

The Children's Bible Wordshop

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J.O.P. The Second Journey Of Paul Lesson 12

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

Word List For The Cities Of
The Second Journey

- ANTIOCHSYRIA
- ATHENS
- BEREA
- CAESAREA
- CORINTH
- DERBE
- EPHESUS
- JERUSALEM
- LYSTRA
- PHILIPPI
- TARSUS
- THESSALONICA
- TROAS

Joke Break
 Question Why do birds fly south for the winter
 Answer because it is to Far to walk

Read the story about the mouse on The back page then write in the Space below what you can Learn From it

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

Write Your Answer Here....

THE SECOND JOURNEY OF PAUL LESSON 12 THE UNKNOWN GOD!

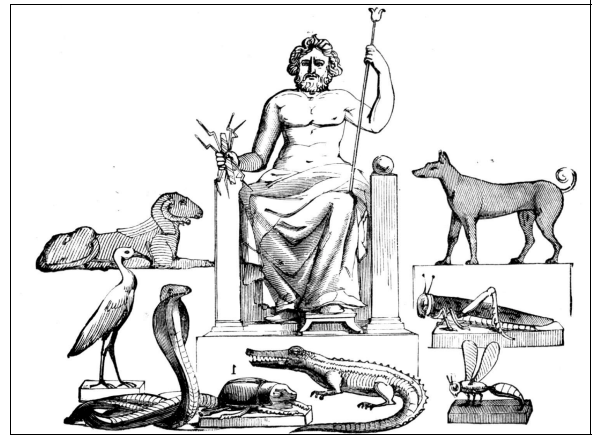
P1 Last week Paul was sent away from Berea because of the evil Jewish leaders from Thessalonica. Timothy and Silas stayed for a while until Paul sent for them. **Acts 17:14 And then immediately the brethren sent away Paul to go as it were to the sea: but Silas and Timotheus abode there still.**

P2 Paul goes to the great Greek city of Athens. Paul had a strategy in going to the larger cities. The bigger the city the more people there would be to work with. **Acts 17:15 And they that conducted Paul brought him unto Athens: and receiving a commandment unto Silas and Timotheus for to come to him with all speed, they departed.**

P3 Paul gets all stirred up when he sees all the lost people in Athens worshipping idols. **Acts 17:16 Now while Paul waited for them at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.**

P4 Idols are statues made to look like animals, birds, bugs and humans. Lost people think that the idols represent God but they do not. They are a substitute for God and should not be made or worshipped. In the pictures below are some examples of idols.

P5 Even some of the Jews had started worshipping idols. Paul goes to these people and begins to teach them according to the scriptures. **Acts 17:17 Therefore disputed he in the synagogue with the Jews, and with the devout persons, and in the market daily with them that met with him.**



P6 Paul ran into three other kinds of religious people as we see in this verse. They are philosophers, Epicureans, and Stoicks. They wanted to hear what Paul had to say because he preached the Lord Jesus Christ instead of what they believed. **Acts 17:18 Then certain philosophers of the Epicureans, and of the Stoicks, encountered him. And some said, What will this babbler say? other some, He seemeth to be a setter forth of strange gods: because he preached unto them Jesus, and the resurrection.**



P7 These three groups worship different things. Philosophers worship knowledge and reason instead of the maker of knowledge and reason. The Epicureans worship food and drink while the Stoicks worshipped the

control of their will. Only God is to be worshipped boys and girls.

P8 Acts 17:19 And they took him, and brought him unto Areopagus, saying, **May we know what this new doctrine, whereof thou speakest, is?** The Areopagus (air-e-op-a-gus) was where the false God Mars was worshipped. Mars was supposed to be the god of war. These folks want to hear this new doctrine (teaching) that Paul has.

P9 Acts 17:20 For thou bringest certain strange things to our ears: we would know therefore what these things mean. **21** (For all the Athenians and strangers which were there spent their time in nothing else, but either to tell, or to hear some new thing.)

