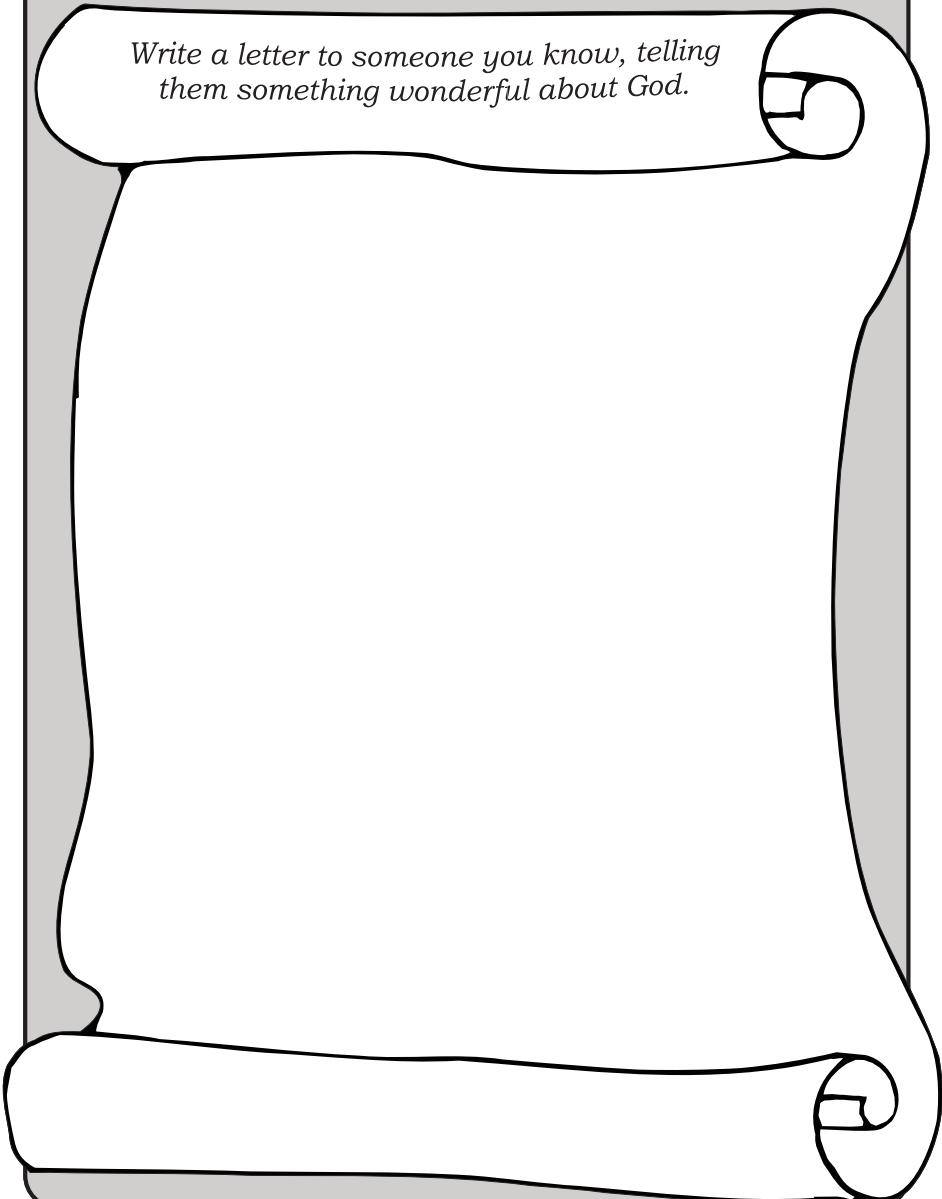


1 Corinthians

Much of the New Testament is made up of letters, most of them written by Paul. "First Corinthians" is one of his letters to the Christians in Corinth, a large and busy city on the coast of Greece.

The letter was written to teach them more about God and to give them advice about following Jesus.

Write a letter to someone you know, telling them something wonderful about God.



