

Children Sabbath School Lesson #70 for 4-5-2014
Song for opening the Sabbath School:

“The Law of the Lord is perfect”

(A Song from the Book of Psalms 19:7-10, 14)

The law of the LORD [is] perfect, converting the soul:
the testimony of the LORD [is] sure, making wise the simple.
The statutes of the LORD [are] right, rejoicing the heart:
the commandment of the LORD [is] pure, enlightening the eyes.
The fear of the LORD [is] clean, enduring for ever: the judgments
of the LORD [are] true [and] righteous altogether.
Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart,
be acceptable in thy sight, O LORD, my strength, and my redeemer.

**More to be desired [are they] than gold, yea, than much fine gold:
sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.**

Opening Prayer – requesting one of the little ones or mommies or daddies to give prayer

Lesson #70: “The Temptation”

Genesis 3:15 (KJV)

And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

This week boys and girls, we will begin a new chapter in our lesson book, entitle “The Temptation”!

Romans 8:3 (KJV)

For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh:

Matthew 4:4 (KJV)

But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

Matthew 4:1 (KJV)

Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil.

Matthew 4:2 (KJV)

And when he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward an hungered.

James 4:7 (KJV)

Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

James 4:8 (KJV)

Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse [your] hands, [ye] sinners; and purify [your] hearts, [ye] double minded.

Isaiah 41:10 (KJV)

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.

Let's continue in our book Desire of Ages, Chapter #12, pages 114 – 116

"And Jesus being full of the Holy Ghost returned from Jordan, and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness." The words of Mark are still more significant. He says, "Immediately the Spirit driveth Him into the wilderness. And He was there in the wilderness forty days, tempted of Satan; and was with the wild beasts." "And in those days He did eat nothing." {DA 114.1}

When Jesus was led into the wilderness to be tempted, He was led by the Spirit of God. He did not invite temptation. He went to the wilderness to be alone, to contemplate His mission and work. By fasting and prayer He was to brace Himself for the bloodstained path He must travel. But Satan knew that the Saviour had gone into the wilderness, and he thought this the best time to approach Him. {DA 114.2}

Question: Boys & girls, where was Jesus led to? And by whom and for what purpose?

Answer: He was led by the Spirit into the wilderness. And, Jesus was led into the wilderness to be tempted; He was led by the Spirit of God.

Song: *Let's learn beautiful scripture song together dear ones!*

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James chapter 4 verse 7 and 8

Mighty issues for the world were at stake in the conflict between the Prince of light and the leader of the kingdom of darkness. After tempting man to sin, Satan claimed the earth as his, and styled himself the prince of this world. Having conformed to his own nature the father and mother of our race, he thought to establish here his empire. He declared that men had chosen him as their sovereign. Through his control of men, he held dominion over the world. Christ had come to disprove Satan's claim. As the Son of man, Christ would stand loyal to God. Thus it would be shown that Satan had not gained complete control of the human race, and that his claim to the world was false. All who desired deliverance from his power would be set free. The dominion that Adam had lost through sin would be recovered. {DA 114.3}

Question: Boys & girls, what does Satan claim himself to be in this world? And what had Christ come to do regarding Satan's claim as well desired for us from his control?

Answer: He claimed the earth as his, and styled himself the prince of this world. And, He came to disprove Satan's claim as the Son of man bringing deliverance from his power to whom desired would be set free.

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Isaiah 40:31 (KJV)

But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew [their] strength;
they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be
weary; [and] they shall walk, and not faint.

Teach Lord, Teach Lord to wait!

