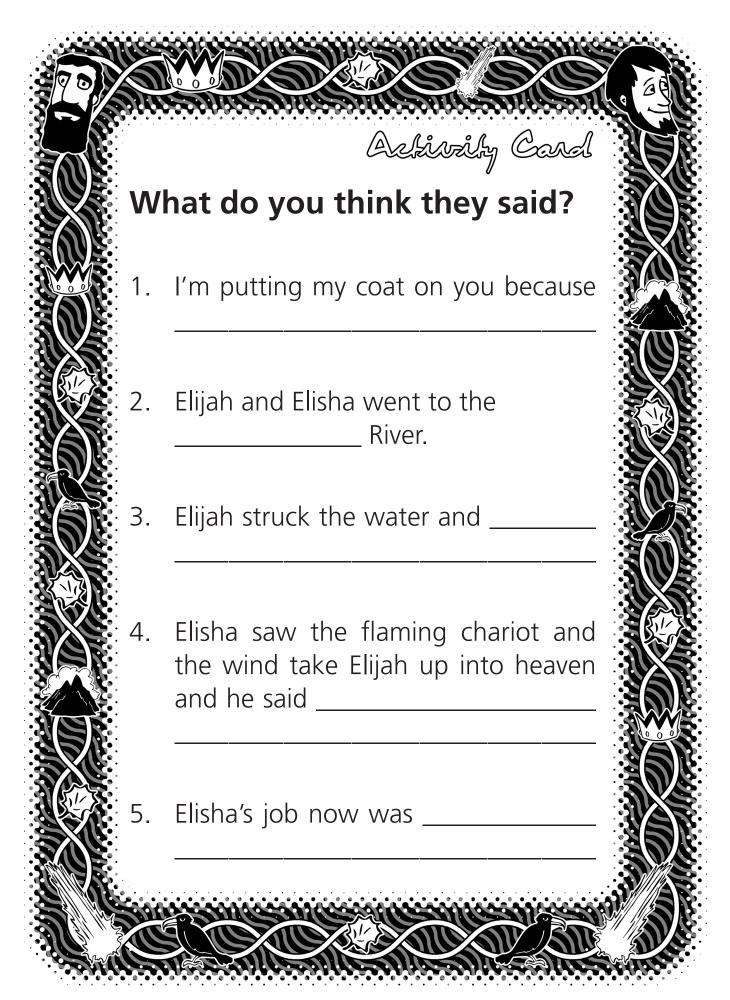




## Fill in the gaps to tell the story of Naboth. \_\_\_\_ owned a vineyard. It was next to Ahab's \_\_\_\_\_\_. Ahab wanted the vineyard as a \_\_\_\_\_ garden. He sulked when Naboth \_\_\_\_\_\_ to sell it to him. Jezebel \_\_\_\_\_ against Naboth and had people \_\_\_\_\_ about him. AHAB They said that Naboth \_\_\_\_\_ God and the king. REALLY SHOULD HAVE LISTENED Naboth was put to \_\_\_\_\_ for this. TO ELIJAH However, God sent \_\_\_\_\_\_ to tell Ahab that there was a \_\_\_\_\_ for continuing to live his \_\_\_\_\_ way. Can you help Elijah find his way back to talk to Ahab.

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# JESUS, MOSES and ELIJAH



Elijah and Moses were great leaders of God's people but Jesus was far greater.

P\_\_\_\_, James and J\_\_\_ saw Jesus transformed.

Jesus talked with both Elijah and Moses on the mountain. As they talked, the disciples heard a voice from heaven.

Fill in the gaps to find out what God said.

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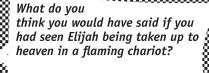
AND \_ \_M \_LE\_SED WITH \_IM.

L\_ST\_N T\_ WHAT \_ \_ S\_YS!

IMAGINE
HAVING A
BIRD'S-EYE
VIEW OF THIS
EVENT!



What do you think the disciples who were with Jesus may have learnt about him from this time on the mountain?

