



# JOINT HEIR

Song of the Month: "Heir of Heaven"

Patch Fun Song: "A Respectable Pirate"

**Children's Hymn of the Year:** "Stay the Course"

**Memory Verse:** Romans 8:17—"And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together."

**Make-up Memory Verse:** Romans 8:14—"For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God."

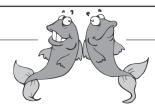
**Sailor Scripture Memory:** Each week, read and review the passage below in order to quote the entire passage in any performance during the year. Quote along with Patch the Pirate on the *Learn at Home* CD.

Philippians 2:1–11—"If there be therefore any consolation in Christ, if any comfort of love, if any fellowship of the Spirit, if any bowels and mercies, Fulfil ye my joy, that ye be likeminded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind. Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others. Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."











## SPEAKING PARTS FOR THE PERFORMANCE

Use a small group of sailors to recite together the beginning verses. They should stand together as a group on the stage, perhaps on a back row of the choir so they can easily join the choir to say the monthly verse and sing the song. Choose sailors 1-3 from this group and have them stand together within the small group.

Sailor 1: (Recite clearly and with energy.) 1 Peter 1:3-5—"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

Sailor 2: which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

Sailor 3: To an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you,

Sailors 1, 2, 3: Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time."

Sailor 1: (Speaking with enthusiasm.) I have an inheritance! My inheritance will never disappear in a stock-market crash, or a fire, or be foolishly spent.

Sailor 2: I have the same inheritance, too! The Bible says that when I became God's child, I was adopted into His family. I became an heir of God and a joint-heir with Jesus.

Sailor 3: So, can anyone become an heir of this inheritance?

Sailor 2: Yes, anyone can become God's child. John 1:12 tells us—"But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name."

Sailors 1, 2, 3: *(Speaking together.)* Are you God's child? Do you have an eternal inheritance in heaven? You can have the same hope that we have.

Choir: (*Recites.*) Romans 8:17—"And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together."

Choir: (Sings.) "Heir of Heaven"





# Heir of Heaven



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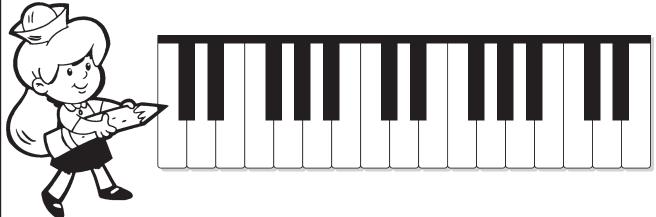


# PRINCESS' PRACTICE



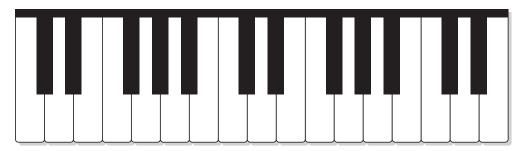
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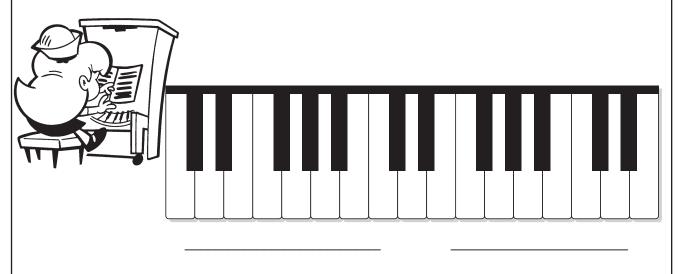


