

Dear Student,

This month, we will be learning about King Solomon. In your bible, please turn to the book of 1 Kings (it is the eleventh book in the bible). Please read Chapter 3.

If you were granted 3 wishes, what would you wish for?

What do people normally ask for?

Do you think God was surprised by Solomon's request?

How did God reward Solomon?

In the second part of the chapter, we see an example of Solomon's wisdom. This takes place before the days of DNA testing. How would you have decided who was the mother?

Did Solomon judge wisely?

Please skip ahead and read Chapter 6. Before this temple was built, God stayed with His people in the Ark of the Covenant inside a special tent called a Tabernacle. How did the builders show respect to God while building it?

There are many details included here about the temple. Why do you think this building was so important?

Can you picture the temple? Because there are so many details, models of the temple have been recreated. Check out this short video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xn_eCxyI24Y

Please skip ahead and read Chapter 10, verses 1-13. Here we meet the Queen of Sheba. She had to see for herself how wise King Solomon was. How do you define wisdom?

King Solomon was able to answer all the Queen's hard questions. How do you learn more?

In your packet are Bible-trivia cards to help you gain knowledge. There is a sheet that can be used to help make good decisions. Knowledge and good decision making can lead to a lifetime of wisdom. There are also a few fun worksheets for you to do.

Next month, we will meet Daniel.

There are on-line lessons at <http://stannes-billerica.org/sunday-school-videos/>. These are lessons from the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd and not about the people of the bible that we are meeting in our take-home series.

-Brenda Komarinski

DECISION-MAKING MAT

Identify The Problem

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**What Are Some Possible
Consequences?**

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Gather Information

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Make A Choice

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Think Of Some Solutions

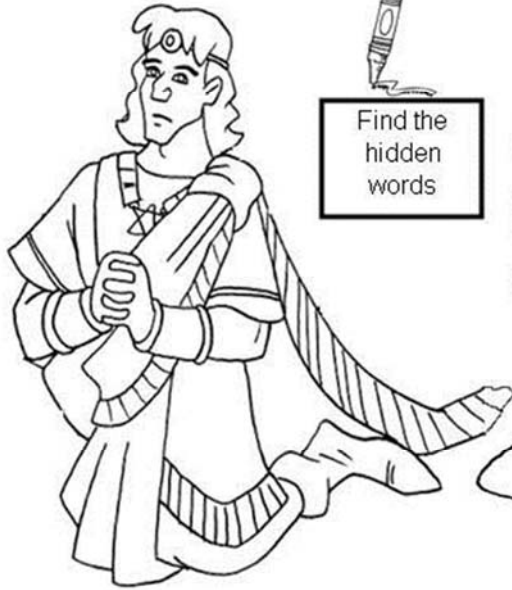
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Write An Action Plan

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The Wisdom of Solomon

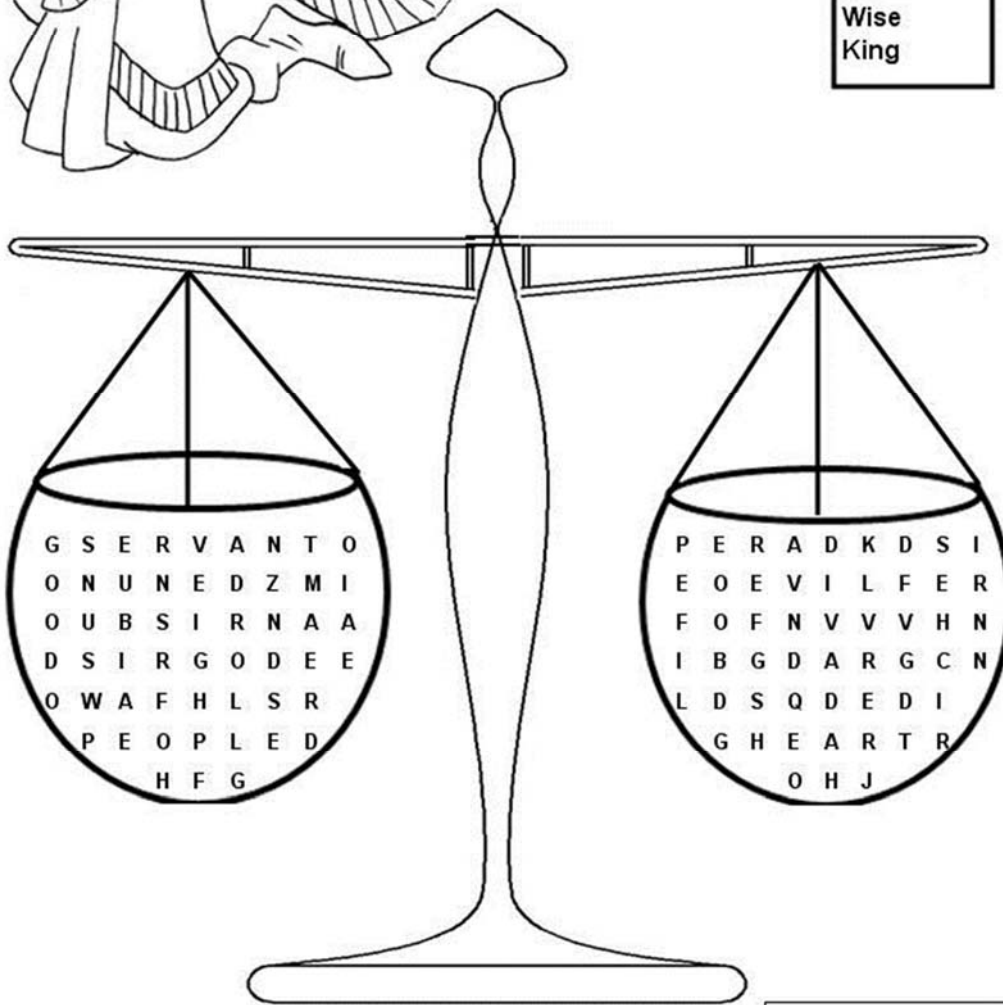
(1 Kings 3:5, 7-12)



