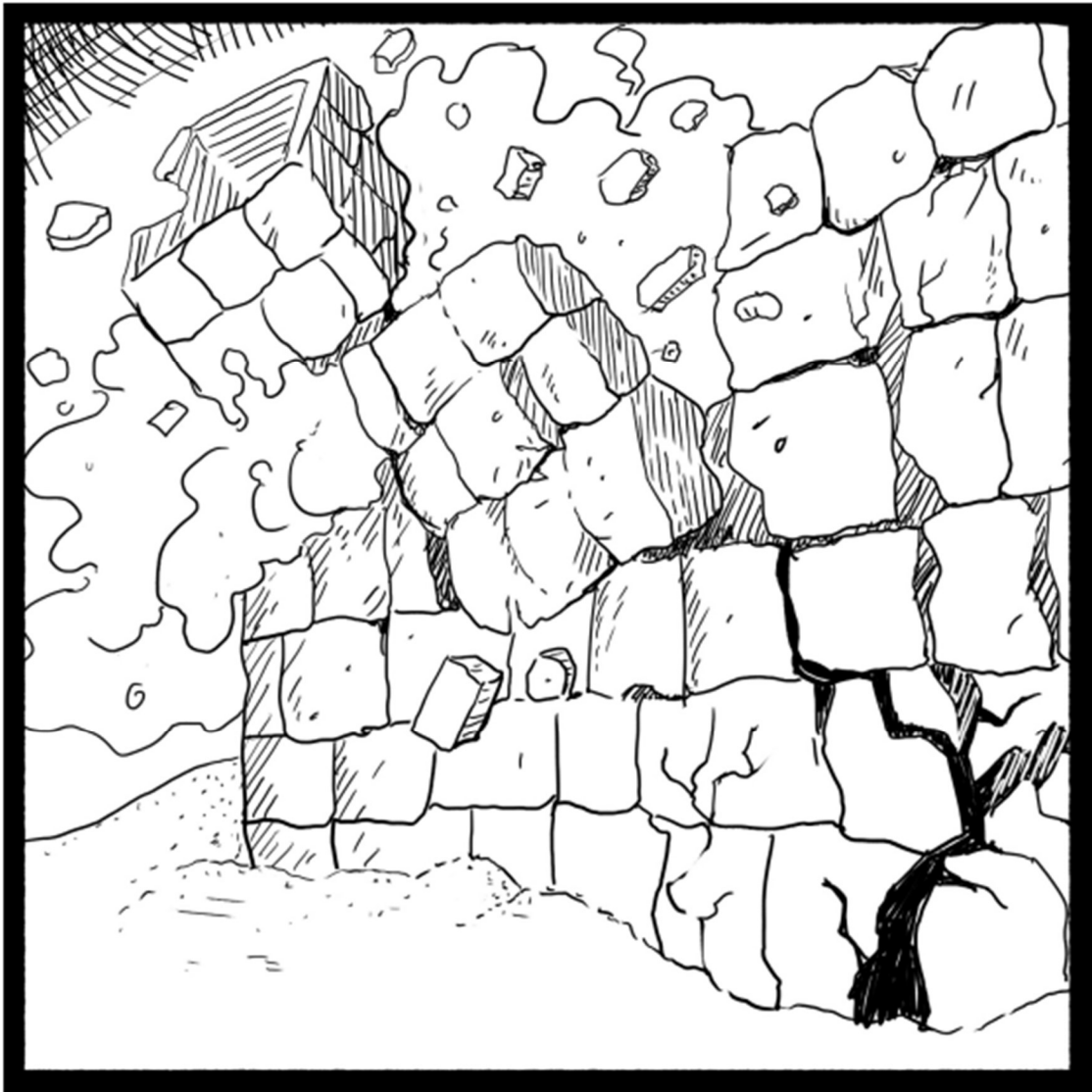




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Bible Mystery #17:

Everyone in town has been killed! Almost everyone she has ever known! But she emerges from her house, pulls down the red scarf that has kept her family safe, and sees that the great walls of her city have come tumbling down! It seems impossible. Those walls were 12 feet high and six feet wide!

What is this woman's name and in what city does she live?

B A A H R

C J E O I H R

in

Bible lookup: Joshua 6:1 & 6:25



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Bible Mysteries for the week of July 25, 2021

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Bible Mystery #18:

He ended his own life by hanging himself. Just prior to this, he had hurled 30 pieces of silver in the faces of religious leaders. Jesus had just been condemned to death on the cross.

What is this man's name?

USAJD

SAOCTII

Bible lookup: Luke 22:1-4



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Bible Mystery #19:

It can be said that the Bible is written in secret code. That's because only some people can both understand and appreciate it. Who are these lucky people? Those who have the Holy Spirit in their hearts and are friends with Jesus. However, even those people have to work at it! Work at decoding this important scripture and learn something amazing about us and Jesus.

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

Find the coded letter in the shaded line and match it up with the letter in the line above to decode the following:

Matthew 19:25-26 (NIV) When the disciples heard this, they were greatly astonished and asked, "Who then can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible..."

