

Friday Night Youth Bible Study, Ancillary Studies

Puzzles Created on <https://puzzlemaker.discoveryeducation.com/>

Firm Foundation Christian Church, 2024

1. Psalm 9:10, “And those who know Your name will put their trust in You; for You, LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you”
 - a. Fill in the blanks, Psalm __:__, “And those who ____ Your name will put their trust in ____; for You, LORD, have not _____ those who seek You”
 - b. Fill in the blanks, _____ 9:10, “And those who know Your ____ will put their _____ in You; for You, _____, have not forsaken those who ____ you”
 - c. Cf. Isaiah 26:3 (Read)
 - d. Sing #61 Trust in You (Five Sections, main takeaways)
 - i. 1
 - ii. 2
 - iii. 3
 - iv. 4
 - v. 5
 - e. Each song in the hymnal has a verse at the top. What verse is at the top of #61? Read the verse, and write the Scripture reference here.
 - f. Is it similar to Psalm 9:10? Why or why not?

g. Trust in God

R T K A N O D L T H O S E W H
O H O E H K L N O W W Y O U R
F O P W E I N A M O N A M E T
E S W U W S A O I N L L P S U
T E T H T E I N H K R T U R U
Y S T I N Y O U D W F R O R Y
O O U L O R D E H A T V E Y N
O T U F O R F S S A K E O N T
E V A H N O T O H O S U Y O U
T E W H O L S H R E R E K Y O
U H W O O V J T N S O T E A C
I A E R B U D V A F A N N D A
J C D I R K I K Y D G K I L E
Q G U R R M Q E J O F K E B W
I U M C E J Y M P X U N I N Y

And for forsaken
have in know
LORD name not
put seek their
those those trust
who who will
you You You
Your

2. Romans 8:38-39, “For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come. Nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”
- Fill in the blanks, Romans 8:___-___, “For I am persuaded that neither _____ nor _____, nor angels nor principalities nor _____, nor things _____ nor things to come. Nor _____ nor depth, nor any other _____ thing, shall be able to separate us from the _____ of _____ which is in _____ Jesus our _____.”
 - Does Paul seem to have any doubt about ever being separated from God?
 - Do you have any doubts about being separated from God?
 - Were you ever separated from your parent(s) and experienced uncertainty and fear, yet could not wait to come back home?
 - The truth of the matter is that our sin separates us from God, but only in the sense of a broken relationship for a while, kind of like when we misbehave or act mean or inappropriately and our relationship is broken with our parents and family. That doesn’t mean we are out of the family! So it is with God’s family! Now let’s work together to decode the message on the next page! Each letter in the phrase has been replaced with a random letter or number.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
10				24				15						4			19	8	12	18					

O R A O T E R R E A T E T I
22 4 19 10 22 1 4 12 3 24 19 16 19 24 10 12 24 14 12 3 15 22 9
 S A E A E T O S E A R A T E U S
8 3 10 20 20 11 24 10 11 20 24 12 4 8 24 17 10 19 10 12 24 18 8
 R O T E O E O O I I S
21 19 4 6 12 3 24 20 4 26 24 4 21 9 4 14 2 3 15 16 3 15 8
 I R I S T E S U S O U R O R
15 22 16 3 19 15 8 12 23 24 8 18 8 4 18 19 20 4 19 14

- f. Bible verses about love
 - i. John 3:16, everybody should know this one
 - ii. 1 Corinthians 13:4-7, read each phrase and come up with an example of how someone else has shown each one of these things to you. Write it out in a phrase or a sentence below the action. Your teacher will be able to help explain some of them if they seem difficult. “Love”-
 1. Suffers long
 2. Is kind
 3. Does not envy
 4. Does not parade itself
 5. Is not puffed up
 6. Does not behave rudely
 7. Does not seek its own
 8. Is not provoked
 9. Thinks no evil

