



FAMILY PLEDGE

- Our family pledges to seek our original homeland and establish the original ideal of creation, the Kingdom of God on Earth and in Heaven, by centering on True Love.
- Our family pledges to represent and become central to Heaven and Earth by attending God and True Parents; we will perfect the dutiful way of filial piety in our family, patriotism in our nation, saints in the world, and divine sons and daughters in Heaven and Earth, by centering on True Love.
- Our family pledges to perfect the Four Great Realms of Heart, the Three Great Kingships, the Realm of the Royal Family, by centering on True Love.
- 4. Our family pledges to build the universal family encompassing Heaven and Earth, which is God's ideal of creation, and perfect the world of freedom, peace, unity and happiness, by centering on True Love.
- Our family pledges to strive every day to advance the unification of spirit world and physical world as subject and object partners, by centering on True Love.
- Our family pledges to embody God and True Parents; we will perfect a family which moves heavenly fortune and conveys Heaven's blessing to our community, by centering on True Love.
- 7. Our family pledges to perfect a world based on the culture of heart, which is rooted in the original lineage, through living for the sake of others, by centering on True Love.
- 8. Our family pledges, as we enter the Completed Testament Age, to achieve the ideal oneness of God and humankind in love through absolute faith, absolute love and absolute obedience, thereby perfecting the realm of liberation of the Kingdom of God on Earth and in Heaven, by centering on true love.

Preface

God is the God of true happiness. God is happy when He sees us loving each other, loving the creation and living happily. True Parents' words that teach us about our Heavenly Father are therefore truly "words to live by".

Words to Live By is arranged in eight sections, in accordance with the eight major holy days that our church celebrates every year.

- True God's Day: We study about becoming true sons and daughters who can fulfill the hope of God.
- 2. True Parents' Birthday: We study about the birth and childhood of our True Parents.
- 3. True Parents' Day: We study how True Parents worked to build a true family, fulfilling the role of Adam and of Jesus.
- True Creation Day: We study how we should love all things, which were made for us by God with His whole heart.
- Chil il Jeol (Declaration Day of God's Eternal Blessing): We study about receiving the blessing and entering the Kingdom of God.
- Chil Pal Jecl (Declaration Day of the Realm of the Cosmic Sabbath for the Parents of Heaven and Earth): We learn the stories of Cain and Abel, Noah, Abraham, and Jacob and Esau.
- 7. Foundation Day for the Nation of the Unified World: We learn how to become true children who love and are proud of God and True Parents.
- True Children's Day: We learn how to become true children who love and are proud of God and True Parents.

I hope that parents and Sunday School teachers who use this book Words to Live By will read and explain the lessons to the children, and encourage them to express their feelings and opinions. Through this early training in faith, they will develop their original minds and learn to keep their minds and bodies pure.

Dear Children! The most precious thing in the world is our True Parents.

We are growing in the love of our True Parents. In the future I am sure you will want to receive still more love from True Parents, won't you? So please study True Parents' words sincerely, with your parents and Sunday school teachers. God and True Parents' love will be with you all the time through your study of Words to Live By.

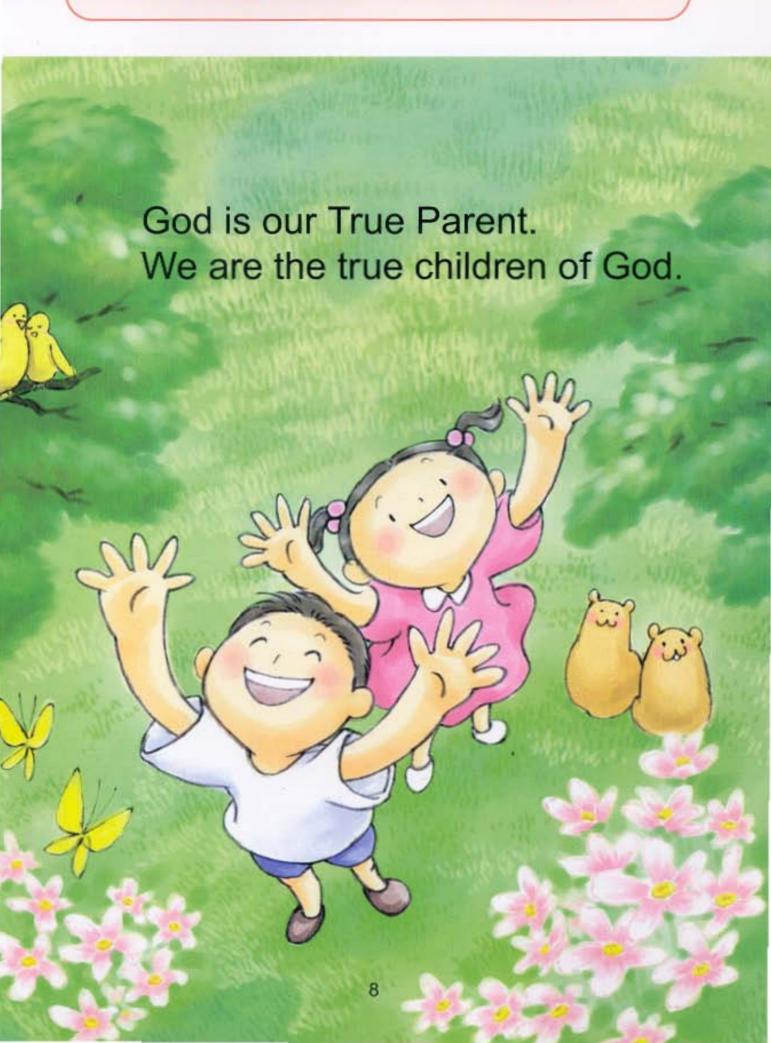
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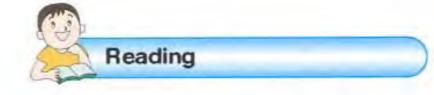
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1. God is our True Parent





