

Feeding the Multitude  
*John 6:1-15*



What did Jesus use to feed the crowd of people who followed him?

How much food was left over after everyone in the crowd had enough to eat?

What was your favorite song today?

Name one interesting thing you did this week.

Prayer requests:

Name. \_\_\_\_\_

**Today's Bible Passage: John 6:1-15**

(Can you find the highlighted words?)

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

Some time after this, **Jesus** **crossed** to the far shore of the Sea of **Galilee** (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), and a **great crowd** of **people** followed him **because** they saw the signs he had **performed** by healing the sick. **Then Jesus** went up on a mountainside and sat down with his **disciples**. The Jewish Passover Festival was near. **When Jesus** looked up and saw a **great crowd** coming toward him, he **said** to **Philip**, "Where shall we buy **bread** for these **people** to eat?" He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do. **Philip** answered him, "It would take more than half a year's wages to buy **enough bread** for each one to have a bite!" Another of his **disciples**, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, "Here is a boy with **five small barley loaves** and two **small fish**, but how far will they go among so many?" **Jesus said**, "Have the **people** sit down." **There** was plenty of grass in that place, and they sat down (about **five thousand men** were **there**). **Jesus then** took the **loaves**, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the **fish**. **When** they had all had **enough** to eat, he **said** to his **disciples**, "**Gather** the **pieces** that are **left** over. Let nothing be wasted." So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the **pieces** of the **five barley loaves** left over by those who had eaten. After the **people** saw the **sign Jesus performed**, they began to say, "Surely this is the Prophet who is to **come** into the world." **Jesus**, knowing that they intended to **come** and make him king by force, withdrew again to a mountain by himself.

5,000 people were fed.

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Circle and count the leftover baskets.



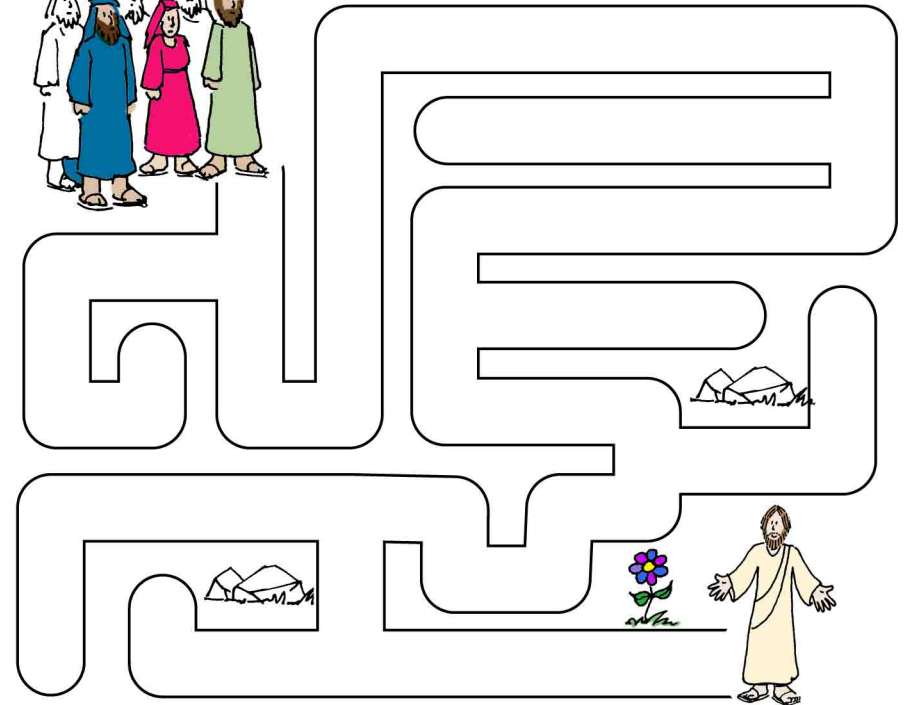
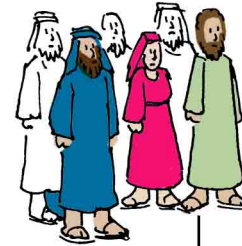
Trace the number.



## Jesus Feeds 5,000

Jesus saw a large crowd coming to Him. He asked His disciples, "How shall we feed them?"

