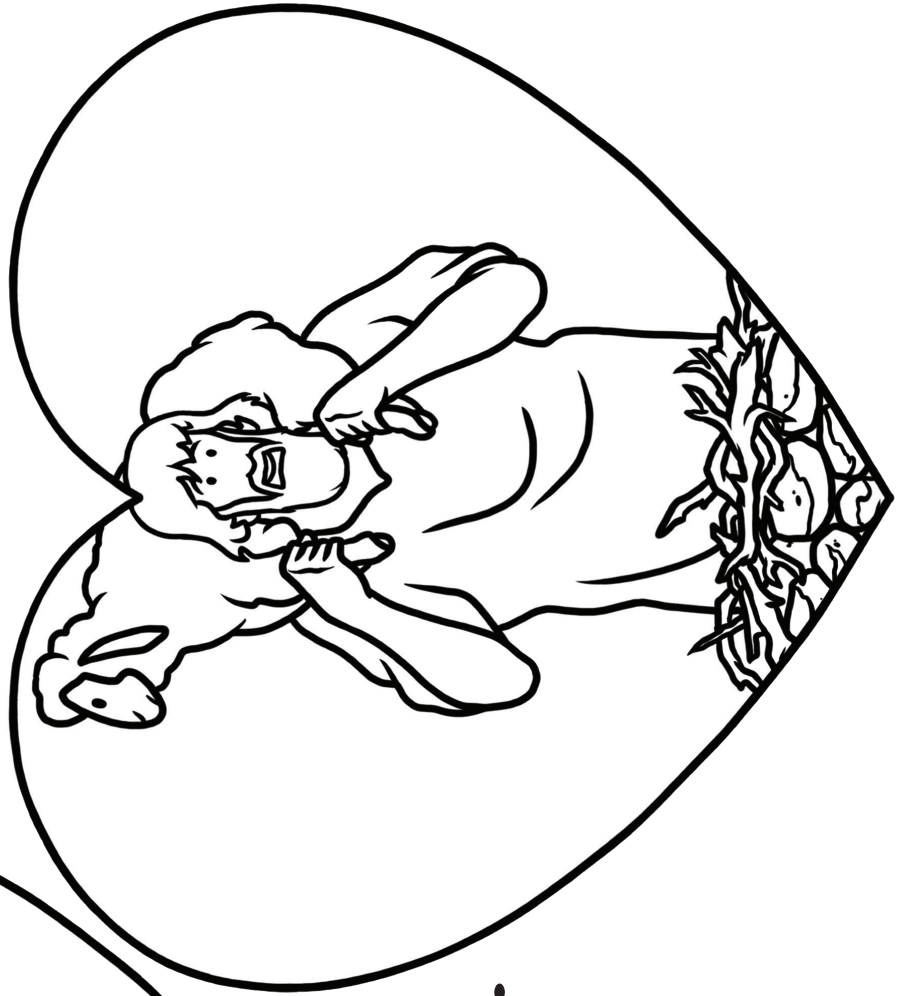
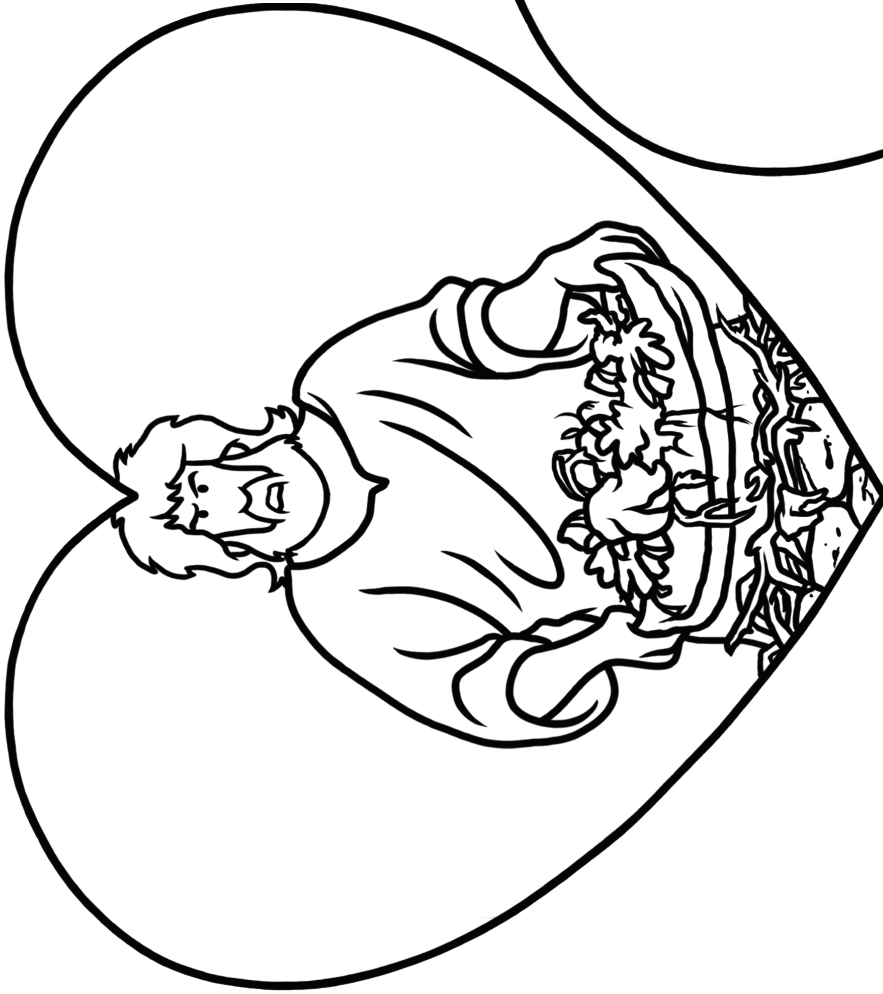