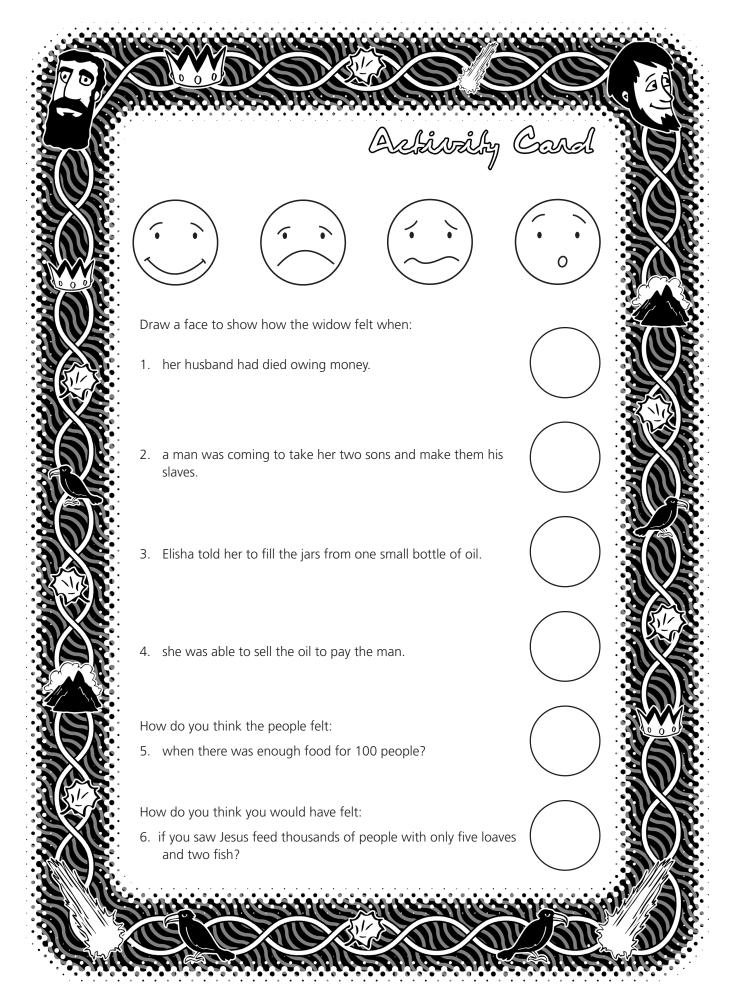


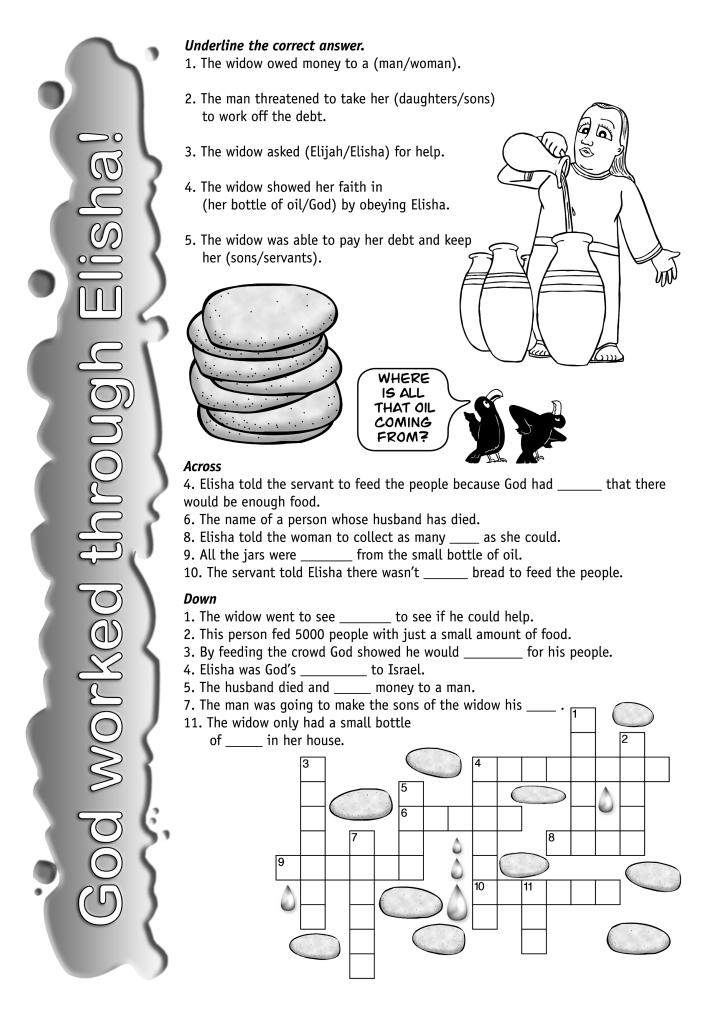