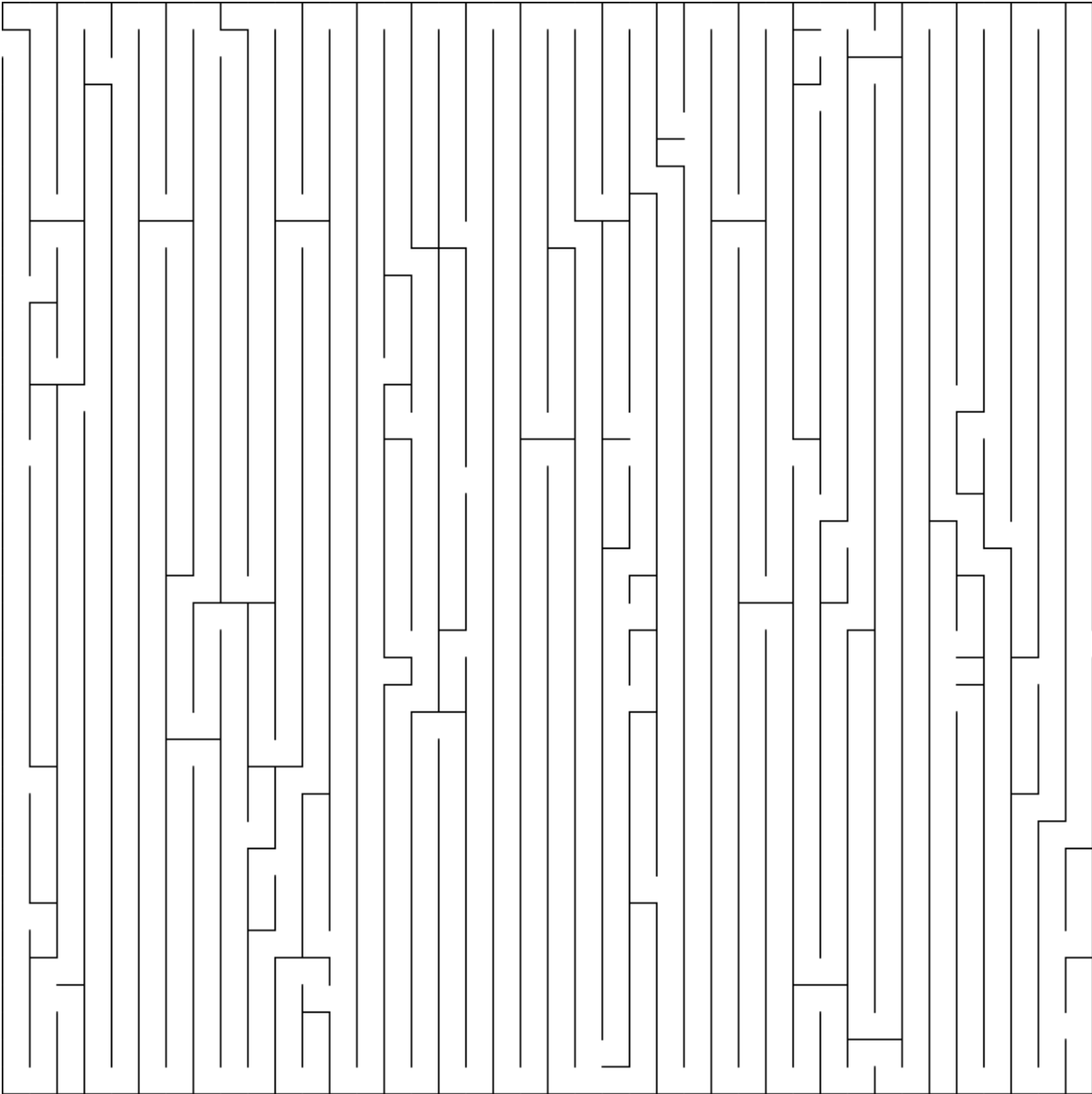
10. Does not rejoice in iniquity
11. Rejoices in the truth
12. Bears all things
13. Believes all things
14. Hopes all things
15. Endures all things

g. If you finished all these things, you did well. On a separate piece of paper, make a homemade greeting card, using some of these things you learned in this lesson, for someone you love and appreciate. You'll probably make their day.

3. Deuteronomy 7:9, “Therefore, know that the LORD your God, He is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and mercy for a thousand generations with those who love Him and keep His commandments.”
 - a. Fill in the Blanks, _____ 7:9, “Therefore, know that the LORD your ____, __ is God, the _____ God who keeps covenant and _____ for a _____ generations with those who ____ Him and keep His _____.”
 - b. God keeps His promises. He always follows through. Read this verse and consider the words carefully. “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life” (John 3:16).
 - i. How did God show His faithfulness by sending His Son Jesus Christ to earth to save you?
 - ii. How is God just in sending people who reject the grace He offers to hell?
 - iii. Why do you think that people reject such a good and loving God?

Hint: The answer is in John 3:19-21, “And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed. But he who does the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God.”

