

Year 3
Week 145

A Lame Man Healed--Ananias and Sapphira

Scriptures: Acts 3:1-11, Acts 5:1-11

Key Verse: Acts 5:4 "... 'Why have you conceived this thing in your heart? You have not lied to men but to God.'"

Key Points:

- 1.** Peter and John went to the temple to pray. They saw a lame man by the gate who asked them for money. Peter said "I do not have silver or gold, but what I do have I give you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk." Peter took his hand and lifted the man, and his legs became strong.
- 2.** The man entered the temple with Peter and John, leaping, walking and praising God. The people who saw them were amazed because they knew this was the man who sat begging for charity.
- 3.** A man named Ananias and his wife, Sapphira, sold some property. With his wife's knowledge, Ananias brought a portion of the money from the sale to the apostles. He wanted people to think that he was giving all the money they made from the sale.
- 4.** Peter told him that the land and the money were his to control, but he could not lie to God. Ananias fell dead at his feet. The young men carried him out and buried him.
- 5.** Three hours later, Sapphira came in, not knowing what had happened to her husband. Peter asked if she had sold the land for the price Ananias had said. She answered yes. Peter said, "How is it that you have agreed together to test the Spirit of the Lord? Look, the feet of those who have buried your husband are at the door, and they will carry you out."
- 6.** Immediately, she fell dead and was buried near her husband.
- 7.** The people in the church and all others who heard what had happened were very fearful.

The Lame Man Healed

Acts 3: 1-11

1. Who went up to the temple at the ninth hour to pray?
_____ and _____
2. A certain man who had been lame since birth was placed every day at the temple gate called Beautiful, in order to beg for _____.
3. When he saw Peter and John going into the _____, he began asking to receive alms.
4. And Peter, along with John, fixed his gaze upon him and said,
“ _____ ”!
5. And he began to give them his attention, expecting to receive _____ from them.
6. But Peter said, “I do not have _____ and _____, but what I do have I give to you: “In the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene _____!”
7. And seizing him by the right hand, he raised him up; and immediately his _____ and his _____ were strengthened.
8. And with a _____, he stood upright and began to walk, and he entered the temple, walking and leaping, and praising _____;
9. And all the _____ saw him walking and praising _____.

PETER

JESUS MAKES A DIFFERENCE

MEMORY VERSE

In the name of Jesus Christ...walk. ~ Acts 3:6

Acts 3:1-10

INTRODUCTION Peter and John walked toward the temple. A man saw them. This man had never been able to walk. He asked the disciples for money. Peter looked at the man and said, "I don't have silver or gold, but I will give you something. In the name of Jesus, walk." Peter took the man's hand and the man stood up and walked! Everyone was happy and rejoiced. They knew that they had seen another miracle.

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE? In this story, we learn that Jesus makes a difference in people's lives. Jesus healed the man's legs when Peter prayed for him. Look at the two pictures below. There are things that are different in the two pictures. Can you find them? Color the differences when you find them. Think about how Jesus can make a difference in your life.



In the name of Jesus Christ...walk. ~ Acts 3:6



FOR THE TEACHER Duplicate this page for each child. Encourage each child to locate the five differences and color them (taller tree, stripes on coat, sitting/standing man, basket/pot, dog/cat). Talk about the positive impact Jesus can have on each person's life. Share examples of how Jesus can comfort us when we are afraid and help us make the right choice in a difficult situation.

The Healing of the Disabled Beggar at the Temple Acts 3: 1-13



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By Grace Through Faith Ephesians 2:8-9

All the News That's Fit to Live By

Ananias and Sapphira Caught In Their Lie

Ex. 20:16 You shall not bear false witness
Name of Artist: _____ Age: _____
against your neighbor.

