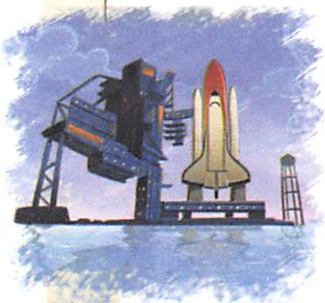


Journal Page

- What does this story teach me about God or the gospel?
- What does this story teach me about myself?
- Are there any commands in this story to obey? How are they for God's glory and my good?
- Are there any promises in this story to remember? How do they help me trust and love God?
- How does this story help me to live on mission better?



FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS

- What things might make it hard for believers to stand strong in the faith?
- Who guides us and helps us remember God's truth?
- What could you do as a family to remember God's truth together?



Remember God's Truth

Jude 3-4 17-25

MAIN POINT: JUDE ENCOURAGED CHRISTIANS TO STAND STRONG IN THE FAITH.

Jude wanted other believers to share this good news about Jesus and to stand up for what is true about Him. Jude wrote a letter to his friends.

“Dear friends, I urge you to stand up boldly for what is true—for the faith that God has given to His people.”

Jude explained that some people among them made ungodly choices. Jude reminded them that people would make fun of believers and the truth. These people would live however they wanted, sinning against God. These people do not have the Holy Spirit. They are unbelievers who bring division to the church.

But believers build themselves up in the faith to stand for what is right. They let the Holy Spirit guide them as they pray. “Remember God's truth,” Jude wrote. “He loves you. Jesus will come and give you eternal life.”

Jude told the believers to show mercy to those who doubt, to lead others to Jesus, and to hate sin.

Christ Connection: Jude warned the early Christians that some people would try to divide them by sinning and by teaching things that weren't true. Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life—the One who protects His people from sin. Because of Jesus, we will be able to stand before God with joy.

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A Message from Jude

Use the letters to complete part of Jude's message to believers. Letters may be used more than once.

_____ AN _____ R _____ NG
 1 3 2 1 3 4
 _____ N _____ H _____
 5 3 7
 _____ A _____ H
 6 5 3

True or False?

Circle the letter to indicate whether each statement is true or false and discover the secret word. Look up the Scripture reference to check your work and correct what is false.

<u>TRUE</u>	<u>FALSE</u>	
R	A	Shem Ham and Japheth were Noah's sons. (Genesis 5:32)
O	E	Joseph was sold as a slave and taken to Ethiopia. (Genesis 37:28)
T	M	Moses hit a tree to bring water for the Israelites in the desert. (Exodus 17:6)
E	S	God allowed the sun to stand still during one of Joshua's battles. (Joshua 10:12-13)
H	M	Gideon asked God to send snow to prove God's promise. (Judges 6:36-37)
B	E	When it came time to crown Saul as king Saul was hiding. (1 Samuel 10:21-22)
E	A	Josiah was eight years old when he became king. (2 Kings 22:1)
N	R	Nehemiah completed the wall of Jerusalem in 52 weeks. (Nehemiah 6:15)

