

**JULY 17**



## **CARLSBAD CAVERNS NATIONAL PARK**

(NEW MEXICO)

Carlsbad Caverns is a labyrinth of enormous underground rooms and passageways, stalactites and stalagmites, even a 140 foot deep "bottomless pit". So far 120 caves have been discovered, formed about six million years ago, when a limestone reef began dissolving as slightly acidic water seeped down and reacted with hydrogen sulfide gas. Who knew dripping water could create something so beautiful and big and bizarre? The natural marvels of Carlsbad Caverns seem impossible - but here they are! God helps us to the impossible. We just have to imagine it first.

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VISITED!**

### **NOTES, REFLECTIONS, PRAYERS**

#### **READ**

Psalm 8:3-8

Ephesians 3:14-21

#### **REFLECT**

What amazing things has God made happen in your life?

What might you imagine with God for your life or for the world?

How can you help others imagine limitless possibilities?

#### **PRAY**

Imaginative God,  
I marvel at all you have made and made happen in my life and in the world. Yet I know, God, that the world is not as you or as I wish it to be. Help me to imagine a better world with you for all that you love. Help me to put my hopes and dreams into action that helps make your dreams come true. Amen.