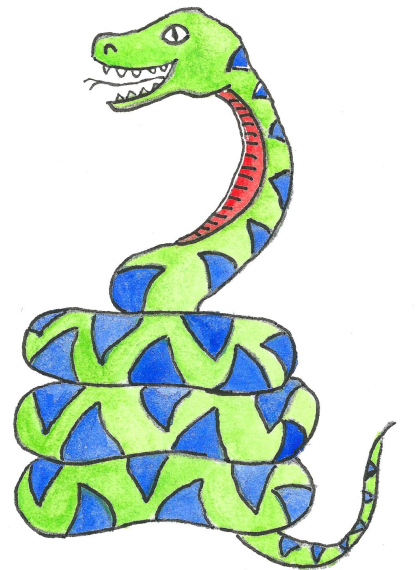
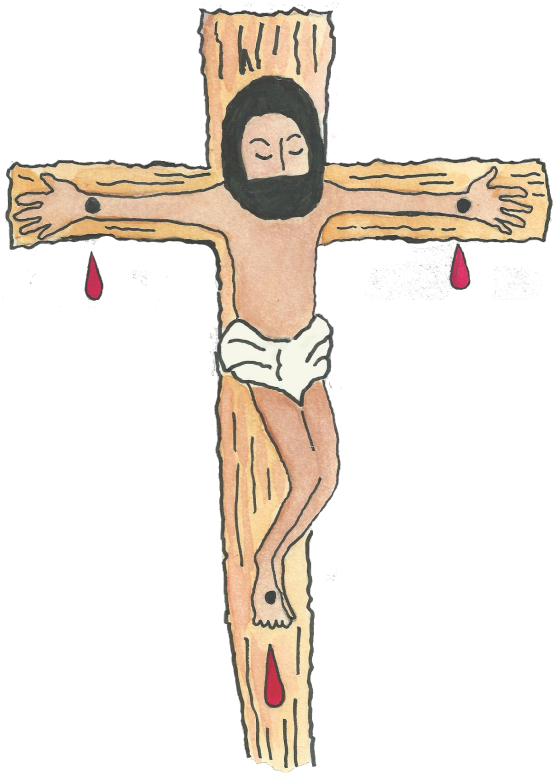
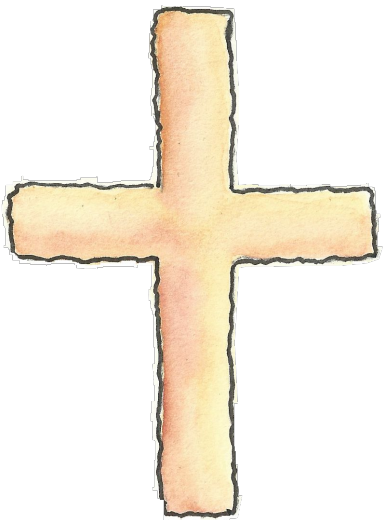