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Abel loved God.



Cain did not love God.

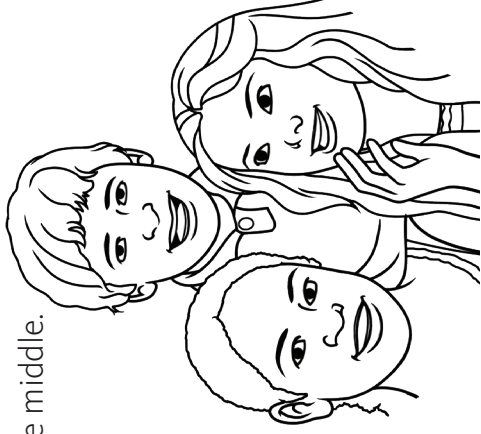


Class Notes

Name _____



Draw a line from the question to the correct answer in the middle.



The Bad News

Answers

The Good News

- _____ people since Adam and Eve have sinned.
- People became wicked. Their hearts were _____.
- If I follow my _____, it will lead me the wrong way.
- _____ is good or righteous, except Jesus.
- God's Word says that we have all _____.

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6. All who believe in Jesus will not perish but have eternal _____.

7. All who trust in Jesus for forgiveness will become _____ creations.

8. Jesus took the punishment of sin for _____.

9. Only _____ can make our hearts right.

10. God showed his _____ to sinners by sending Jesus to die.

Class Notes Answer Key



Draw a line from the question to the correct answer in the middle.



The Bad News

1. All people since Adam and Eve have sinned.
2. People became wicked. Their hearts were evil.
3. If I follow my heart, it will lead me the wrong way.
4. No one is good or righteous, except Jesus.
5. God's Word says that we have all sinned.

Answers

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Review Questions

K-1st Review Questions

1. What does the Bible say about man's heart? What is it like? *It is bad, sick, sinful, deceitful.*
2. Where do you learn how to love and obey God? *In the Bible.*
3. Who has sinned? Was it just Adam and Eve, or Cain, or all of us? *We have all sinned.*
4. What is in our hearts that makes us disobey God? *Sin.*
5. Who sins against God? *All of us.*
6. Do we learn how to sin or are we born that way? *We are born that way.*
7. How do we know we are sinners? Where did we read that? *The Bible.*
8. God is holy. What must he do to sin? *He must punish sin.*
9. Where is God? *God is everywhere.*
10. Can you see God? *No. I cannot see God, but he always sees me.*
11. What kinds of good things can we do to get rid of our sins so we can go to heaven? *There is nothing we can do.*
12. Who is the only one who can clean the sin from our hearts? *Jesus.*
13. What does the Bible say we must do so we can be forgiven and go to heaven? *Believe in Jesus.*
14. Who did God send to the world to take the punishment for sin? *Jesus.*
15. Who can fill in missing words from the memory verse? *Read the memory verse and stop at various places to allow students to say the next word.*