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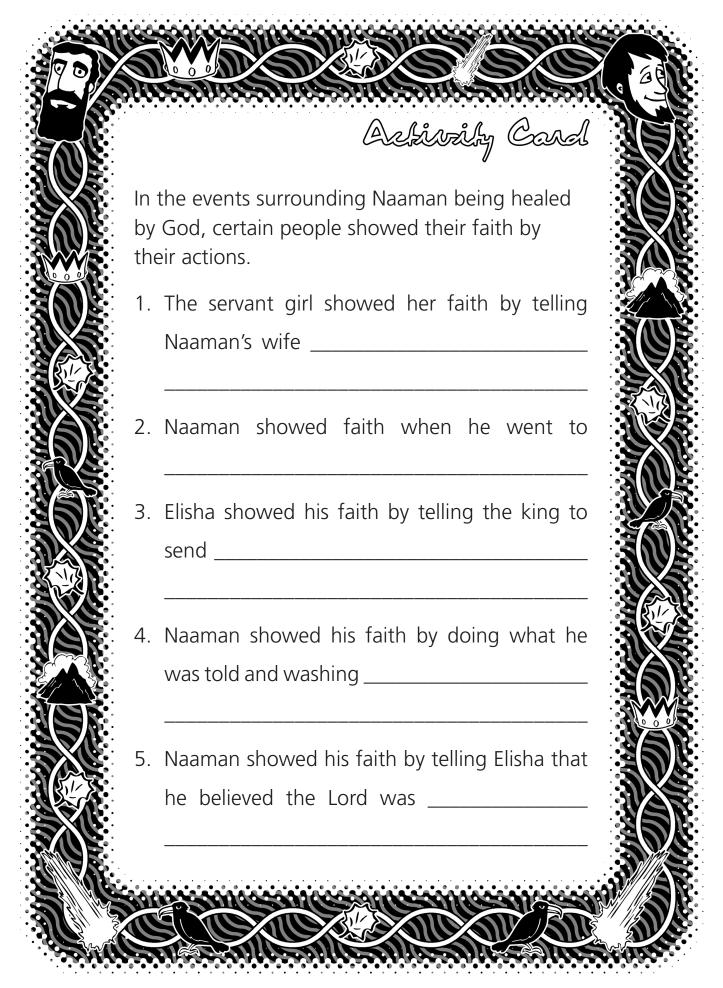