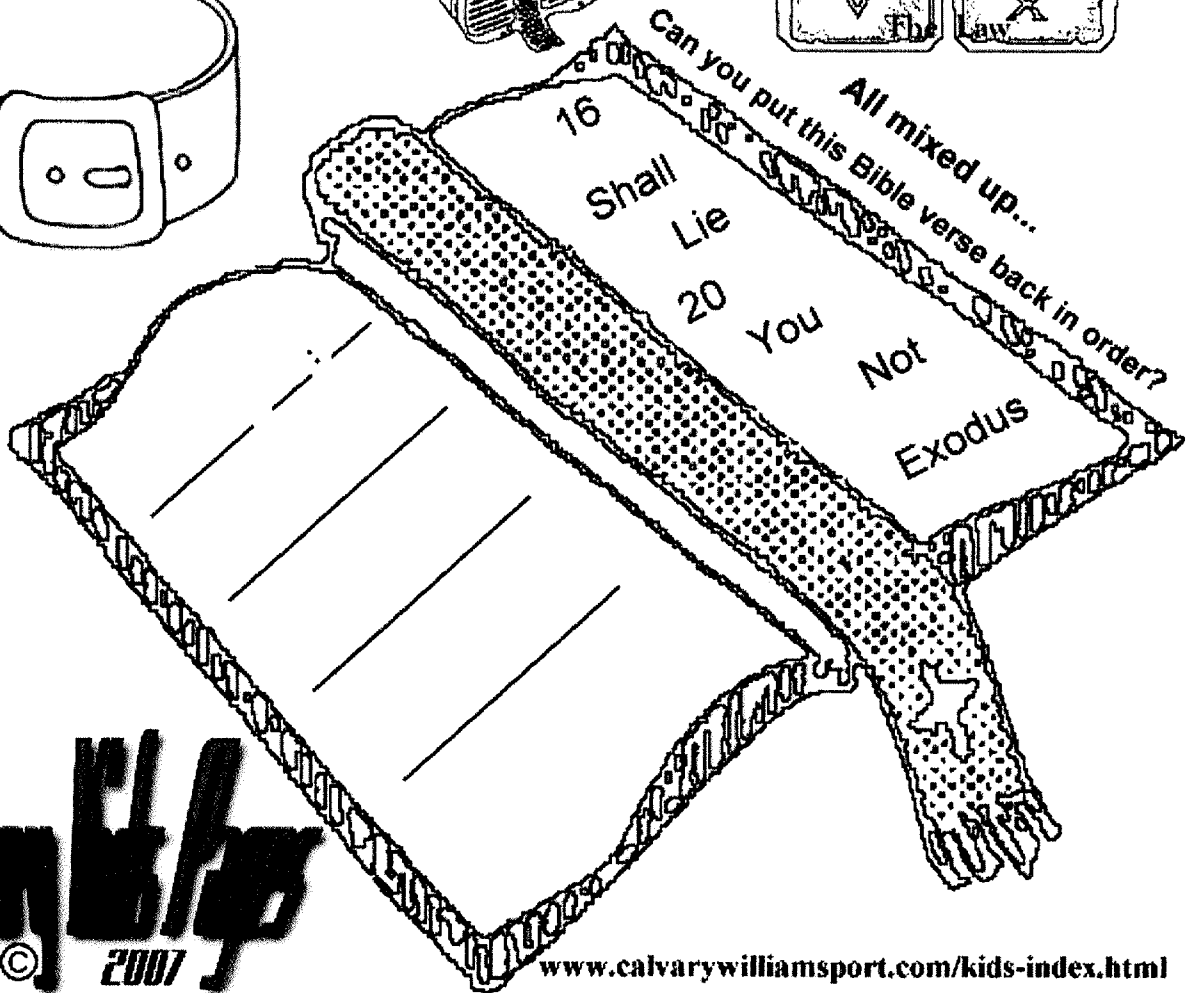
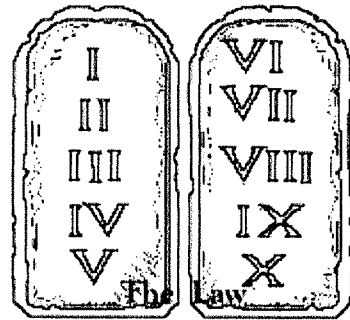
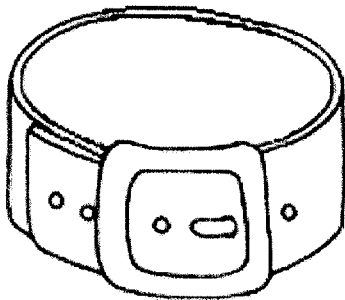


T is for

Tell the truth

Write tell the truth above.