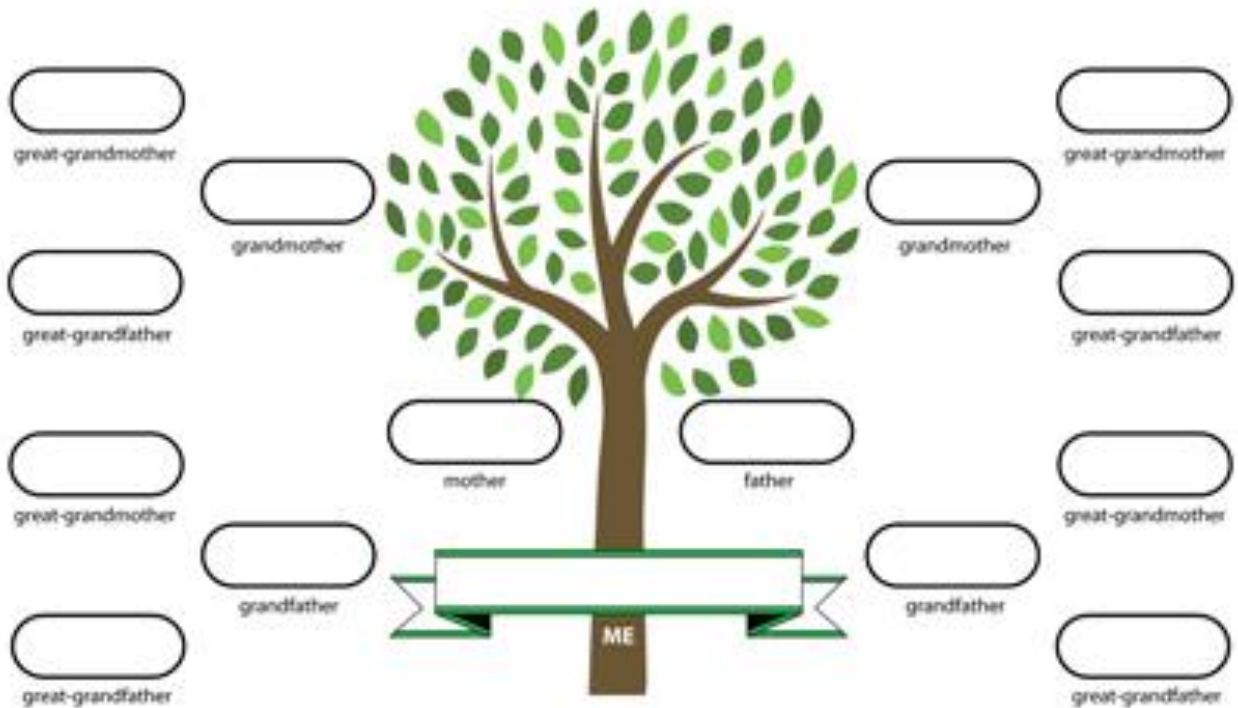
c. A Maze That You Cannot Possibly Do



d. Our text says, Deuteronomy 7:9, “Therefore, know that the LORD your God, He is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and mercy for a thousand generations with those who love Him and keep His commandments.”

i. What is a generation? Create a family tree of your generations and see how God has been faithful to create you at just the perfect time in history, in just the perfect way, for just the perfect purpose.

Family Tree



www.FreeFamilyTreeTemplates.com

4. 2 Peter 3:9, “The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.”

a. Fill in the Blanks, 2 Peter 3:9, “The ____ is not ____ concerning His _____, as some count slackness, but is _____ toward us, not willing that any should _____ but that all should come to _____.”

b. In the famous Bible chapter about love, Paul begins by writing, “Love suffers long” (1 Corinthians 13:4). This is a reference to longsuffering. Some translate the verse, “Love is patient.”

c. When bad things happen, many people want to know right away why God doesn’t just fix things. What reasons can you think of why he would not just act immediately? Write down and discuss two of them.

i.

ii.

d. What is God’s perfect will according to the verse at the top of this page?

e. Why doesn’t God just make His perfect will work out?

f. Are you more patient with family, friends, or strangers? Why do you think that is?

g. Math can be long-suffering. But you can do it with patience and maybe a little help, if you need it. The easiest way to do this is to do the problems that only need one number first for the row.

	+	4	-	2	-	11	-4
-						+	
8	-	13	+		+	10	20
-		+		+		-	
	-	7	-	6	-	14	-15
+		-		-		+	
	-	1	-	16	+	3	-5
-6		-3		-23		10	

Fill in the missing numbers.

The missing values are the whole numbers between 1 and 16.

Each number is only used once.

Each row is a math equation.

Each column is a math equation.

***If you get real ambitious, create your own Math Puzzle on the back of this paper.

- h. Our text says, “The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance” (2 Peter 3:9).
- i. The slacker says, “I’ll do it tomorrow”, and never gets around to it. Discuss examples.
 - ii. God says, “I’ll do it at exactly the right time”, and He has done it, is doing it, and will do it.
 - iii. What does God mean by “perish”?
 - iv. Draw a picture in the space below of a situation in which Jesus has been very patient with you.

5. Romans 8:28, “And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose.”

a. Fill in the Blanks, _____ 8:28, “And we ____ that all things work together for ____ to those who ____ ____, to those who are the _____ according to His _____.”

b. This verse does not mean that life will always be peaches and cherries. Sometimes God allows us to go through things so that He can accomplish a greater good. Who knows the story of Joseph (Genesis 37-50)?

- i. Joseph was his father Jacob’s favorite son.
- ii. Joseph’s brothers were jealous and so they sold him into slavery.
- iii. Joseph ended up in Egypt.
- iv. Joseph was falsely accused of assaulting Potiphar’s wife and went to jail.
- v. While in jail, it became known that God had given Joseph the ability to know the meaning of dreams.
- vi. Joseph interpreted Pharaoh the King of Egypt’s dreams, that there would be seven years of plenty followed by seven years of famine.
- vii. Pharaoh put Joseph in charge of making sure that Egypt stored food and did not run out of food.
- viii. When the famine came to Joseph’s father Jacob and his brothers in Israel, they ran out of food. So they came to Egypt, and Joseph provided them food.
- ix. God preserved Jacob (also called Israel) in Egypt for many years until He brought them back to the promised land.

x. Genesis 50:20. “But as for you, you meant evil against me; but God meant it for good, in order to bring it about as it is this day, to save many people alive. “All the persons of the house of Jacob who went to Egypt were seventy” (Genesis 46:27).

c. You see, it is true, Romans 8:28, “And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose.”

***Break Time: let’s do a fun math puzzle together!

	+	17	-	16	+	34	-		+		34
-		-		+		-		-		+	
5	-		-	1	-	25	+	9	+	18	-26
+		-		-		-		+		+	
	-		-	3	+	24	-		-	6	4
+		+		-		-		-		-	
30	-		-	22	-	21	-	33	-	19	-76
+		+		+		-		+		-	
	-	35	+	28	-	29	-	12	-	14	-49
-		+		+		-		+		-	
27	+		-	7	-	31	+	36	+	26	61
21		26		27		-96		33		-15	

- d. Can you think of a time when something happened in your life, and it just seemed to work it out? Tell about that time. And do you now see that it was God who worked out for good?

- e. Can you think of a time when something happened in your life and it did not work out? Is it possible that God accomplished a purpose in that? Think about and write about how.