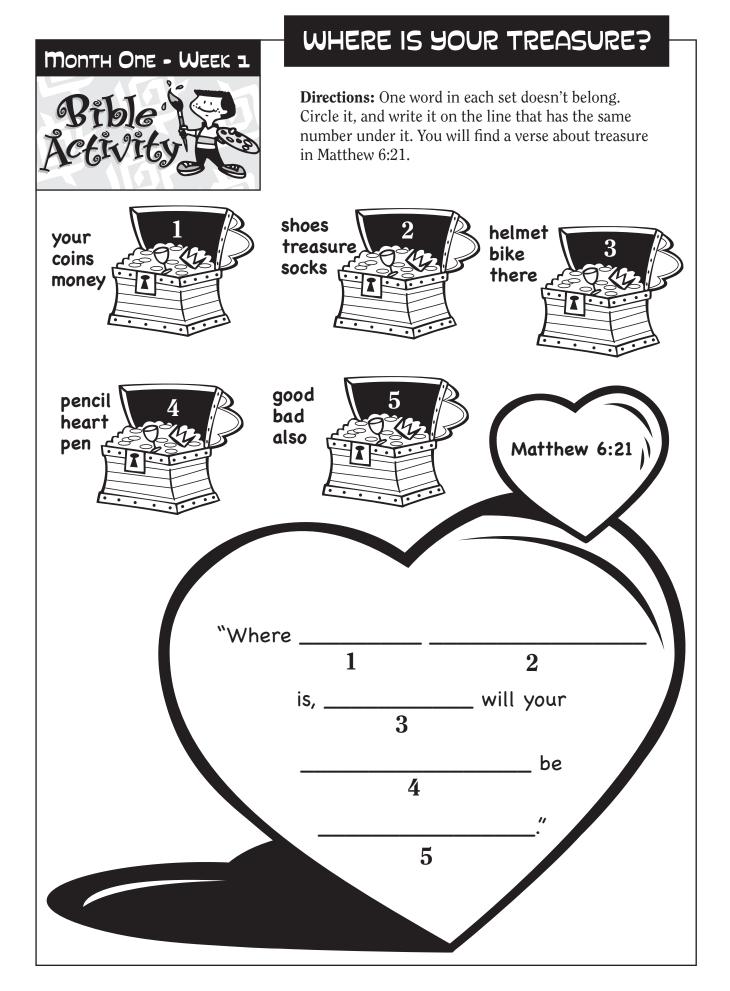
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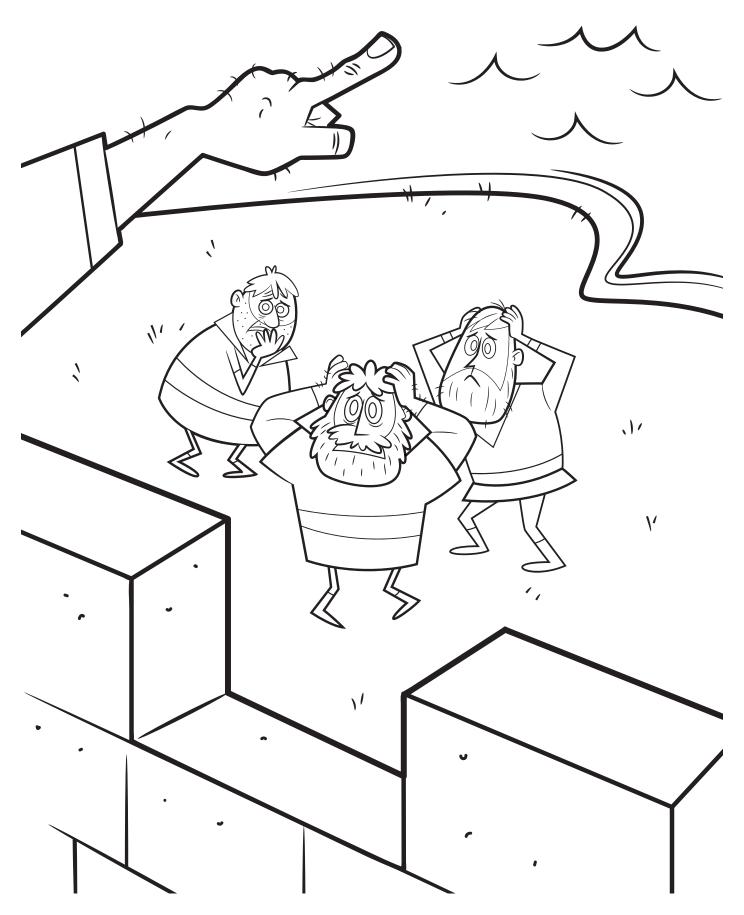




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"We must warn the city! The vikings are coming!" *Operation Arctic* 



# WHAT'S WRONG WITH WANTING WORLDLY RICHES?

If you could have anything you wanted right now, what would it be? Would it be a new toy? Would it be a chocolate milkshake or designer tennis shoes? If you are like most children, you can think of many things you would like to have. What does the Bible say about wanting to have things? This week as you have your devotions, you will learn what is wrong with wanting worldly riches.

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1 Timothy 6:9—"But they that will be	fall into
temptation and a,	and into many foolish and hurtful lusts,
which drown men in	and perdition."

If you had all the money in the world, what would you do? You would most likely buy and eat only the food you like to eat such as candy and ice cream. You would buy all the toys you want and get all of the newest gadgets that you desire. But do you think it would be good for you to have everything you want? Having everything you want is not good because your sinful nature causes you to want things that are bad for you. Today's verse says that those who are rich often fall into temptation and are hurt and destroyed by their evil desires. The next time you feel badly because you cannot have what you want, remember that getting everything you want can be harmful for you.



Thank God that He does not allow you to have everything you want. Ask Him to keep you from the sin of wanting things that you should not have.



# MY QUIET TIME

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1 Timothy 6:10-11—"For the love of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many \_\_\_\_\_\_. But thou, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, \_\_\_\_\_\_, patience, meekness."