Put On The Belt Of Truth
Ephesians 6:14a

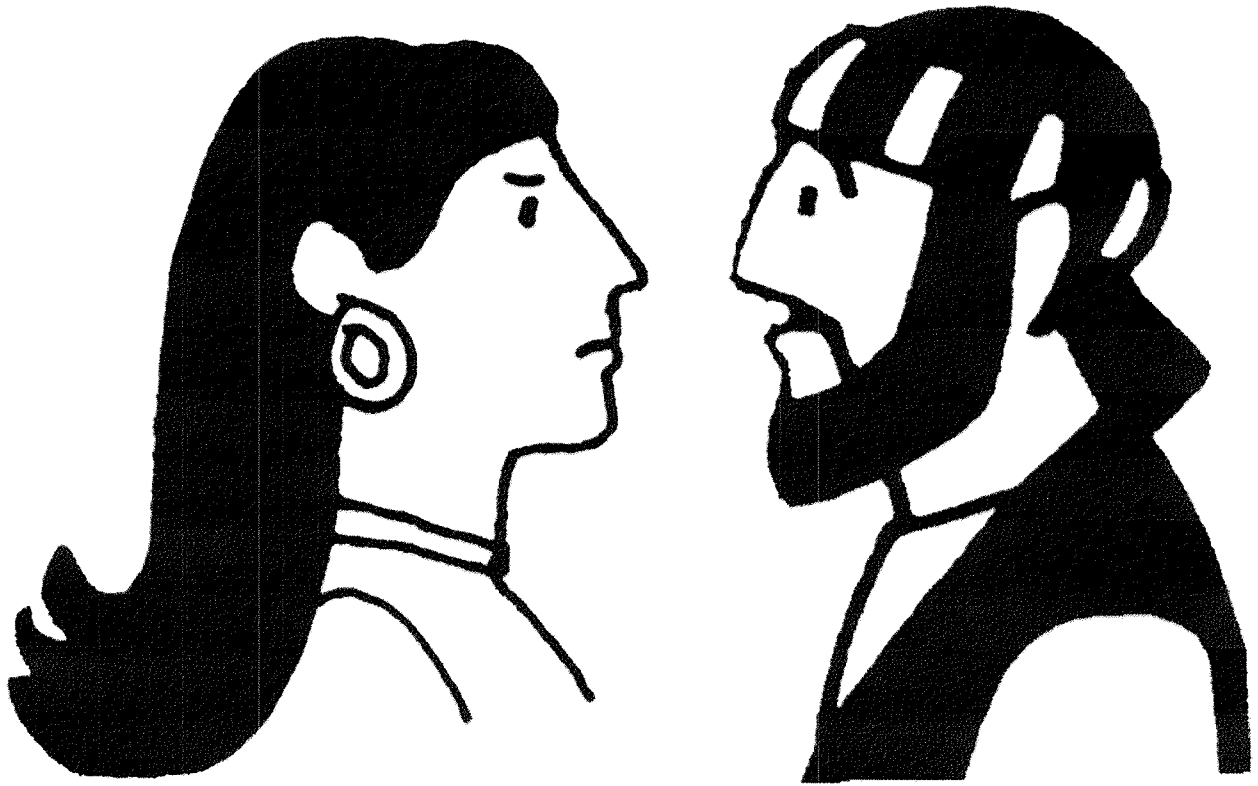


Can you put this Bible verse back in order?
All mixed up...



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ACTS 5:1-10

Ananias and Sapphira

Lie to the Holy Spirit
and Apostles

249. ANANIAS AND SAPPHIRA

(ACTS 5:1-11)



"But a certain man named Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession, and kept back *part* of the price, his wife also being privy *to it*, and brought a certain part, and laid *it* at the apostles' feet."

ACTS 5:1-2



ANANIAS & SAPPHIRA

Story: Acts 5:1-11



Memory Verse: Colossians 3:9a

Ananias and Sapphira Word Puzzle

<http://SundaySchoolResources.co.uk>

Fill in the missing words. Transfer the highlighted letter to the bottom of the page to find out the answers to the questions. Some letters have been filled in to help you out.

- 1) Ananias and Sapphira did not tell the _ _ _ _ _
- 2) Peter and John were A _ _ _ _ _
- 3) The believers shared their _ _ _ _ Y with each other
- 4) The believers met together to break _ _ _ _ D
- 5) Ananias had a wife called _ _ _ _ _
- 6) Peter knew Ananias was lying because the Holy _ _ _ _ _
told him
- 7) Some _ _ _ NG men carried Ananias out and buried him
- 8) Ananias and Sapphira _ _ _ _ down dead
- 9) Ananias and Sapphira kept back part of the _ R _ C _
- 10) God loves a cheerful _ _ V _ _
- 11) The believers were _ C A _ _ _ when they saw what
happened to Ananias and Sapphira

What does God love? _ _ _ _ _

What does God hate? _ _ _ _ _

Answers to word puzzle:

TRUTH

APOSTLES

MONEY

BREAD

SAPPHIRA

SPIRIT

YOUNG

FELL

PRICE

GIVER

SCARED

Questions:

HONESTY

LIES