

Kingdom Families



New Direction

A large, stylized graphic of a bow and arrow. The bow is light blue with a dark brown handle. The arrow is dark brown with a light blue fletching and a blue arrowhead. The bow and arrow are positioned diagonally across the page, with the arrow pointing towards the top right.

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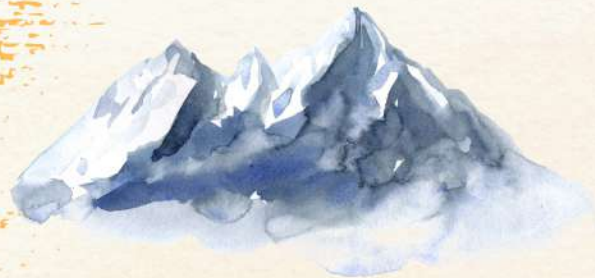
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FROM THE EDITOR



Welcome to the fourth edition of Kingdom Families Magazine! Wow - one year of Kingdom Families Magazine!! We are so excited to have you on this journey with us.

We are a family who loves Jesus and shining His light into this world. We hope this magazine encourages, inspires and equips your family to shine the light of Jesus in your life and the lives of others.

This edition was quite a journey! We felt we had a clear direction and then it changed into a new one! So this edition is called 'New Direction'. We are all stepping into something new with the Lord, sometimes expected, sometimes unexpected. He is teaching us to change and flow with Him as He works through us, and to trust Him when we don't know where things are headed.

Trusting God and putting our hope in Him is a theme through some of the articles and activities. Knowing and speaking what God thinks about you is so important too. Because, as you know your identity in Jesus, you can come into alignment with the calling that He has for your life.

We also share about the body of Christ as an arrow and how strong and powerful it is when the different generations work together in unity. We need to help support and raise each person up into their calling and position within the body of Christ.

We hope you will be encouraged to learn about Timothy and the tools that Paul gave him to use. He was an example of a young leader in the Bible that Paul, an older leader of God's people, came along-side of to help equip and encourage to lead well.

We also share the story of Ruth and how she trusted God with her future when it was unknown and looked quite hopeless. It is also another example of different generations working together and God bringing restoration to not only their lives but also the generations that followed. Wow, so powerful!

We hope that this edition inspires you, as it has us, to keep getting into the word of God, and put your hope and trust in Him. He is a firm foundation for you and your life. Keep encouraging and raising up those around you. You never know what your words, prayer or encouragement might lead to in someone else's life!

Keep shining the light of Jesus into your families and into this world. You are Kingdom changers! We are learning along side of you and cheering you on for the Kingdom!

 Elizabeth





WE ALL NEED EACH OTHER

BY ELIZABETH EINTHAL

Jane Mackie from the Children's Prayer Network recently shared about the arrow and I felt to share what I took from it. It is such an important message for the body of Christ.

The body of Christ is a bit like an arrow. An arrow is made up of the head (the pointy bit which hits the target), the shaft (the long middle bit that holds the two ends together) and the tail feathers (the end bit which helps guide it and make it go straight). The arrow can't work properly without all the parts. The arrow needs the arrow head, the shaft and the tail feathers to go where it needs to go.

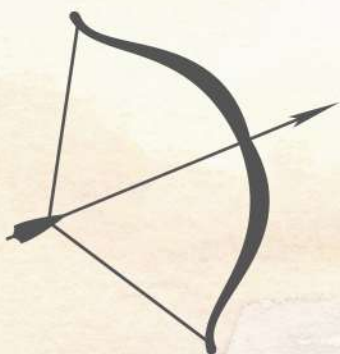
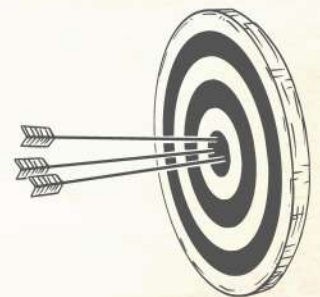
Now imagine that the arrow head represents the children in the body of Christ, the shaft or middle piece represents the parents/guardians/adults and the tail feathers represents the grandparents and older generation. Each generation has something valuable to contribute to the over-all work of the arrow and to make sure it goes where it needs to go.



If we leave out the children, the arrow has nothing to land with or no direction to aim with. If we leave out the parents or adults there is nothing holding the arrow or generations together. If we leave out the older generations, we are missing the tail feather to guide us with their wisdom and experience.

So let's connect each generation. Everyone is needed. Everyone is important. Let's not leave any generation out in the functioning of the body of Christ. Each generation is important to make sure we can get to where God (the bow) is sending us! Let's work together to support and raise up each person within the body of Christ into their calling. When we work together in unity, we are strong and powerful like an arrow.

Father God, we pray for unity within and across the generations in the body of Christ. May you unify the parts of the arrow and bring them together for your glory. May you raise up children and youth, and people from each generation to work together for your good purposes. May we value each generation, and the gifts and purposes you have placed inside of them. We pray that the body of Christ would be formed into a powerful arrow that would go exactly where you send it, would land where you need it and would be powerful and effective. In Jesus name, Amen.



NEW HOPE

WRITTEN BY ELIZABETH AND ARTWORK BY AARON EINTAL

Recently as I was going through a challenging time, I noticed myself saying that I was “holding onto hope”. I felt the Holy Spirit move and so asked Him to show me what that looked like. So I asked, “what does holding onto hope look like?”. And here is what He graciously showed me...

The Holy Spirit showed me a picture of myself holding on to a big heavy weight at the bottom of a mountain and trying to pull it up the mountain. The big heavy weight was called HOPE. So, here I was trying to hold on to a heavy weight called hope and pull it up the mountain in my own strength. The weight was the size of a person so there was no way I could pull it up, let alone move it at all on my own.



Once I saw this, I immediately thought, “I don’t want to hold that anymore! That’s not mine to carry or hold!”. Hope itself can become a heavy weight that we are trying to hold on to when instead Jesus can carry our burdens for us. So I let go of the rope I was holding on to. I turned around and saw Jesus was standing right there. He was there all the time. He never leaves us or forsakes us in our hard or challenging times (Deuteronomy 31:8).

Our hope is in HIM! He is the God of Hope! (Romans 15:13) He wants us to believe in Him and be filled with joy and peace, that we may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit! It is hard work to find hope in anything we can do or be or say. But if we put our hope in Jesus, HE IS HOPE!! I definitely want that hope, not the heavy one I was carrying or trying to pull around.

So I stepped into Jesus and became one with Him. (John 17:21-23, John 15:4-5). As Jesus is one with the Father, He wants us to be one with Him, to abide in Him. For when we abide with Him and Him in us, we can bear much fruit. In John 17:21-23, Jesus prays for us that we would be one with Him, as He is one with the Father. 1 Corinthians 6:17 says that “He who is joined to the Lord is one spirit with Him.”

I immediately felt the weight lift off as I released my burdens to Jesus, my false hope in anything I could do; and placed my hope in Him. Now we could ascend the hill of the Lord together!! (Psalm 24:3-5)



IN JESUS

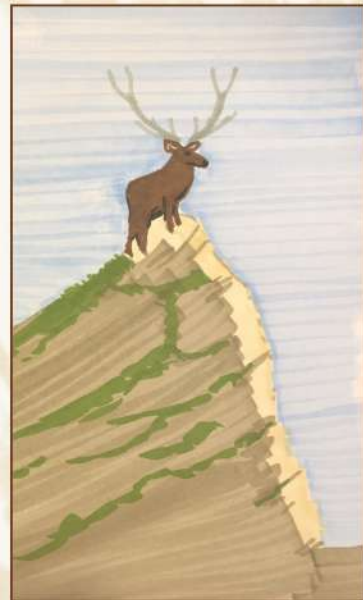


So I held hands with Jesus and we leapt up the mountain of the Lord with such ease and lightness; I was like a deer leaping up the mountain. His word does say in Psalm 18:32-33 that “It is God who arms me with strength, and makes my way perfect. He makes my feet like the feet of deer, and sets me on my high places.”

We made it to the top of the mountain easily and danced around together with such joy and delight and ease. This describes the dancing so beautifully. “Then he broke through and transformed all my wailing into a whirling dance of ecstatic praise! He has torn the veil and lifted from me the sad heaviness of mourning. He wrapped me in the glory garments of gladness.” (Psalm 30:11 TPT)

I believe that this revelation and encounter is available to you also. Are you filled with hope for your life? Do you feel like you are holding on to hope too?