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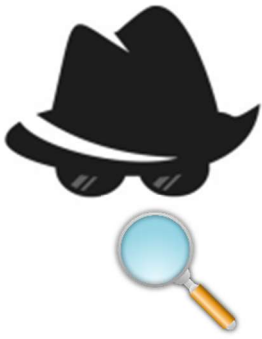
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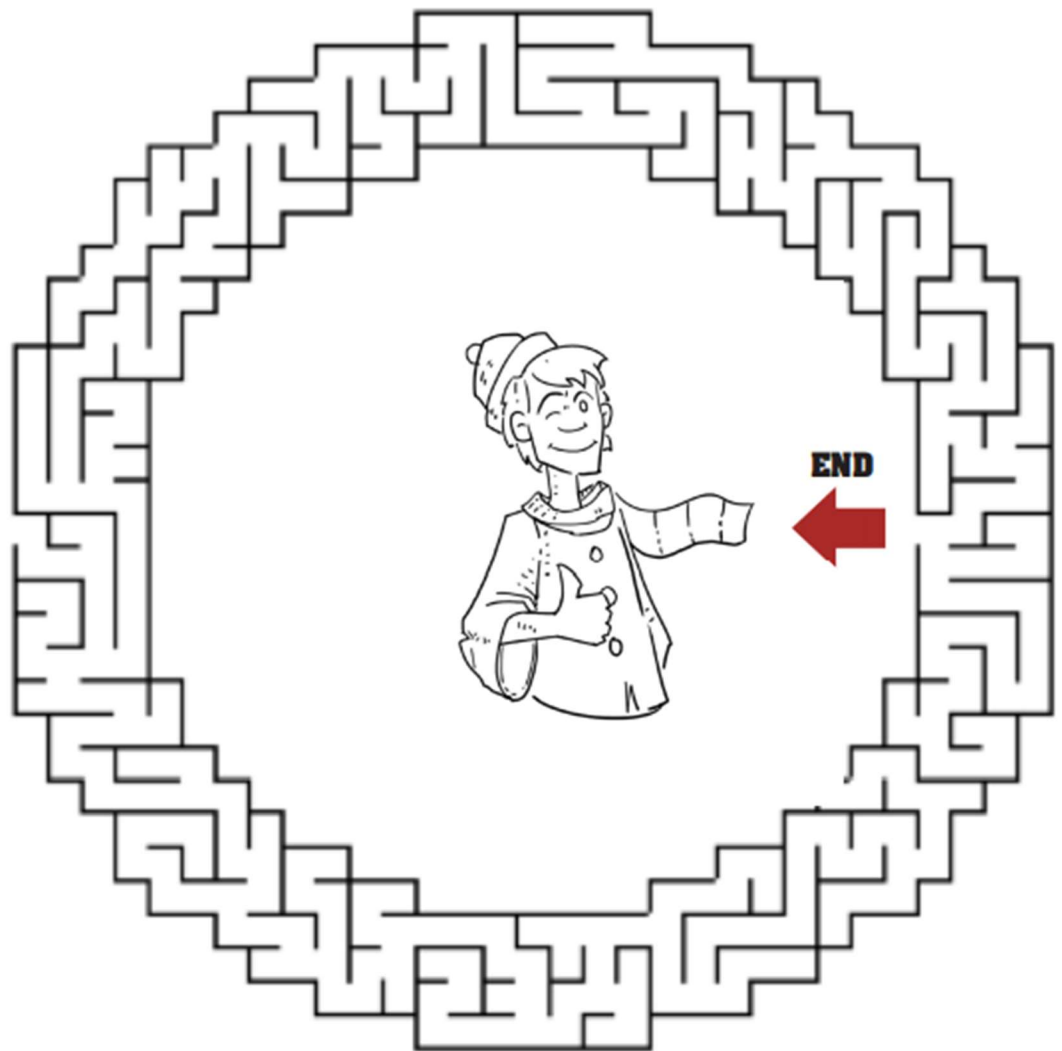
Bible Mystery #20:

All God's people have problems to solve and to help them grow in faith! These problems are like labyrinths. Poor Joseph! He was Abraham's great-grandson, with 10 older brothers. The brothers were jealous because Joseph was their father Jacob's favourite. They had him sold into slavery and sent to Egypt. He started out as a slave, but soon became much more powerful – almost like a Prime Minister! God was with him, and his brothers realized it when they went to Egypt to buy food in a famine. Joseph the slave had become Joseph the very rich hero. He brought the whole clan and their families and all their servants to safety.

Go with Joseph as he solves the labyrinth of his miraculous life!



START



END



Look up Hebrews, Chapter 11 in your Bible.

Find the reference that goes with this famous faith passage about this hero:

By faith Joseph, when his end was near, spoke about the exodus of the Israelites from Egypt and gave instructions about his bones.

Hebrews 11: ____



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Bible Mystery #21:

Understanding the Bible isn't always easy. Sometimes it's like the meaning is hidden to those who aren't interested, just like words in a word search are hidden! Read this passage about a famous Bible hero, then find the hidden words (highlighted in the text).

Genesis 37:17-28 (excerpts)

So **Joseph** went after his brothers and found them near Dothan. But they saw him in the distance, and before he reached them, they plotted to kill him.

"Here comes that **dreamer!**" they said to each other.

So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe - the **ornate** robe he was wearing - and they took him and threw him into the **cistern**. Now the cistern was empty; there was no water in it.

As they sat down to eat their meal, they looked up and saw a **caravan** of Ishmaelites coming from Gilead. Their camels were loaded with spices, balm and myrrh, and they were on their way to take them down to **Egypt**.

Judah said to his brothers, "What will we gain if we kill our brother and cover up his **blood**? Come, let's sell him to the Ishmaelites and not lay our hands on him; after all, he is our brother, our own flesh and blood." His brothers agreed.

So when the Midianite **merchants** came by, his brothers pulled Joseph up out of the cistern and sold him for twenty shekels of silver to the Ishmaelites, who took him to Egypt.



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