P10 Acts 17:22 Then Paul stood in the midst of Mars' hill, and said, Ye men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious. **23** For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, **TO THE UNKNOWN GOD.** Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you. With all the gods (little g) the people of Athens worshipped they managed to miss the real one. It is HIM that Paul will tell them about!

Across

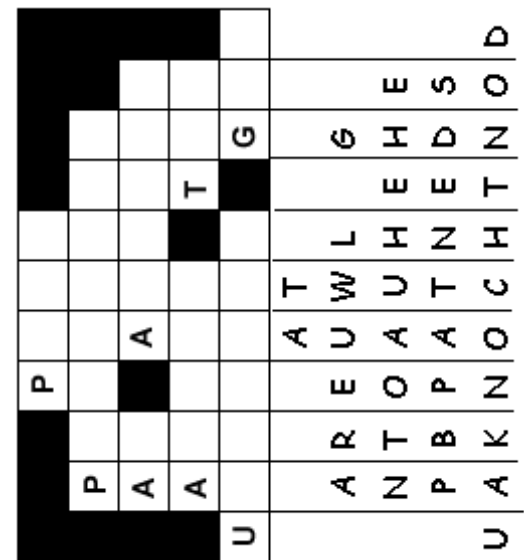
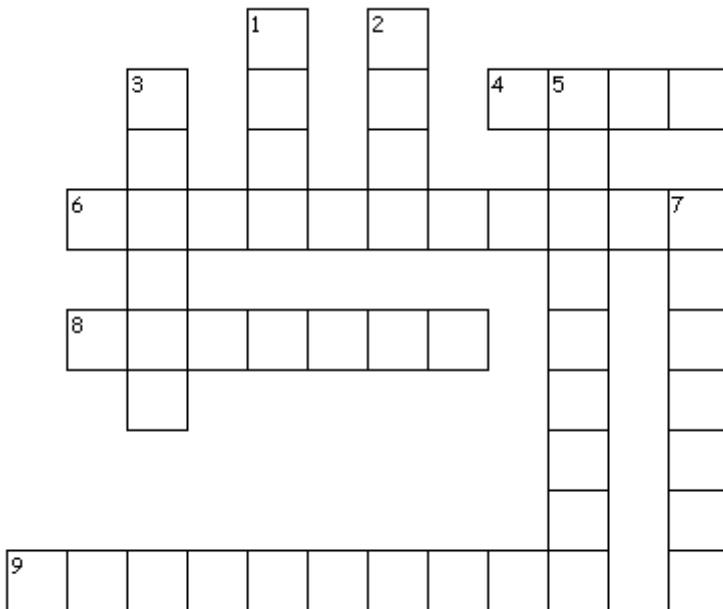
- 4. our apostle today
- 6. they worship knowledge P7
- 8. the God Paul preached P10
- 9. they worship food & drink P7