Jesus says “Come to Me, all you who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.” (Matthew 11:28-30)



This is an invitation from Jesus to carry your burdens for you, to rest in Him, learn from Him and find rest for your soul. When we do things in our own strength, we can feel heavy, burdened and have no rest. When you are yoked (or joined) with Jesus, it can be easy and light and you can find rest for your soul.

If you would like to release any burdens you are carrying to Jesus too (which can include hope in your own strength), I encourage you to find a quiet place to sit with Him. Invite the Holy Spirit to be with you. (You can use the activity on page 7 for this too).

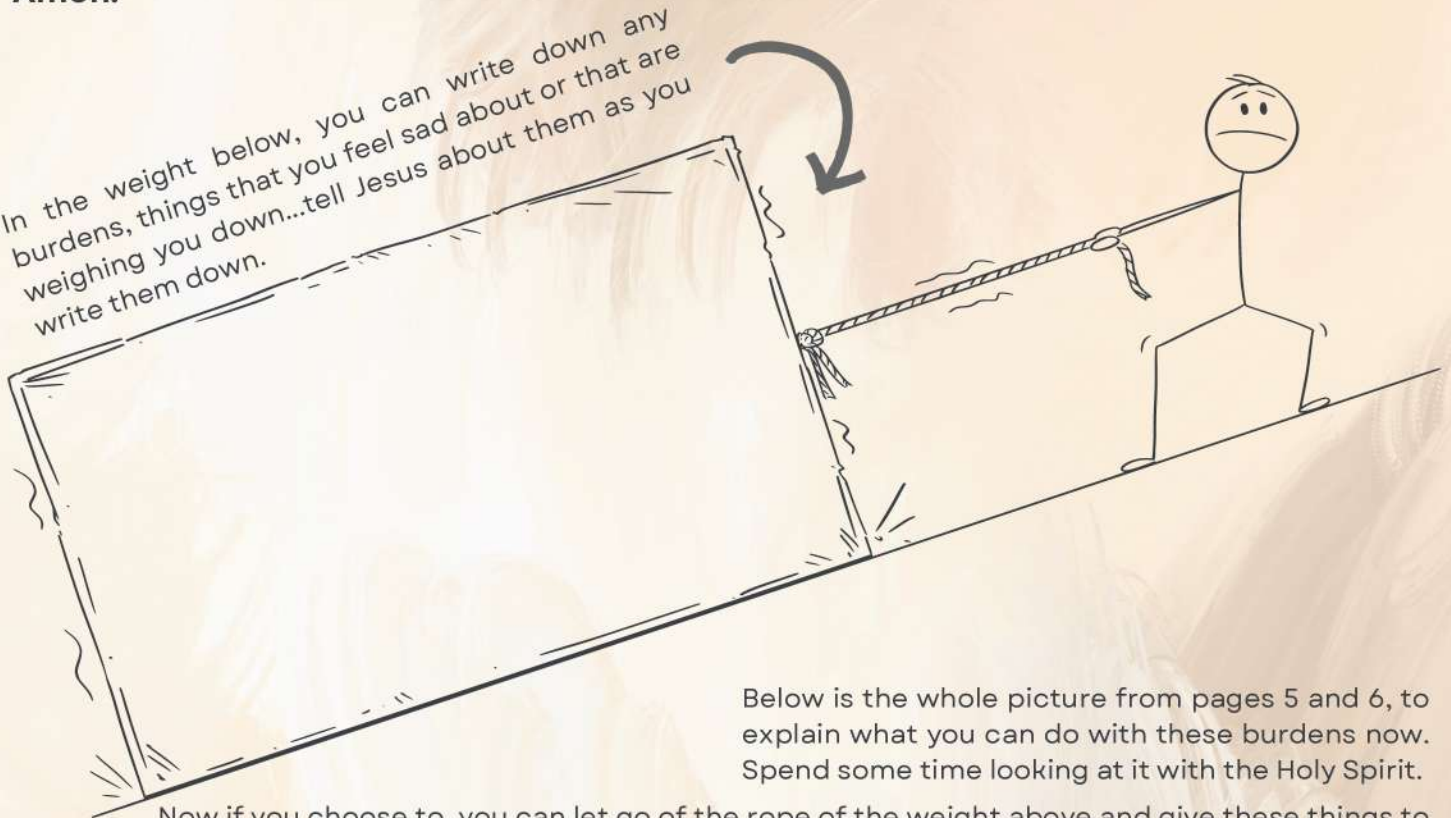
Now, picture any of your burdens; things you feel sad or mad about, things you feel were done wrong against you, things you don't know what to do about or pain that you feel. It might feel like a lot and it's too big. Imagine them as a heavy weight you are trying to pull up a big mountain. Now see yourself letting go of the heavy weight and turning away from it. Turn towards Jesus and instead of holding the weight, you can hold the hands of Jesus and leap up the mountain and dance joyfully together. You can now go forward walking with Him in His light, His love and His joy. Be joined with Him as you walk with Him - His yoke is easy and His burden is light. Put your hope IN HIM!

NEW HOPE - ACTIVITY



Dear Jesus, we pray that every person reading this would release their heavy burdens to you. May they let go of the weight they have been holding, turn towards you and be filled with new hope and love. May the God of hope fill them with all joy and peace. May they abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. In Jesus name, Amen.

In the weight below, you can write down any burdens, things that you feel sad about or that are weighing you down...tell Jesus about them as you write them down.



Below is the whole picture from pages 5 and 6, to explain what you can do with these burdens now. Spend some time looking at it with the Holy Spirit.

Now if you choose to, you can let go of the rope of the weight above and give these things to Jesus. There is space in the prayer below for you to name the things you have written above. You can pray "Jesus, I give you _____ that is weighing me down or worrying me. I'm sorry for trying to carry this. I release it and I choose to put my hope and trust in You!"



ARTWORK BY AARON ENTHAL



DO YOU KNOW JESUS?

If you haven't invited Jesus into your heart before and want to receive the hope you can have and be part of His Kingdom Family, you just have to ask Him! Jesus is the Son of God and He died on the cross for your sins and because He loves you. He rose again and is alive today! We pray that you would feel His presence right now wherever you are reading this.

If you would like to invite Jesus into your heart and your life, here is a prayer you can pray...

Jesus, thank you that you love me. I want to know you.

Jesus, I believe that you are the Son of God. I believe that you died on the cross for all of my sins. I believe that you went into the grave and rose up from the dead, and you are alive today.

Jesus, I'm sorry for all of my sins. Please forgive me and wash me clean. Come and live in my heart and give me a brand new start today. Fill me with your Holy Spirit and help me to make right choices. Jesus be the Lord and Saviour of my life!

Amen.

If you just prayed this prayer – YAY!!! We are so excited for you! You are now a friend of Jesus! We pray that He would continue to completely transform your life and work in your heart. We encourage you to read more about Him and His life in the Bible, get connected into a church or Bible study group if you aren't already. Talk to your parents or family about wanting to know more about Jesus! He loves you so, so much. Enjoy learning more about Him and what it means to live born again as a new creation in Christ. He loves you and you can trust Him.

If you prayed this prayer, please feel free to send us an email and let us know at hello@goldeneaglecreatives.com.au so that we can pray for you too!

If you have already invited Jesus into your heart, you might like to learn this prayer so you can help pray with others if they want to know Jesus too!

Jesus

CREATIVE WAVES



Unlocking your creativity
to make waves for the
Kingdom of God



The Beautiful Blessings

A poem written by Ruby Einthal about the Beatitudes in Matthew 5:12.

If you are poor in spirit
And know you need Jesus,
Blessed are you,
For He sees the grievous

If you show mercy
And freely forgive,
Blessed are you,
For He sees good motives

If you mourn and grieve
And know you have sinned,
Blessed are you,
For He welcomes you in

If you are righteous
And pure in heart,
Blessed are you,
For He sees your good heart

If you are meek
And make yourself humble,
Blessed are you,
For He won't let you stumble

If you are brave
And help to bring peace,
Blessed are you,
For He's your sanctuary

If you hunger and thirst
To see righteousness,
Blessed are you,
For He'll provide all the rest

If you are persecuted
For what you believe,
Blessed are you,
For the Kingdom you'll receive

Maybe you would
like to write a
poem too?