In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. (Genesis 1:1)



Say what you think

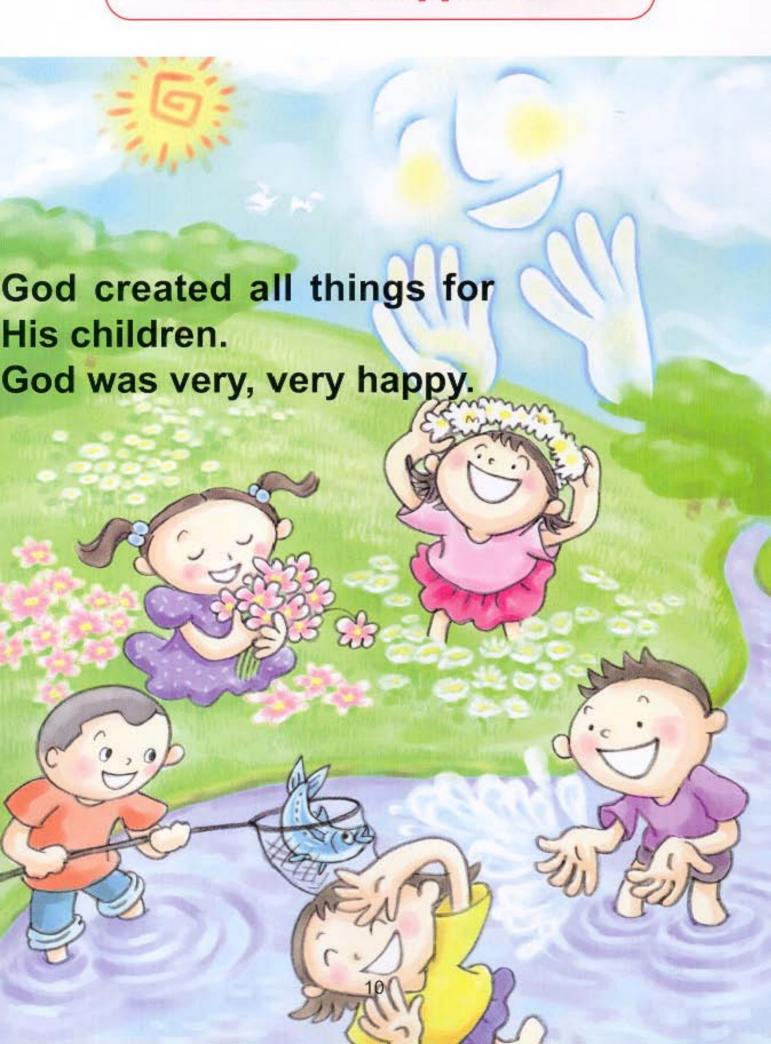
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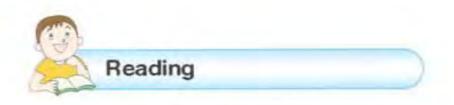


- 1 God loved Adam and Eve.
- 2 My parents gave birth to me and they care for me.
 - 3 God takes care of us with true love.
 - 4 Let's give thanks to God and True Parents.