Why do people steal? Why do people kill one another? Why would a person lie or cheat? A lot of times the reason people steal, kill, lie, or cheat is because they want to get more money. The Bible says that the love of money is at the root of all evil. God also says that those who covet or desire to have money often stop trusting in God. Their lust for money brings them pain and sorrow. Instead of wanting more money or worldly riches, God wants His children to follow after spiritual riches. Some spiritual riches are listed in today's verses: righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, and meekness. What kind of riches do you want to have?



Ask God to help you desire spiritual riches more than worldly riches. Ask Him to protect you from the evil(s) of loving money.

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<b>Luke 12:15—</b> "And he [Je	sus] said unto them, Take heed, and
of	: for a man's life consisteth not
in the	of the things which he possesseth."

"Did you see the new girl in our class, Molly?" Janet asked her friend. "Her outfit looked like it cost a lot of money. And I heard her say that she had three horses at her house. She's probably rich and stuck up." It is easy to judge people by the things they have. But God judges people by what they are on the inside—not by what they are wearing or what things they have. If it is very important to you how you look or what things you have, beware! Make sure



you look good in God's eyes. Then trust Him to provide you with the things you need.



Ask God to help you work on looking good to Him instead of trying to look good to other people. Thank Him that He will always make sure you have the things that you need.

DAY 4
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Luke 12:20-21—"Bւ	ıt God said unto him, Thou	, this night
thy	shall be required of thee: then whose	e shall those things
be, which thou hast	provided? So is he that layeth up	for
himself, and is not r	rich toward God."	

One day Jesus told a story to the people who were following Him. This story was about a rich man who had so many riches, he had no place to store them all. He tore down his storehouses and built bigger ones. When all of his storehouses were full of riches, he told himself, "Take it easy now. Eat, drink, and have fun!" But God came to this man and told him he was foolish to trust in his worldly riches. Why? Because when this rich man died, he could take none of these things with him. He had spent his life collecting worldly riches and had ignored his need for God. Would his riches buy him a home in heaven? Could his great storehouses keep him out of hell? Of course not.

Don't waste your time collecting worldly riches. Instead, become rich toward God by trusting and serving Him.



Ask God to help you understand how empty and worthless worldly riches are. Ask Him to help you become rich in Him.



# MY QUIET TIME

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Proverbs 13:7—"There is that	maketh himself	_, yet hath nothing
there is that maketh himself_	, yet hath great	·"

"If only I had the jacket I want, I would be happy for the rest of my life," Justin told his friend. Have you ever felt this way about something you wanted? The truth is, nothing you could buy can bring you lasting happiness. Money and things cannot satisfy you or make you happy. Today's verse says that there are people who are rich—yet really have nothing. There are also people who have very little worldly riches—who are very rich in Christ. What kind of riches would you rather have?



Thank God that He has given you everything you need to be truly happy. Ask Him to teach you that worldly riches can never satisfy you.

DAY 6
MONTH / DAY

Matthew 6:19-21—"Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon
where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and
: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where
neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through
nor steal: For where your treasure is, there will your be also."

Years and years ago in the land of Egypt, the people believed that when they died they could take their worldly riches with them into the next life. Because of this, the rich kings built huge pyramids. When they died, they were buried in these pyramids along with great worldly riches. But did these kings carry their wealth with them? No. Thieves broke into many of these pyramids and carried away the riches. Moths and rust have destroyed most of what used to be beautiful. Worldly riches do not last. "Lay up your treasure in heaven," God tells His children. In heaven there are no thieves who will steal your treasure. No moths or rust can destroy what you store in heaven.



Your heart will be where your treasure is. If you have worldly treasure, you will be most concerned about that worldly treasure. But if your treasure is in heaven, your desire will be toward your Heavenly Father.



Ask God to help you store up treasure in heaven instead of on earth.

	Thank Him that your heavenly treasure will last forever.
DAY 7  MONTH / DAY	Proverbs 30:8-9—"Remove far from me vanity and: give me neither nor riches; feed me with food convenient for me:  Lest I be full, and deny thee, and say, Who is the Lord? or lest I be poor, and, and take the name of my God in vain."
	Today's verses are a prayer that God will give His child the things that are best. In this prayer I am asking God to help me put away pride and dishonesty. Don't let me be poor, and don't let me be rich either. Give me exactly what is best for me. If I am rich, I might turn away from God and say, "Who is God?" If I am poor, I might be tempted to steal and curse Him. If you are God's child, trust in your Heavenly Father to give you exactly what He wants you to have. Thank Him for the things He has given you, and also thank Him for the things He has not allowed you to have. God loves you, and He will give you exactly what you need.
	Thank God that He gives you exactly what you should have. Ask Him to help you not want more than what He chooses to give you.
	I have faithfully had my devotions this week.