PRAYER CARDS



Use these cards with your family, friends, church, youth group or another way in your community to help you pray! These are prayers straight from the Bible; you can pray them yourself, use them to start your prayer off or make a new prayer altogether. Maybe you can make your own prayer cards too!

A Prayer of Praise and Thanks

O Lord, our Lord, your greatness is seen in all the world! Your praise reaches up to the heavens; it is sung by children and babies. You are safe and secure from all your enemies; you stop anyone who opposes you.



Psalms 8:1-2 (GNT)

A Prayer of Forgiveness

God, please help me to be kind to others, tenderhearted, forgiving others as you in Christ forgave me.



Ephesians 4:32

A Prayer to Praise God

Bless the Lord, O my soul;
And all that is within me,
bless His holy name!



Psalms 103:1

A Prayer to Celebrate

This is the day of the Lord's victory; let us be happy, let us celebrate!



Psalms 118:24 (GNT)

A Prayer for Protection

You bless those who obey you, Lord;
your love protects them
like a shield.



Psalms 5:12 (GNT)

A Prayer for Righteousness

Search me, O God, and know my heart; Try me, and know my anxieties; And see if there is any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.



Psalms 139:23-24

A Prayer when I feel Sad

The Lord hears me weeping; He listens to my cry for help and will answer my prayer.



Psalms 6:8-9

Prayers for Help

Call to me when trouble comes;
I will save you, and you will praise me.
Psalms 50:15 (GNT)

The Lord protects and defends me;
I trust in Him.
Psalms 28:7 (GNT)

PRAYER CARDS

Here's some more prayer cards to help you pray. Cut them out and use them with your family, friends or in your community!

A Prayer Before Bed

I will both lie down in peace, and sleep; for You alone, O Lord, make me dwell in safety.



Psalm 4:8

A Prayer of Victory

Where, Death, is your victory? Where, Death is your power to hurt?...But thanks be to God who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.



1 Corinthians 15:55 & 57 (GNT)

A Prayer of Repentance

Remove my sin, and I will be clean; wash me and I will be whiter than snow.



Psalm 51:7-10 (GNT)

A Prayer to say Thank You

How wonderful are your gifts to me; how good they are.



Psalm 16:6 (GNT)

A Prayer for Hope

Why am I so sad? Why am I so troubled? I will put my hope in God, and once again I will praise Him, my Saviour and my God.



Psalm 42:5 (GNT)

A Prayer when I'm Worried

Answer me when I pray, O God, my defender! When I was in trouble, you helped me. Be kind to me now and hear my prayer.



Psalm 4:1 (GNT)

A Prayer of Salvation

Let us praise the Lord...He has provided us a mighty Saviour.



Luke 1:69 (GNT)

A Prayer for Guidance

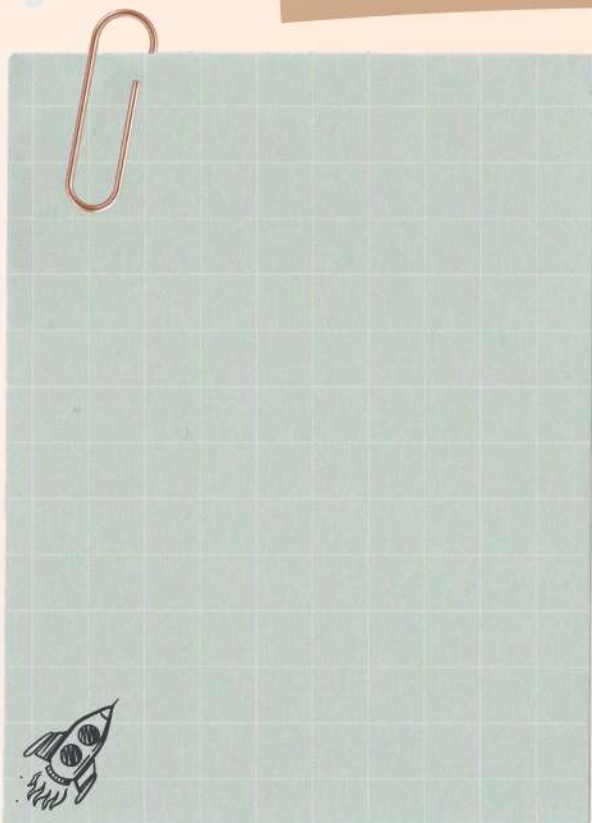
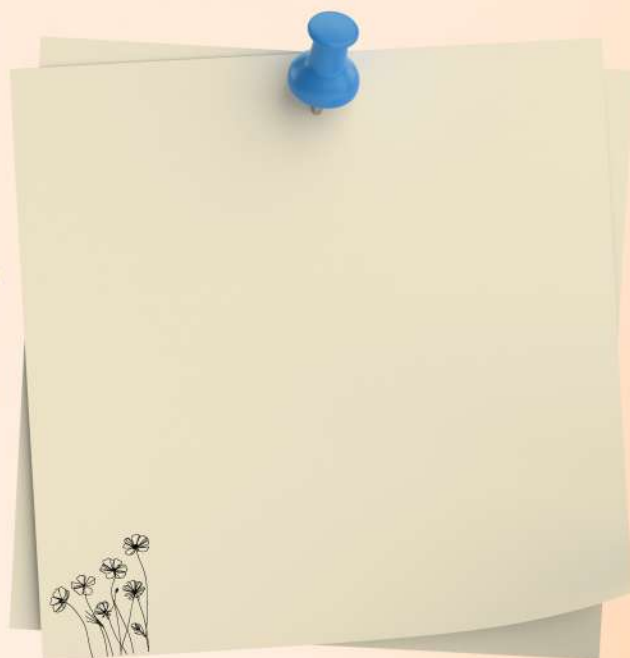
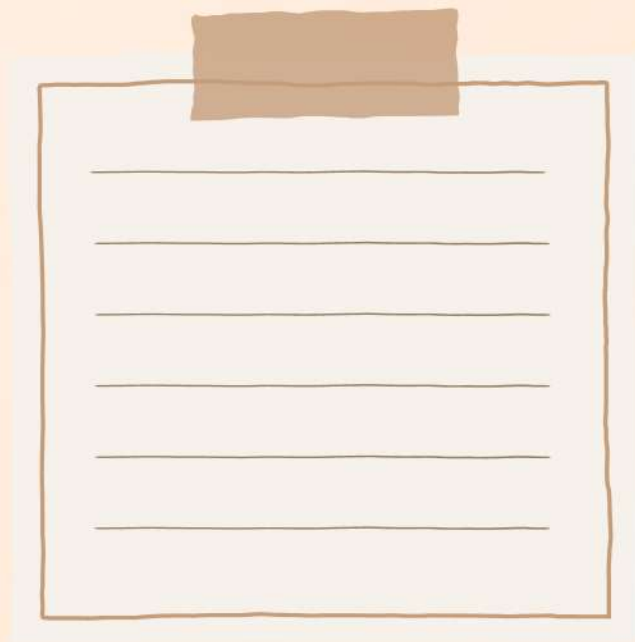
Teach me, Lord, what you want me to do, and lead me along a safe path, because I have many enemies.



Psalm 27:11 (GNT)

YOUR PRAYERS

Now it's your turn! Think of some prayers or things you would like to say to God. He is your friend and He loves to listen to you. Maybe there are things you are grateful for, maybe things you are needing help with, maybe something you are sad about or maybe a friend who needs comfort or help... You can write these things down here.



JESUS
SETS
FREE





PIONEERING AND PLOUGHING

You pioneer and plough in your life with love and strength. May you know that you are never weak, never alone but always strong and God and His joy is always with you and for you. You are creating a family who will plough and sow and reap with you, and for generations to come.

For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.
(Matthew 11:30)

The joy of the Lord is your strength.
(Nehemiah 8:10)

BY AARON EINTHAL

MADE NEW

You are a new creation! The old you is gone and the real you is here! Everyone knows that a caterpillar grows into a butterfly; once the caterpillar transforms into a butterfly, it is no longer a caterpillar. You may have been a caterpillar, but that is not your name anymore; in Christ you are a butterfly - a new creation!

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. (2 Corinthians 5:17)

BY RUBY EINTHAL



ONE WITH THE ANOINTED ONE

The vine represents Jesus and you are part of the vine. As a result of being daily connected to the vine, you begin to produce thick, healthy, beautiful fruit, which is the fruit of His promises coming alive.

