

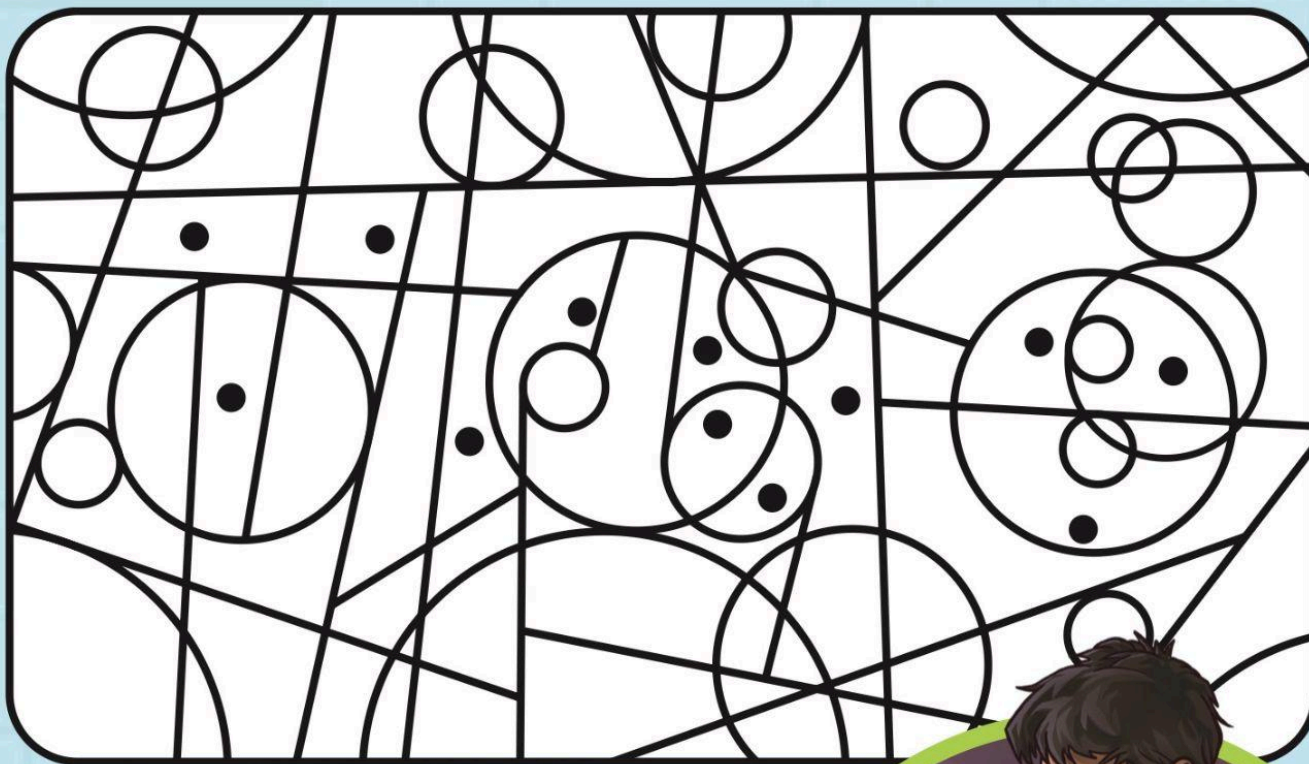


Grades 2-3 • Unit 13 • Lesson 122

We Can Trust the New Testament

John 14:25-26, 16:13, 19:35, 20:31; 2 Peter 1:16, 3:15-16

Color in all the shapes with a dot to reveal the word that completes the sentence below.



We can be sure the
New Testament is

_____!



Name _____

Memory Verse

In the box below each letter, write the letter that comes before it in the alphabet.

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

**Therefore the
Lord himself will**

h	j	w	f

**you a
sign. Behold, the**

w	j	s	h	j	o

shall conceive and

c	f	b	s

a son, and

d	b	m	m

**shall _____ his
name Immanuel.**

Isaiah 7:14

What You Heard *In the Word*

- Jesus promised the Helper, the Holy Spirit, would come to teach the apostles and help them remember the things Jesus said.
- The apostles were eyewitnesses and testified that their words were true.

OutWord *For Family Discussion*

Suppose you heard your friends say they thought the New Testament is just a bunch of made-up stories. There is no evidence that it really happened. **What could you say?**

Of course, it takes faith to believe God's Word. But there are other reasons we can know the Word of God is true. God tells us that it is his Word, and we know that God cannot lie. Also, much of the New Testament was written by people who knew Jesus. They walked with him and learned from him. Then there are manuscripts—thousands of them—handwritten copies of the books of the New Testament. The authors wrote about Jesus on animal skins, papyrus, or other kinds of paper. Jesus' message was passed down this way for many years. These manuscripts have proven to be accurate, reliable, and consistent! Even though there are so many of them

in different languages and from different countries, they all tell the same thing—God's plan of salvation through Jesus. These old manuscripts confirm that the events recorded in the Bible really did happen.