(sailor's name)

# KEYBOARD CAPERS







The groups of two black keys and three black keys are helpful to find the white keys.

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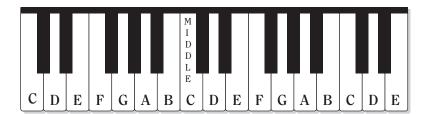
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*D* is between the 2 black keys.

*E* is to the right of the group of 2 black keys.

*F* is to the left of the group of 3 black keys.

*G* is between the 1st and 2nd keys of the group of 3 black keys.



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Write the musical alphabet going *up* the keyboard. Write *A* at the top.





Write the musical alphabet going down the keyboard. Write A at the bottom.







Princess' mother was the beautiful queen of the Fair Isles. *Operation Arctic* 



## THE RICHES OF BEING GOD'S CHILD

Last week, you learned that God does not want His children to seek after worldly riches. Instead, He wants them to desire to have spiritual riches. If you are God's child, you already have many riches that your Heavenly Father gave you when you were saved. This week as you have your devotions, you will learn what some of these treasures are.

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John 3:16—"For God so loved the	_, that he gave
his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him	n should not
, but have	life."

The greatest treasure that God gave to His children was His only beloved Son, Jesus Christ. God gave up His Son so that whoever believes and accepts Jesus can become God's child. If you are God's child, there is another treasure that you have. This treasure is everlasting life. Those who are not children of God will spend eternity in hell—an everlasting death, because it will never end. But Christians will live with God forever in the wonderful place God has prepared for them.



Thank God for the gift of His Son and for the treasure of everlasting life. Thank Him for making a way for you to escape everlasting punishment in hell.



# MY QUIET TIME

DAY 2
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Romans 8:15—"For ye have not i	received the of	
bondage again to	; but ye have received the Sp	irit of
, whereby we cry	y, Abba, Father."	

When you accept Jesus as your Savior, you belong to God. But He does not treat you like a common slave—He treats you as His child. The Bible teaches that God adopts you, and you become His cherished child. One of the greatest treasures about being a child of God is God's fatherly love. His love does not depend upon how you act or whether or not you obey Him. He wants you to serve Him; but He loves you all the time, even when your actions displease Him.



Thank God that He made you His child when you were saved. Thank Him for His great love that will never end.



John 14:26—"But the	, which is the Holy G	host, whom the
will send in my	name, he shall	you all
things and bring all things to your	remembrance, whatsoever	I have said unto
you."		

How would it make you feel to know that there was always someone you could go to for advice, comfort, and love? That's exactly what God sent the Holy Spirit to do for His children. The Holy Spirit comes to live inside you when you are saved. He helps you remember the things you have learned about God. He also helps you know what is right and what is wrong. He comforts you when you are sad, and He prays for you when you don't know how to pray. The Holy Spirit is one of the greatest treasures that God gives to His children.



Thank God for giving you the Holy Spirit. Thank Him for all of the ways the Holy Spirit helps you every day.



DAY 4	Psalm 23:2-3—"He maketh me to lie down in	n green pastures: he
MONTH / DAY	me beside the still waters. He restoreth my _	: he leadeth me
MONTH / DAT	in the paths of	_ for his name's sake."

The Bible often compares God's children to sheep with Jesus as their Shepherd. Sheep are not smart animals. They do not know the difference between good grass and poisonous plants. The shepherd must watch them carefully to see that they do not wander into danger or eat something harmful. God offers this same care to His children. Just as a shepherd cares and leads his sheep, God cares and leads His children. There will be many times when you make a wrong or foolish choice. But God will still lovingly take care of you and guide you until you are right where He wants you to be. God's loving care of His children is a great treasure!



Thank God for His great love for you. Thank Him that He takes care of you and loves you even when you make mistakes.

DAY 5
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Hebrews 12:6—"For whom the Lord	he chasteneth, and
every son whom he	.,,

To chasten means to discipline. A loving parent will train his child to obey. In order to do this, the parent must tell the child what he expects. If the child disobeys, the parent punishes the child to teach that child how to behave. Parents who do not discipline their children do not truly love them. Did you know that God disciplines His children? Instead of letting them get away with disobedience, God allows things to happen that will teach His children to obey and trust their Heavenly Father. Can you think of any times when God has disciplined you in this way? Although it is not fun, discipline is good for you. God's chastening is a loving gift from God to His children.



