

Wholehearted

1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

Understanding the Bible:

What is the problem being expressed in this Bible passage?



How does God show up in this Bible Passage?

What was your favorite song today?

Name one interesting thing you did this week.

Prayer requests:

Name. _____

Today's Bible Passage: 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

(Can you find the highlighted words?)

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

Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in **Christ Jesus**. Do not **quench** the **Spirit**. Do not treat **prophecies** with **contempt** but test them all; **hold** on to what is **good, reject every kind of evil**. May God himself, the God of **peace, sanctify** you through and through. May your whole **spirit, soul and body** be **kept blameless** at the **coming** of our **Lord Jesus Christ**. The one who **calls** you is **faithful**, and he will do it.

Hold on to what is good and stay away from what can harm you.

Match the opposites.

Good

Harmful



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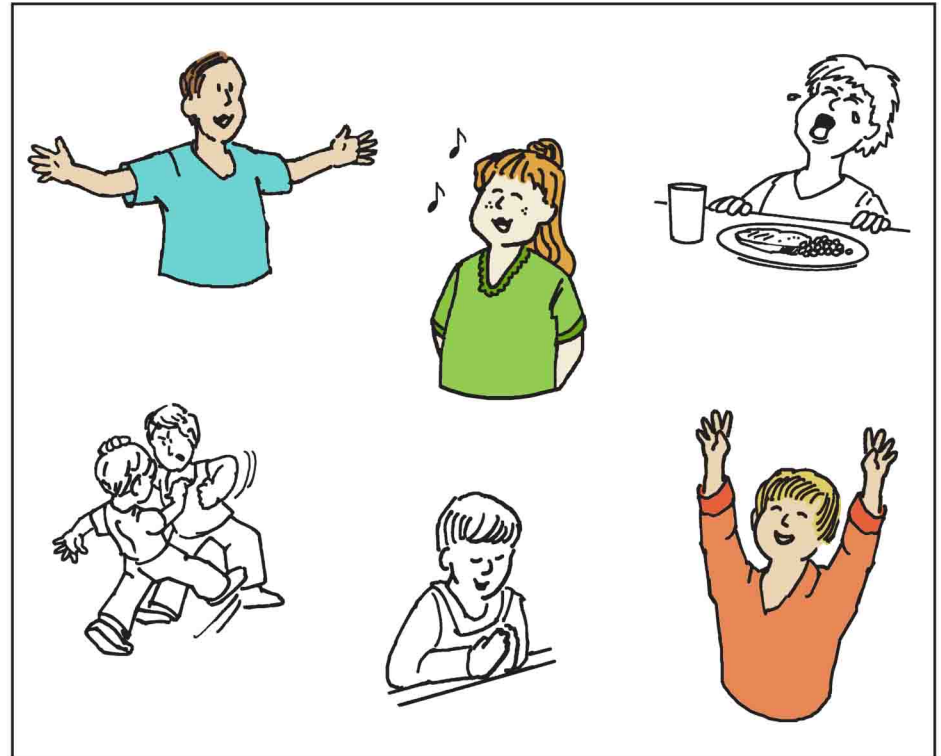
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Do What is Good

Rejoice always!

Circle and count those rejoicing.

How many? 2 or 4 ?