Since the announcement to the serpent in Eden, "I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed" (**Genesis 3:15**), Satan had known that he did not hold absolute sway over the world. There was seen in men the working of a power that withstood his dominion. With intense interest he watched the sacrifices offered by Adam and his sons. In these ceremonies he discerned a symbol of communion between earth and heaven. He set himself to intercept this communion. He misrepresented God, and misinterpreted the rites that pointed to the Saviour. Men were led to fear God as one who delighted in their destruction. The sacrifices that should have revealed His love were offered only to appease His wrath. Satan excited the evil passions of men, in order to fasten his rule upon them. When God's written word was given, Satan studied the prophecies of the Saviour's advent. From generation to generation he worked to blind the people to these prophecies, that they might reject Christ at His coming. {DA 115.1}

Question: Boys & girls, what did Satan's misrepresentation of God lead men to believe? And, what should the sacrifices have revealed?

Answer: Men were led to fear God as one who delighted in their destruction. And, the sacrifices that should have revealed His love were offered only to appease His wrath.

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At the birth of Jesus, Satan knew that One had come with a divine commission to dispute his dominion. He trembled at the angel's message attesting the authority of the newborn King. Satan well knew the position that Christ had held in heaven as the Beloved of the Father. That the Son of God should come to this earth as a man filled him with amazement and with apprehension. He could not fathom the mystery of this great sacrifice. His selfish soul could not understand such love for the deceived race. The glory and peace of heaven, and the joy of communion with God, were but dimly comprehended by men; but they were well known to Lucifer, the covering cherub. Since he had lost heaven, he was determined to find revenge by causing others to share his fall. This he would do by causing them to undervalue heavenly things, and to set the heart upon things of earth. {DA 115.2}

Question: Boys & girls, what did Satan not understand regarding "the deceived race"? And, what is he determined to cause others to do to share his fall?

Answer: His selfish soul could not understand such love for the deceived race. And, this he would do by causing them to undervalue heavenly things, and to set the heart upon things of earth.

Not without hindrance was the Commander of heaven to win the souls of men to His kingdom. From the time when He was a babe in Bethlehem, He was continually assailed by the evil one. The image of God was manifest in Christ, and in the councils of Satan it was determined that He should be overcome. No human being had come into the world and escaped the power of the deceiver. The forces of the confederacy of evil were set upon His track to engage in warfare against Him, and if possible to prevail over Him. {DA 116.1}

At the Saviour's baptism, Satan was among the witnesses. He saw the Father's glory overshadowing His Son. He heard the voice of Jehovah testifying to the divinity of Jesus. Ever since Adam's sin, the human race had been cut off from direct communion with God; the intercourse between heaven and earth had been through Christ; but now that Jesus had come "in the likeness of sinful flesh" (**Romans 8:3**), the Father Himself spoke. He had before communicated with humanity through Christ; now He communicated with humanity in Christ. Satan had hoped that God's abhorrence of evil would bring an eternal separation between heaven and earth. But now it was manifest that the connection between God and man had been restored. {DA 116.2}

Next Week: We will continue with part 2 in our lesson book entitled, "**The Temptation**"!

Closing Prayer – request one of the little ones or mommies or daddies to give prayer.

Next Sabbath: Chapter 12 "**The Temptation**" Part 2 on Sabbath April 5, 2014.

Have a Blessed Sabbath dear one, and enjoy your activities. God Bless!
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Matthew 4:1(KJV)

Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil

Word Search Puzzle

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

ABSOLUTE
ALONE
ANNOUNCEMENT
APPEASE
BLOODSTAINED
CEREMONIES
COMMUNION
CONFLICT
CONTEMPLATE
DELIGHTED

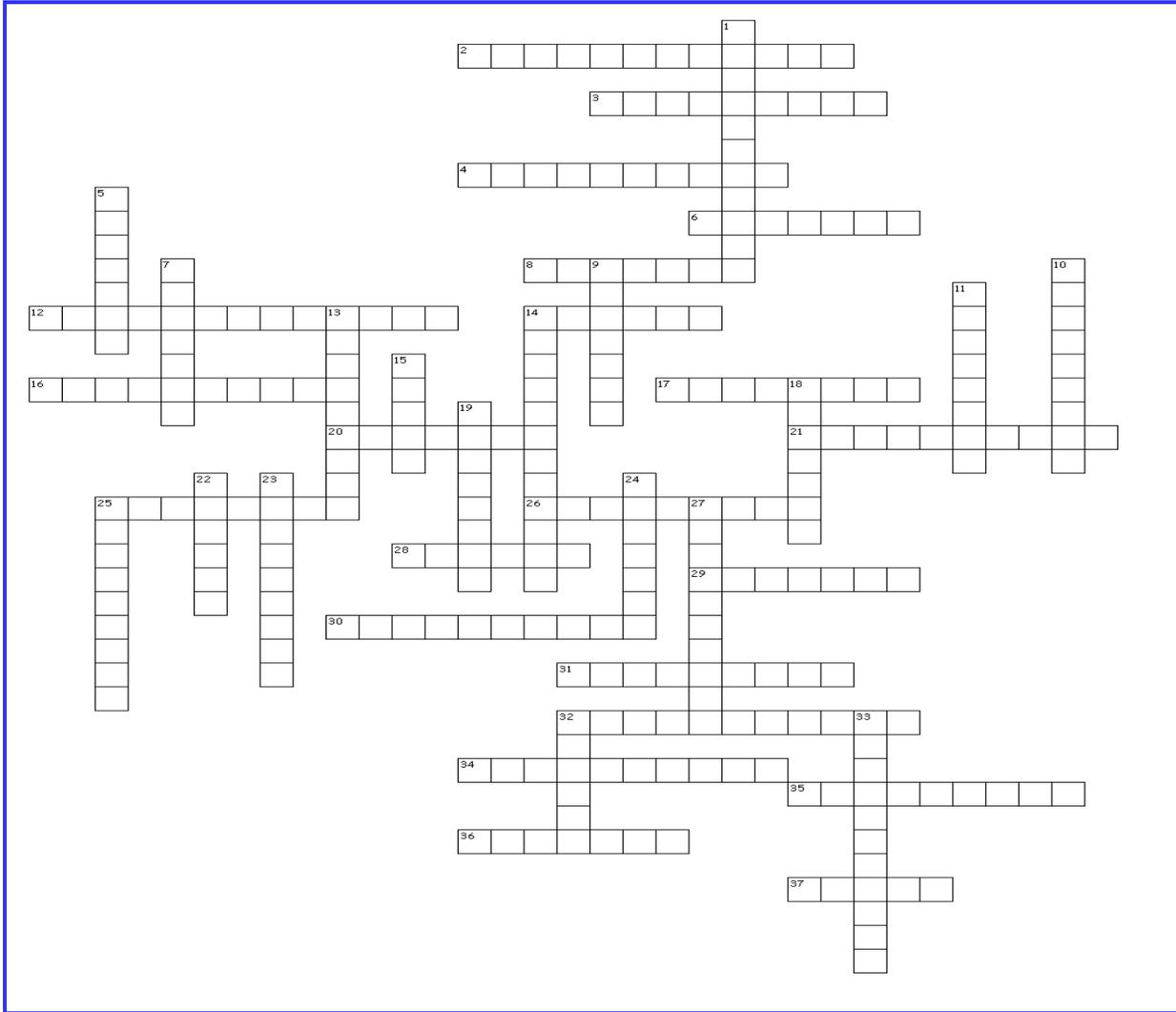
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DOMINION
EDEN
ENMITY
IMMEDIATELY
INTERCEPT
INTEREST

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MIGHTY
MISREPRESENTED
MISSION
PATH
PRINCE
RITES

SACRIFICES
SEED
SERPENT
SIGNIFICANT
SOVEREIGN
SWAY
SYMBOL
TEMPTATION
WILDERNESS
WITHSTOOD

40 of 40 words were placed into the puzzle.