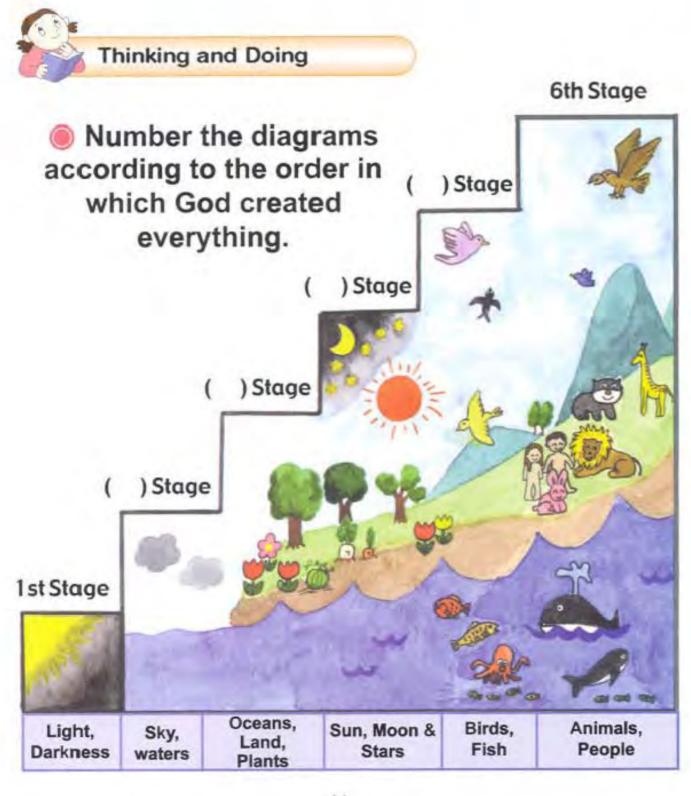
True God's Day

2. God of happiness



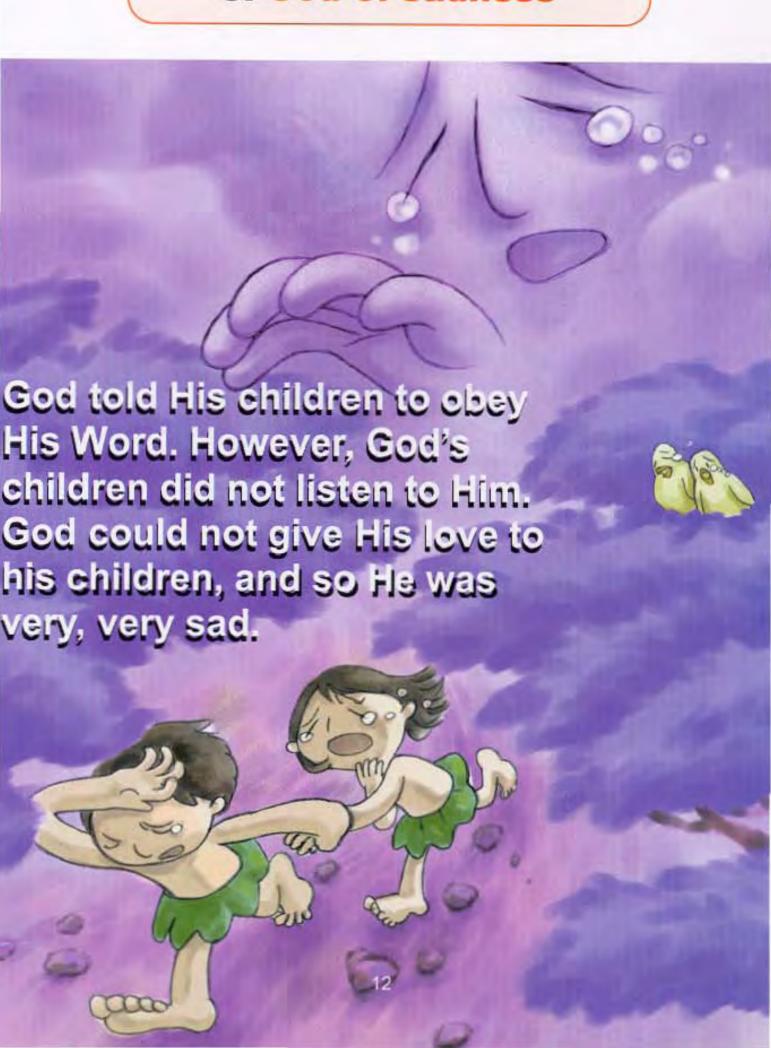


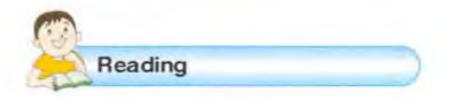
God saw all that He had made, and it was very good. (Genesis 1:31)