- f. Death is a fact of life. We don't like to think about it, but we know that the souls of those who love God go to be with Jesus in heaven. Even so, we are sad, because we miss them. In the space below, draw a picture of heaven, with Jesus and those who loved God while on earth in the picture (could be someone you knew, or Jacob and Joseph and his brothers).

6. Review of Sections 1-5

- a. Psalm 9:10, “And those who know Your name will put their trust in You; for You, LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you”
- b. Fill in the blanks, Psalm __:__, “And those who ____ Your name will put their trust in ____; for You, LORD, have not _____ those who seek You”
- c. Romans 8:38-39, “For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come. Nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”
- d. Fill in the blanks, Romans 8:___-___, “For I am persuaded that neither _____ nor _____, nor angels nor principalities nor _____, nor things _____ nor things to come. Nor _____ nor depth, nor any other _____ thing, shall be able to separate us from the _____ of _____ which is in _____ Jesus our _____.”
- e. Deuteronomy 7:9, “Therefore, know that the LORD your God, He is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and mercy for a thousand generations with those who love Him and keep His commandments.”
- f. Fill in the Blanks, _____ 7:9, “Therefore, know that the LORD your _____, _____ is God, the _____ God who keeps covenant and _____ for a _____ generations with those who _____ Him and keep His _____.”
- g. 2 Peter 3:9, “The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.”

- h. Fill in the Blanks, 2 Peter 3:9, “The _____ is not _____ concerning His _____, as some count slackness, but is _____ toward us, not willing that any should _____ but that all should come to _____.”
- i. Romans 8:28, “And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose.”
- j. Fill in the Blanks, _____ 8:28, “And we _____ that all things work together for _____ to those who _____, to those who are the _____ according to His _____.”
- k. **DON'T BE A SLACKER CODED MESSAGE!**

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
14			20	21				24						1			19	5	2	18					

T E O R D I S O T S A
 O E R I I S R O I S E A S
 S O E O U T S A E S S U T I S
 O S U E R I T O A R D U S O T
 I I T A T A S O U D E R I S
 U T T A T A S O U D O E T O
 R E E T A E

Decode the message. Each letter in the phrase has been replaced with a random letter or number. Try to decode the message.

- l. What are some things a slacker may do at home?
- m. What are some things a slacker may do at school?
- n. What are some things a slacker may do at work?
- o. What are some things a slacker may do that only God knows they are not doing?
- p. Draw a “Prayer Boss” (this boss is a good guy) in the space below. Make sure he has his extravagant sword, which represents the Word of God.

7. 2 Timothy 1:9, “who has saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to His own purpose and grace which was given to us in Christ Jesus before time began.”

a. Fill in the Blanks, 2 _____ 1:9, “who has _____ us and called us with a _____ calling, not according to our _____, but according to His own _____ and _____ which was given to us in _____ Jesus before _____ began.”

b. This verse talks about grace.

i. Grace is getting what you do not deserve. We do not deserve God’s love and we do not deserve to go to heaven because we are sinners. But by God’s grace we can have both.

ii. Take a quarter. Notice that it has two sides. We might call “Heads” the grace side of the coin. It says, “In God We Trust” because our country was founded and exists only by the grace of God. Then turn over the quarter and you will see the “Tails” side of the coin. The tails side is the mercy of God. Mercy is not getting what we do deserve. God does not punish us forever for our sins, if we are His children.

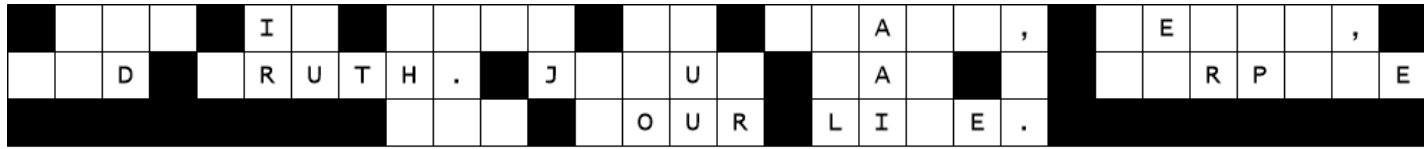
c. Our verse also talks about God’s purpose. Think about how God had a purpose in your past, has one in your present, and has one in your future. Write them down.

i. Past

ii. Present

iii. Future

d. God's Grace



G F O L E S H S M O
A N O D T S F U R L Y O F S G R F E A P U R C Y S

Try to rebuild the message.

The letters from each cell are below the puzzle.

Try to rebuild the original message by choosing the letters for each cell.

e. Make Your Own Acronym!

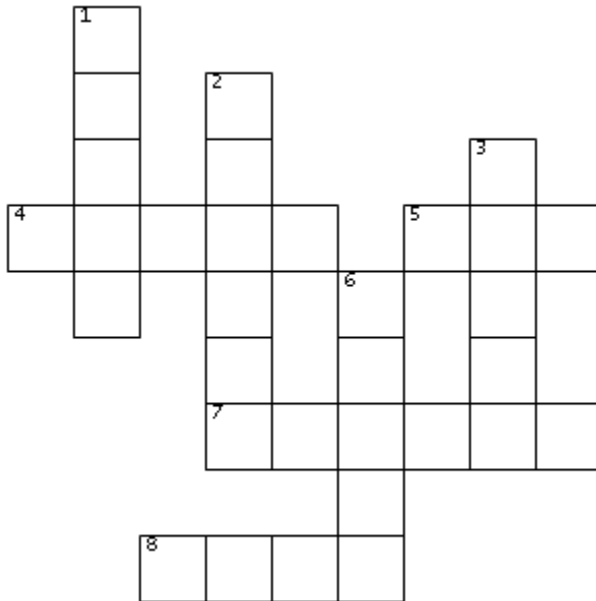
- i. e.g. USA stands for “United States of America.”
- ii. e.g. GRACE stands for “God’s Riches At Christ’s Expense.”
- iii. Try your first name.

iv. Try “PET.”

v. Try “BIBLE.” There is a common one for that. Maybe you know it, can get it, or make a new one!