# MY QUIET TIME



Thank God that He doesn't let you get away with disobeying. Ask Him to

	help you learn to trust and obey so that He won't have to chasten you.
DAY 6	1 John 5:14-15—"And this is the that we have in him,
MONTH / DAY	that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he us: And
MONTH / DAT	if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the
	that we desired of him."
	One of the great treasures that God gives to His children is listening to them. When you pray, God hears you. More than that, He understands you. He understands all of your fears, your hurts, and your disappointments. He knows the things that you need, and He offers you all the love you desire. When was the last time you asked God for something? The Bible promises that God hears your requests. If it is God's will for you to have what you ask for, God promises to give it to you. Aren't you glad that your Heavenly Father is a giving God?
	Thank God that He hears you when you talk to Him. Thank Him that He promises to give you all the things you need.
DAY 7	1 John 4:4—"Ye are of God, little, and have overcome
MONTH / DAY	them: because is he that is in you, than he that is in the"
	Another great treasure that God gives to His children is the treasure of

victory. Although you must struggle against Satan every day on this earth, God has promised that you will have the victory over him. God is greater than



Satan. God has already defeated Satan. No matter how hard and long you have to battle against temptation and sin, if you are God's child, you will have the victory. This is a precious treasure that belongs to God's children.

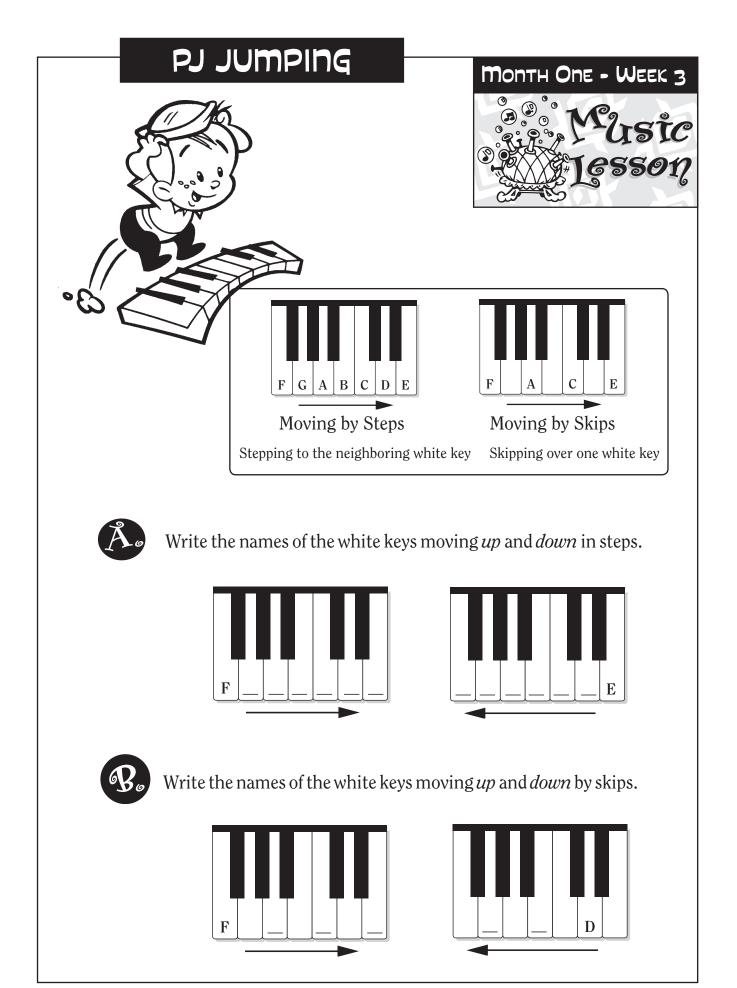


Thank God for the treasure of victory over sin. Thank Him that He is greater than Satan and that He is with you all the time.



I have faithfully had my devotions this week.

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# SPIRITUAL RICHES

**Directions:** Using the Scripture verse as a clue, list one of the spiritual riches given to you by God.

Romans 2:4



Riches = God's g\_\_\_d\_ess in bringing me to Him.

Romans 9:23



Riches = God's  $g_{\underline{\phantom{a}}} r_{\underline{\phantom{a}}}$  put on me.

Romans 11:33



Riches = Getting \_\_\_ \_\_ d\_\_m and knowledge about God.

Ephesians 1:7



Riches = God's gr\_\_c\_\_ in redeeming me.