Pre-K Review Questions

1. What does the Bible say about man's heart? What is it like? *It is bad, sick, sinful.*
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7. God is holy. What must he do to sin? *He must punish sin.*
8. Where is God? *God is everywhere.*
9. Can you see God? *No. I cannot see God, but he always sees me.*
10. Think about the pictures we put up on the board today. Would any of those things help us get rid of our sins so we can go to heaven? *No. There is nothing we can do.*
11. Who is the only one who can clean the sin from our hearts? *Jesus.*
12. What does the Bible say we must do so we can be forgiven and go to heaven? *Believe in Jesus.*
13. Who can fill in missing words from the memory verse? *Read the memory verse and stop at various places to allow students to say the next word.*

Clean Hearts Object Lesson

Materials

- ☐ Sin cards (following pages)
- ☐ Large white poster board
- ☐ Black marker
- ☐ Red cellophane to cover poster board (available at craft stores)
- ☐ Yellow, orange, and pink markers or highlighters (test to be sure they cannot be seen through the red cellophane)
- ☐ Tape
- ☐ Large pencil eraser

Instructions

Using a black marker, draw a large heart in the center of the white poster board, taking up most of the space. Tape the red cellophane to the top of the poster board so it will cover the heart. Gently fold the cellophane piece over the top of the poster board to the back so it is not visible.

Print and cut out the sin cards and place them in a container.

Call on students to come up and draw a card from the box. Read the card. Ask if that sounds like something they may have done. Allow discussion. Have the student make an X or a scribble on the poster board heart using one of the light-colored markers. Tell the students that the marks they make are symbols for sin. Allow every student to mark the heart as you go through all the cards (reuse cards if necessary).

Continue with the following discussion:

Suggested Discussion

Look at all those awful sins in this heart! Remember, God can see all the sins in our hearts, too.

- ? Can we erase them? *Use pencil eraser to try and erase.*
- ? No, I can't erase any of them. God must punish sin because he is holy. But how can we get rid of sin? *Allow for answers.*
- ? Who is the only one who can clean our hearts? *Jesus.*

That's right. Jesus died on the cross for sinners so sins could be forgiven, and we can have clean hearts. *Flip the cellophane over the front of the poster board so all the sins are covered.*

Hey! The heart looks clean now, doesn't it?

Refer to the "covered" heart. There were a lot of sins in that heart. I couldn't erase any of them either. But when I covered the sins with the red paper, it looked like the sins were all gone!

This reminds us that we all have sinful hearts, and we can't get rid of that sin on our own. There's no way we can erase our sins. Only Jesus, God's Son, can clean the sins from each of our hearts when we turn to him and trust in him to save us from our sin.

Call people names and hurt their feelings.

Don't share your toys.

Take toys from someone who is playing with them.

Get angry when you don't get your way.

Get out of your chair when you are supposed to be sitting.

Bother other people in church.

Don't obey your mom and dad right away.

Are unkind to others.

Lie; say things that aren't true.

Take things without permission.

Aren't thankful.

Grumble and complain about things.

Jesus Cleans My Heart

Materials

- ☐ One set of white and text hearts for each student (following pages)
- ☐ Dark-colored crayons
- ☐ Tape or stapler

Instructions

Print and cut one set of hearts for each student (one white and one with text). Have students color their white hearts using dark colors. Explain to the students that this represents sin in their hearts.

Help students attach the other heart with the words, "Only Jesus can make our hearts clean!" over the first heart. Tape or staple it along the top so it can be lifted up and down showing the heart below then covering it.

