

ELIJAH in Salvation History



Elijah was a great prophet during a time when many people were worshipping false gods. The people simply did not have faith that the One True God would fulfill His promises to their ancestors and continue



to care for them. However, Elijah trusted God, so God sent him as a messenger and used him to perform many miracles.

READ about Elijah in **1 Kings chapters 17 and 18.**

God has done many wonderful things to take care of you, too. But sometimes we start thinking of the things we wish we had, instead of being grateful for what we have been given! It is especially difficult to be thankful when there are lots of bad things around us; it was the same during Elijah's time, when a long famine struck. Everyone was hungry, and many people thought they would die!

We should always be grateful and thank the people who help us to live and become holy. This pleases God very much. It is especially important during Christmas time that we tell God how thankful we are for what we have, instead of telling Him we'll only be thankful if we get certain Christmas presents!

WRITE down some things that you are **thankful for**—then thank the person who made it possible!

This Advent, I am especially thankful to God for:

I am thankful to my parents for:

I am thankful to my friends and siblings for:

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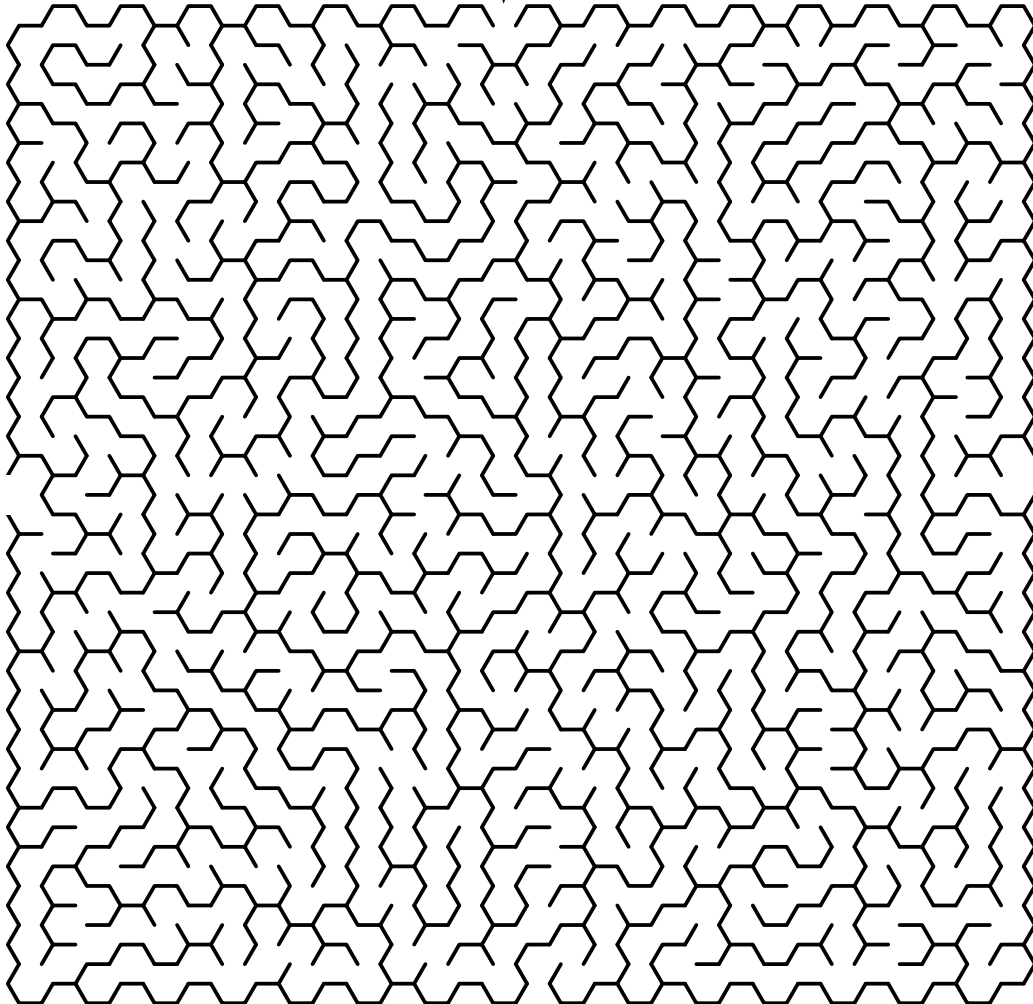
READ the Picture Bible pages 384–409.

Elijah saw God perform many miracles to try to teach the people not to worship false gods, but instead to worship the One True God! God did many magnificent miracles to show them His Power. One time, God told Elijah to go to Mount Horeb and wait inside a cave. God said He would pass by the entrance of the cave, and when Elijah heard Him pass by, he was to go outside the cave to speak with God.

Help Elijah know when he should leave the cave.

Outside the cave, Elijah heard a strong wind, an earthquake, a fire, and a small voice. Which one signals that God is passing by?
The **ANSWER** to the maze will tell you!

Elijah



Strong
Wind

Fire

Small Voice

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ELISHA in Salvation History



Elisha was a disciple of Elijah (don't get their names confused!), and he became a great prophet after him. Just like Elijah, God performed many miracles through Elisha. Today's Jesse Tree VIDEO tells about one of them!

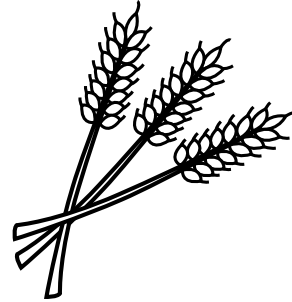


READ about Elisha in **2 Kings chapter 5**.

WRITE the name of the person that each illustration reminds you of and why on the lines below. **COLOR** the illustrations then draw a line from each illustration to the name of the person it reminds you of. Explain to your Mom & Dad what they all mean!

The Slingshot reminds me of ...

Because he ...

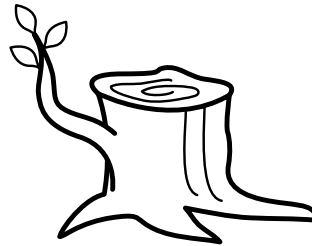


The Crown reminds me of ...

Because he ...

The Temple reminds me of ...

Because he ...

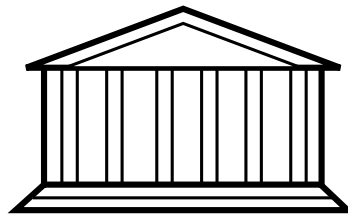
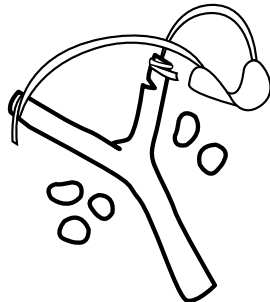


Stone Tablets remind me of ...

Because he ...

The Stump reminds me of ...

Because he ...



The Wheat reminds me of ...

Because she ...

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Elisha

The slingshot reminds me of David.

The Temple reminds me of Solomon.

The stump reminds me of Jesse.

The crown reminds me of Saul.

The stone tablets remind me of Moses.

The wheat reminds me of Ruth.

Elijah maze