True God's Day

3. God of sadness





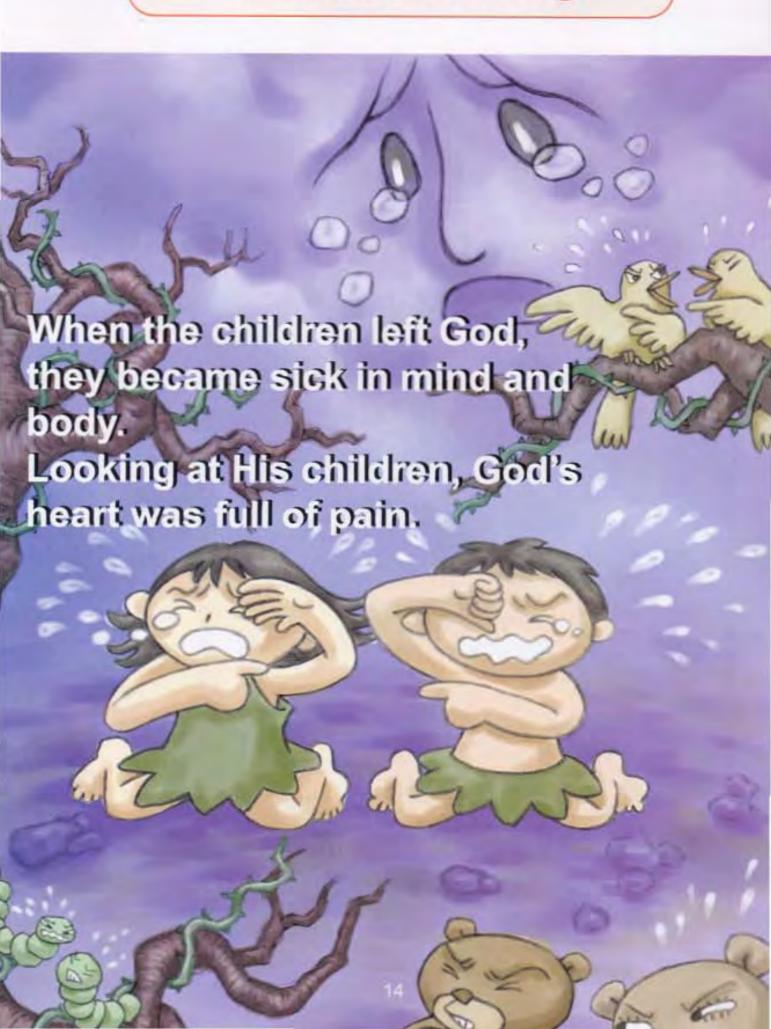
God said: "...but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat..." (Genesis 2: 17)

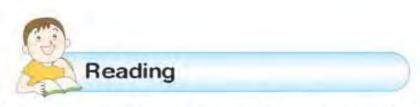


Talk about your daily life with God and True Parents.



4. God of suffering





Adam and Eve heard the sound of God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees. (Genesis 3:8)



Say what you think

Talk about the sad story of the garden of Eden.



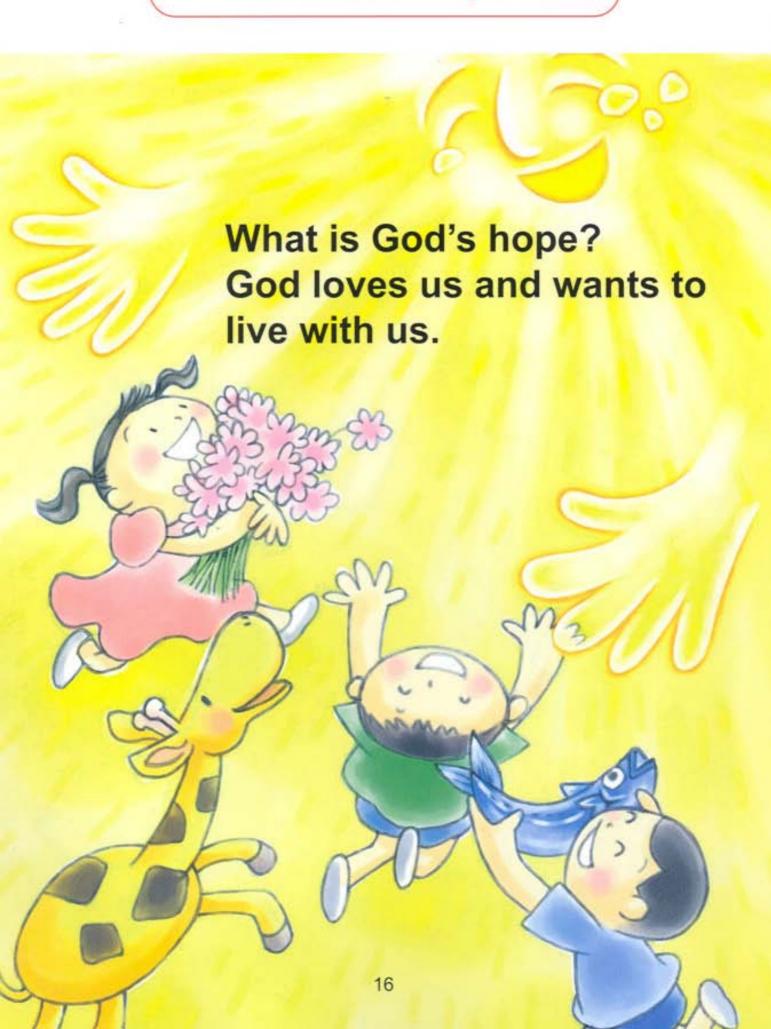


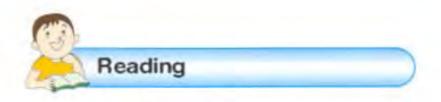




- 1 God made Adam and Eve as babies.
 - 2 God told them to keep His Word.
- 3 Adam and Eve committed sin by not keeping God's Word.
 - 4 They had to leave the garden of Eden.