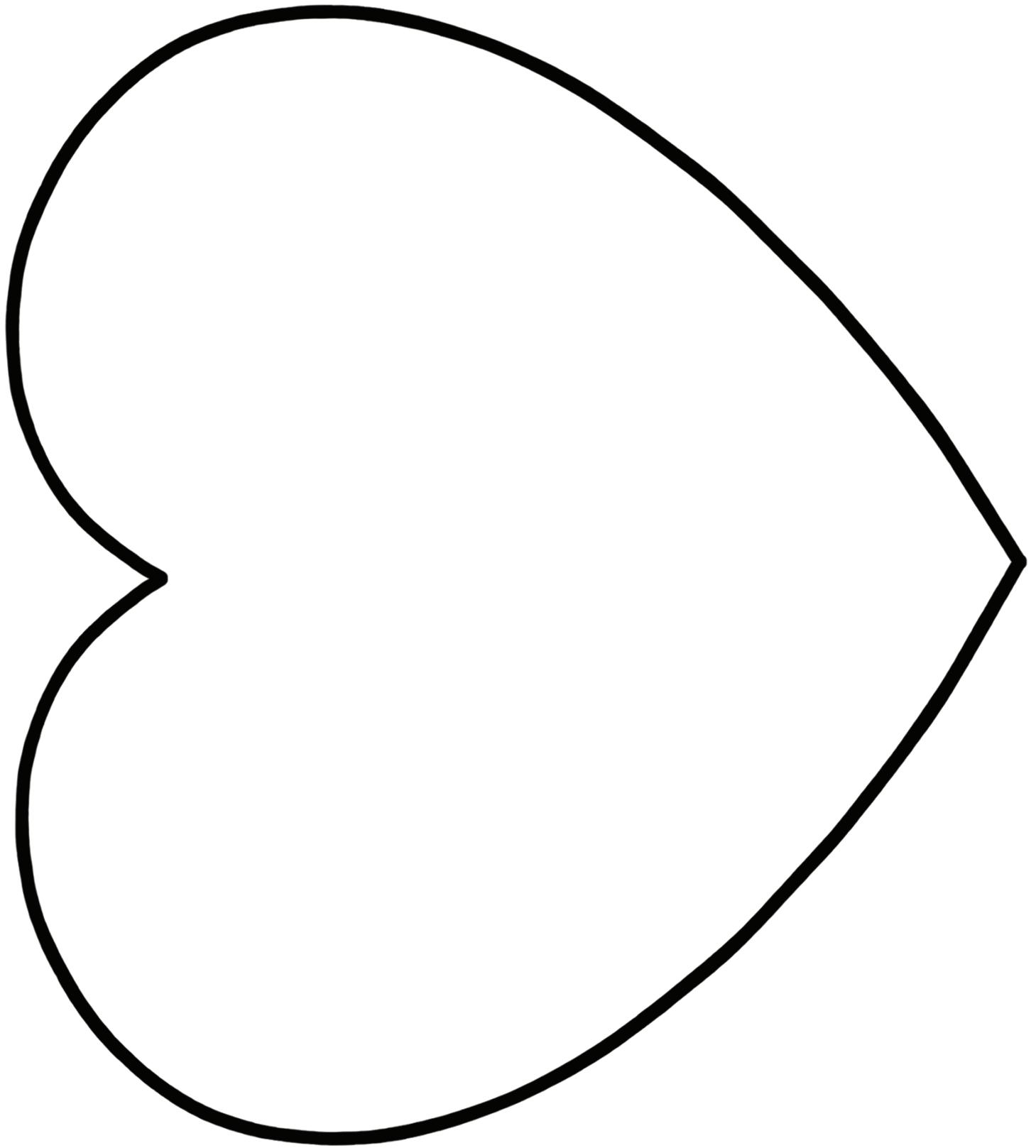
Suggested Discussion

The heart that we colored reminds us that we all sin because we have sinful hearts. And the Bible tells us that there is only one person who can take away our sins and make our hearts clean—that is Jesus. Like this other heart says, "Only Jesus can make our hearts clean."

Because we are all sinners, we want to disobey. This is sin. God must punish our sin. But those who turn away from their sins and believe in Jesus will be forgiven. Only Jesus can make our hearts clean!



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Print one for each student.