



The Lord grants wisdom.

From his mouth come knowledge and understanding.

Proverbs 2:6

Wise vs. Foolish

What are some characteristics of a wise person?

What are some characteristics of a fool?

The Tongue

James 3

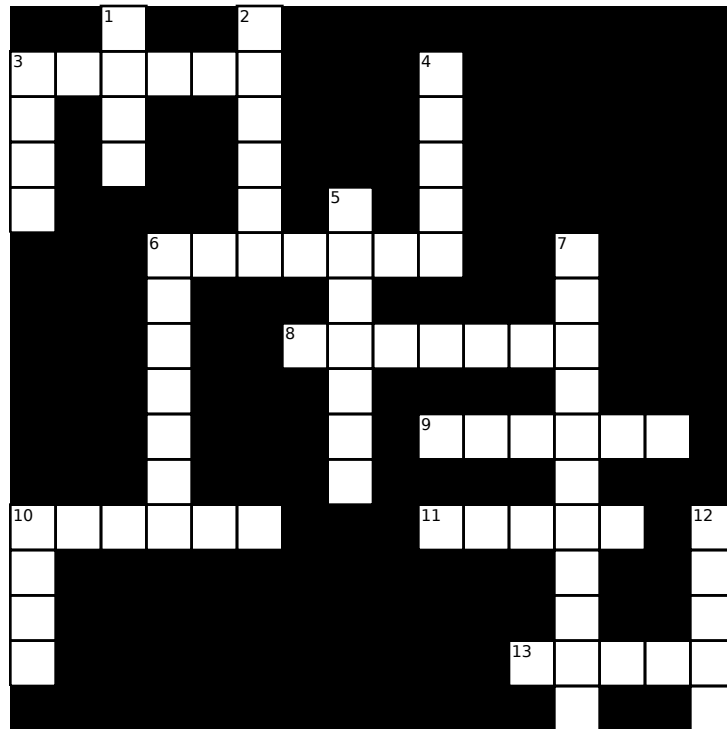


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bit on horse
crown of life
deadly poison
forest fire starts small
good conduct
good fruits
James
peace
rudder on ship
slow to anger
slow to speak
swift to hear
temptation
tongue
wisdom