5. God's hope





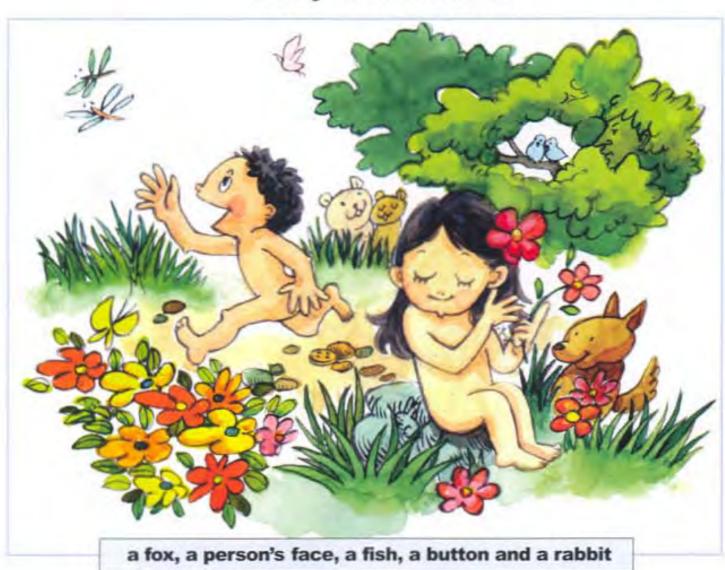
So God created man in His own image; ...male and female He created them.

(Genesis 1:27)



Thinking and doing

There are five things hidden in this picture.
Can you find them?



6. Father's hometown: Jeongju

True Father was born in Jeongju,
PyonganBuk-do Province.
True Mother was born in Anju,
PyonganNam-do Province.
God chose Jeongju to be the garden
of Eden. Therefore True Father's
hometown is everybody's hometown.





Copy the following words

True Parents' Birthday



Thinking and doing

Practice saying the address of True Parents' hometown.



7. True Father's family motto

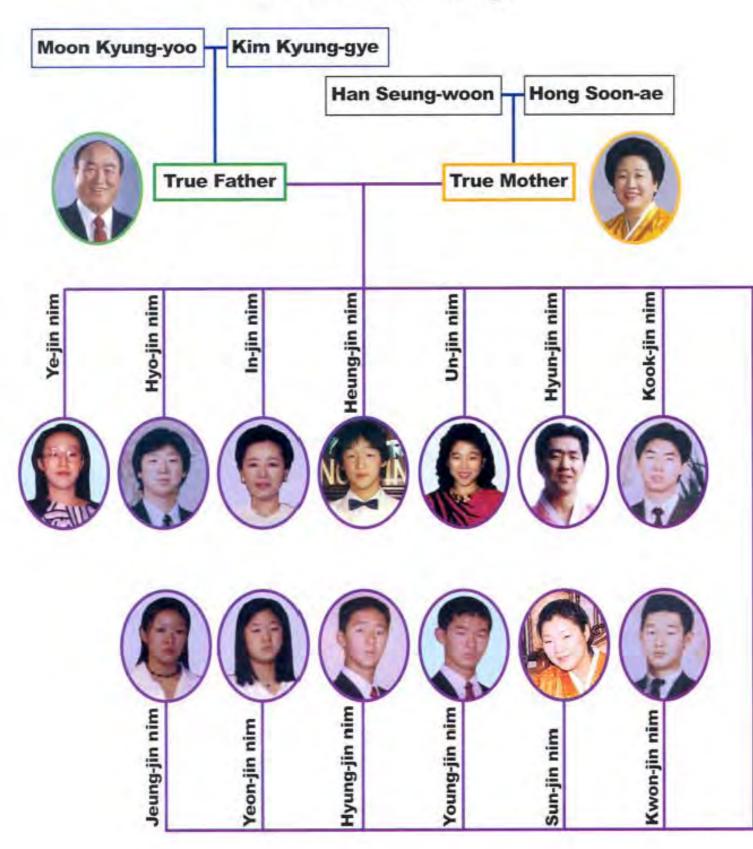
True Father's family had a motto: "Never send a hungry person away with an empty stomach."

True Father's mother fed poor and hungry people every day.





