



New Covenant Fellowship

Christian Teaching Material for Children Booklet A

(Suitable for ages 4-8)

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God Made Everything

Genesis 1:1-24

God made everything that is good. He made the trees and flowers and animals and rivers.

God also made all the people in the world. He made you!

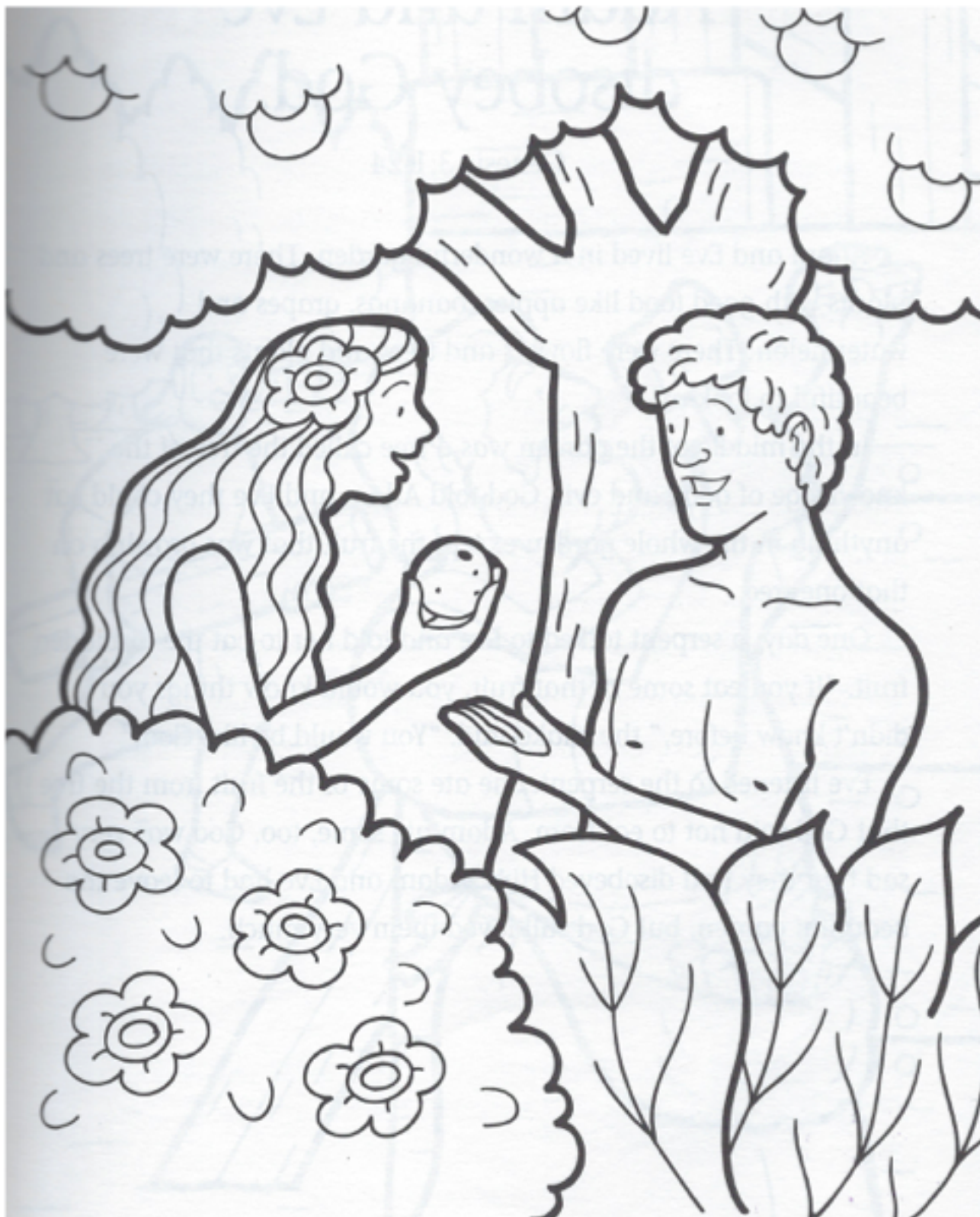
Draw a picture of you and your family.



You are in God's family. God loves you.



God made the first man and woman.
They are called Adam and Eve.



They lived in a garden God made for them.