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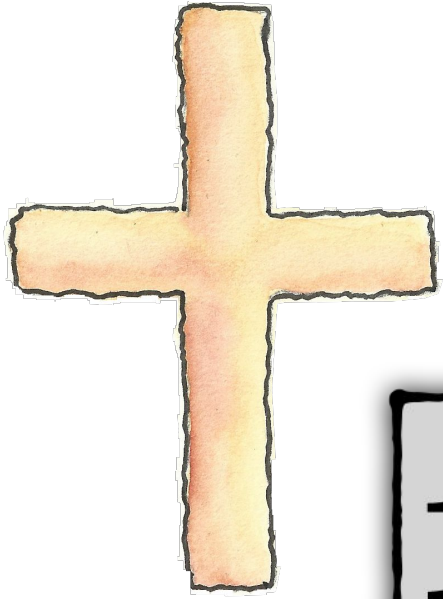
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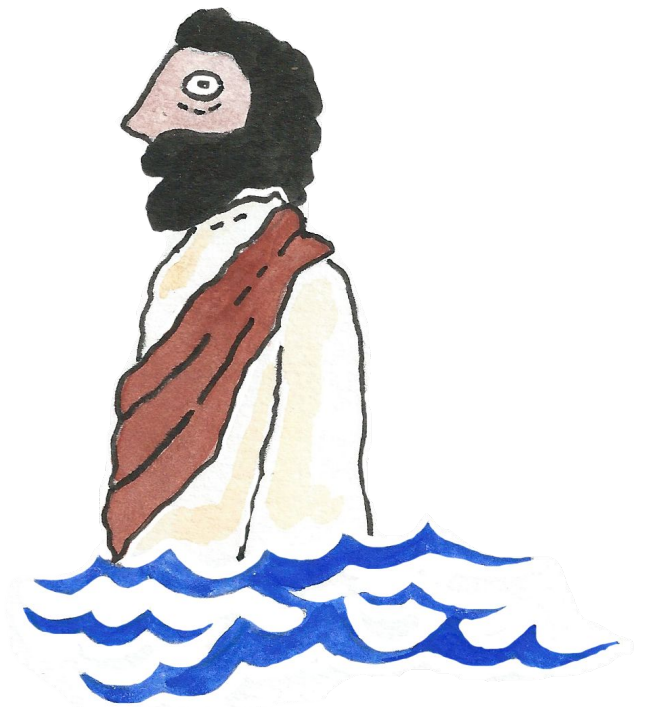
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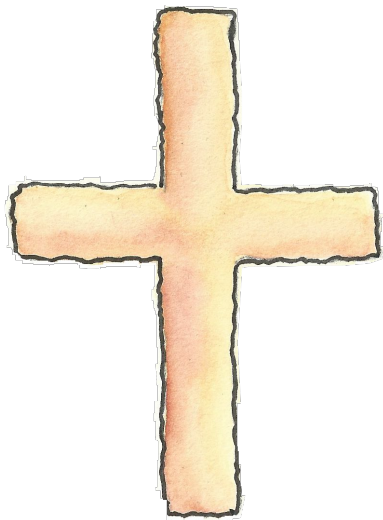
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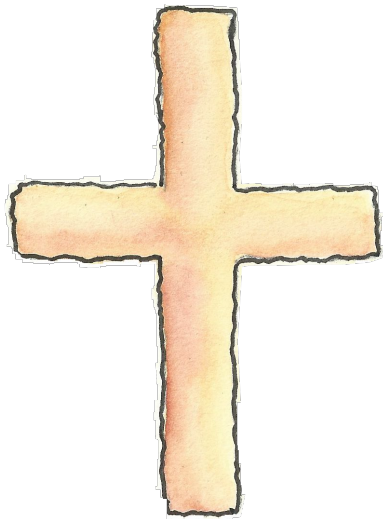
Can you quote John
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*For God so loved the world, that He gave His only
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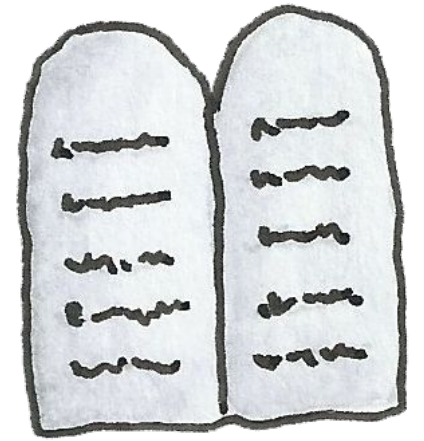
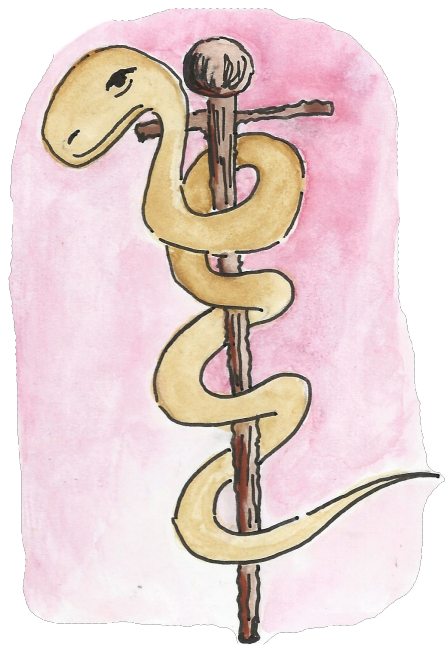
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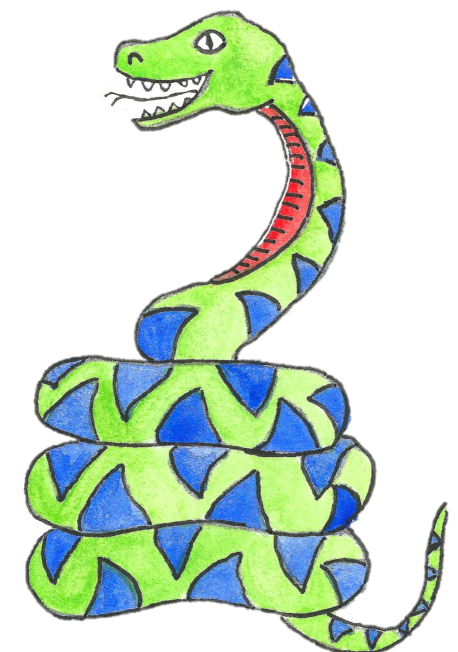


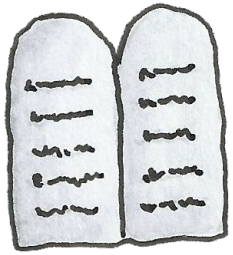
As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up; so that whoever believes will in Him have eternal life.