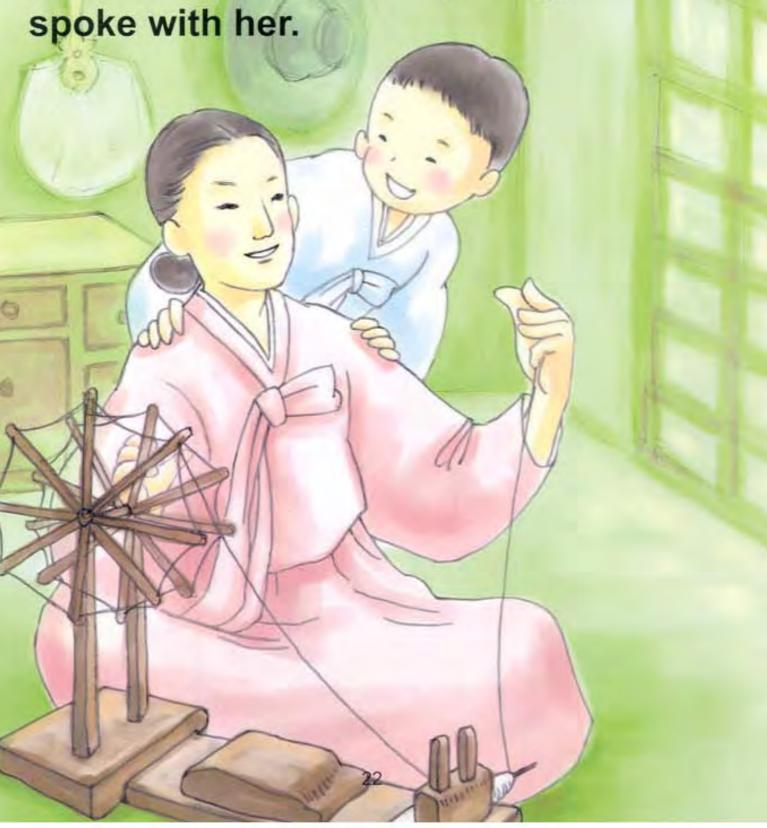
Let's learn about the members of the True Family.



8. True Father's mother

True Father's mother devoted herself to her son.

When True Father was young, he often





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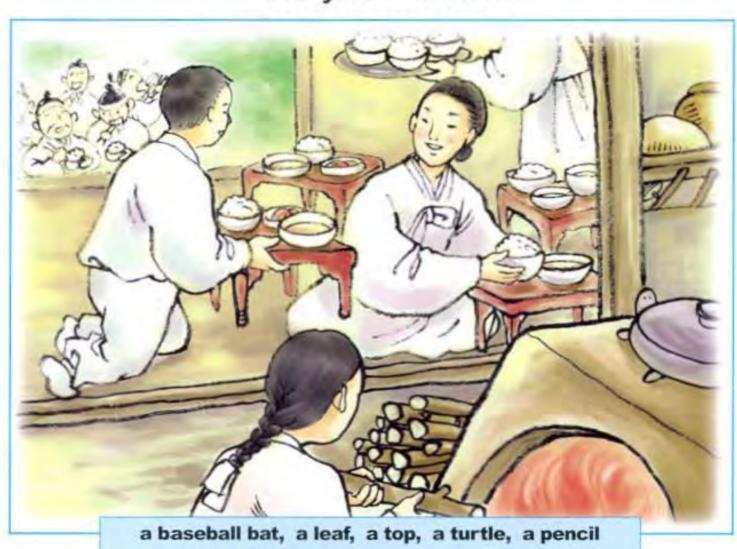
True Father

True Mother



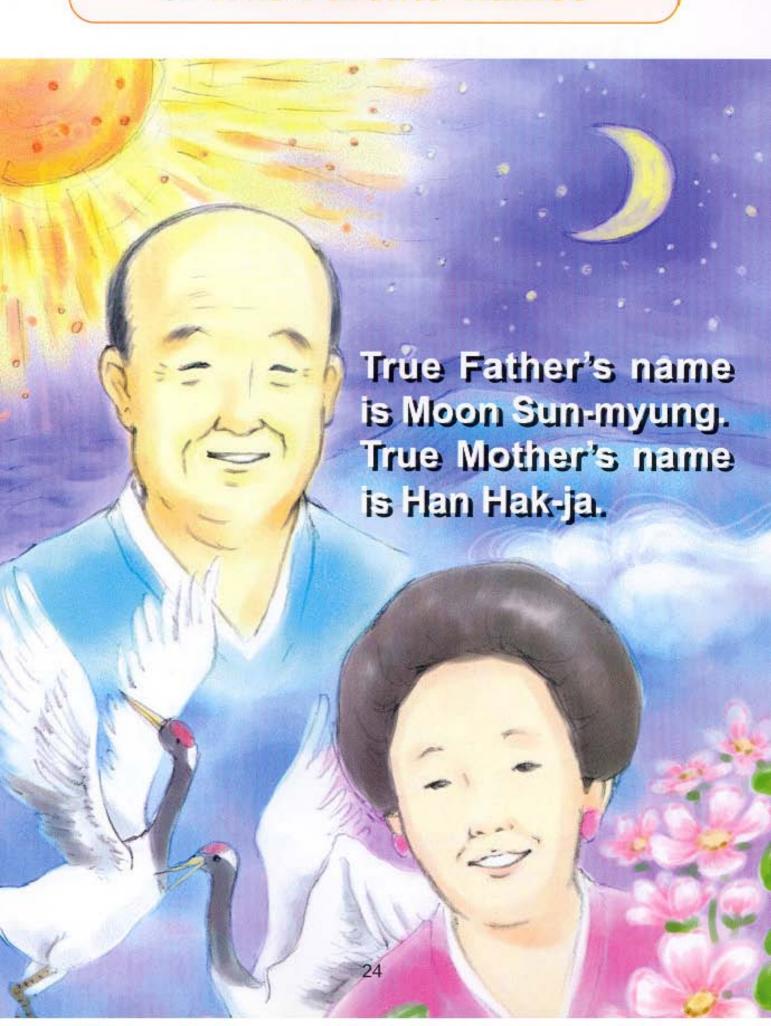
Thinking and doing

There are five things hidden in this picture. Can you find them?