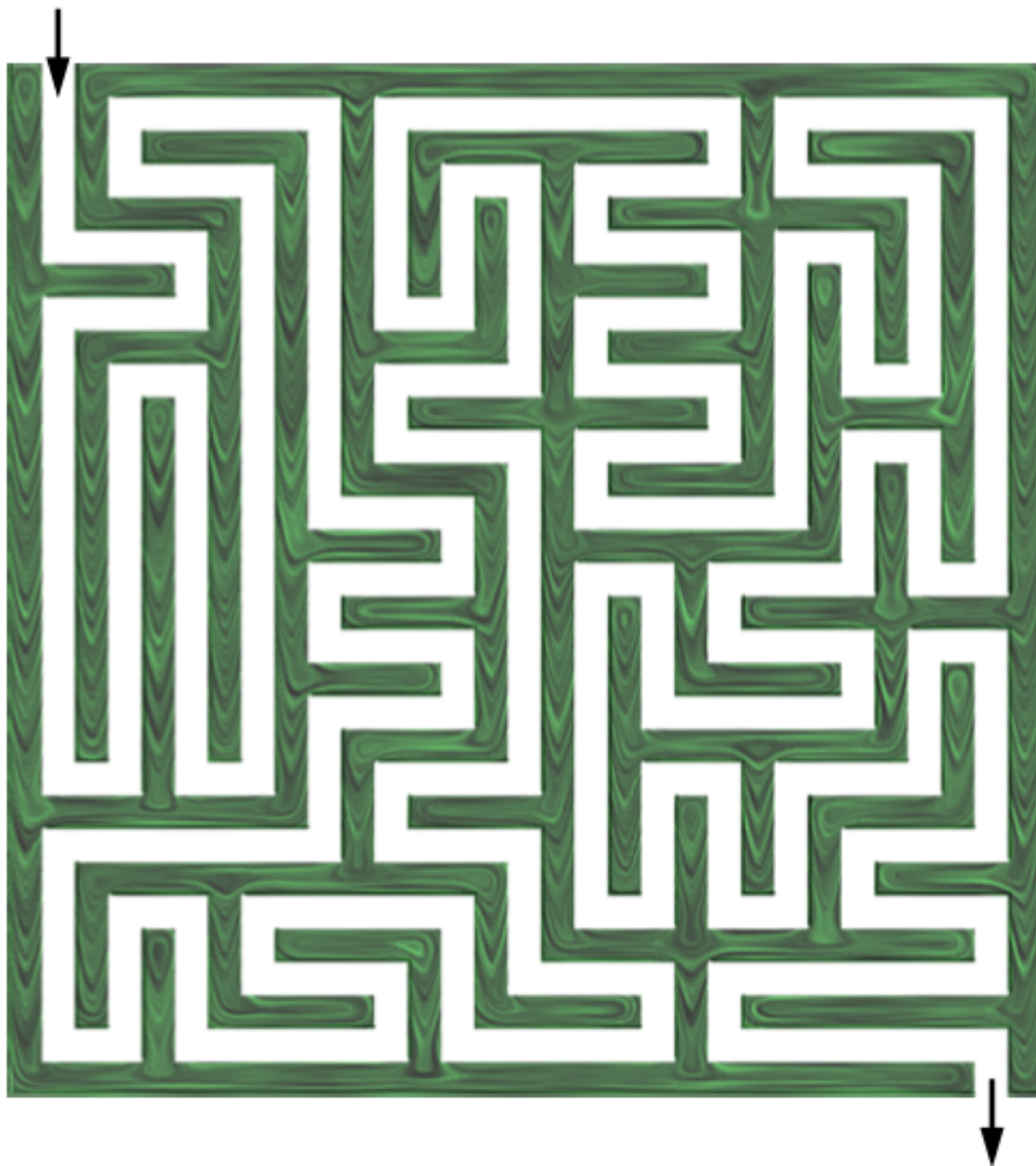
But they broke God's rules and were sent out of the garden.

God's Good Rules

God makes rules to keep us safe.

God helps us when we follow his rules. He helps us make good choices about the right way to live.

Find the right way through the maze to reach the prize.



If we love God for our whole life, he will reward us with a prize of everlasting life of peace and joy.



Friends with God

God wants us to be his friends. When we break his rules, we are not his friends.

So God sent his son Jesus into the world.

We deserve a punishment for breaking God's rules, but Jesus took our punishment instead of us. This means that we can be God's friends again.