Here's the secret: The gospel of grace has made you, non-Jewish believers, into co-heirs of His promise through your union with Him. And you have now become members of His body - ONE WITH THE ANOINTED ONE!

(Ephesians 3:6 TPT emphasis added)

BY RUBY EINTHAL



CHRIST IS OUR FIRM FOUNDATION

BY ANNABELLA AND ELIZABETH EINTHAL



In Matthew 7:24-27 (TPT) Jesus tells us about hearing His words and applying them to your life, is like to a wise man who built his house on an unshakable foundation, the rock. When rains fell, floods came and even with fierce winds, it stood firm because of its' strong foundation. However, everyone who hears Jesus' teaching and *does not* apply it to his life can be compared to a foolish man who built his house on sand. When it rained and the flood came, with wind and waves, his house collapsed and was swept away.

Jesus is your firm foundation. When you build you life on Jesus and trust in Him, He becomes a firm foundation for your life. If you build your house on sand, then even just a little rain could sweep it away. Because Jesus isn't there in the foundation to help the house to stay up.

If you build your house on the rock, which is Jesus, He is there to keep the house safe and strong. When rain or a flood comes (like a worry or a trouble), and we have built on the rock, we are in Him and cannot be shaken. We build on Him and stand with Him and His strength when we believe in Him.

So, step onto the firm foundation - Jesus! He is the foundation, the rock and the word (John 1:1-2). Read His word, which is our firm foundation. And then you can tell others - there is room for everyone on the rock!

Dear Jesus,
I invite you to be my firm foundation. Please help me to read your word and apply it to my life. I want to be strong in you and trust you. I want to be unshakeable in you. I want to build my life on you. I want to stay upright and strong.
Amen

Draw yourself or your house on the rock. The rock is Jesus! He is your firm foundation.





CREATIVE COOKING



Creativity in the Kingdom comes in many ways. Enjoy some creativity in the kitchen with your family and share what you make with someone!

Sweet Potato Dip

This is a yummy dip that we make pretty regularly and enjoy at birthday parties! It's pretty easy and delicious. We usually make it with sunflower seeds so it's nut free but you can use cashews instead if you want to. It's delicious with veggie sticks, crackers or even on pita bread or toast with some other toppings too. We've added some Thermomix instructions for those that want them in the brackets.

INGREDIENTS

500g sweet potato, peeled and cubed
1 medium-large carrot, peeled and cubed
100g sunflower seeds (for nut free or cashews)
1 tsp garlic powder
1.5 tsp cumin
1 tsp fine Himalayan salt
Juice of 2 lemons



METHOD

Step 1:

Steam cook the peeled and cubed sweet potato and carrot until it is soft enough for a fork to easily go into a piece. (15-20mins/Varoma/sp 1.5 in simmering basket with water underneath to steam).

Step 2:

Chop up the sunflower seeds or pulse them in a blender so there are still some larger pieces left. (Turbo 3 x 0.5 seconds)

Step 3:

Let the sweet potato and carrot cool a little then put them in a blender with the garlic powder, lemon juice, salt and cumin. Blitz them together until fairly smooth. (Blend for 20 sec/speed 9 or until desired consistency).

Step 4:

Empty the sweet potato mixture into a bowl and mix through the chopped sunflower seeds. (Or add seeds to the Thermomix and blend through with blade on reverse).

Step 5:

Enjoy with some carrot, cucumber and celery sticks, crackers or in a wrap!





GRATEFULNESS

Gratefulness and thanksgiving can help keep our heart in good condition. When you are looking for things to be grateful for, it helps to take the focus off of yourself and put it onto God. When you give thanks for something, it can help you to appreciate what something is rather than focusing on what it isn't, or what you are missing. A bit like the target below where you have to keep your focus and aim your arrow straight at it!

In the Bible, Paul encourages all believers to be continually grateful for who God is and what He has done. "Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, *in everything give thanks*; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18) So, even if you are struggling or having a hard time, keep your eyes and heart fixed on God and His goodness (the target). What can you find to be grateful for? Try to fire as many arrows of gratefulness as you can with things you are grateful for! As you aim your arrows, draw them on the target and write what you are grateful for; we hope you find your heart filling with gratitude and joy too!





WHO GOD SAYS YOU ARE

BY ELIZABETH EINTHAL

Here is a very important question for you to think about...are you believing what God says about you or what the enemy says about you?

1 Peter 5:8 says to “be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.” What is the enemy saying about you that you are believing? Is he whispering that your past is too bad to be loved by God? That you did something terrible or wrong? That you’re not good enough to be loved or used by him? That a sin is too great to admit to God? Or that you aren’t worthy of being loved? Or maybe it’s something else.

Can I challenge you a little? Why are you letting the enemy tell you who you are? Now read that again...*Why are you letting the enemy tell you who you are?*

Who created you? The one true God of the universe and all of creation created you! The Great I Am. The God who parted the seas *and* calmed them. The God of all grace. And you are created in His image. You are chosen by Him. You are loved by Him. You are known by Him. You are seen by Him. He created you, so He alone gets to speak into your identity and who you are!

If you create a painting or a picture, you are the creator and you get to decide what the picture is, how it is made and what it is about. Would you let someone else come in and draw black all over your picture? Would you let someone tell you what it is about? Would you let someone else write unkind things on top of it? NO!! You created it so you get to decide all those things. Just like God is your designer and creator (Psalm 139), so He alone gets to speak into who you are and how He made you. And the care, love and joy He had as He created you and designed you and knit you together in your mother’s womb is written within you (Psalm 139). Your Creator God, gets to define His creation - you!

So I encourage you to read and know what God says about you and to stop listening to what the world says you should be, or what your past says that you’ve done or what the enemy says about you, and start listening and believing in what God says about you! You are chosen. You are precious. You are loved. You are an overcomer. You are more than a conqueror. You have peace. You are accepted. And with God ALL things are possible!



Father God, we pray that you bless every person reading this with knowing their true identity in Christ. We pray that they would feel and know your deep love within them and surrounding them. Where the enemy has been lying to them, we pray that you would replace that with your truth in Jesus Christ. We pray for grace on their life and that you would heal any hurt places in their hearts. Please bless and fill them with your truth, comfort and joy. May you become their firm foundation. In Jesus name, Amen.

YOU ARE GOD'S MASTERPIECE



I create this picture with You about who You say I am!

I'm sorry God for believing any lies of the enemy. Please forgive me.

I choose to believe what You say about me instead.

Now it's your turn to create a masterpiece with God! Have a think about all the good things God says about you and write them down on your very own beautiful artwork about you.

You are God's masterpiece. You can write all the good things about you and you can look up what the Bible says about you too.

There's some ideas to start you off on the paint pallet below. For some extra ideas you can have a look on page 21. Have fun creating a picture of who you are with Jesus! Please share your masterpiece with us! We would love to see it.



KINGDOM CREATIVES



We love to hear from you and see what you have completed in the magazine or been inspired to do in your creativity! Send us a photo of your latest artwork, or a creative way you have shared the Kingdom of God. Maybe email us a prayer you have written and want to share with others, or even a testimony. We are keen to share what you have been up to for the Kingdom! You might help to inspire others too. Here are some Kingdom creatives...



How many times have I made my plans, in my own timing, worked it all out of when I want things to happen...and then been disappointed when things haven't worked out. In my timing - MY timing. And I'll be honest, it's taking a whole lot of trust, a whole lot of faith, and a whole lot of hope, to trust that the Lord's timing is going to - and always will be, better than my own. That every disappointment, every no, every wait, every not now, not this time, not this one, not this month...has something even better around the corner. Something far greater than I could imagine for myself, in the season that it's meant to be in for me.

And maybe it won't be what I had planned, what I had hope for, what I had prayed for... maybe it's going to be even better. Be for a purpose greater than my own. And maybe, but surely, He has and He will make everything beautiful for us, in its time. We just need to trust.

Some words of encouragement from Mel @nourishandhook



This is a painting that Emily (13 yrs old) made. She used watercolour paper and tested out different paints and pencils. She decided to use acrylic paint mixed with water. She sketched the outline first and went for a walk with her Mum to look at the colours of the leaves in nature. Emily said she really enjoyed painting this picture and hopes you enjoy it too!

It's beautiful Emily - thanks for sharing and keep on creating!