Ephesians 3:16

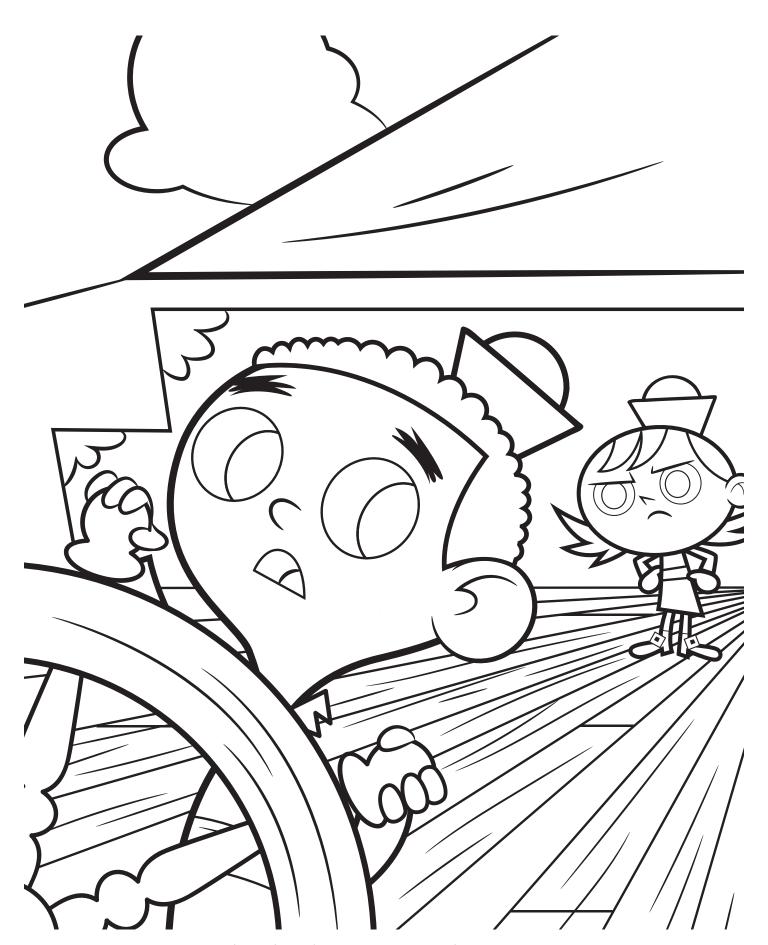


Riches = Being filled by the Holy  $S_{\underline{\phantom{a}}} r_{\underline{\phantom{a}}}t$ .

Colossians 1:27



Riches = God living in me and giving me the \_\_op\_\_ of heaven.



"I'd rather be a princess than a pirate." *Operation Arctic* 



## RICHES THAT MONEY CAN'T BUY

People in today's world think that worldly riches can bring them happiness. Many Christians fall into this trap as well. The truth is that only God can fill your heart and life with joy. This week as you have your devotions, you will learn about spiritual riches that God gives to you. Each one is a great treasure that money cannot buy.

DAY 1	Hebrews 13:5—"Let you	มr	be without covetous	ness;
MONTH / DAY	and be	_ with such things as ye h	ave: for he [God] hath sa	aid, I
MONTH / DAT	will never	thee, nor forsak	e thee."	
	Spiritual Treasure: (	God is always with you.		
	else in the world is alway alone. He is always with presence with you mean all that you really need?	know that the Person who ys with you? God promises you, helping you, loving y as that you always have exa That is why today's verse s hat happens to them: their	s that He will never leave you, and listening to you ctly what you need—isr says that God's children	e you i. God's n't God should
	Thank God that He is to you.	s always with you. Tell Hin	n what His presence me	ans
DAY 2	Romans 8:38-39—"For	I am persuaded, that neith	er nor l	ife nor
		s, nor powers, nor things p		
MONTH / DAY		, nor depth, nor any ot		
	be able to separate us fro	om the love of God, which	is in Christ Jesus our Lo	ord."



## Spiritual Treasure: God's love is always with you.

How do you feel when you've done something wrong? Do you ever feel that God must not love you because of what you've done? Satan wants you to think that God takes His love away from you when you sin. But God promises that nothing—NOTHING—can ever, ever take you away from His love. This means that no matter what you do, God will still love you. Wherever you choose to go, God's love goes with you. Even when you die, His love goes with you through death into eternity. God's love is so great and powerful that nothing can ever take it away from you. This truly is a treasure that money could never buy!



Thank God for the wonderful treasure of His love. Thank Him that nothing you or anyone else does can separate you from His love.

DAY 3	Jeremiah 29:11—"For I know the	that I think toward
MONTH / DAY	you, saith the Lord, thoughts of	, and not of
month, but	, to give you an expect	ed end."

## Spiritual Treasure: God will work good in your life.

"There's nothing good in my life," Jennifer told her friend. "My parents don't love each other. We lost our house, and I never seem to do the right thing. How can God ever use me for anything?" Sad things happen to everyone at one time or another. Every Christian makes mistakes and falls into sin. Is it time to give up when these things happen? Positively not! Today's verse promises that God's plans for each of His children are for good, not for evil. Even when difficult things happen or when you disobey God, your Heavenly Father will use these "bad" things to work good in your life.



Romans 8:28 says that God will make "all things work together for good" in the lives of His children. This "all" includes the good and the bad things that are in your life.



Thank God that He promises to work good in your life even when bad things happen. Thank Him that He forgives you when you sin against Him.