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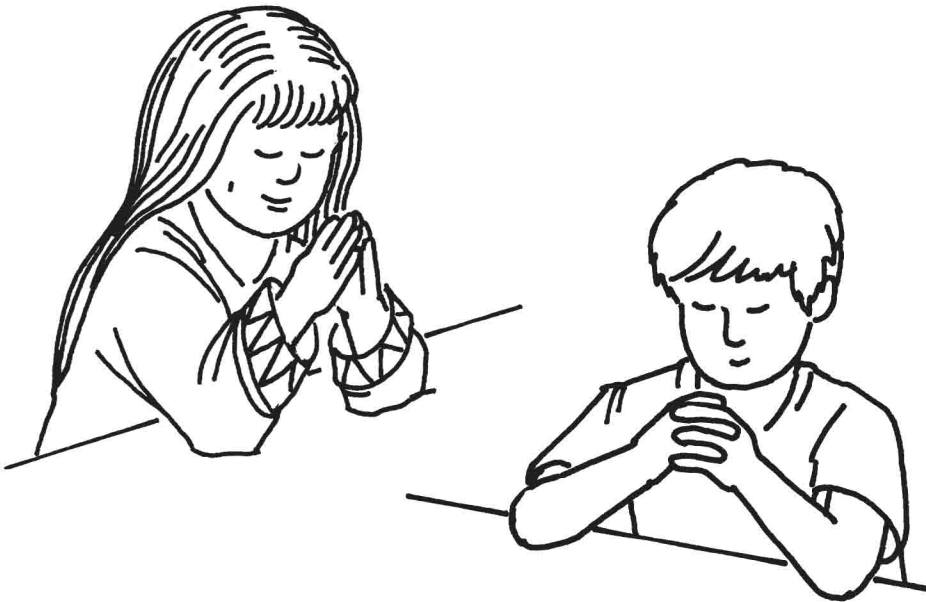
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What should we do continually?

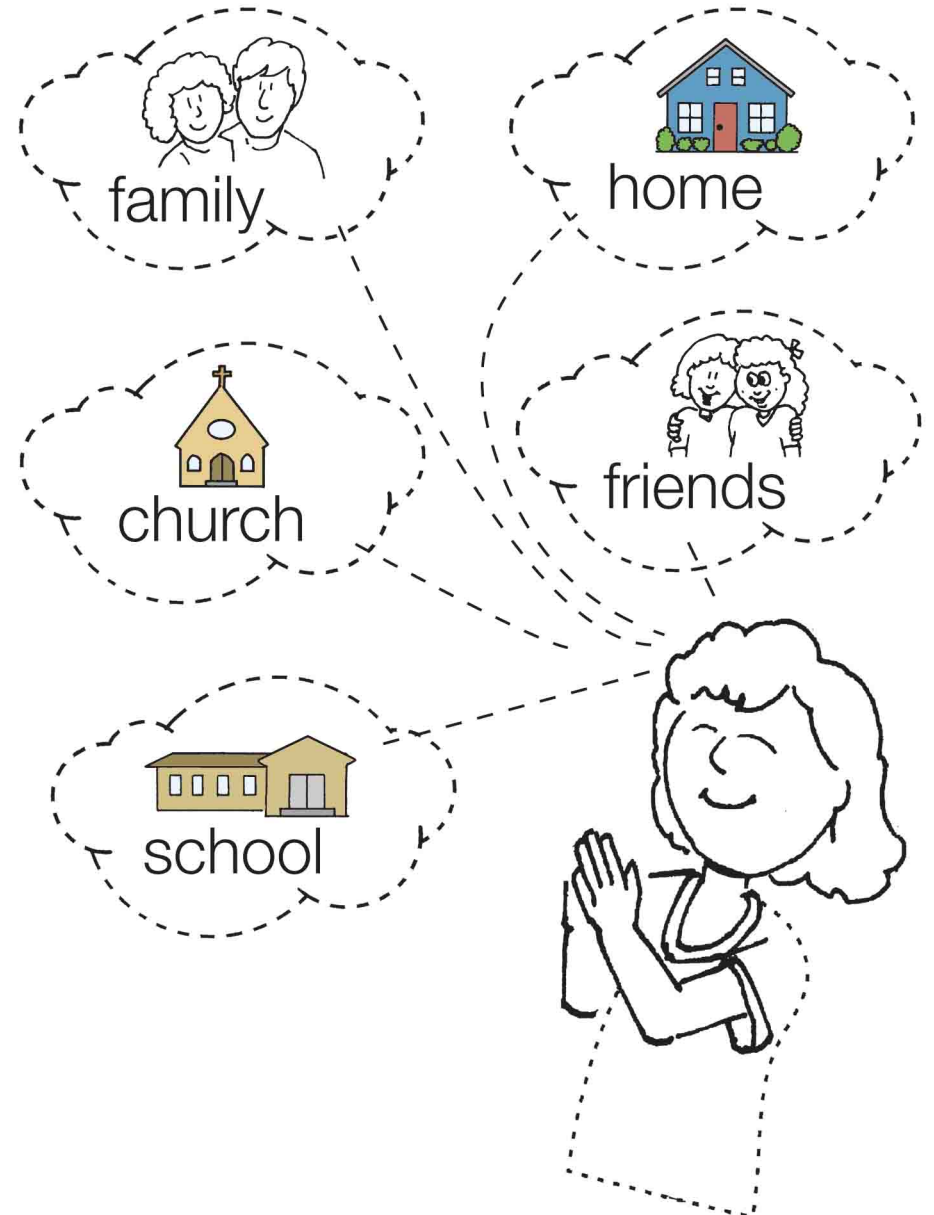
Write the first letter of each picture in the boxes.