KINGDOM CREATIVES



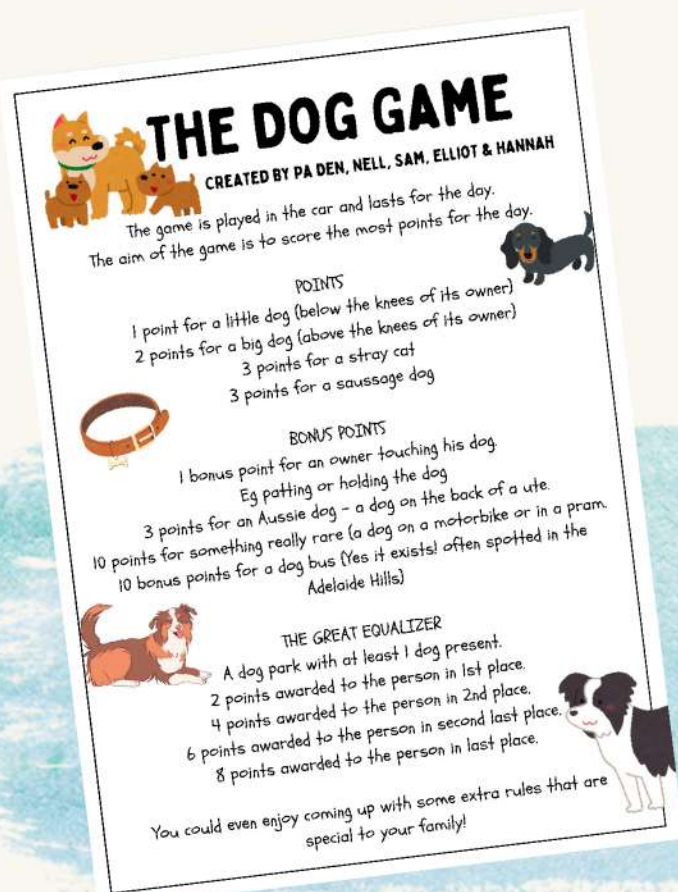
Keonie, 8 years old, created this painting during a visit with his Grandma, who also paints canvases.

He was inspired a few days prior through watching an American prophetic/worshipper speed painter called Vanessa Horabuena. He said that he thought the cross felt right with this painting and he tried to make it look reflective like water at the bottom of the cross.



Thanks for sharing this amazing painting with us and inspiring us all to create with the Holy Spirit!

We encourage you to keep creating too Keonie!



family



This is a fun game that Pa Den, Nell, Sam, Elliot and Hannah made to play during car trips and wanted to share with you all.

You might like to try it or create your own game too!

Thanks for sharing Kingdom family!

SPEAK THE WORD



BY ANNABELLA EINTHAL

The Bible says that life and death are in the power of the tongue (Proverbs 18:21), so what you say and pray is powerful. The word of God is also living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword (Hebrews 4:12). It is also the sword of the Spirit which is part of the armour of God and we are encouraged to take it up to stand against the devil's schemes and tricks (Ephesians 6:17). So, let's pray life into each day of your life. Everything below is about who you are in and with Jesus. Here are some declarations you can say out loud each day based on a Bible verse. You could play the sword drill game looking up the Bible verses too (see page 24).

With Jesus:

- I am loved - Romans 8:38-39
- I am healed - Isaiah 53:5, Psalm 30:2
- I am a child of God - 1 John 3:1 (GNT)
- I have life and life abundantly - John 10:10
- I have peace - Philippians 4:7; John 14:27
- I am chosen - 1 Thessalonians 1:4 (GNT)
- I am wonderfully made - Psalm 139:14
- I am an overcomer - 1 John 4:4, 1 John 5:4-5
- I have power, love and a sound mind - 2 Timothy 1:7
- I am saved - Romans 10:9, Ephesians 2:8
- I am strong - Philippians 4:13
- I am safe - Proverbs 18:10
- I am victorious - Romans 8:37
- I am created - Genesis 1:31
- I am enough - 2 Corinthians 12:9
- I am capable - Mark 10:27
- I am accepted - Ephesians 1:6
- I am never alone - Matthew 28:20
- I am free - John 8:36

Here is a spot that you can write your own Bible declarations!



Love never Fails



FIND IT!



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CAN YOU FIND
SOME WORDS
FROM THE 'SPEAK
THE WORD' PAGE
IN THE WORD-
SEARCH?



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HEALED
CHILD OF GOD
LIFE
PEACE
ACCEPTED

POWER
SOUND MIND
SAFE
VICTORIOUS
CREATED
ENOUGH
WONDERFUL

CAPABLE
CHOSEN
NEVER ALONE
FREE
SAVED
OVERCOMER

HERE ARE THE
WORDS
TO FIND

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TIMOTHY - PART ONE

FOR KIDS AND TEENS

BY RUBY EINTHAL



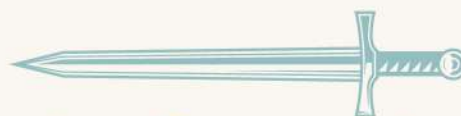
Welcome back Kingdom family! In this edition I want to share with you the powerful story of Timothy. You have probably heard about Timothy before, there are two books in the Bible called 1 Timothy and 2 Timothy. These books of the Bible are letters from Paul to Timothy, a young guy who was leading a church in Ephesus at the time. In these letters Paul gives Timothy tools to help him grow as a leader and encourage him on his journey. Recently I have been reading 1 and 2 Timothy and it has both encouraged me and helped give me new tools to grow too. I want to share these with you so you have the opportunity to take hold of these tools! Using these tools in your life will help you grow as a believer and equip you for leadership too!

1 The first verses I want to share with you are from 1 Timothy 1:18-19 (TPT):

“So Timothy, my son, I am entrusting you with this responsibility, in keeping with the very first prophecies that were spoken over your life... With this encouragement **use your prophecies as weapons as you wage spiritual warfare by faith and with a clean conscience...**”

Do you know what a prophecy is? A prophecy is God speaking to you through someone; its purpose is to encourage you (exhort), build you up (edification) and bring comfort (1 Corinthians 14:3 TPT and NKJV). In this verse Paul is telling Timothy to take the prophecies that have been spoken over him and use them as a sword to fight against the enemy.

When the enemy whispers lies, you can come against them with your sword saying, “that’s a lie, because this is what God has said to me!” Not only does God give us a shield of protection, but He also gives us weapons to take back ground that the enemy has stolen! We can then pray with faith that what God has said is true!



Prophecies I can use as weapons:

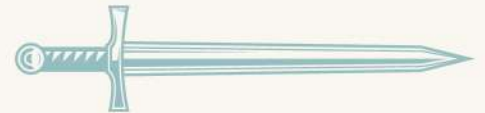
(These could be from other people, things the Lord has spoken to you, or you could find them in the Bible too)

The next verses are from 1 Timothy 4:13-16 (TPT):

“So until I come, **be diligent in devouring the Word of God, be faithful in prayer, and in teaching the believers. Don’t minimize the powerful gift that operates in your life,** for it was imparted to you by the laying on of hands of the elders and was activated through the prophecy they spoke over you. **Make all of this your constant meditation** and make it real with your life so everyone can see that you are moving forward. **Give careful attention to your spiritual life** and every cherished truth you teach, for living what you preach will then release even more abundant life inside you and to all those who listen to you.”

There are so many tools we can grab from these words! First, we are called to diligently devour the Word of God. Doing something diligently is to do it with a steady effort, and to devour something can mean to enjoy it eagerly. So we are actually called to steadily put effort into enjoying the Word of God! We are called to pray constantly with faith. We are to teach others what we know about God. We all have something to share with this world! Don’t let your calling be shut down, whether by yourself or by others around you. Constantly reflect on all of these things and see if you are living them actively, both on the outside and in your heart; then others will be able to see how God has impacted your life. They will hopefully be able to see that you have been with Jesus (like in Acts 4:13)!

GAME - SWORD DRILL



Now we know how important the Word of God is, I have a game for you! This game will help you get to know the Bible better. Whether you have read the Bible a lot or not much at all, this game will help you get faster at finding what you are looking for. You can play this game by yourself, with a sibling, with your whole family or with any group of people. All you will need is a Bible for each player! To play you can use the list below or create your own list of verses. The aim is to be the first person to find the Bible verse. If you are playing on your own you could time yourself and aim to get faster. When you are playing with a group, have someone read out a Bible reference from below, then the race is on to find it in the Bible. The first person to find the verse yells “SWORD” and then reads it out to everyone. You could keep score or time yourself below, or just play for fun!