Find the
hidden
words



Lord
Dream
Servant
David
People
Heart
Good
Evil
Riches
Life
Wise
King



King Solomon's Wisdom



Use what you learn to complete the scene --

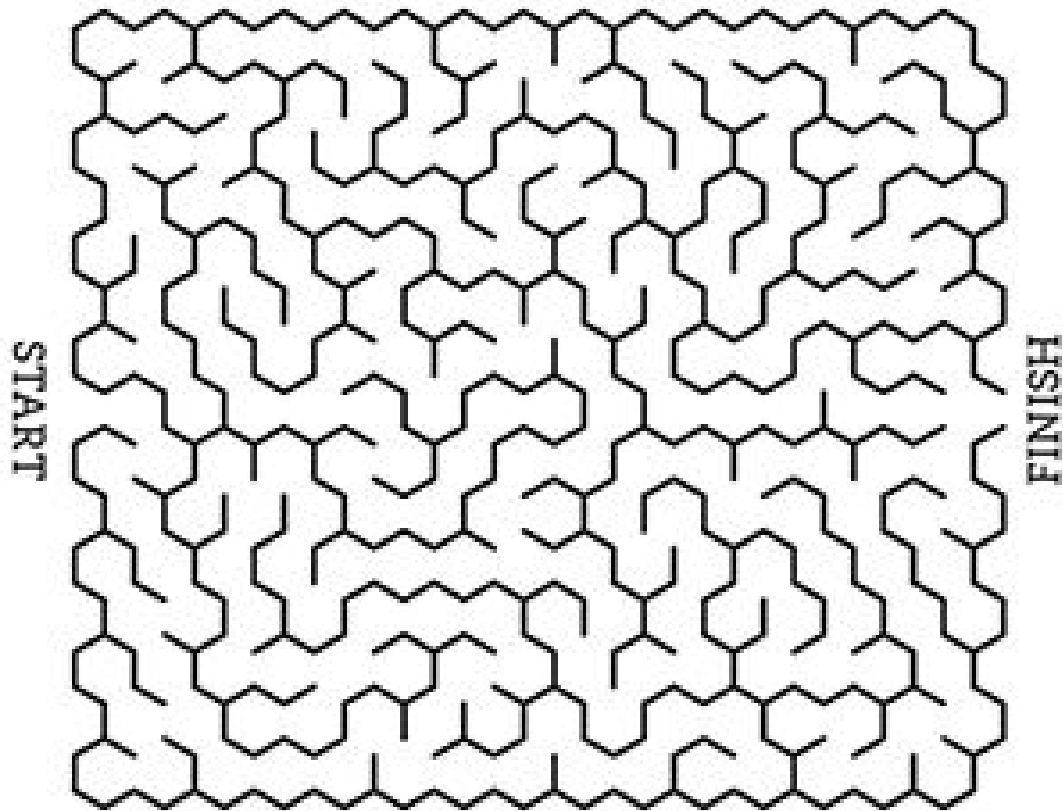
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b) draw what goes in the basket, which the women were fighting over

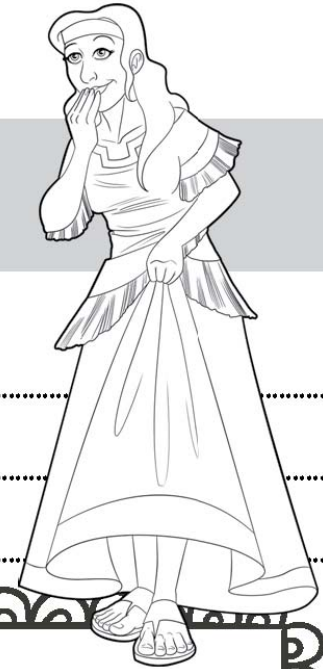
c) color the picture

THE WISE KING SOLOMON

Help King Solomon build the temple.



Queen of Sheba



Read 1 Kings 10:1 and write the Bible verse below.

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1. Why did the Queen of Sheba visit Solomon?

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2. What gifts did the queen bring with her?

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3. What gifts did Solomon give the queen?

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Draw your favorite scene from this story.

What could the life of the Queen of Sheba teach me?

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The Queen of Sheba asked Solomon...

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