Give thanks in all things.

Trace the dashed lines in the picture.



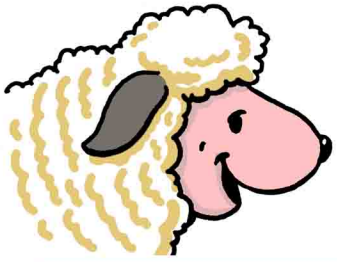
family

home

church

friends

school



May you be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Find two words from the list that match the clues. Write them in the blanks, making sure they have the correct number of letters. Use the circled letters to complete the verses.

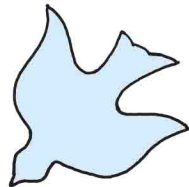
asp harp trumpet father furnace lavender
 iron uncle India yellow flamingo anaconda
 carrot turnip stork Norway

	1		2
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snakes	<input type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____
nations	<input type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____
root vegetables	<input checked="" type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____
musical instruments	<input type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____
hot things	<input type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____
relatives	<input type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____
colors	<input type="radio"/> _____		<input type="radio"/> _____

May God himself, the God of peace,

1) _____ you through and through ... The one who calls you is

2) _____ and he will do it.



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Do What Is Good

What did Paul tell the Thessalonian Christians they should do?

Complete the Sudoku puzzle, placing numbers 1 through 9 in every row and every column. Use the numbered letters to find what Paul said.

1	W	6	F	3	5	O	7	9
5	S	F	6	2	7	Y	1	W
A	3	2	S	1	8	4	U	L
Y	7	1	5	W	9	6	2	4
O	4	S	1	7	L	5	8	3
8	6	U	3	F	2	A	9	J
9	5	3	O	6	J	8	F	7
L	2	8	A	9	4	1	3	U
4	J	7	8	5	Y	S	6	2

Be _____

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 6 8 7 3 9



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Paul advised the believers to do something else as well.



Unscramble the letters to spell a 5-letter opposite of the given word. One letter will be left over. Write it in the blank. Read the resulting message from top to bottom.

DARK	TILGPH	<u>L</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>P</u>
SAD	PHPYAR	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
THIN	CATHKI	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
ASLEEP	WAYKEA	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
NOISY	CUTIQE	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
WHITE	COLKAB	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
SMOOTH	GURHON	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
DEAD	VILATE	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
DULL	PISHAR	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
STRAIGHT	NURCLY	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
LARGE	LULMAS	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
FULL	PAMTYE	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
OLD	LUNGOY	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
EXIT	RENTLE	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
SOONER	RELATY	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Paul gave them some final instructions.

Fit the words from the list into the crossword. Then place them in the blanks according to their numbers in the crossword.

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|-----|------|------|-------|--------|---------------|
| be | the | hold | test | always | circumstances |
| in | evil | kind | avoid | joyful | everything |
| of | give | onto | every | thanks | continually |
| all | good | pray | | | |

19A _____

13D _____ 14D _____

4D _____ 15A _____

9D _____ 17A _____ 2D _____

1D _____ 12A _____

16D _____ 5D _____

3D _____ 6A _____ 17D _____ 9A _____

8D _____ 11A _____ 18D _____ 10D _____ 7A _____