WRITE YOUR IDEAS HERE:

- Psalms 34:8
- Proverbs 3:5
- 1 John 3:1-3
- Nehemiah 8:10
- Ephesians 2:4-9
- Jeremiah 31:3
- Micah 6:8
- Psalms 23:1
- Psalms 8:2
- Jeremiah 29:11
- II Corinthians 5:17

YOUR TIME:

The last words I want to share are from 1 Timothy 6:11-14 (TPT):

“Timothy, you are God’s man, so **run from all these errors**. Instead, **chase after true holiness, justice, faithfulness, love, hope, and tender humility**. **So fight with faith for the winner’s prize! Lay your hands upon eternal life**, for this is your calling - celebrating in faith before the multitude of witnesses! So now, I instruct you before the God of resurrection life and before Jesus, the Anointed One, who demonstrated a beautiful testimony even before Pontius Pilate, that you **follow this commission faithfully with a clear conscience** and without blemish until the appearing of our Lord Jesus, the Messiah.”

These are some of Paul’s last words from the book of 1 Timothy. Paul says that Timothy is God’s man. Wow, wouldn’t it be amazing to be called God’s man or God’s girl! So that we can be seen as God’s man or girl, we run far from sin, and instead we run after true holiness, justice, faithfulness, love, hope and humility. By doing this, we grab hold of eternal life! Also, in these words Paul instructs Timothy to follow everything he has been taught faithfully and with a clear conscience. Having a clear conscience means that we have peace because we know we are right with God through Jesus.

I encourage you to read through 1 Timothy and see if there are any other tools you can grab from it and apply to your life. Then, I will see you next time for part two!

BRAINSTORM

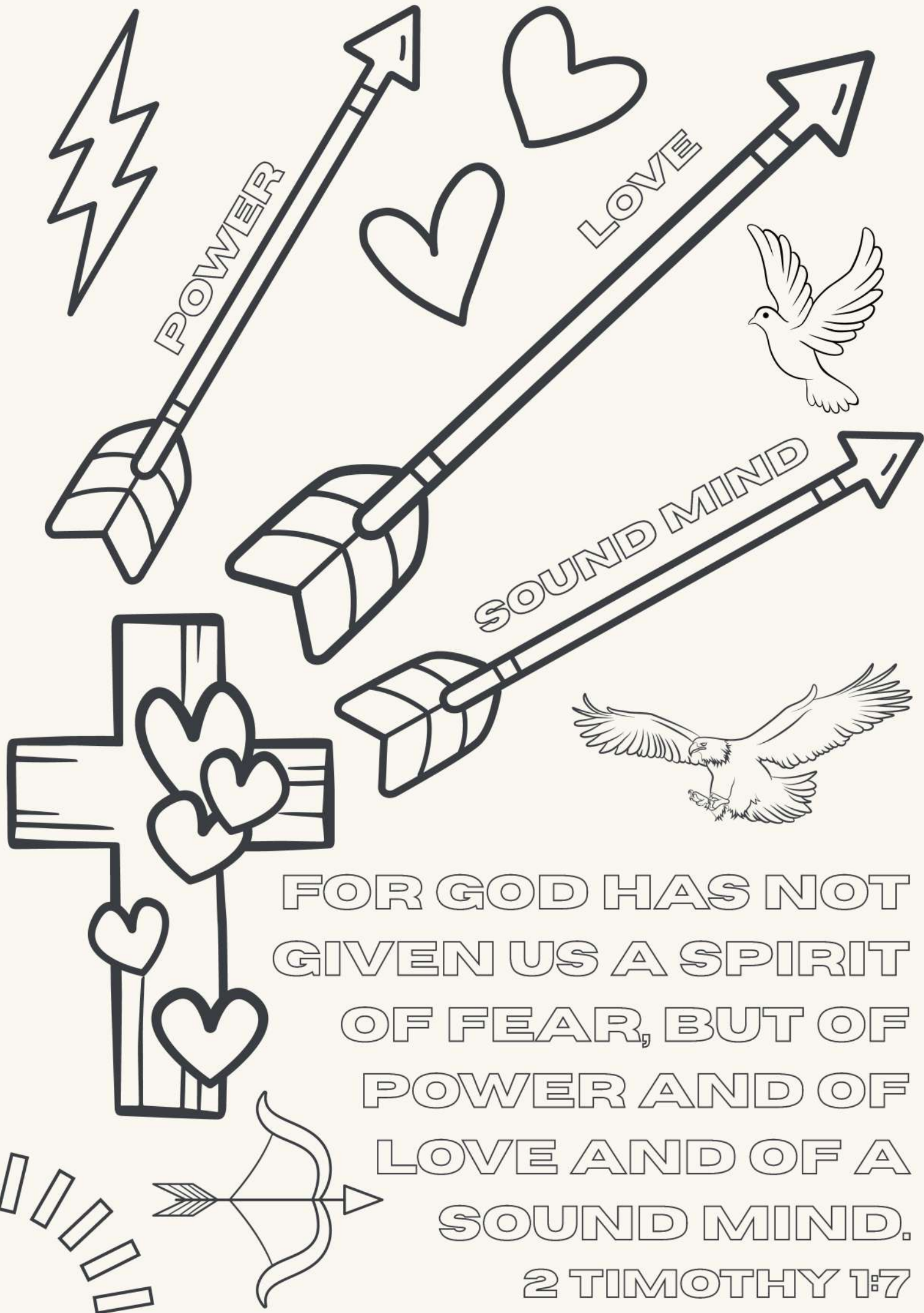
Now that you have heard from Paul about the things of God he encouraged Timothy to run after in his life, have a think about how you can apply some of these qualities in your life. Here is some space for you to brainstorm some ideas. Ask yourself what it would look like to live with humility, hope and faithfulness? You might like to chat with a parent, grandparent or friend to come up with some ideas too.

Humility

Hope



Faithfulness



FOR GOD HAS NOT
GIVEN US A SPIRIT
OF FEAR, BUT OF
POWER AND OF
LOVE AND OF A
SOUND MIND.
2 TIMOTHY 1:7

THE STORY OF RUTH

BY ELIZABETH, RUBY AND ANNABELLA EINTHAL



There was a famine in the land of Judah, so a man named Elimelek, his wife Naomi and their two sons, Mahlon and Kilion, left the land that God had promised them. They went to live in Moab, a country that did not worship God; the people there worshipped false gods. Not long after, Elimelech died and Naomi remained living there with her two sons. Her sons married two Moabite women called Orpah and Ruth and they lived there for another ten years.

Whilst in Moab both of Naomi's sons also died and Naomi was left without a husband or sons and seemingly without any hope of a future. At this time in history, a son meant a lot! Everything that the parents owned would be passed on to the son and the son would look after his parents in their old age. Without any husband or sons, there seemed to be no hope for Naomi's future. How would she look after herself? How would she find food to eat?

Naomi then heard that the Lord had visited the land of Judah and the famine was now over! She decided to return home to Bethlehem, Judah. However, Naomi thought it would be better for Orpah and Ruth to stay in Moab, go back to their own homes and find themselves new husbands. Orpah kissed Naomi goodbye but Ruth clung to Naomi. She said "Wherever you go, I will go; and wherever you stay, I will stay; your people shall be my people, and your God, my God." Naomi saw that Ruth was determined, so they returned to Bethlehem together.

When they returned, Naomi (which means sweetness) told everyone to call her Mara (which means bitter). She felt that the Lord had dealt with her very bitterly and brought her home empty.

In the Old Testament, God provided for widows (women whose husbands had died) through a law which allowed them to glean or gather the heads of grain after the harvesters. This meant that they would still have some food to eat.

Ruth asked Naomi if it was okay for her to glean grain from the fields so that they may have food to eat. She was hoping to find favour with the reapers.

There was a relative of Naomi's husband, in the family of Elimelek, who was a man of great wealth. His name was Boaz. Now Ruth looked for a field to gather in and happened to begin gathering grain in the field of Boaz!