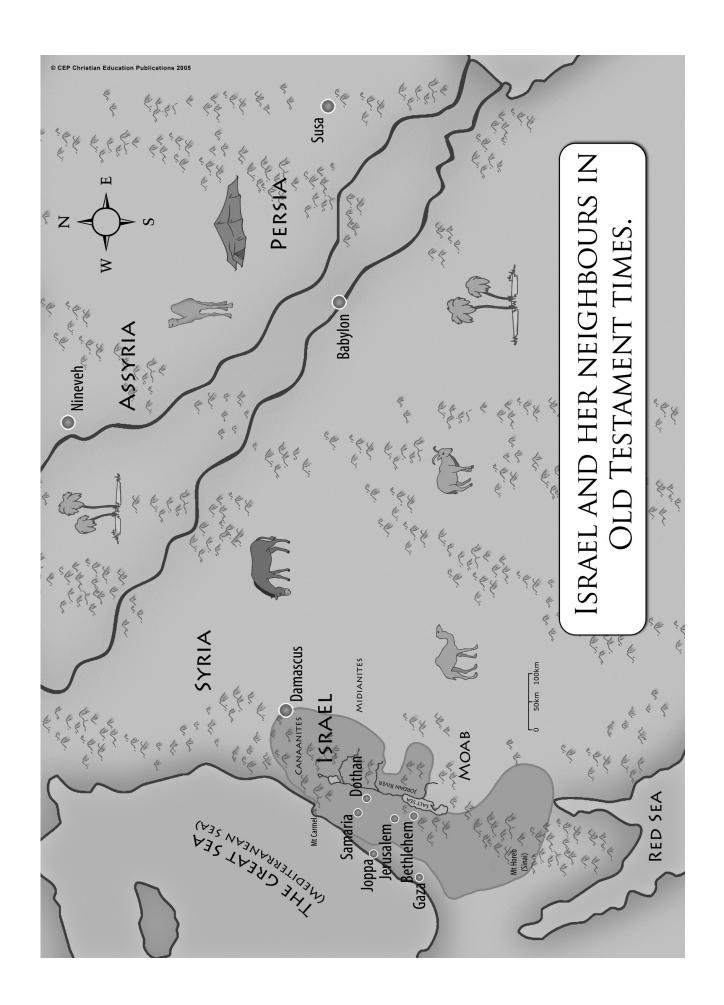


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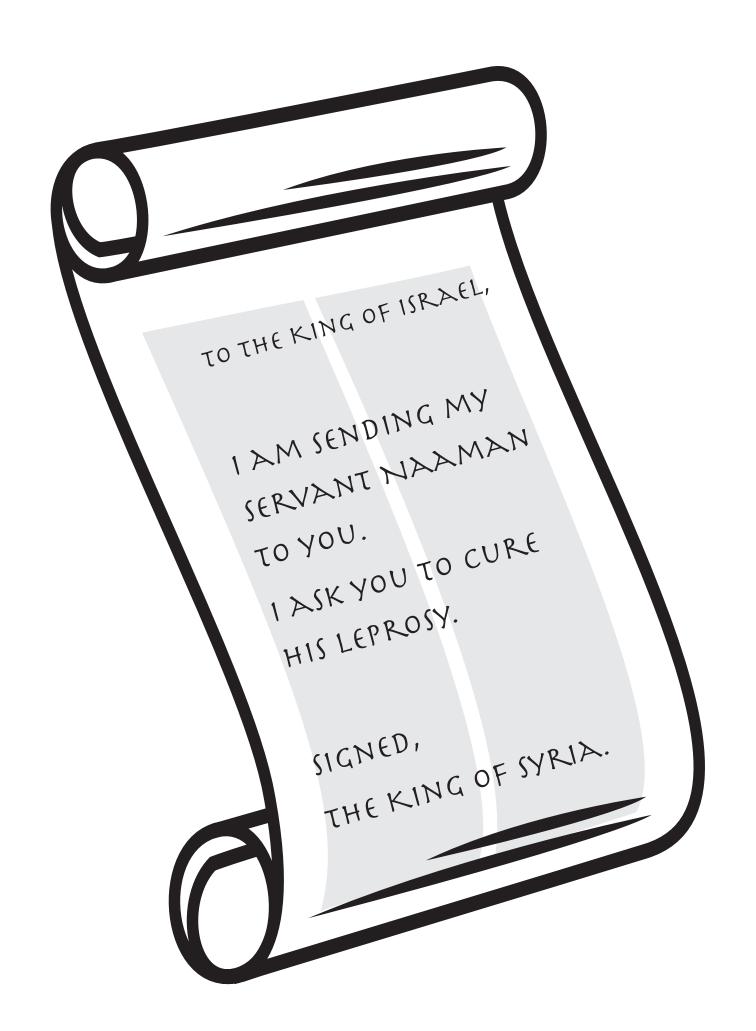
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Ahab	Jezebel	Peter
Elijah	Widow	Naboth
Elisha	Jesus	Obadiah
Mount Carmel	Moses	Naaman