(John 3:14-15 NASB)

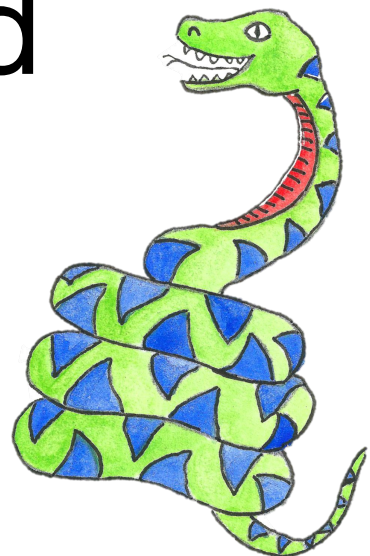


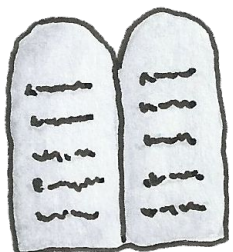
2. Read/analyze snake on a pole story





Then they set out from Mount Hor by the way of the Red Sea, to go around the land of Edom; and the people became impatient because of the journey. The people spoke against God and Moses, “Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For there is no food and no water, and we loathe this miserable food.”





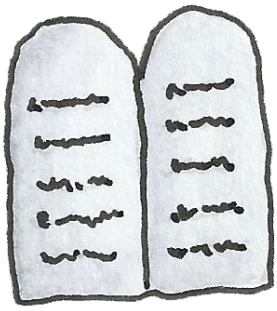
The Lord sent fiery serpents among the people and they bit the people, so that many people of Israel died.

So the people came to Moses and said, “We have sinned, because we have spoken against the Lord and you; intercede with the Lord, that He may remove the serpents from us.”

And Moses interceded for the people.

(Numbers 21:4-7 NASB)

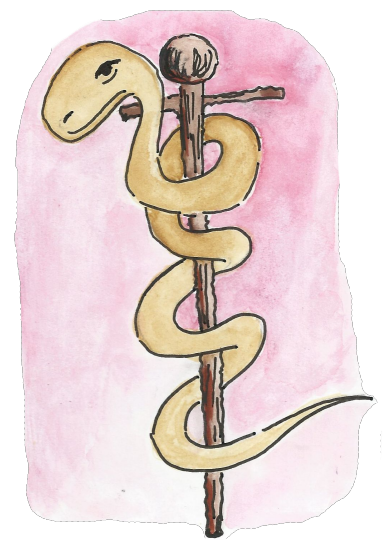




Then the Lord said to Moses, “Make a fiery serpent, and set it on a standard; and it shall come about, that everyone who is bitten, when he looks at it, he will live.”

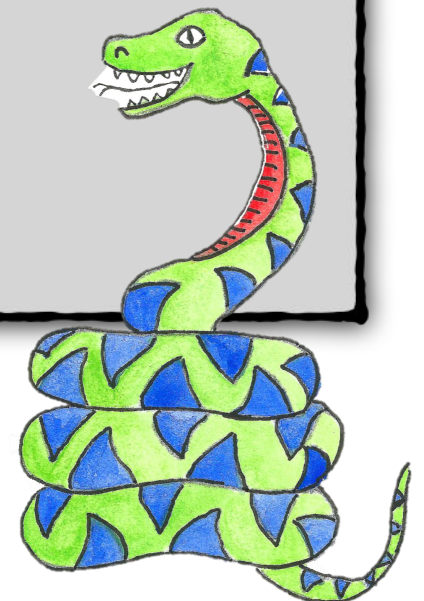
And Moses made a bronze serpent and set it on the standard; and it came about, that if a serpent bit any man, when he looked to the bronze serpent, he lived.

(Numbers 21:8-9 NASB)



How many Israelites were in the camp?

2 to 3 million people were bitten, swelling, and painfully dying from sin's consequences.



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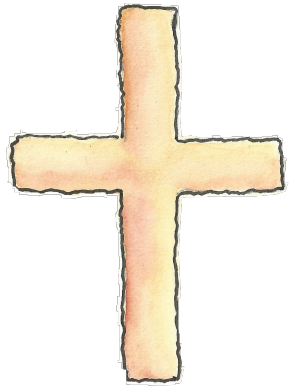
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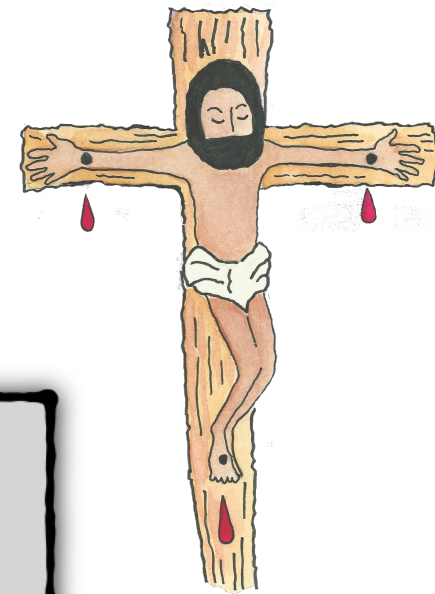




...through whom we have received grace and apostleship to bring about *the* obedience of faith among all the Gentiles in behalf of His name.

Romans 1:5 NASB

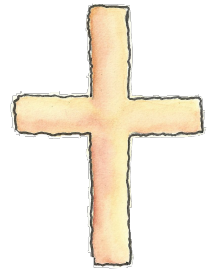




3. Read/analyze
John 3:1-4:3



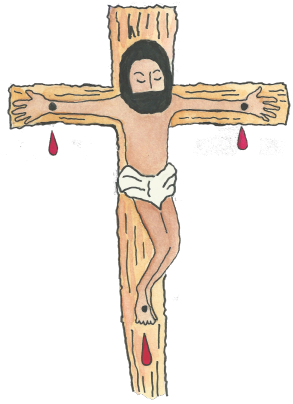
What's the context?



Now there was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews; this man came to Jesus at night and said to Him, “Rabbi, we know that You have come from God as a teacher; for no one can do these signs that You do unless God is with him.” Jesus responded and said to him, “Truly, truly, I say to you, unless someone is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God.

(John 3:1-3 NASB)

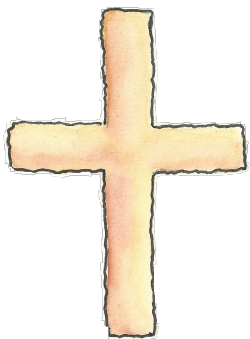




Nicodemus said to Him, “How can a person be born when he is old? He cannot enter his mother’s womb a second time and be born, can he?” Jesus answered, “Truly, truly, I say to you, unless someone is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which has been born of the flesh is flesh, and that which has been born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be amazed that I said to you, ‘You must be born again.’”

(John 3:4-7 NASB)



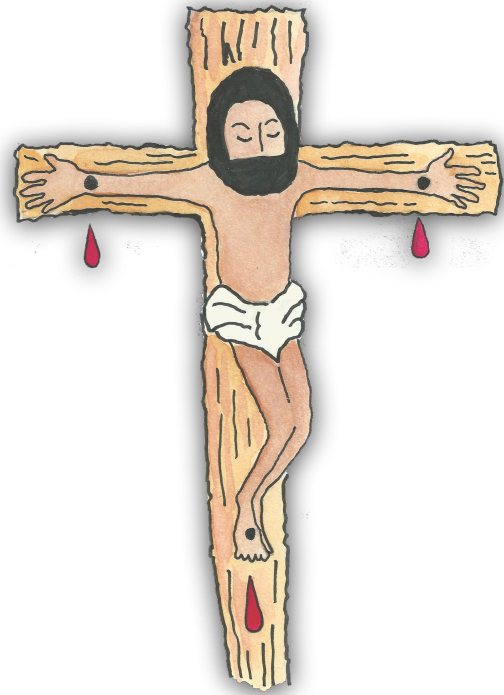


So then, when the Lord knew that the Pharisees had heard that He was making and baptizing more disciples than John (although Jesus Himself was not baptizing; rather, His disciples *were*), He left Judea and went away again to Galilee.

John 4:1-3



SAVING FAITH REQUIRES:



Belief - Jesus is Lord
Trust - Change life
Desire - Confess
+ Action - Baptism

Salvation