Four Ways to Use Words Better

Word for Life Says



Across

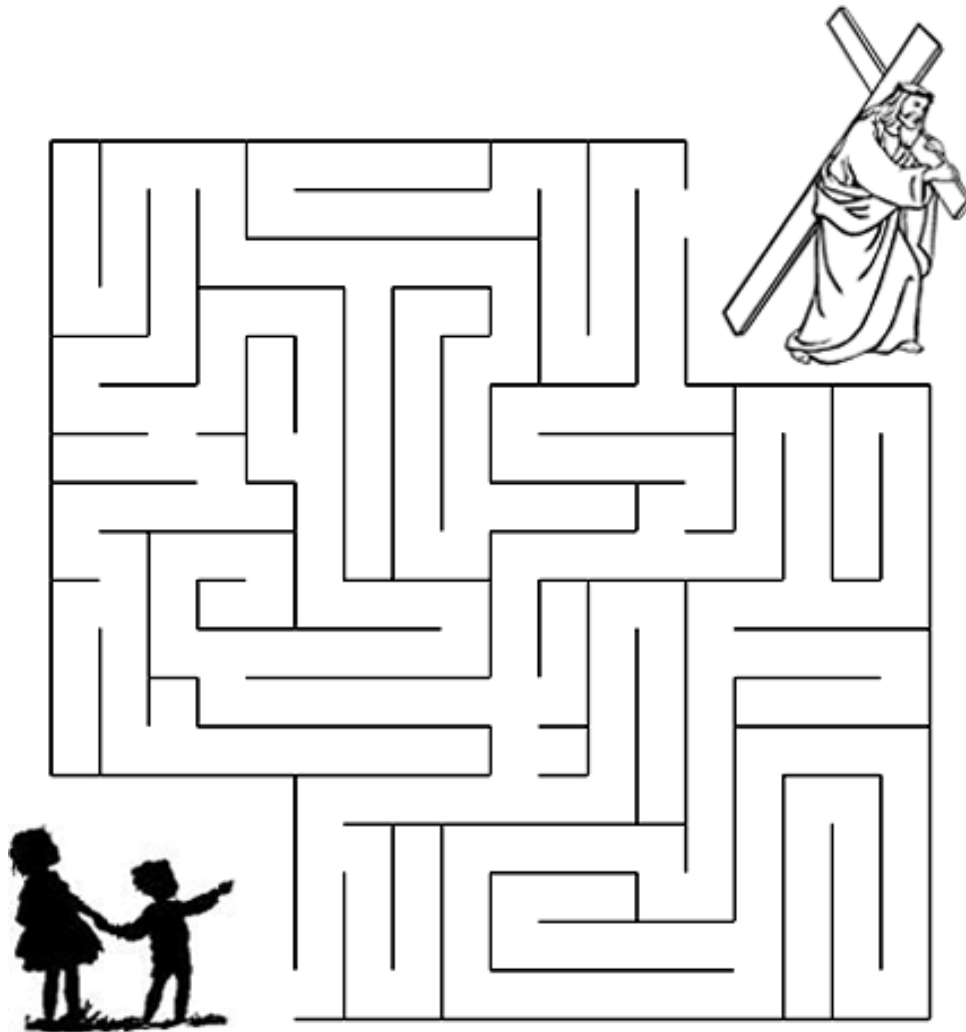
- 3 He is able also to _____ the whole body. James 3:2
- 6 My brethren, be not many _____. James 3:1
- 8 We shall receive the _____ condemnation. James 3:1
- 9 For in many things we _____ all. James 3:2
- 10 The _____ is a little member. James 3:5
- 11 Out of the same _____ proceedeth blessings and cursing. James 3:10
- 13 Doth a fountain send forth at the same place sweet _____ and bitter _____? James 3:11 (same word)

Down

- 1 How great a matter a little _____ kindleth! James 3:5
- 2 For every kind of _____, and of birds, and of serpents, and of things in the sea, is tamed. James 3:7
- 3 We put _____ in horses' mouths, that they may obey us. James 3:3
- 4 These vessels are turned about with a very small helm. James 3:4
- 5 The Lord GOD hath given me the tongue of the _____. Isaiah 50:4
- 6 He wakeneth morning by _____, he wakeneth mine ear to hear as the learned. Isaiah 50:4
- 7 If any man offend not in word, the same is a _____. James 3:2
- 10 But the tongue can no man _____. James 3:8
- 12 That I should know how to speak a word in season to him that is _____. Isaiah 50:4

Take up your cross and follow Jesus!

Can you find the path to Jesus?



"If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself
and take up his cross and follow me."

Mark 8:34b

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The Game of Life

What good is it for a man to gain the whole world, yet forfeit his soul? Mark 8:36

Choose the word that best matches the definition. Answers can be found in Mark 8:34-37 (NIV)



- ___ 1. To refuse to allow yourself something
A. life B. deny C. gospel D. selfish
- ___ 2. To care about what you want without thinking of others
A. happy B. sharing C. generous D. selfish
- ___ 3. To be guided by someone else; to go behind
A. lead B. follow C. stay D. ignore
- ___ 4. The part of a person that continues to live after a person dies
A. body B. crowd C. mind D. soul
- ___ 5. To keep someone or something safe from harm
A. save B. lose C. exchange D. gain
- ___ 6. The period between birth and death
A. youth B. soul C. life D. selfish
- ___ 7. A large number of people gathered together
A. crowd B. disciples C. gospel D. lose
- ___ 8. The teachings of Jesus and the Apostles
A. life B. selfish C. gospel D. crowd
- ___ 9. The object upon which Jesus was crucified
A. save B. cross C. selfish D. lose
- ___ 10. To no longer have something because it has been taken away
A. cross B. life C. lose D. soul