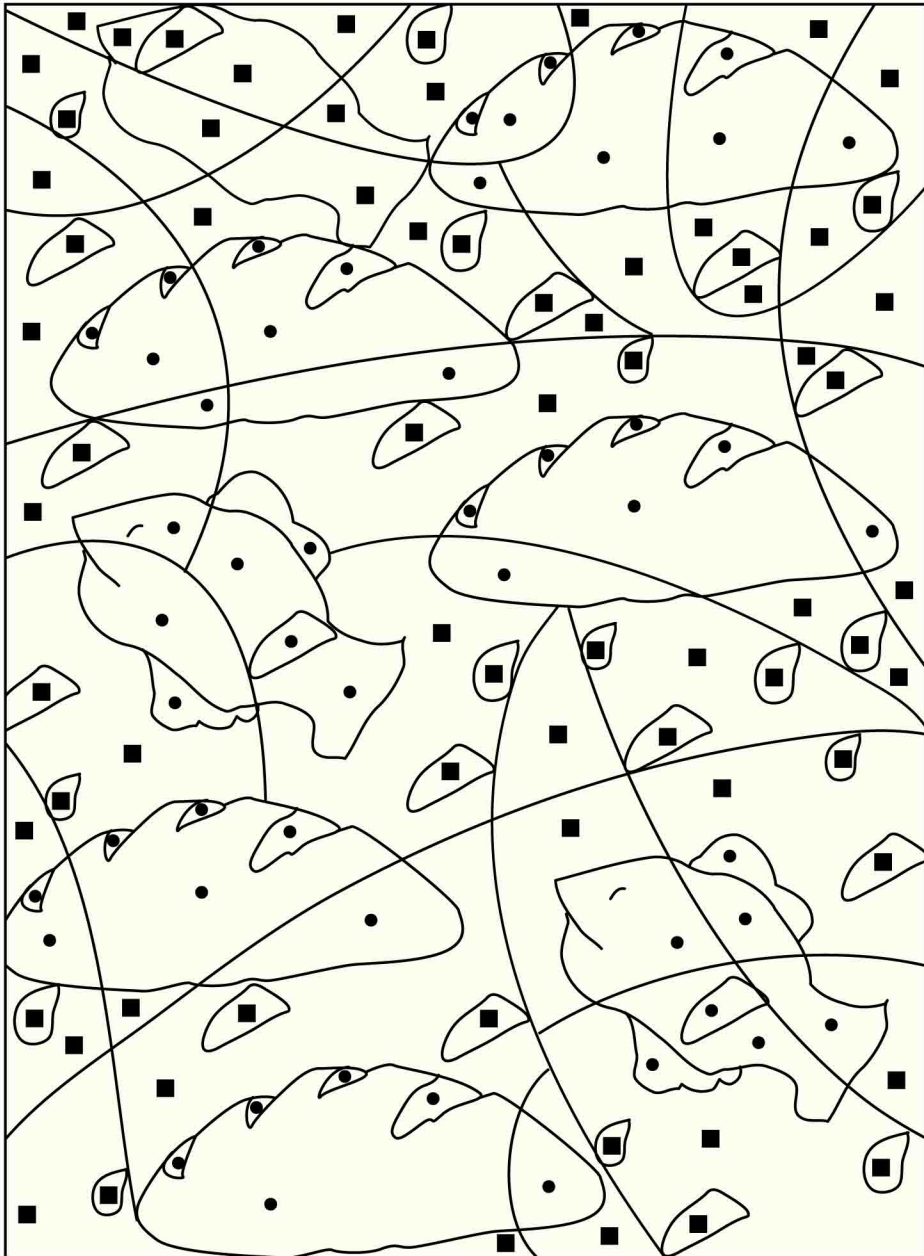
Help the crowd get to Jesus.



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The disciples found a boy with 5 small loaves of bread and 2 little fish. The boy gave the bread and fish to Jesus.

Shade in the •'s.

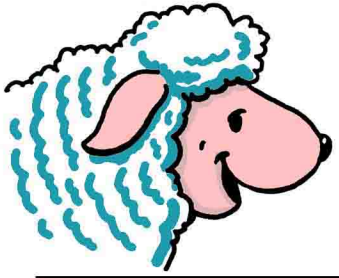


Jesus gave the food to all of the people. Everyone had enough to eat. It was a miracle.

Find the hidden letters in the picture.

MIRACLE





What did people call Jesus after they saw this miracle?

Put the words in alphabetical order. Then transfer the letters in the squares to the lines below.

- group
- mouse
- drain
- frost
- house
- camps
- train






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# Jesus Feeds 5,000

A great crowd of people followed Jesus to the shore of the Sea of Galilee. When Jesus saw the crowd, He said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?"

Find 14 differences.



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Jesus had a plan. A boy came with 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish. What happened?

Use this code to find out.

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



Jesus said, "S Z E V G S V

K V L K O V H R G

W L D M Q V H F H

G L L P G S V

O L Z E V H Z M W

U R H S T Z E V

G S Z M P H Z M W

W R H G I R Y F G V W

G L G S L H V D S L

D V I V H V Z G V W

Z H N F X S Z H

G S V B D Z M G V W

Jesus said, "Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted." What was left?

Write the names of the pictures.

Then transfer the letters to the lines below.



1 2 3

4 5 6 7



8 9 10

11 12 13



o 1 7 2 y

g 12 1 7 2 9 2 10 1 7 2 m

12 3 10 4 5 2 10

1 11 2 13 2 b 12 6 2 1 6 k

o 4 1 7 2 4 5 13 2

lo 12 13 2 6 l 2 4 1 o 13 2 9