	DAY 4
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Philippians 4:7—"And the $\_$	of G	God, which passeth all understanding,
shall keep your	and	through Christ Jesus."

## Spiritual Treasure: God gives you perfect peace.

Acts chapter 12 tells a story that shows how God gives His children perfect peace. King Herod threw Peter in jail. He was to be killed the next morning. Peter was chained between two soldiers to make sure he didn't escape. How would you have felt if you were Peter? Scared and lonely? Not Peter. Peter was asleep! He had trusted God with his life and his future. He wasn't scared or worried. God had filled Peter's heart with His perfect peace so that Peter was able to rest and sleep.

God promises to give you His perfect peace just as He gave His peace to Peter. All He asks of you is that you trust Him and keep your mind fixed on Him. Isaiah 26:3 says, "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee."



Thank God for the peace He gives you when you trust in Him. Ask Him to help you trust Him with your life and your future.

DAY 5
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Hebrews 4:16—"Let us therefore come	unto the
throne of, that we ma	ay obtain
and find grace to help in time of need."	



## Spiritual Treasure: God gives you mercy and grace.

One of the ways God shows you His love is by being merciful to you. Mercy is kindness, forgiveness, and help when it is not deserved. When you disobey God, it is His mercy that causes Him to forgive you. His mercy allows Him to help you and take care of you even when you are not serving Him with your life. Another way God shows His love for you is by giving you His grace. God's grace is His supernatural help and strength which He gives to you when you need it. Life on this earth is difficult, and sad things happen to everyone. But if you are God's child, He will give you His grace to help you endure the things that happen to you. God's great mercy and grace are treasures that money cannot buy.



Thank God for His mercy and grace. Thank Him that He loves you enough to help you and take care of you while you live in this world.

DAY 6
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James 1:5—"If any of you lack	, let him ask of
, that giveth to all men	, and upbraideth
not; and it shall be given him."	

## Spiritual Treasure: God gives you wisdom if you ask.

"I'm just a child," Tommy told his sister. "How am I supposed to know what to do?" Have you ever felt this way about a hard situation? Even grown-ups don't know the right thing to do some of the time. If you don't know what to do, just ask God. Wisdom is knowing the right thing to do. God promises that He will always direct His children, if they will only ask Him. God freely gives His children what they need. If you need wisdom, ask your Heavenly Father. You can be sure He will show you the right thing to do.





Thank God for the promise of wisdom. Ask Him to help you remember to ask Him for wisdom when you don't know what to do.

DAY 7	Philippians 4:	19—"But my God shall	all your need according
MONTH / DAY	to his	in	by Christ Jesus."

Spiritual Treasure: God gives you everything you need.

What do you need? Do you need new shoes for school or help with your math homework? Do you need a friend? A great treasure that God gives to you is His promise that He will give you everything that you truly need.

"But God did not give me something I really needed," you might say. God knows everything. He knows the things that you really need. Sometimes He lets you go without something that you think you need because He knows what is best for you. How is God able to give all of His children everything they need? Today's verse says that God gives according to His riches. God's riches are eternal—there is no beginning or end to His goodness. This means that He is unlimited in what He can provide for you. The Bible says "nothing is impossible with God." Tell God the things that you need. He will give you everything you need to serve Him.



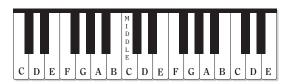
Tell God about the things you think you need. Ask Him to give you only what is best for you. Thank Him that He promises to give you everything you need to serve Him.

	I have faithfully had my devotions this week.
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# A LYRICAL LESSON

There is an evil plan! Limerick, a tricky character, has a plan to overthrow the King of Zion. Using the keyboard key, name the missing keys below to discover the secrets of Limerick's plan.





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who laid on his

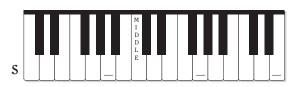
in Killarney.

He never did work, and his job he did shirk.



bing, "Laziness surely won't harm me!"

Now his dutiful wife was no fool, and she made for her kin a



rule.

"Off your back, on your feet, without work—you'll not eat!"



no more

beggars in Blarney!



# MY TREASURE MONTH ONE - WEEK 4 FROM GOD'S WORD **Directions:** List in the treasure chests below four treasures or promises you have found in God's Word Eternal life John 3:16



"Welcome to the Fair Isles!" Operation Arctic



## THE RICHES IN GOD'S WORD

One of the greatest treasures that God has given to His children is the Word of God. The Bible is filled with precious riches to help and comfort you during your life here on earth. This week as you have your devotions, you will learn some of the great riches God has given you in His Word. These riches belong to you.

