Jesus Died for Sinners

Matthew 21:1–5, 21:8–9, 26:26–28; Luke 23:32–34, 23:44–48

Jesus was welcomed like a king. But he came to Jerusalem to die for our sins.
Find the right path through Jerusalem to the cross.

Name

Upper Room House

Palace of Herod the Great

Golgotha

Temple
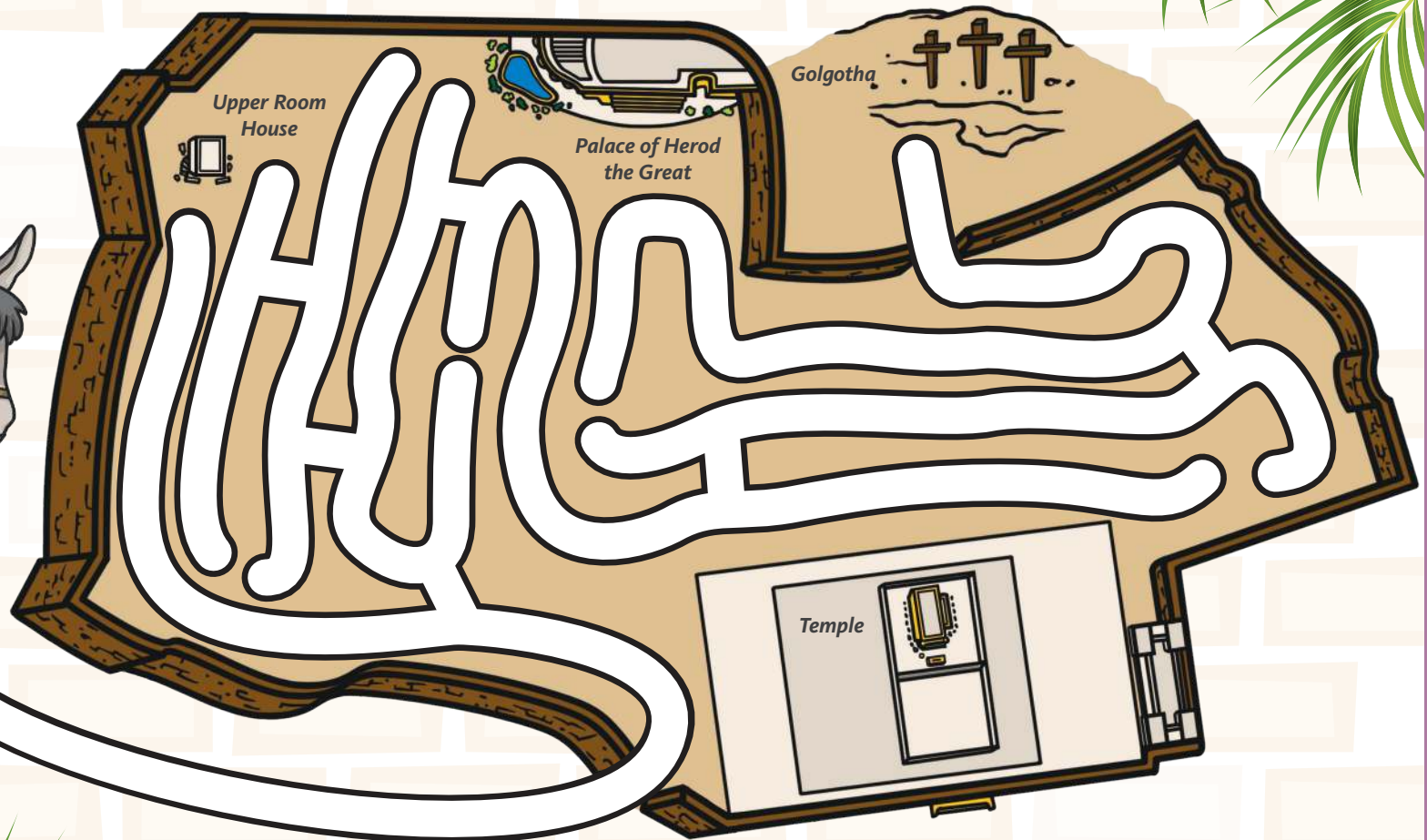
Memory Verse

Some of the vowels (A, E, I, O, U) are missing.
Use the code to complete the verse.

3　28　14　21　16
A　E　I　O　U

JES__S SA__D TO HER, "I AM THE R__S__RR__CTI__N AND THE L__F__.
　　16　　　14　　　　　　　　　　28　16　28　21　　　　　　14　28
WH__ __VER BEL__EV__S IN ME, THOUGH HE DI__, Y__T SHALL H__ L__V__."
21　28　　　　　14　　28　　　　　　　　　　　　28　28　　　　　28　14　28

JOHN 11:25

What You Heard *In the Word*

- Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey, and the people welcomed him as the promised Messiah and King.

- Jewish religious leaders were jealous of Jesus and plotted to put him to death. The Roman governor sentenced Jesus to be crucified even though he was innocent.

- Jesus' death on the cross paid the punishment we deserve for our sins.

OutWord *For Family Discussion*

What if your friend wondered why God would allow his Son to be killed? **What would you say?**

It doesn't seem to make sense, does it? God letting people kill his only Son? But Jesus is God, and he could have stopped the people who hurt him and nailed him to the cross to die. God controls everything. But he had a plan. Only a perfect sacrifice could bring forgiveness of sins. A sinful human couldn't die for our sins. Only Jesus could because he is perfect. Jesus took our punishment for sin when he died on the cross. The Bible says that those who repent of their sins, turn to Jesus, and trust him for forgiveness will have eternal life! God allowed Jesus to die so sinners who believe in him could be saved from the punishment for sin. That shows how much he loves us!
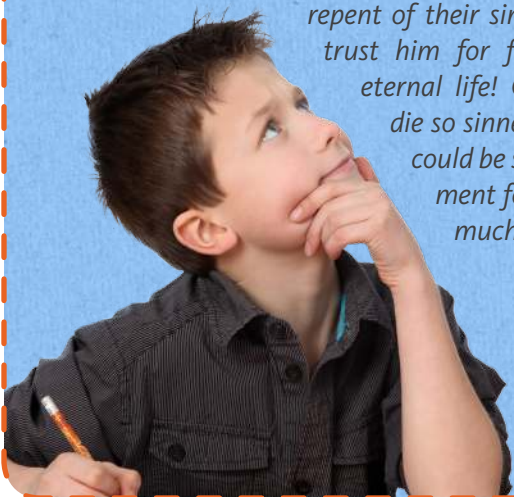
Justin & Jessie

"Mom!" Justin shouted. "Have you seen Matt's game disc?"

"No, not lately. Where did you put it last?" Mom asked. "Did you put it up high where Ellie can't reach it?"

"Oh no!" Justin said with a look of panic on his face. "I don't know; I can't remember."

What happened to the game disc Justin borrowed from Matt? Justin is really worried. How will he ever be able to pay for a brand new game? Find out what happens in "Borrowed Games & Crinkled Jeans."

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