RUTH- CONTINUED

Boaz showed kindness to Naomi even though she was from a foreign land. He encouraged her to only gather grain in his field so that she would be provided for and be safe. Boaz then also instructed his workers to leave more grain out from the harvest for her to pick up! What kindness he showed to a foreigner!

Ruth asked why she received such kindness and Boaz replied that he was impressed by what Ruth had done for Naomi since her husband had died. How she had left everything that was known to her and come to a land and people that were unknown to her; she had shown great kindness to Naomi.

She gleaned much grain in Boaz's field that day and Naomi was amazed with the amount when she returned home. She shared that she had gathered grain in the field of Boaz. Naomi was astounded, Boaz had shown great kindness to her and Ruth. Naomi then instructed Ruth to go to the threshing floor at night time and to sit at the feet of Boaz. Boaz awoke to Ruth and was pleasantly surprised. He went straight to the city gate the next morning to discuss the matter of Naomi's property. He agreed to buy back and redeem the land that had once belonged to Elimelek, Mahlon and Kilion. He knew that Naomi and Ruth would come with the property and so Ruth was to become Boaz's wife!

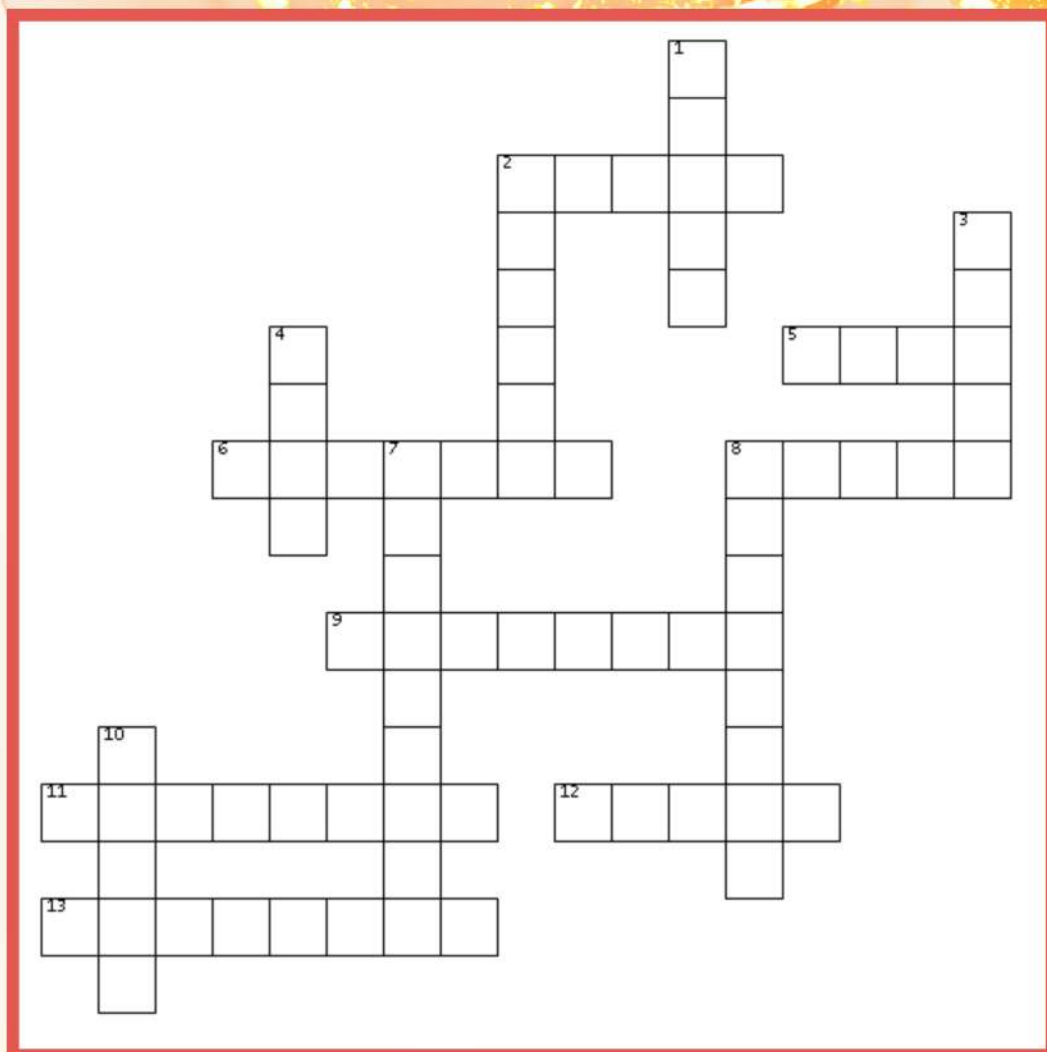
So Boaz took Ruth to be his wife and she gave birth to a son. They named him Obed. He became the father of Jesse who was the father of David (who became King David)! By her courageous decision, she ended up giving birth to a son who became part of the lineage of Jesus!

Wow! What an amazing story! Ruth was born in a place of sin, the country of Moab. She chose to turn away from that place completely and be obedient to follow where God was leading her. She had to leave everything that she knew; her mother and father, the land which she grew up in and to follow Naomi into an unfamiliar place with an unknown future. It was hard but she trusted God with her future and He not only provided her daily needs but ended up giving her a whole new future with a Godly husband and a son. God redeemed her future and Naomi's too. There was healing for them and to the generations that followed.

Ruth trusted in God's plans for her life and where He wanted to take her. It brought redemption and healing into her life and to the generations that followed. This shows us that the choices we make in our lives can impact not only ours but the generations that follow after us! This is such an encouragement to submit the plans we have for our lives to God as His intention is not to harm us but to surround us with peace and prosperity, and to give us a beautiful future, glistening with hope. (Jeremiah 29:11 TPT)



ACTIVITIES - CROSSWORD



ACROSS:

2. The people in Moab worshipped _____ gods
5. Boaz and Ruth named their son _____
6. Ruth _____ in God's plans for her life
8. _____ kissed Naomi goodbye
9. God _____ Ruth and Naomi's future
11. In the Old Testament, God _____ for widows
12. Ruth _____ to Naomi
13. Boaz showed _____ to Ruth and Naomi

DOWN:

1. Ruth's son became part of the lineage of _____
2. There was _____ in the land of Judah
3. The Lord visited the land of _____
4. Naomi told everyone to call her _____
7. The name Naomi means _____
8. Ruth chose to be _____ to follow where God was leading her
10. Ruth gleaned _____ in Boaz's field