Crisscross Puzzle



WRATH
 EXCITED
 PROPHECIES
 ADVENT
 GENERATION
 DISPUTE
 TREMBLED
 AUTHORITY
 NEWBORN
 AMAZEMENT

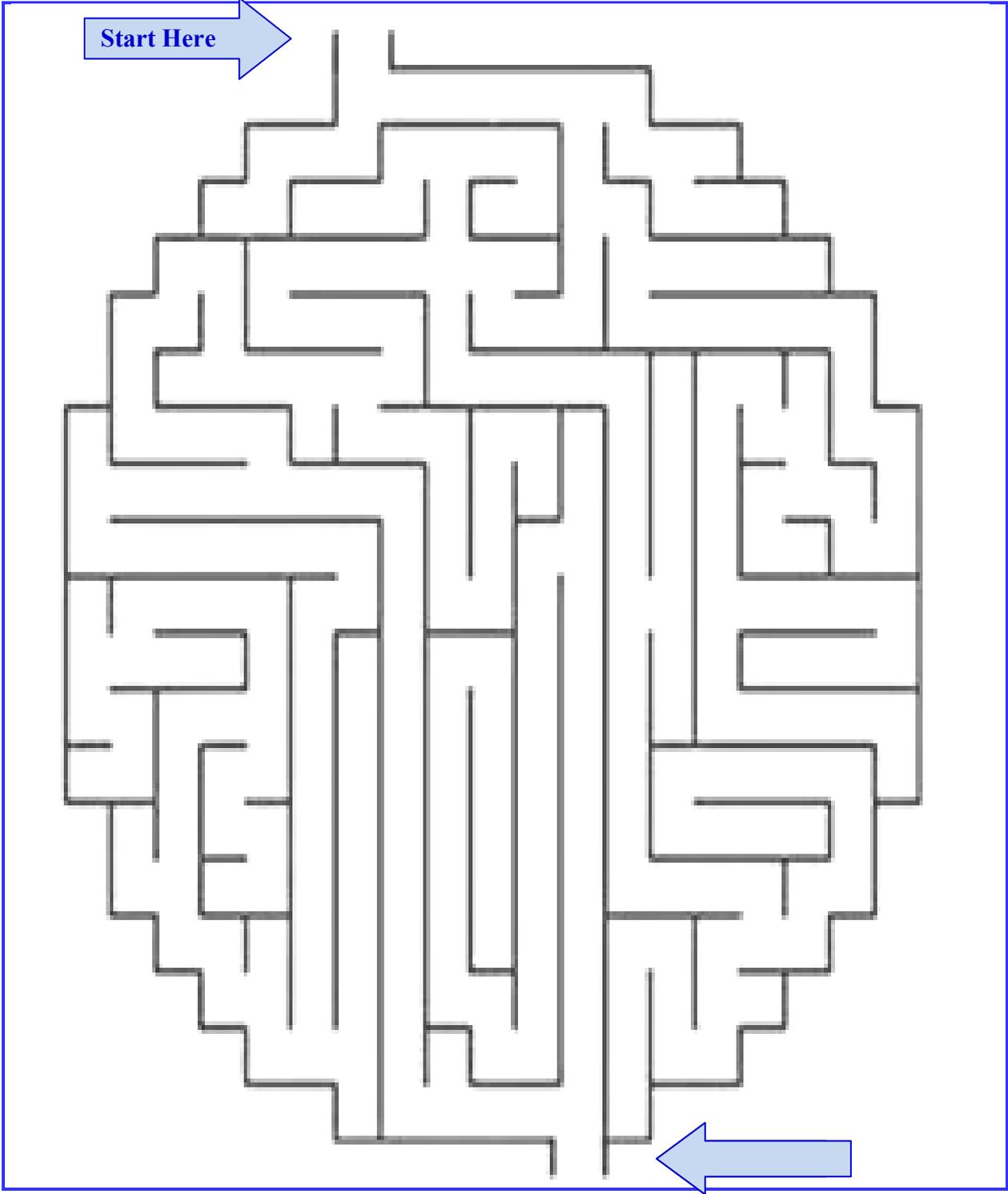
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 SELFISH
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 COMPREHENDED
 CHERUB
 REVENGE
 UNDERVALUE
 HINDRANCE