True Parents' Birthday

9. True Parents' names





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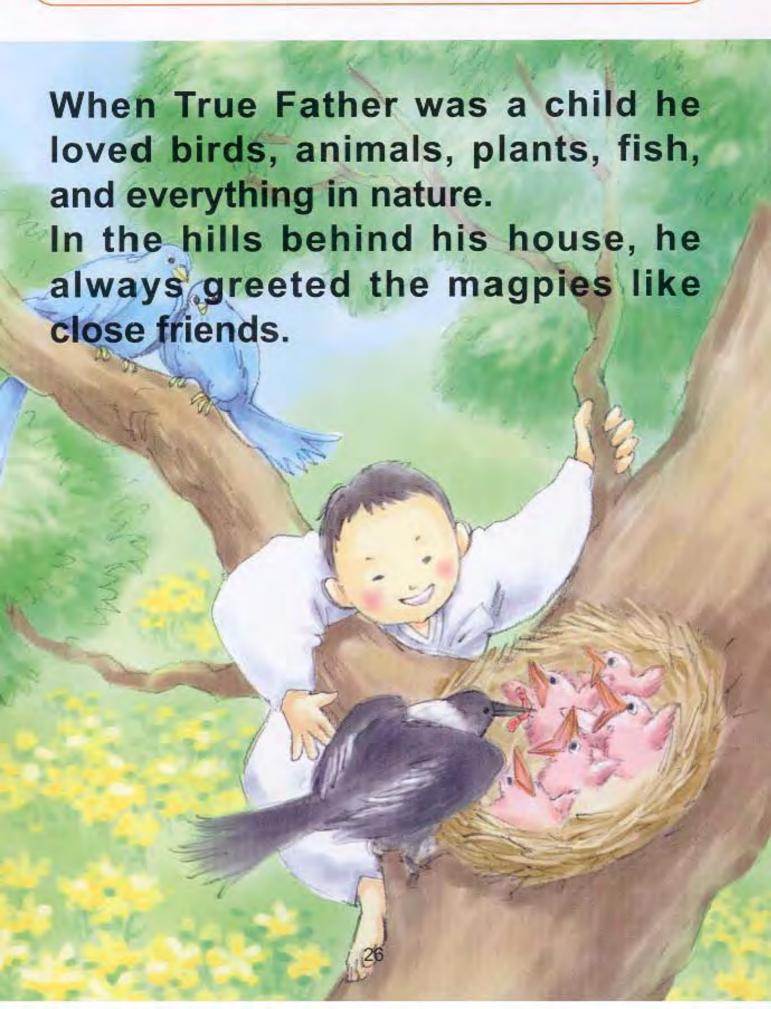








10. True Father loved nature





Thinking and doing

Connect each word with the right picture.



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trees



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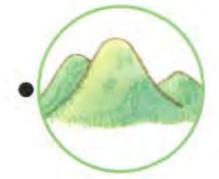
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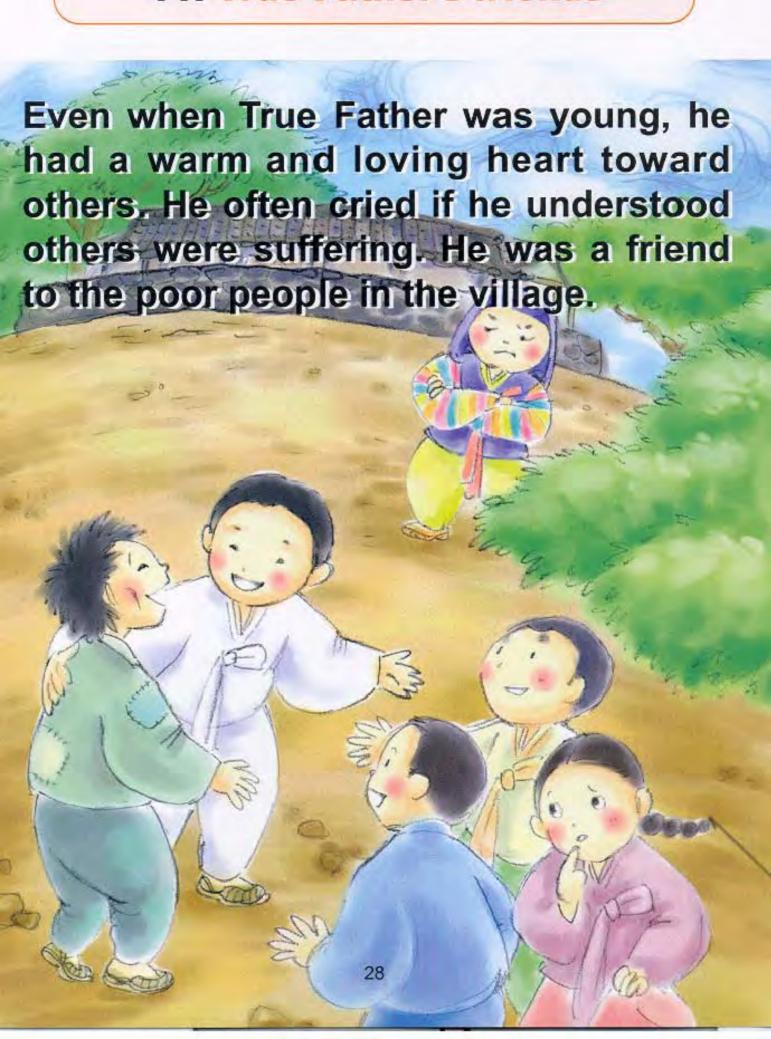


