

A GUESSING GAME WITH JESUS

(On the way to Caesarea, Philippi) — Jesus and his followers were going on a trip to do some preaching and teaching in the region of Galilee. As they walked along, Jesus started a guessing game with his friends. He said to them, "People are trying to guess who I really am. What kinds of answers are they coming up with?"

Jesus' friends knew some answers. They had been listening to what people were saying. They knew that people were having a hard time guessing the right answer. Since Jesus did so many wonderful and amazing things, they thought he might be a famous person who had come back from the dead, someone like Moses, who received the Ten Commandments, or Elijah, who went to heaven in a fiery chariot.

When Jesus asked his friends for their answer, they gave the right one. They said, "You are God's Son."

Mark 8:27-35

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GOSPEL GRAMS



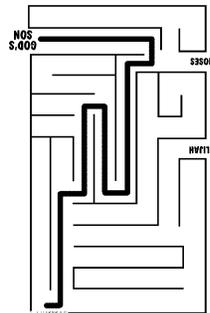
SUNDAY ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN



HIDDEN MESSAGE:
"JESUS IS GOD'S SON."

1. Jesus and his followers were preaching and TEACHING.
2. Some people were trying to GUESS who Jesus really was.
3. Jesus had done so many wonderful and AMAZING things.
4. People thought he might be Moses or ELIJAH.
5. Jesus' friends said, "You are GOD'S Son."

FILL IN THE BLANKS:



FIND THE RIGHT PATH:

ANSWERS

Find The Right Path. When Jesus' disciples were asked who Jesus was, they knew he was not Elijah and he was not Moses. They knew he was God's Son. Draw a line from the disciples to the best answer to the question, "Who is Jesus?" Be careful not end up with the wrong answer!



ELIJAH

MOSES

GOD'S SON

Fill In The Blanks. Here are some sentences about things mentioned in today's Gospel story. Some of the words are missing. Find the correct word from the word list and fill in the blank where it belongs.

GOD'S GUESS TEACHING ELIJAH AMAZING

1. Jesus and his followers were preaching and _____ .
2. Some people were trying to _____ who Jesus really was.
3. Jesus had done so many wonderful and _____ things.
4. People thought he might be Moses or _____ .
5. Jesus' friends said, "You are _____ Son."

Gus The Gospel Gopher says: "Everybody who met Jesus knew that he was somebody special, but most of them never guessed just how special he really was. To find out for yourself, use the code below to spell out the hidden message."

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6	9	2	3	2	7	2
5	1	4	2	2	1	8

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