COMMANDER
 BETHLEHEM
 CONTINUALLY
 ASSAILED
 COUNCILS
 DETERMINED
 CONFEDERACY
 ENGAGE
 WARFARE
 PREVAIL

SAVIOUR'S
 BAPTISM
 WITNESSES
 OVERSHADOWING
 DIVINITY
 COMMUNION
 INTERCOURSE
 ABHORRENCE
 ETERNAL
 SEPARATION

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Maze Puzzle



Activities Answer Key

Word Search Puzzle Solution

N D A P P E A S E + D D S + + I + + + T
 + O + D E L I G H T E D S + + M + + D P
 + M I + N + S D + N L N E + + M + + E E
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(Over, Down, Direction)

ABSOLUTE (9, 19, W)
 ALONE (17, 18, N)
 ANNOUNCEMENT (1, 20, E)
 APPEASE (3, 1, E)
 BLOODSTAINED (1, 12, NE)
 CEREMONIES (2, 10, SE)
 COMMUNION (9, 9, NW)
 CONFLICT (1, 11, SE)
 CONTEMPLATE (11, 6, SW)
 DELIGHTED (4, 2, E)

DELIVERANCE (15, 13, W)
 DESTRUCTION (15, 13, NW)
 DISCERNED (16, 15, W)
 DISPROVE (8, 3, SW)
 DOMINION (2, 1, S)
 EDEN (14, 13, SW)
 ENMITY (19, 6, W)
 IMMEDIATELY (16, 1, S)
 INTERCEPT (20, 9, N)
 INTEREST (10, 12, NW)

JORDAN (10, 4, SE)
 LED (11, 3, N)
 LOYAL (1, 8, NE)
 MARK (1, 15, SE)
 MIGHTY (17, 6, S)
 MISREPRESENTED (19, 15, N)
 MISSION (20, 16, N)
 PATH (14, 16, S)
 PRINCE (7, 14, SW)
 RITES (8, 14, E)

SACRIFICES (6, 12, E)
 SEED (13, 11, W)
 SERPENT (9, 10, NE)
 SIGNIFICANT (7, 3, SE)
 SOVEREIGN (18, 12, S)
 SWAY (13, 19, NW)
 SYMBOL (6, 18, NW)
 TEMPTATION (3, 12, NE)
 WILDERNESS (13, 10, N)
 WITHSTOOD (18, 11, SW)

40 of 40 words were placed into the puzzle.

Crisscross Puzzle
Solution

Across

2. COMPHEHENDED
3. AMAZEMENT
4. GENERATION
6. PREVAIL
8. WARFARE
12. OVERSHADOWING
14. ADVERT
16. SERARATION
17. TREMBLED
20. SELFISH
21. PROPHECIES
25. COUNCILS
26. SAVIOUR'S
28. FATHOM
29. ETERNAL
30. ABHORRENCE
31. BETHLEHEM
32. CONFEDERANCY
34. DETERMINED
35. AUTHORITY
36. NEWBORN
37. WRATH

Down

1. INTERCOURSE
5. EXCITED
7. MYSTERY
9. REVENGE
10. COMMANDER
11. ASSAILED
13. WITNESSES
14. APPREHENSION
15. DIMLY
18. BAPTISM
19. DIVINITY
22. ENGAGE
23. HINDRANCE
24. DISPUTE
25. COMMUNION
27. UNDERVALUE
32. CHERUB
33. CONTINUALLY

They are 22 words across and 18 words down in the Crisscross Puzzle



Luke 4:1 (KJV)

"And Jesus being full of the Holy Ghost returned from Jordan, and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness."