



PSALM OF TRUST

BIBLE PASSAGE PSALM 23; 1 SAMUEL 16

Summary: The psalms of trust highlight God's protection and care, and they encourage us to trust in Him. Psalm 23 was written by David. It compares God to a shepherd who guides, comforts and provides for His people. David describes how God protects us even in fearful times. We can have peace because we can trust Him. Jesus, the Good Shepherd, laid down His life for us, offering forgiveness and eternal life through His death and resurrection.

Today's Brite Idea is: God is our Good Shepherd.



MONTHLY *Memory Verse*

The Lord is good to all.
(PSALM 145:9)



BIG QUESTION

How do I know God is good?
Through His love for us.

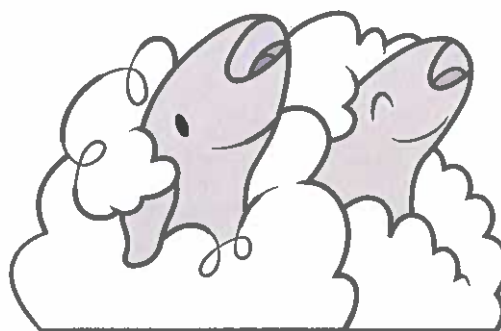
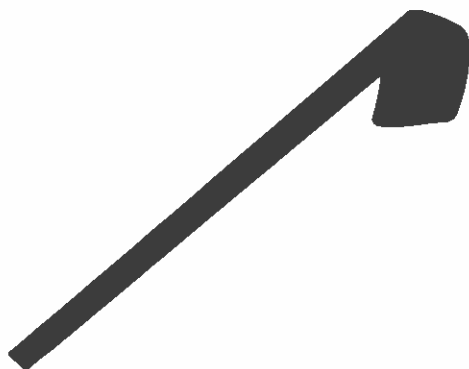


GOD TAKES CARE OF ME

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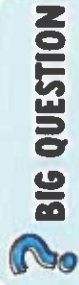
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Psalms 23, 1 Samuel 16



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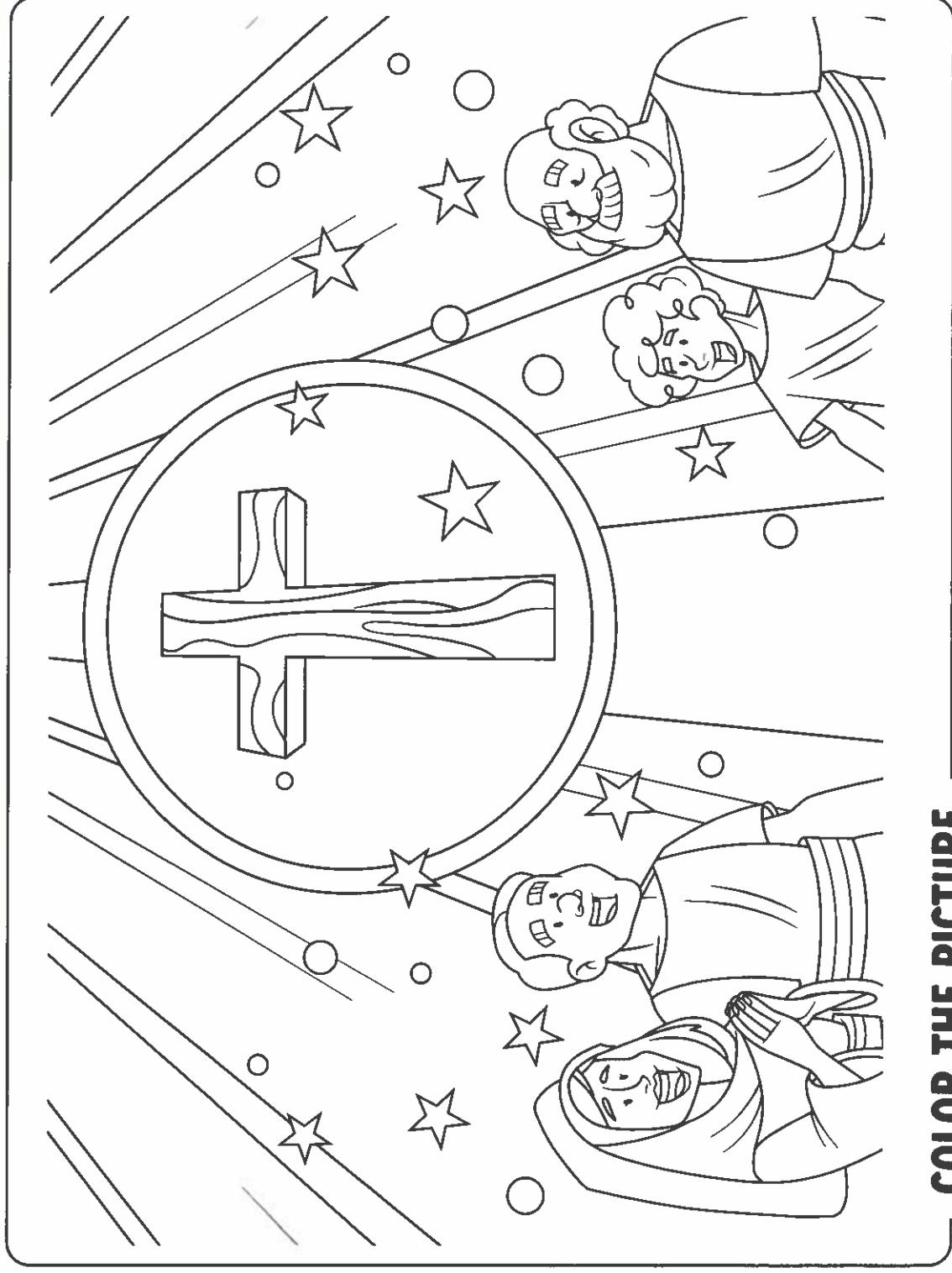


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SCAN ME!

FOR AT-HOME DISCUSSION



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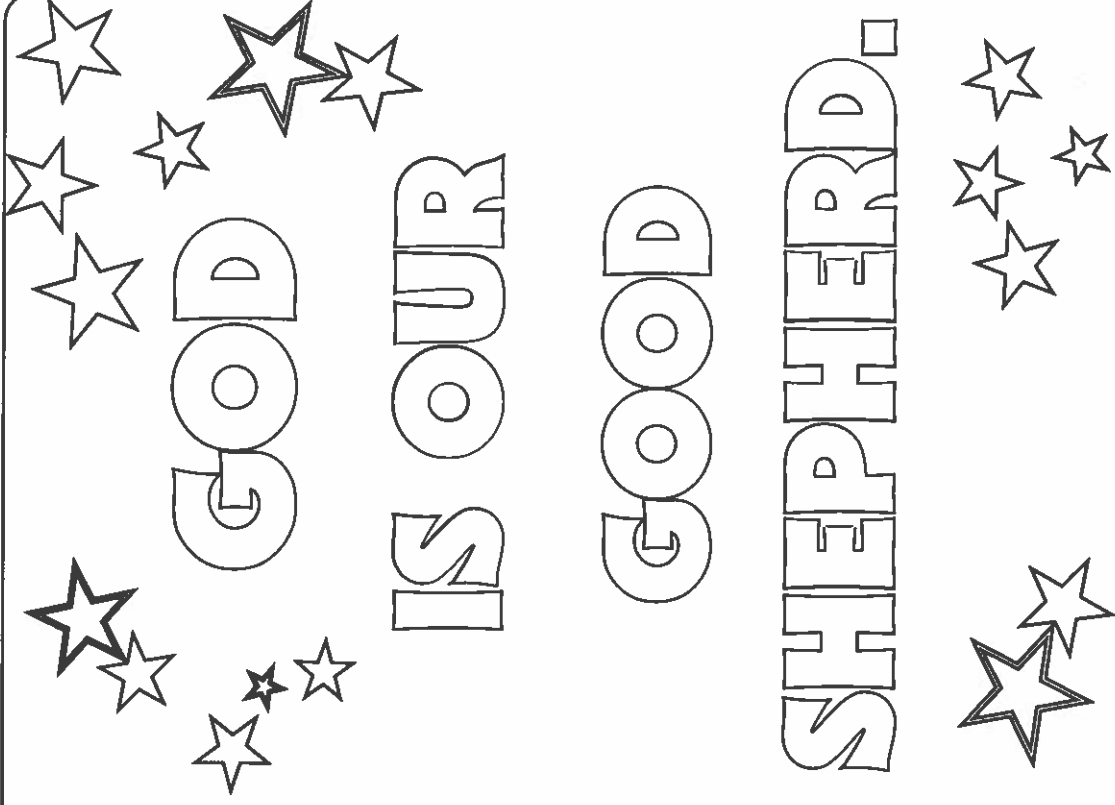
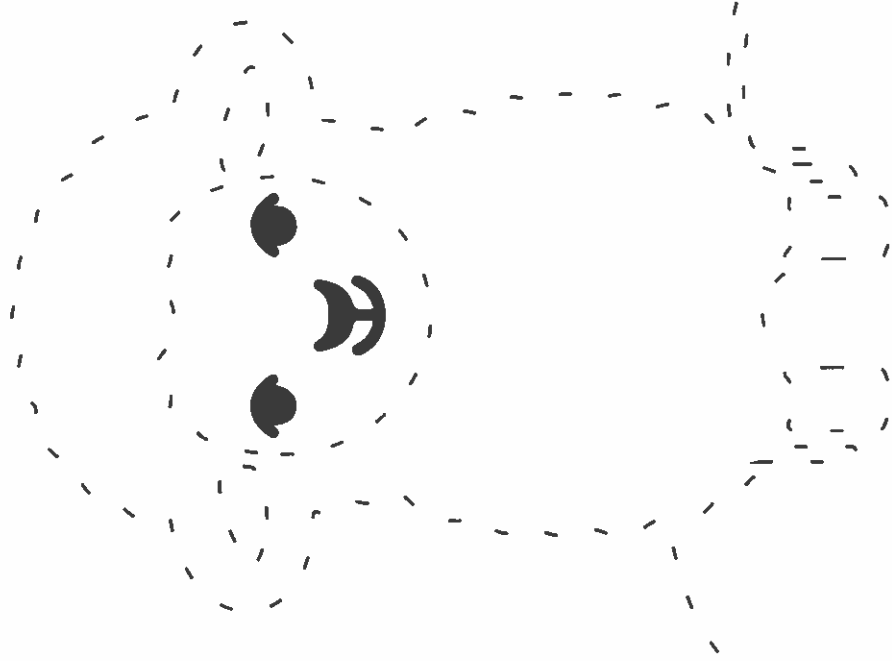
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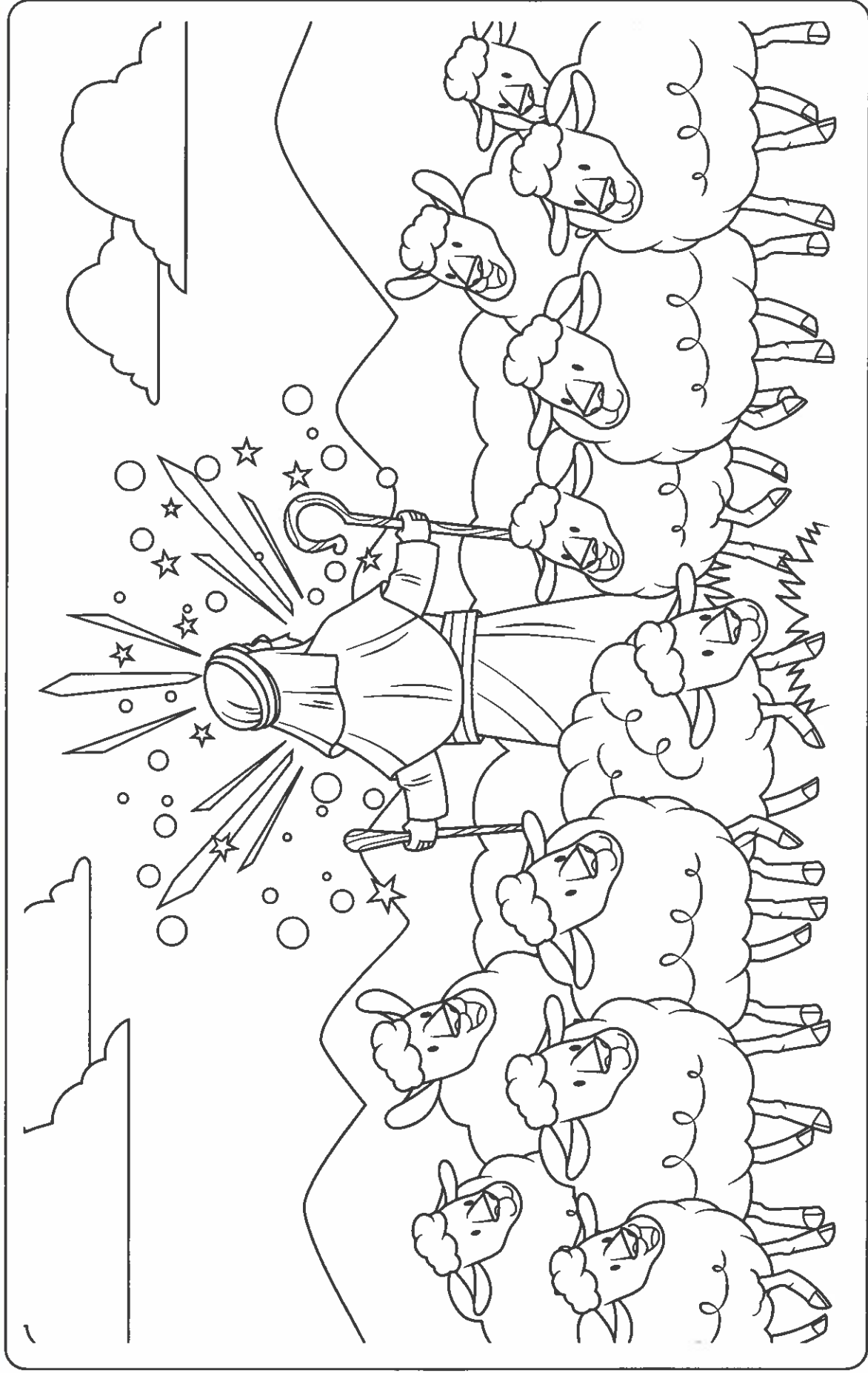
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TRACE AROUND THE LINES



PSALMS OF TRUST

Psalms 23, 1 Samuel 16



HEY FAMILIES!

THIS MONTH'S THEME



Here's what we're learning:



MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

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(Psalm 145:9)

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How do I know God is good?
Through His love for us.

PSALMS OF WISDOM

Psalm 19, Genesis 1

Week 1

Brite Idea: God is good.

PSALMS OF LAMENT

Psalm 22, Esther 2–8

Week 2

Brite Idea: God is good even when we are hurting.

PSALMS OF TRUST

Psalm 23, 1 Samuel 16

Week 3

Brite Idea: God is our Good Shepherd.

PSALMS OF THANKSGIVING

Psalm 136, John 6:1–15

Week 4

Brite Idea: God does good things for His people.



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FAMILY CALENDAR



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY & SATURDAY
REMEMBER & RESPOND	WONDER & DISCUSS	EXPLORE	REVIEW	PUT INTO PRACTICE	PREPARE AHEAD
WEEK 1 ----- God is good. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Psalm 19:1-4 How does God make Himself known to us?	Play creation pictiory. Talk about what each creation reveals about God.	PSALM 145:9 Who is God good to?	As a family, talk about a regular time you can set aside to read the Bible. Commit to making it a habit. Discuss: What can we learn from reading the Bible?	Share about a bad day you had. What made it bad? READ TOGETHER: Psalm 22 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 2 ----- God is good even when we are hurting. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Nahum 1:7 How can God help us when trouble comes?	Talk about something difficult you have faced as a family. Discuss how God was good through the tough situation.	PSALM 145:9 What does it mean that God has mercy over all?	Discuss: In Psalm 22, what does David remember about God? What can you remember about God when you are facing hard times?	What do you know about sheep? READ TOGETHER: Psalm 23 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 3 ----- God is our Good Shepherd. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: John 10:27-28 What did our Good Shepherd do for us?	Look at Psalm 23 and list all the ways a good shepherd takes care of sheep. Talk about how God, as our Good Shepherd, is like this.	PSALM 145:9 How does God have mercy over us?	Read Psalm 23 aloud. Whenever the words "I," "me" or "my" are used, replace them with each family member's name. Discuss how it helps you knowing God is your Shepherd.	Have each family member act out one thing they are thankful for. READ TOGETHER: Psalm 136 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 4 ----- God does good things for His people. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Revelations 1:8 How long will God's goodness last?	Write your own version of Psalm 136. Keep the refrain and add the good things that God has done for your family.	PSALM 145:9 How does this verse give you comfort and hope?	Create a thankful book and record things that you are thankful for as a family. Discuss: Why is being thankful to God so important?	Discuss your favorite animals. READ TOGETHER: Genesis 1 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?