Epiphany Week 2, Year A
Ordinary Time, Week 2

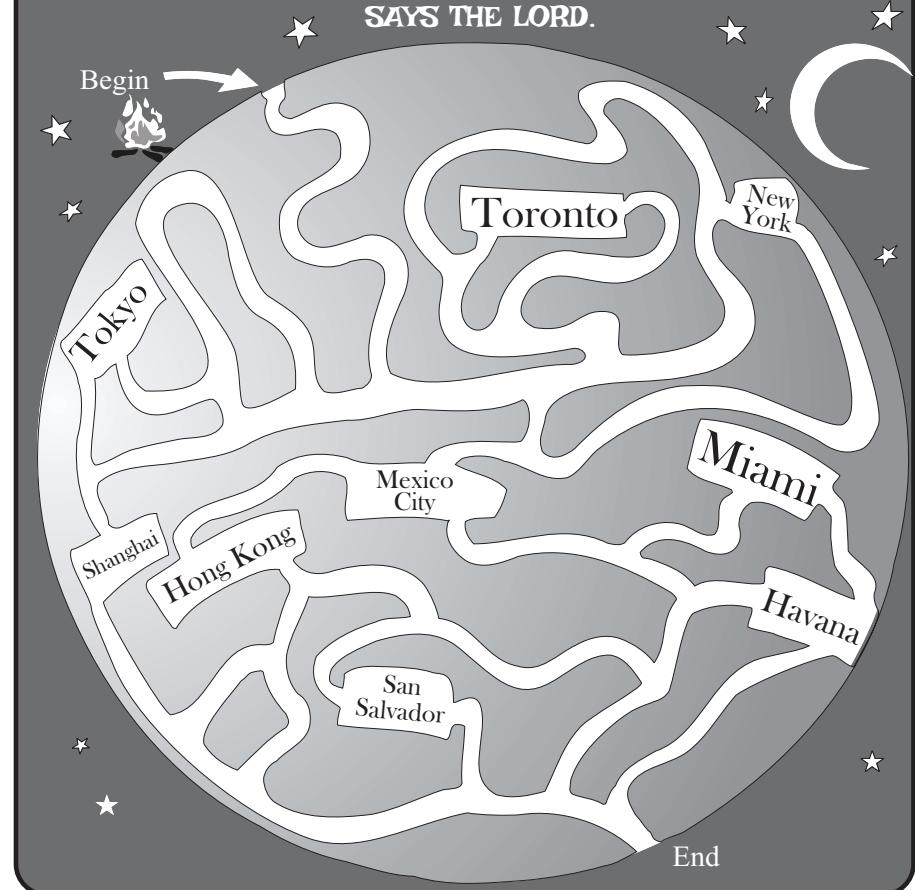
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Isaiah 49

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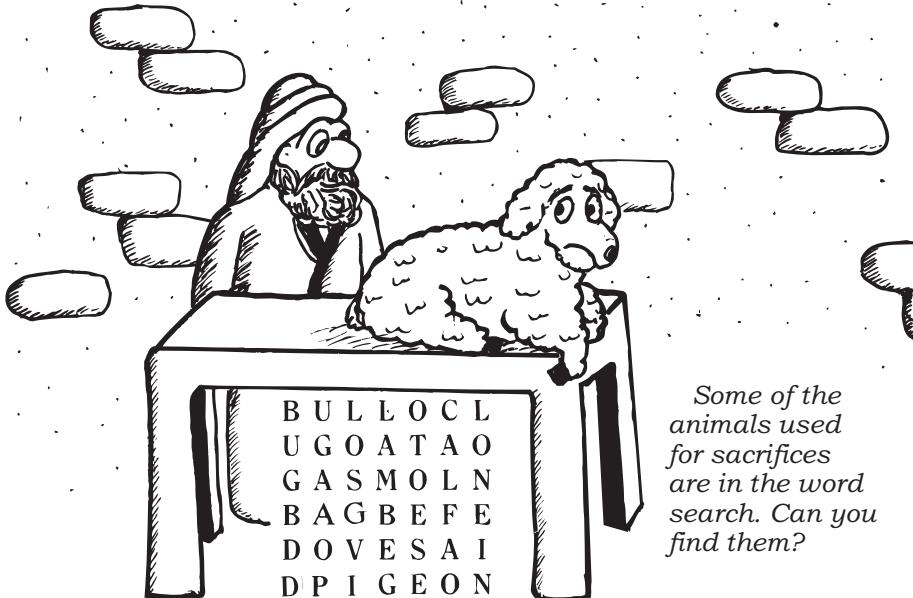
*Take God's light through each city.
You may only pass through a city one time.*

