

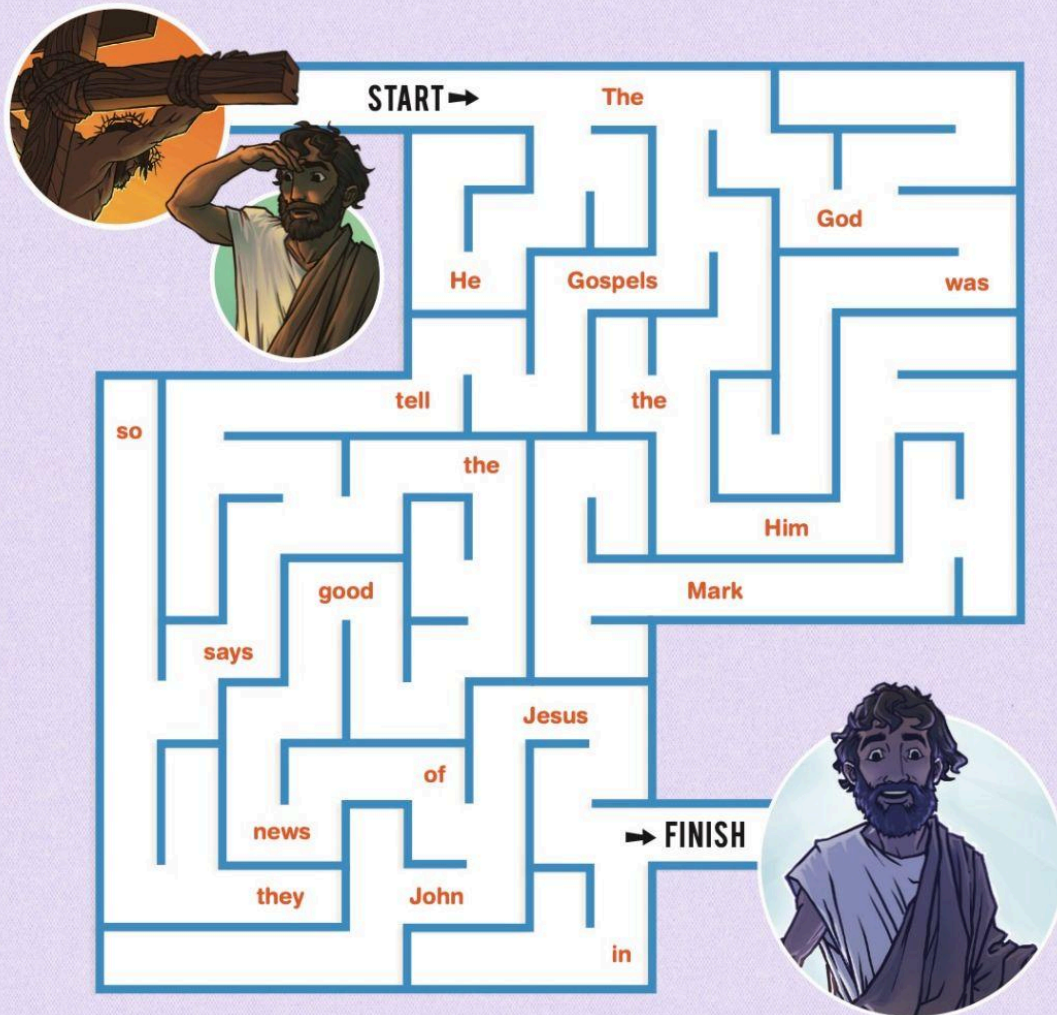


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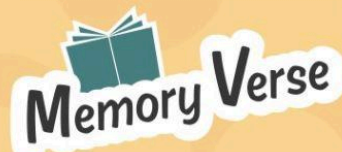
The Gospel Truth

Matthew 1:1, 9:27; Mark 10:45, 6:34; Luke 19:10, 5:32; John 20:31, 17:3

What do all four Gospels tell us? Pick up the words along the correct path and write them in the blanks below.



Name



Unscramble the letters to finish the verse.

Therefore the Lord

_____ will
milshfe

give you a _____.
ngsi

Behold, the virgin

_____ conceive
lhlsa

and bear a son, and

shall call his name

mlaneum

Isaiah 7:14

What You Heard *In the Word*

- Because all four Gospels were written by different men, they are not exactly alike. The differences in the Gospels show that they are true.
- The four Gospels give us a complete picture of Jesus:
 1. Matthew described Jesus as the promised Messiah and eternal King.
 2. Mark showed Jesus as the suffering servant, a man of compassion.
 3. Luke described Jesus as the Son of Man, who came to call sinners to repentance.
 4. John wanted us to believe that Jesus is the Son of God, who alone can bring eternal life.

OutWord *For Family Discussion*

What if your friend said that the Gospels couldn't all be true because they say different things? **What could you say?**

The Gospels do say different things, but everything they say is true! The Gospels were written by four men who each lived at the same time as Jesus. They knew different things about him and experienced different events. The fact that all the Gospels are not the same actually shows us that they can be trusted. You see, if all the Gospels were identical in every way and word, we would seriously doubt if they had been written independently by four different men. I believe that each Gospel is inspired by God, and when I read all of them together I get a more complete idea of what happened while Jesus was on earth.