Jesus was born as a baby in Bethlehem. He grew up to be a perfect man and the best teacher.

Can you find these five things in the picture of baby Jesus?



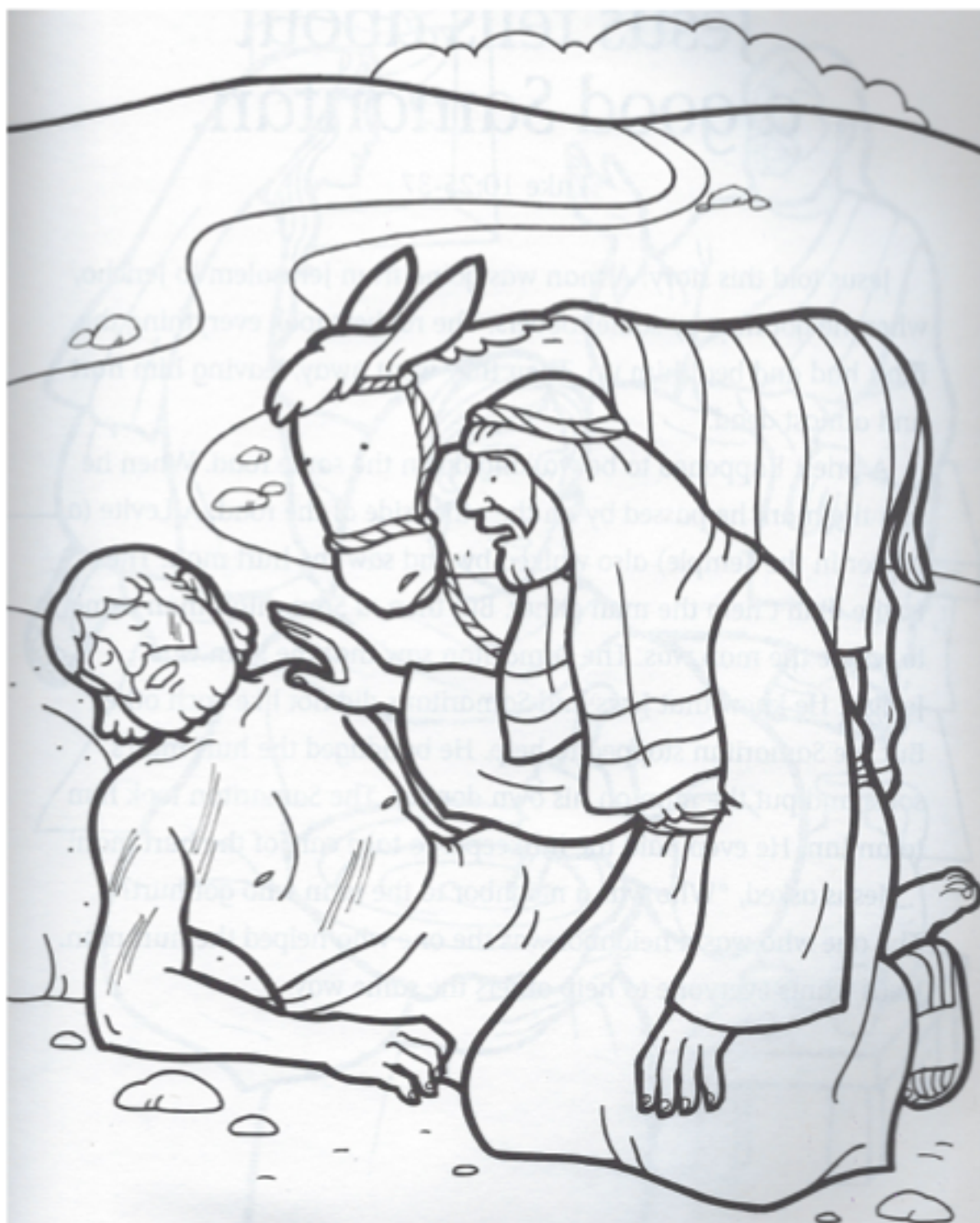
Being A Good Friend To Others

Now that we are friends with God, he wants us to be friends to everyone too, even the people who are hard to love.



Listen to the story of the Good Samaritan in Luke 10:30-37.

The Samaritans were enemies of the Jews, but in this story, the Samaritan shows great kindness to the Jew who was attacked.



How can *you* be a better friend to other people?

Draw a picture showing how you can be a good friend.