"I WILL MAKE YOU A LIGHT TO THE NATIONS, SO THAT MY SALVATION WILL FILL THE WHOLE WORLD."
SAYS THE LORD.



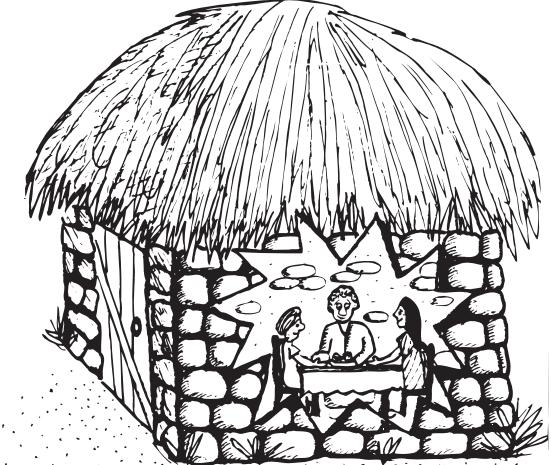
Do you remember the name of this season of the Christian year? It's called Epiphany. Epiphany means "to show." During Epiphany we celebrate the ways we have been shown God's light especially in the gift of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Long ago, God's people sacrificed (killed and offered to God) animals to make up for their sins. They would take animal to the priest who would make the sacrifice to God.



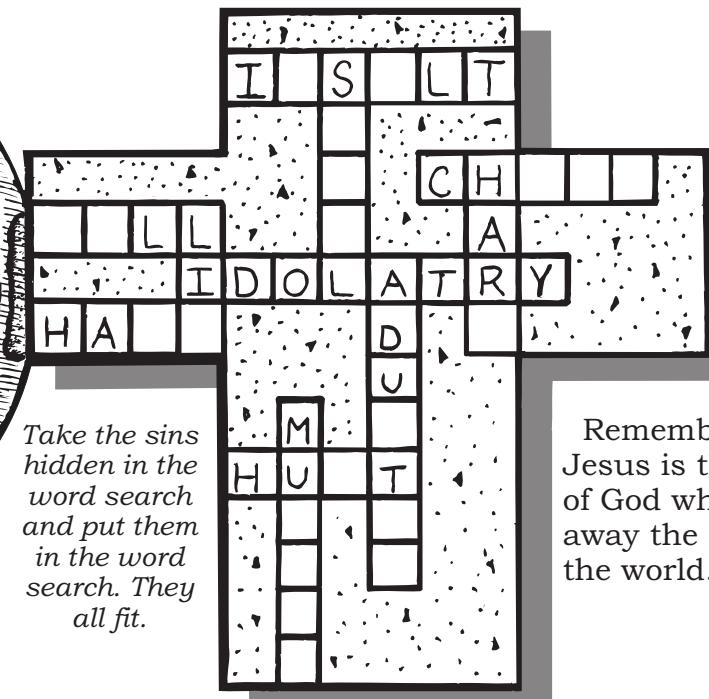
Often, the animal was a lamb. The lamb is special in the history of God's people. When God freed his people from slavery in Egypt, he had each family kill, roast and eat a lamb.

They were to put some of the blood from the lamb on their doors so that the "messenger of death" would see it and stay away from their houses when it brought death to the first-born males in Egypt.



What do you think a "messenger of death" would look like? Draw it.

When John the Baptist saw Jesus, he said . . .



Take the sins hidden in the word search and put them in the word search. They all fit.

This meant that Jesus was to be God's own sacrifice for our sins. He would take away all of our sin and no animals would have to die for our mistakes.

Remember that Jesus is the lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.