8. John 3:17, “For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.”
- a. ____ 3:17, “For ____ did ____ send His ____ into the world to _____ the world, but that the _____ through Him might be _____.”
 - b. This verse records words spoken by Jesus. Some Bibles have the words spoken by Jesus in red letters. For instance, if you have a red letter Bible handy, you will see that He spoke many words recorded from John 3:10-21. Read this passage and list five important things you find there.
 - i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
 - iv.
 - v.
 - c. Our text verse, John 3:17, gets to the point of how God provided a solution to a big problem.
 - i. According to Romans 5:12, what was the problem?
 - ii. Do you have this problem?
 - iii. Read John 3:16. What is your belief? Is your problem solved, or do you still find yourself with a problem?

d. Crosswords for Christ



ACROSS

- 4. God's solution
- 5. Man's problem
- 7. Where believer's go
- 8. God's motivation

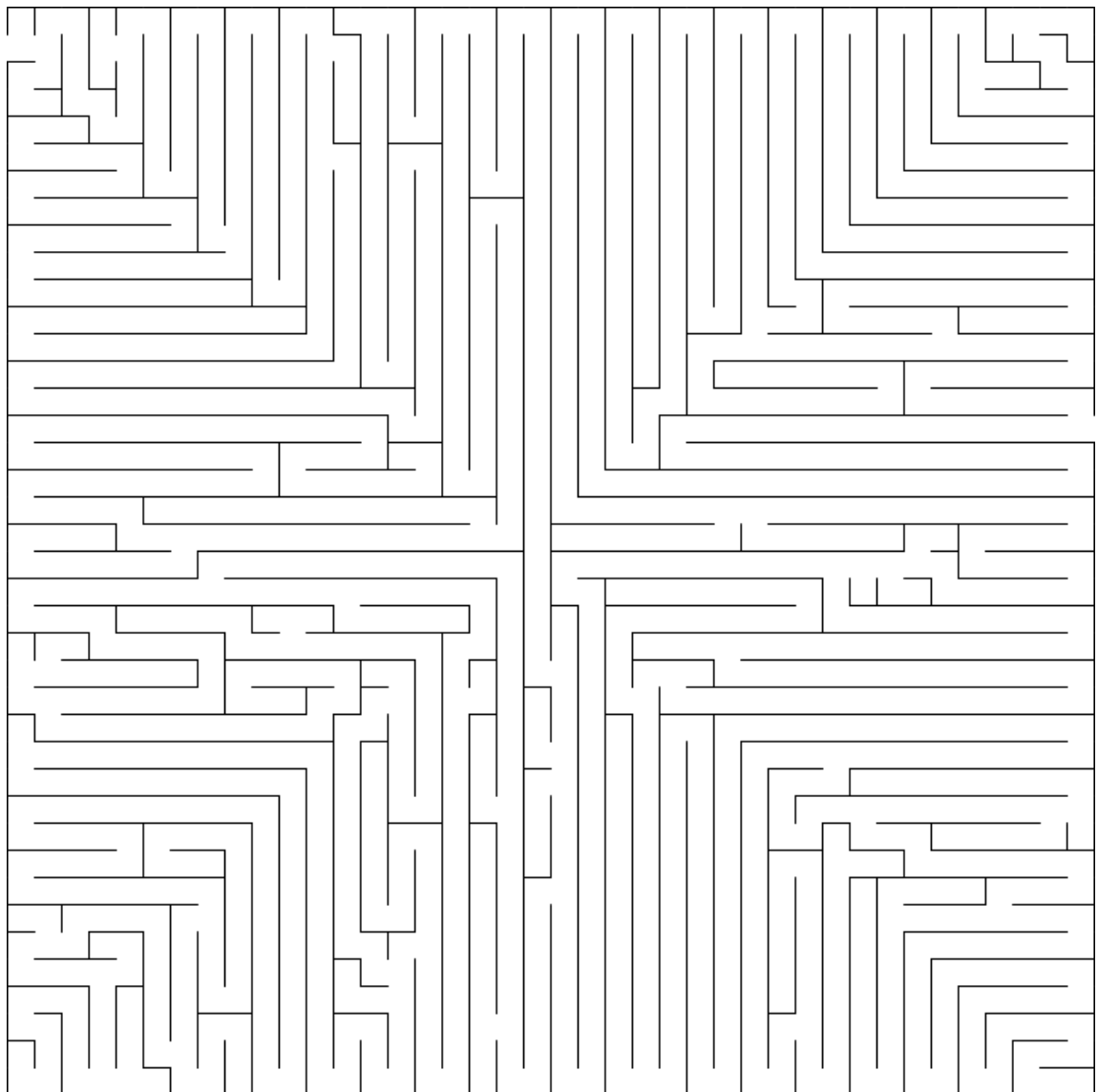
DOWN

- 1. What believers are
- 2. Where Christians go every week to worship
- 3. God's Word
- 6. Getting what we don't deserve

e. Given all that you have learned, consider how important every soul is. Who can you pray for, that they will believe and receive God's salvation is Jesus Christ?

