

♥ Bible Reader ♥

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Don't Forget!

by Chris Wallace

Michael and Austin were best friends. They lived on the same street, and they played together after



One day Austin noticed that Michael looked sad. Michael said, "My dad got a new job in another town, and we have to move soon." Now Austin was sad too.

Later that day Michael still felt sad. He remembered his Sunday



lesson from last week. He remembered that



told His friends that He was going away.

Michael wondered if



was sad to leave His friends. He remembered

that



thought of a way that His friends could remember Him.

Michael wanted to make sure that he and Austin didn't forget each other. He talked to his mom, and she helped him think of a way that he and Austin could remember each other.

On moving day Michael went to Austin's



to say good-bye.

Michael took a gift for Austin. Austin opened the



It was full of their favorite things. Snack foods, a

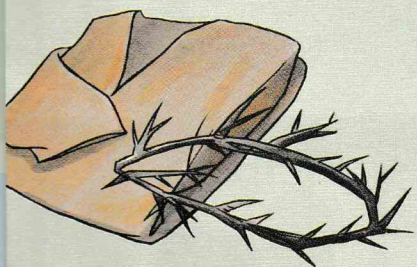


and movies that they both liked filled the



Michael told Austin that these things would remind Austin of their friendship.

Michael and Austin hugged good-bye. They knew they would not forget each other.



Find and Tell



Look down and across. Find and circle all the words listed. Use the words to tell someone what happened during the week before Jesus died on a cross.

Word List

bread

Hosanna

pray

cup

Jesus

remember

died

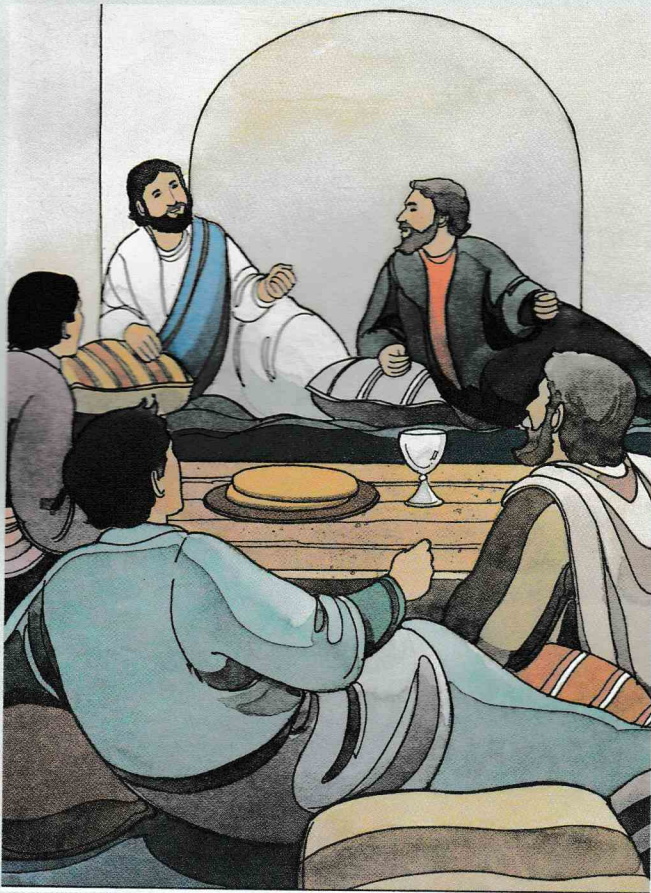
palms

temple

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The Last Week

Bible story from Luke 19, 21, 22; Matthew 21, 27



Art by Len Ebert

"Hosanna!" The people shouted praises to Jesus. They wanted Jesus to be their king. Jesus went to the temple. He taught the people about God.

Later that week, Jesus ate the Passover meal with His disciples. Jesus took bread and a cup of juice. He gave some to His disciples and said, "Remember me."

That night Jesus was praying when soldiers came and arrested Him. Jesus died on a cross, and His body was buried in a tomb. All of this happened because God had a plan to save people from their sins.



**Say this
Bible
Memory**

**"He is not here;
he has risen,
just as he said.
Come and see the
place where he lay."**

Matthew 28:6

Daily Family Devotional Readings

- Sunday Luke 22:7-9
- Monday Luke 22:10-12
- Tuesday Luke 22:13-16
- Wednesday Luke 22:17, 18
- Thursday Luke 22:19, 20
- Friday 1 Corinthians 11:23, 24
- Saturday 1 Corinthians 11:25, 26

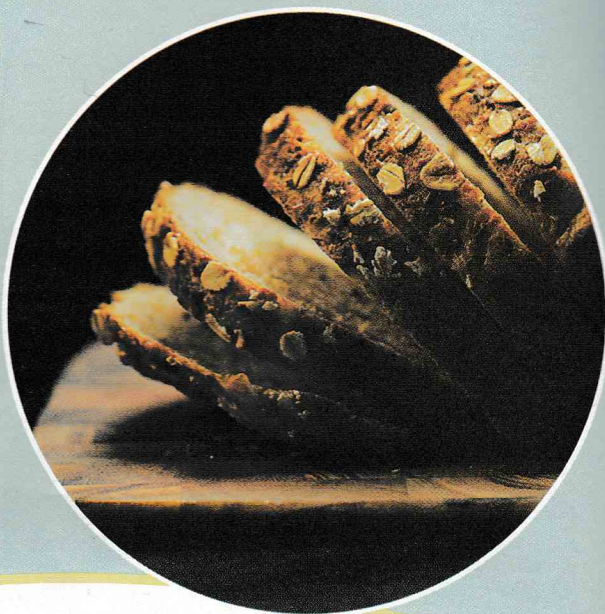
These verses review the Bible story, The Last Week.



FAMILY FUN ACTIVITIES

TOGETHER TIME!

Gather around the kitchen or dining room table and talk about how Jesus' disciples might have felt when they met with Jesus for the last supper. Serve a simple meal—fresh fruit, lunchmeat, bread, and grape juice to drink. Have someone read 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 from the Bible. Name ways your family can remember Jesus.



FAMILY CREATIONS



As a family, name times when you need to remember Jesus. Talk about things you have in your home that help you remember Jesus—pictures, plaques, Bible story or devotional books, Christian CDs or DVDs, and so on. Provide plain paper and markers. Challenge each family member to draw a picture or create a poster that will help the person remember Jesus.