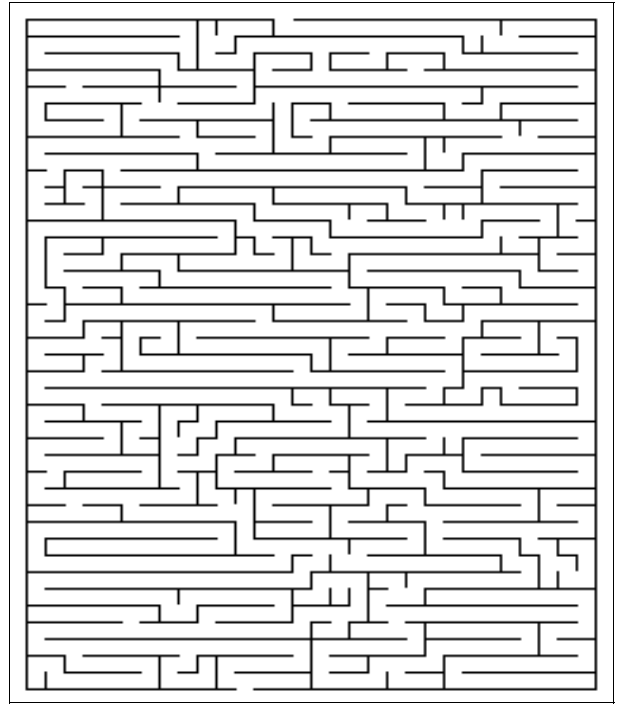
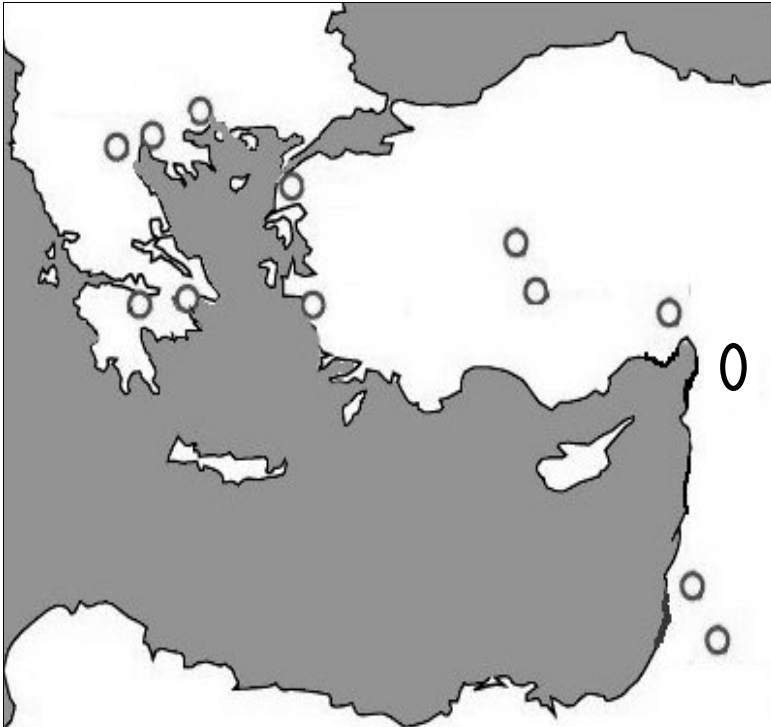
Down

- 1. a statue sinners worship P4
- 2. the god of war P8
- 3. name of the city in our story P3
- 5. where people worshipped Mars P8
- 7. they worship the will P7



MARS >>





Start At X And Draw A Line From The Names Below To The Circles On The Map.

Antioch Syria — Lystra — Thessalonica - Philippi - Ephesus - Jerusalem
Troas - Athens - Corinth - Derbe - Caesarea - Berea - Tarsus - Antioch Syria

THE MOUSE WHO WAS AFRAID

Retold by Catherine T. Bryce

Sometimes the size and strength is not the most important thing!

Once there was a little gray mouse. He lived in the same house as an old gray cat. The little mouse was afraid of the cat. "How happy I would be but for that old cat," he said. "I am afraid of her all the time. I wish I were a cat." A fairy heard the little mouse say this. She felt sorry for him. So she turned him into a big gray cat. At first he was very happy. But one day a dog ran after him. "Oh dear!" he said. "It is not much fun to be a cat. I am afraid of that dog all the time. I wish I were a big dog."

Again the fairy heard him. She felt sorry for the old gray cat. So she turned him into a big dog. Once more he felt happy. Then one day he heard a lion roar. "Oh, just hear that lion!" he cried. "I am afraid when I hear him. It is not so safe to be a dog after

all. How I wish I were a lion. Then I would be afraid of no one. Off he ran to the fairy. "Dear fairy," he said, "please turn me into a big, strong lion." Again the fairy was sorry for him. She made him into a big, strong lion. One day a man tried to kill the lion. Once more he ran to the "What now?" asked the fairy. "Make me into a man, dear fairy," he cried. "Then no one can make me afraid."

"Make you into a man!" cried the fairy. "No, indeed, I will not. A man must have a brave heart. You have only the heart of a mouse. So a mouse you shall become again, and a mouse you shall stay." So saying, she turned him back into a little gray mouse, and away he ran to his old home.

Tongue Twister!

She should n t
Shake the sal t
Shakers shoul d
she