- f. Think about it. Everything must have a cause and a designer. Which takes more faith?
 - i. To believe that intelligent human beings built the building you are in or that it just came together this way all by itself?
 - ii. To believe that an intelligent God created human beings or that we just appeared in nature somehow?

g. An A-Mazing Maze



9. 1 John 4:9, “In this the love of God was manifested toward us, that God has sent His only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through Him.”

a. 1 ____ 4:_, “In this the ____ of ____ was _____ toward us, that God has ____ His only _____ ____ into the _____, that we might ____ through ____.”

b. It has often been said that the Bible is God’s love letter to mankind. Why would someone say that?

c. According to today’s verse, 1 John 4:9, why did God send His Son into the world?

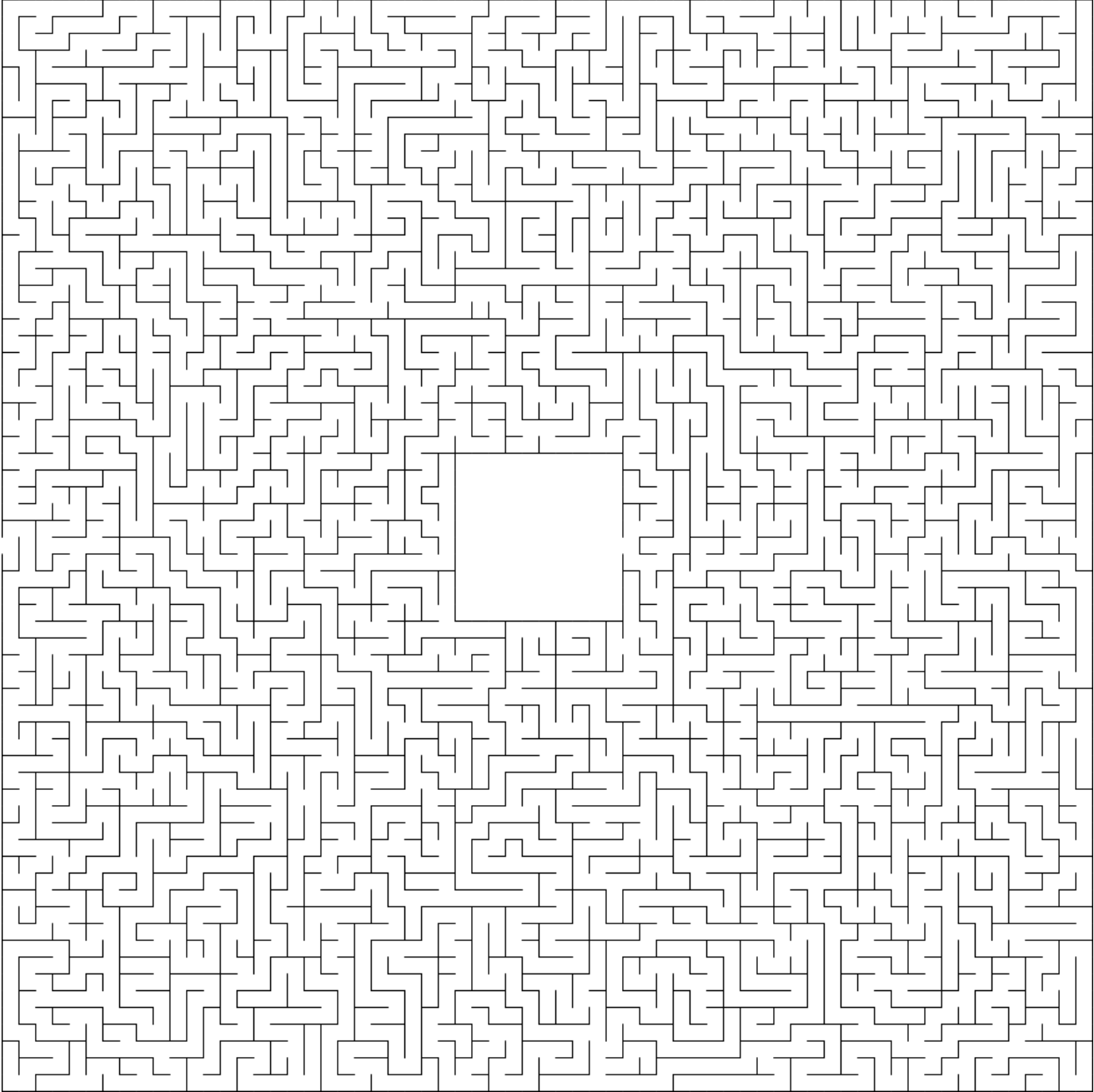
d. When is the last time you read a book? What book did you read?

e. When is the last time you read the Bible? Why haven’t you read it since then?

f. What are 2 ways that God’s love is similar (even though it is greater) to real human love?

g. What are 2 ways that God’s love is so amazing that no human love can be compared to it?

**h. A Somewhat Difficult Maze that really really really
Exypnoi Anthropoi can do**



- i. In ten sentences, write a fictional story about how Jesus helped a boy your age named Solomon find meaning in life. The story should have a beginning, middle, and ending. Be creative! Use the back of this page if you need to.