DAY 1  MONTH / DAY	Romans 1:17—"For therein is the to: as it is written	
	The first treasure given to God's childre knowing God. The Bible introduces man to is like and what God expects from man. To will learn more about God and His righteo Faith is not a feeling—it is a decision to tr God, the more He will teach you about Him Thank God for teaching you about Him you trust Him more and more so that you	o God and teaches man what God day's verse says that God's children busness by having faith in God. ust in God. The more you trust in mself through His Word.
DAY 2  MONTH / DAY	Genesis 1:27—"So God created man in his of God created he him; created he them."	
	Another treasure that God gives His ch began. The Bible tells about the beginning man, and how man chose to sin against Go Bible teaches about man's beginning, you and His Word. You learn from the Bible th	of the world, how God created od. When you understand what the can understand why you need God



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man sinned. Without this, you could never know that you need to be saved from your sin.



	Thank God for teaching you how man began. Thank Him that the Bible explains why you need to be saved from the punishment of sin.			
DAY 3 MONTH/DAY	1 Corinthians 15:3-4—"For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ for our sins according to the; And that he was buried, and that he			
	again the third day according to the scriptures."			
	The gospel, or good news of salvation, is a very wonderful and precious treasure that God gives to the world through His Word. God gave the Bible to men so that they could learn that Jesus died for their sins and rose again, winning the victory over death and evil. Because of this great treasure of the gospel—you can have your sins forgiven, and God can adopt you to be His own child. If you are a child of God, it is your responsibility to tell everyone around you about the wonderful treasure of the gospel so that they, too, can become God's children.			
	Thank God for giving you the gospel. Ask Him to help you tell everyone around you about the good news that Jesus died for the sins of man.			
DAY 4  MONTH / DAY	Colossians 1:10—"That ye might walk of the Lord unto all, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the of God."			
	Once you are God's child, the Bible holds many treasures for you. God's			

Word tells you everything you need to know in order to live your life on this earth. If you are hurt and sad, the Bible can give you comfort and hope. If you have a problem, the Bible has the answer for that problem. When you don't

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know what you should do, God will use the Bible to show you exactly what He wants you to do. The Bible is your guidebook for living in the world. Are you reading it every day? Are you looking in the Bible for the answers to your problems? Today's verse says that God's children should please the Lord, be full of good works, and be learning more and more about God. The only way to do these things is by spending time with God and reading His Word.



Thank God that He tells you everything you need to know for living in this world. Ask Him to help you spend a special time reading His Word every day.

DAY 5
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2 Peter 1:4—"Whereby are given unto us exc	eedinga	nd
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The treasures of God's promises fill the Bible from cover to cover. All of these wonderful promises belong to you if you are His child. Below are just some of the great promises in God's Word.

Psalm 29:11—"The Lord will give strength unto his people; the Lord will bless his people with peace."

Psalm 32:7—"Thou art my hiding place; thou shalt preserve me from trouble; thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance."

Psalm 34:17—"The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles."

Proverbs 29:25b—"Whoso putteth his trust in the Lord shall be safe."

Isaiah 41:10—"Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness."



Matthew 28:20b—"Lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world."

In the spaces below, writ	e some of your	favorite Bible	promises.



Thank God for all of His wonderful promises. Thank Him for the comfort and hope His Word gives to you during your life in this world.

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1 Thessalonians 4:16—"For the Lord himself shall descend from heaver with a, with the voice of the archangel, and with the			
with a	, with the voice	, with the voice of the archangel, and with the	
	of God: and the	in Christ shall rise first."	

God wants His children to know what will happen in the future so they will not be afraid. This is another great treasure in God's Word. God tells His children that when they die, God will be with them. And if they live until Jesus returns, God tells them exactly what will happen at that time. The verse today in 1 Thessalonians 4:16 is a good example of this. If you are God's child, you don't need to be afraid of what will happen in the future. God promises to be with you always. He promises to be with you when you die and to take you to be with Him. And He promises that someday Jesus will come back to take you and all living Christians to heaven to live with Him for eternity.



Thank God for telling you in His Word what will happen to you in the future. Thank Him that you do not have to be afraid of dying because you know that God will always be with you.



DAY 7
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Revelation 21:4—"And God shall wipe away all	
from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neith	er sorrow, nor
, neither shall there be any more	: for the
former things are passed away."	

God knows that it is very hard for His children here in the world. There is evil and sin all around, and it is difficult for Christians to keep their lives pure. But God has given His children another great treasure to help them while they are in the world. This is the treasure of knowing what heaven will be like. The Bible gives a lot of details about heaven. It tells what heaven will look like, who will be in heaven, and what God's children will do in heaven. Today's verse gives a wonderful promise that there will be no pain or sadness or death in heaven. Aren't you glad that God tells you about heaven in His Word?



Thank God that He tells you what heaven will be like. Thank Him for all of the riches that He gives you in the Bible.



I have faithfully had my devotions this week.

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