All answers to the clues can be found by reading the story on pages 27 and 28

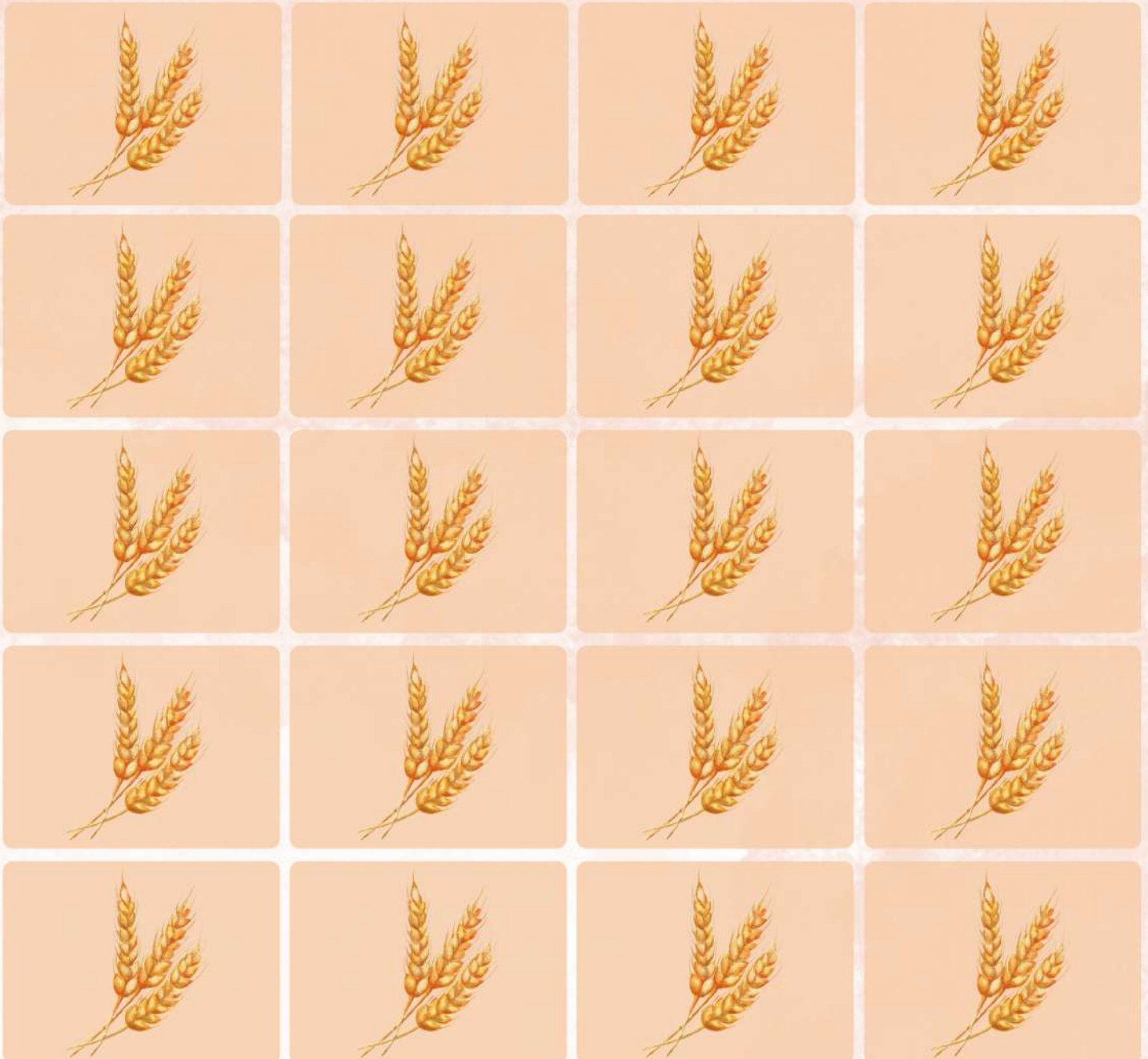
COLLECT THE WHEAT GAME



Ruth went to Boaz's field to collect wheat. He was very generous and kind to her. Here's a fun game you can play to try to collect as much wheat as possible before you are found out.

Put a small marker or treat on each square of the gameboard below. Have one player close their eyes, while another player chooses a square to be 'the wheat'. The first player opens their eyes and begins picking up the treats/markers one by one. They try to collect as many treats/markers as possible without touching 'the wheat' square. Their turn ends when they try to pick up the treat on 'the wheat' square, at which time everyone shouts, 'STOP!'.

Some ideas for treats/markers are almonds, sultanas or cranberries. See how much wheat (or treats) you can collect before you are found out!



REVIEWS



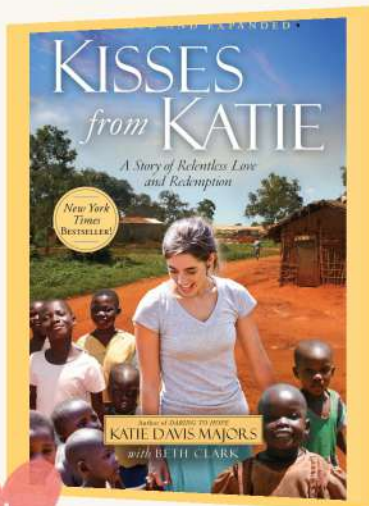
MOVIES, BOOKS, PODCASTS, APPS, BUSINESSES AND MUSIC TO HELP ENCOURAGE, GROW YOU OR CREATE DISCUSSIONS IN YOUR FAMILY

Navigating what you and your families watch, read and listen to can be time consuming and challenging. We want to help provide you with books, movies, podcasts, apps, music and even businesses that might help to encourage you, grow you or create Kingdom discussions in your family. We hope that these reviews may point you in some helpful directions.

We realise that everyone has different guidelines for their kids and families when it comes to what you watch, read and listen to. Please use these reviews as a guide or a starting point but as always, please make decisions for your family that match your values and that are right for the ages and sensitivity of your kids.



KISSES FROM KATIE



Kisses from Katie is an autobiography by Katie Davis. Katie shares her story of growing up in America, and God leads her on a path that is completely different to what her and her parents expected. He leads her to Uganda. Her heart is filled with wild love. Jesus' love overflows from her heart, she can't help pouring it out onto others, especially those in need.

Katie ends up adopting thirteen children in Uganda and helping hundreds more! She feeds the hungry, shelters the homeless and cares for the sick. The love of God radiates through her and fills the hungry hearts around her. Her dependency on the Lord and her intimate relationship with Him is inspiring! Follow Katie's journey through the ups and downs of a life poured out before God.

Recommended for ages 15+
Some mature themes

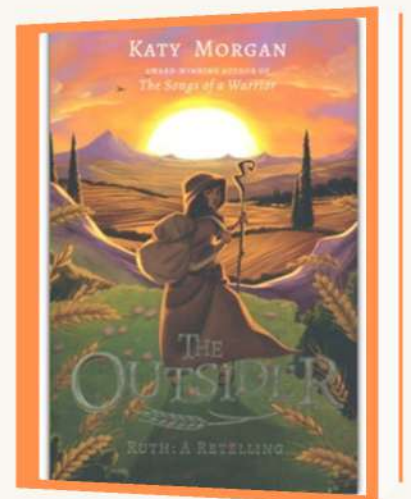
THE OUTSIDER - RUTH: A RETELLING



The Outsider is a book written by Katy Morgan and is a retelling of the story of Ruth from the Bible. It uses the factual information in the Bible to create a fictional story about what may have happened in Ruth's life.

The story follows Naomi and her family into the land of Moab. Then when Naomi's husband and sons die, her daughter-in-law Ruth, travels with her back to her home in Jerusalem. Ruth is an outsider because she is a foreigner. Ruth and Naomi have nothing but God to help them. Read to find out how will they survive and how God will redeem and bless them!

It includes a 'Notes' section to compare the story to the Bible chapter by chapter and a Book Club Discussion Guide. We had some great discussions about this book.



Recommended for ages 8+

FACING THE GIANTS



Facing the Giants is one of the first movies by the Kendrick Brothers. Grant Taylor is the coach for the Shiloh Christian Eagles football team. His team has had six losing seasons in a row and their team is falling apart. Then Grant discovers a plot to kick him out of his role as coach! At home, Grant has other issues he is facing, he and his wife want to have kids and have been trying for years. After a visit to the doctor, he finds that he is unable to have children. In the midst of the disappointment and hopelessness, Grant turns to God. He chooses to trust God, to have faith and to face each giant. Watch and see what God can do when we trust and surrender. Get ready to see giants fall!

Rated PG - Recommended for ages 10+
Some mature themes



FORREST FRANK

Forrest Frank is a Christian music artist and we love his music in this house! He has a great testimony about coming to know Jesus from a dark place and also more recently, God healing him from a broken back. Recent songs include "Lemonade", "Selah", "The Rock" and "Misunderstood".

His music is a combination of Jesus and good vibes. His music ranges from upbeat and fun to more slow and reflective. We love his encouraging music! Check out his Instagram page @hiforrest or his YouTube channel for his music. You can also find his music on Spotify.

Recommended for all ages



PRAYER IS AN ADVENTURE



Prayer is an Adventure is a beautiful devotional and prayer book by Patricia St. John.

This is a lovely book that teaches all about prayer including: what is prayer, how to pray, when to pray and shares about all sorts of prayers from the Bible.

We really enjoyed reading this together as a family. We were inspired with the idea of the prayer cards from reading this book!

For all ages





THANK YOU!



Thank you for reading our fourth edition of Kingdom Families Magazine!
We had so much fun putting this together with the Lord.
We hope it encouraged you and helped activate your family in some way
for the Kingdom of God.

We would love to hear from you with what you liked
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Go and share this with others.

Be blessed. Go and soar on wings like eagles.
Golden Eagle Creatives



The vision for this magazine came after we had read about the lives of Billy Graham and John Wesley.

As we read about the magazine that John Wesley started, Holy Spirit gave us the vision for this magazine.

The vision is to encourage, equip and activate families with creativity and for the Kingdom of God, with joy being at the centre of it!

We want to plant many seeds into the lives of children and families for a great harvest in the Kingdom of God! We hope this blesses you. Please spread the word and share it around!

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LET'S GO

ADVENTURE



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