10. Mark 12:30, “And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. This is the first commandment.”

a. Fill in the blanks. ____ 12:30, “And you shall ____ the ____ your ____ with all your ____, with all your ____, with all your ____, and with all your _____. This is the _____.”

b. Read Mark 12:28-31 from your Bible. What is the second commandment of all, according to Jesus?

c. In a sentence each, give a specific example of how to love God with all your...

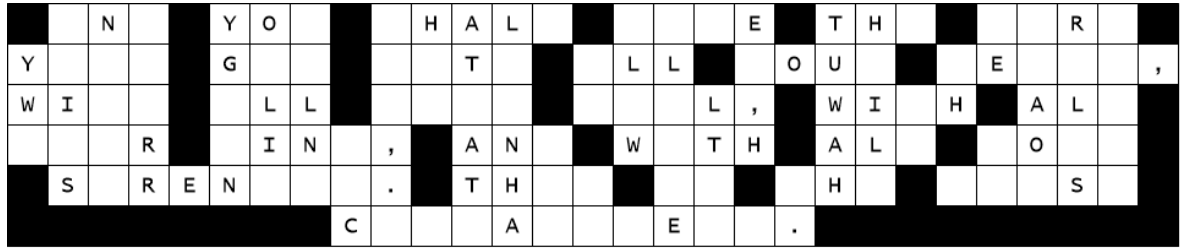
i. Heart

ii. Soul

iii. Mind

iv. Strength

d. Enter the missing letters from below into the puzzle.



T

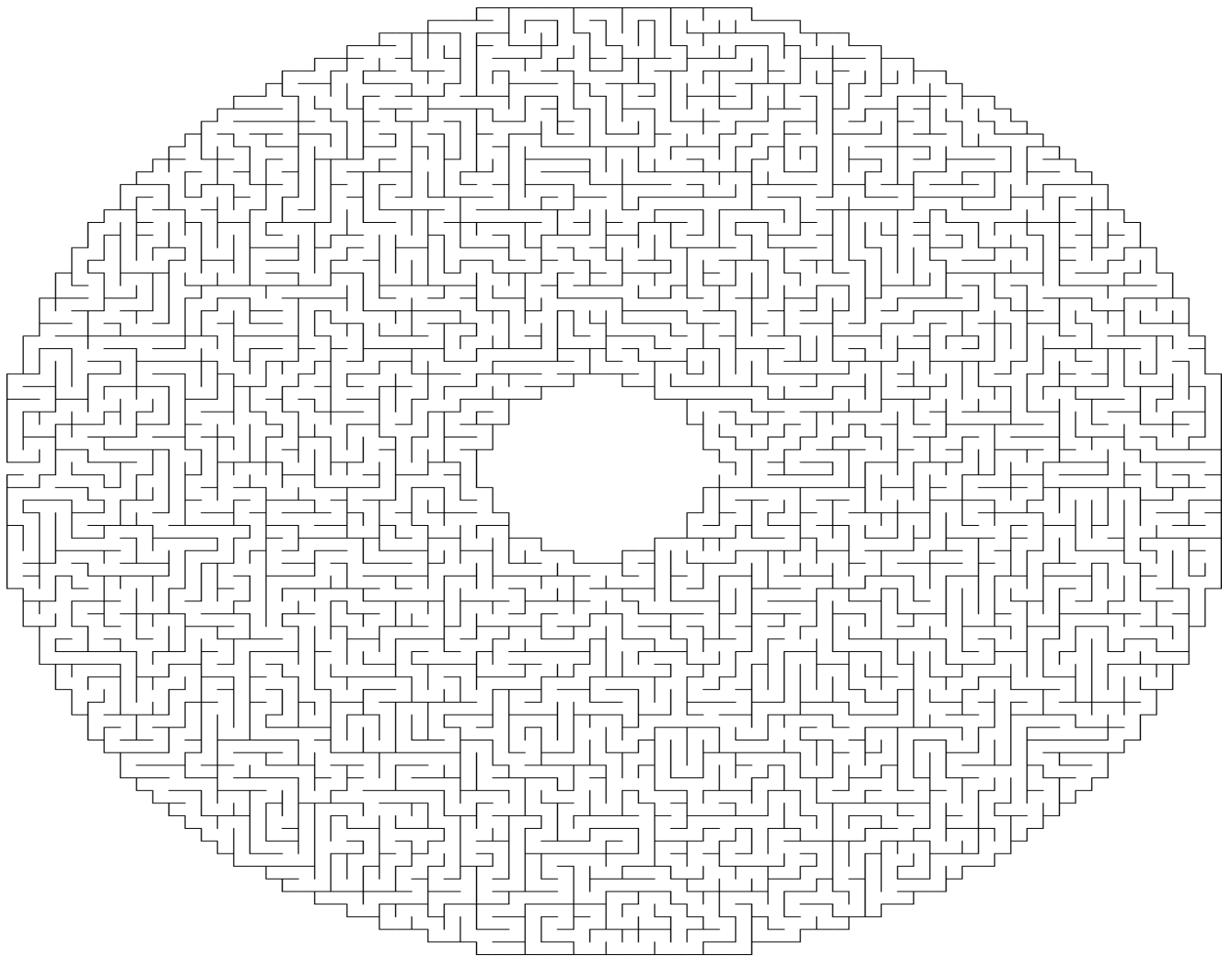
U O I D I R

O U R T S I N A M O V E Y R L

A T H A O D H W M U H D S L I N T E T H L A U T

Y O T D M G U D Y O M R L S O U S Y T R L F I O R D

e. Complete the following maze.



f. List ten people you would like to pray for. List them. Pray for each one by name. Your teacher will help you along in this.

i.

ii.

iii.

iv.

v.

vi.

vii.

viii.

ix.

g. And if you still have time...Draw the four following things...Be creative! (Heart, soul, mind, strength).

