

# Hidden Strength

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Circle the ten hidden items in the picture. Use the key for reference.



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the **GOSPEL** PROJECT

## God Used Samson

### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- God's people were being ruled by the Philistines.
- God planned for Samson to save His people from the Philistines.
- God made Samson very strong.
- Delilah helped the Philistines cut Samson's hair so he would be weak.
- God gave Samson his strength back, and Samson made the Philistine's temple fall down.

### CHRIST CONNECTION:

Samson died because of his sin, but God used Samson's death to help His people. Samson reminds us of Jesus. Jesus never sinned, but He died for our sin. Jesus died and rose again to rescue God's people from sin and give them life with God forever.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Romans 6:23

### BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

What is the punishment for sin? The punishment for sin is death.



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Judges 13–16

## Family Discussion Starters:

- What is one thing you remember from this week's Bible story?
- What was special about Samson?
- Why do you think God made Samson very strong?
- God sent Samson to help His people. Who did God send to rescue people from sin?

## Family Activities:

- Give children age-appropriate tasks that require physical strength, such as carrying bags of groceries, pulling weeds, or helping move laundry. Comment on your children's strength. Remind your children that God made Samson very strong so he could rescue God's people.
- Give your children an opportunity to style your hair one evening. As they work, tell the story of Samson found in Judges 16. Ask your children questions about the story. Talk about how God used Samson to help the Israelites. Ask your children how they can help others.