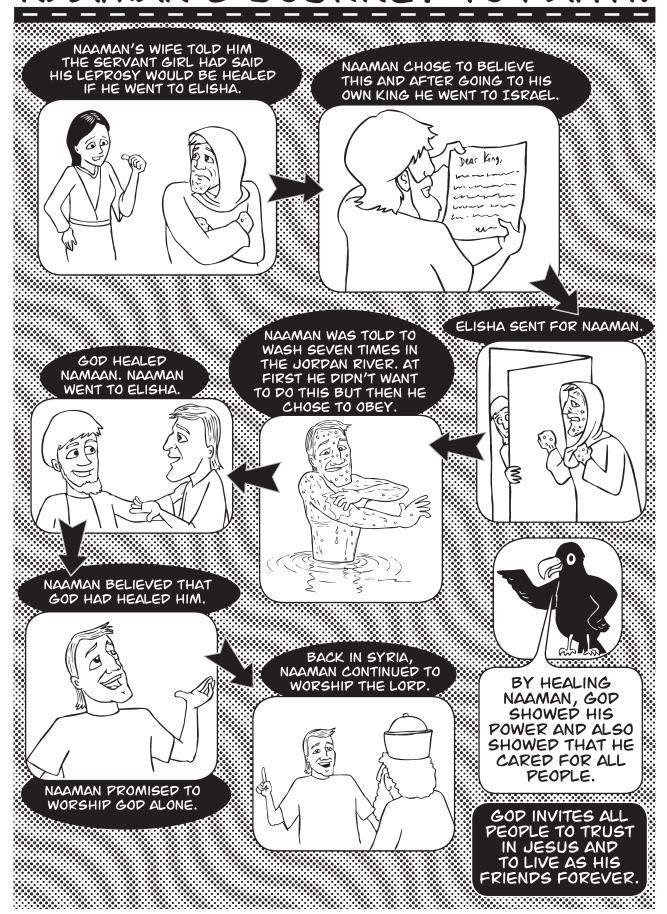




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## NAAMAN'S JOURNEY TO FAITH.



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## Elisha rap

- The axe head fell into the river, plop!
   But this was not too hard for God.
   Elisha threw a stick and next thing you know
   The axe head began to float.
- The king of Syria made his plans,
   Decided where the army would camp.
   But ev'ry time, Israel knew
   Exactly what the king would do.
- 3. No need to worry, no need to fear,For fiery chariots had appeared.The Lord sent them to save the day.Elisha and his servant were totally safe.
- 4. Elisha told the king not to kill the men. Instead he said ... feed them!

  After that you are to set them free.

  Let them know the Lord's mercy.

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## WHAT HAVE WE LEARNT ABOUT GOD?

GOD IS ...



WHAT DO YOU THINK IS THE MOST AMAZING THING GOD HAS DONE FOR HIS PEOPLE?



WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO SAY TO GOD?



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#### Elijah and Elisha game 31 God sends Jesus Trust, love and Finish so people could obey Jesus. be forgiven. Move to the Move forward 1. finish! 29 28 27 26 Naaman doesn't Naaman obeys Naaman chooses to want to obey God's prophet worship the Lord as Elisha and wash and is healed. the one true God. in the Jordan. Move forward 2. Move forward 4. Go back 1. 21 22 23 24 25 God feeds 100 people through Elisha. Move forward 5. 20 19 18 17 16 Ahab is sorry for what he has done. Move forward 5. 11 12 13 14 15 The prayers of the God sends fire prophets of Baal and shows he is go unanswered. the one true God. Go back 2. Move forward 5. 10 8 7 9 6 Ahab didn't listen to Elijah. Go back 5. 2 3 Elijah obeys God and tells Ahab there will be a drought. Move forward 2.

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