11. Psalm 25:4, “Show me Your ways, O LORD; teach me Your paths.”

a. Fill in the blanks. _____ 25:4, “Show me _____, O LORD; _____ me Your _____.”

b. Look up the Bible verses and in one word each, next to each Bible verse, answer what the way is that God is teaching us

i. Exodus 20:13

ii. Exodus 20:14

iii. Exodus 20:15

iv. Exodus 20:16

v. Matthew 6:14

vi. Matthew 7:14

vii. John 14:6

viii. 1 Peter 1:16

c. God’s creation is amazing in all its ways. There are four examples in Proverbs 30:19. Draw a picture with all four of these in the space below.

d. Unscramble the tiles to reveal a message.

Each tile is used only once.

Use spacing, punctuation and common words to find adjacent tiles.

Some words may be split into two lines.

s	w	J	e	s	u	s	u	l	.	a	y	s	H	i	f	a	i
i	n	i	s	o	f	t	h	f	a	l	l						

J	e	s	u	s	i	s	f	a	i	t	h	f	u	l	i	n	a	l	l
o	f	H	i	s	w	a	y	s	.										

e. Psalm 25:4, “Show me Your ways, O LORD; teach me Your paths.”

i. Write out this verse forward.

ii. How many vowels in this verse?

iii. How many consonants in this verse?

f. List five ways that Jesus shows you His ways.

12. Romans 12:2, “And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.”

- a. Fill in the blanks, _____ 12:2, “And do not be _____ to this world, but be _____ by the renewing of your _____, that you may _____ what is that _____ and acceptable and perfect _____ of _____.”
- b. Have you ever heard of transformers? These are never conforming to this world. They usually transform into other-worldly or high-tech things. Sometimes they become forces for good, and sometimes they become forces for evil.
- c. What are 3 ways that a regular person (like yourself) can we transformed for the good?
 - i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
- d. What are 3 ways that a regular person (like yourself) can we transformed for the bad?
 - i.
 - ii.
 - iii.
- e. Why do you think some good kids turn bad when they become teenagers or young adults?

- f. Transformation involves opposites. What is the antonym (opposite word of) each of these?
- i. Good
 - ii. Selfishness
 - iii. Greed
 - iv. Love
 - v. Mercy
- g. In the space below, draw your Transformer, one with all the good qualities as taught by Jesus. He must have 3 arms, 4 legs, 1 eye, and 6 ears.

h. Double Puzzle! Solve the anagrams to reveal the letters for the final message. Solve the anagrams in the top part of the puzzle. Use the circled letters from the words in the top part to complete the final word or phrase at the bottom. Each circled letter is used just once.

RRMSANFT

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

FNMROOC

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

SESUIRTSHCJ

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

LIYPHRIOTS

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

LOEV

--	--	--	--	--

AECEP

--	--	--	--	--	--

OJY

--	--	--	--

LNLTSFOOREC

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

HSGDTIMOOGH

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

HANEEV

--	--	--	--	--	--

LBEIB

--	--	--	--	--	--

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

	U	Z	Z			!
--	---	---	---	--	--	---

13. Matthew 28:19-20, “Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.”
- a. Matthew __:19-20, “__ therefore and make _____ of all the _____, _____ them in the name of the _____ and of the _____ and of the _____ . Teaching them to observe _____ things that I have _____ you; and __, I am with you _____, even to the end of the _____.”
 - b. These verses are known as the Great Commission. Do you think that Christmas is a good time to follow Jesus’ instructions in these verses? Why or why not?
 - c. In the Gospel of Mark 16:15, we find it recorded that Jesus said, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.” Some people actually talk to the animals about the greatness of God’s salvation. What do you think about that?
 - d. Some people would say that the Great Commission is just the pastor’s job, but that’s not true. How can you participate in the G.C.?

e. Word Search Time!

S V T C H L U N U P G T H E Y M N L K C
N N E Y H P N K Q O N R T R I L N O Q A
Z T O E Q L Y S J B I U Z A E L O E B Y
F U Y I T H E M Y S Z K O V H H N H L P
P M M O T O M A K E I B R Y M T T N K B
L X B S P A S K Z R T R T E E U E A M B
A E H T O M N X S V P H H O M V P S F X
E N Y R D N C O Z E A T E C E Z N A C I
R Y D K P I F Z D C B H T X K Q L M G E
O E H T F S S E H T H T I W Q L A N J V
F O Y O U A D C J Y H A R S G N I H T A
E B G Z M N B S I G F E I I N H S V N H
R O D J A V Q Y V P S Q P N C E Y P R Y
E F P M M P Z G S A L L S A O N A A M F
H G M A F K I N L H K E E M C D W X O T
T O A Q F V J L N G L T S E B G L C O Y
C D E G A I Q W N I P R S E B U A F M T
E H T T N P F N C D X M E D H W Z K X F
L R Q O D Q L Q X N I L N Y B H K K V Z
N X F U Y G I L V A O A X G C Q T Y X T

Find every word in the Great Commission! And cross out each word as you find it. Since some words appear more than once in the G.C., they are found more than once in the word search.

“Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.”