ocean





11. True Father's friends

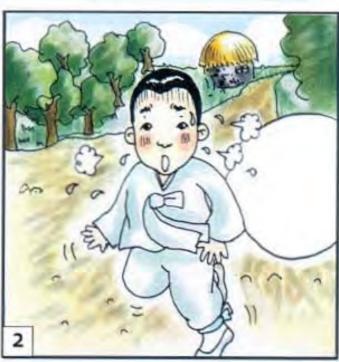


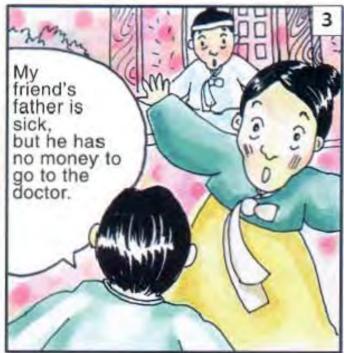


Make a story about True Father by filling in the words in this cartoon.

A friend's father was very ill, but could not go to the doctor because he had no money to pay. So I ran to my parents and begged them to help.

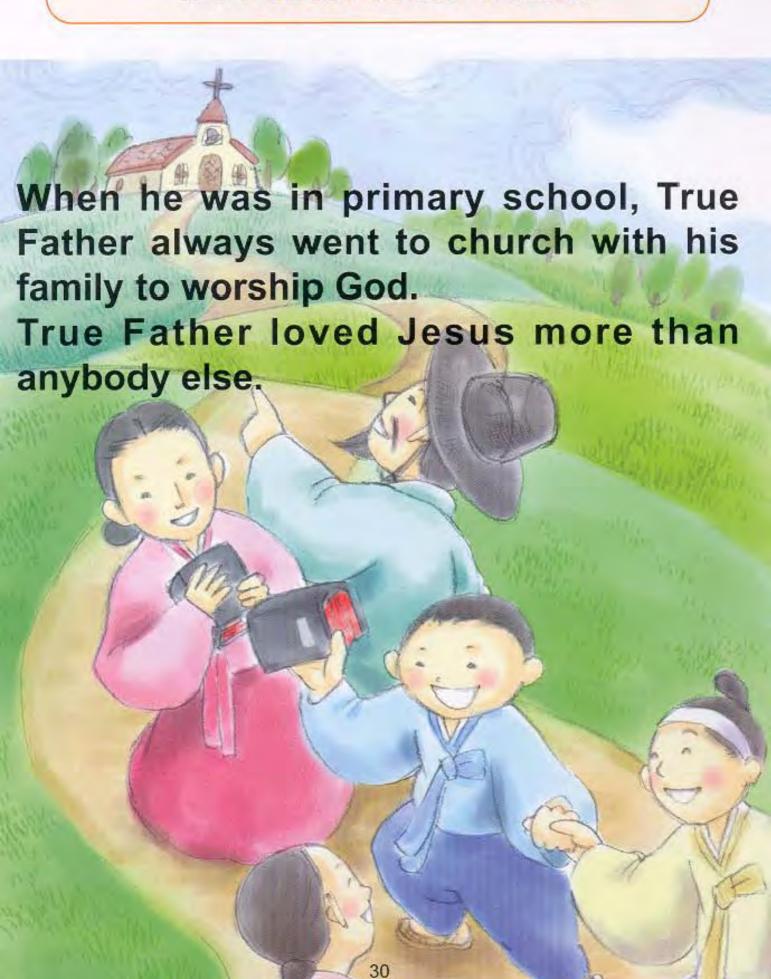








12. Father loves Jesus



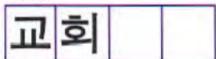


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church





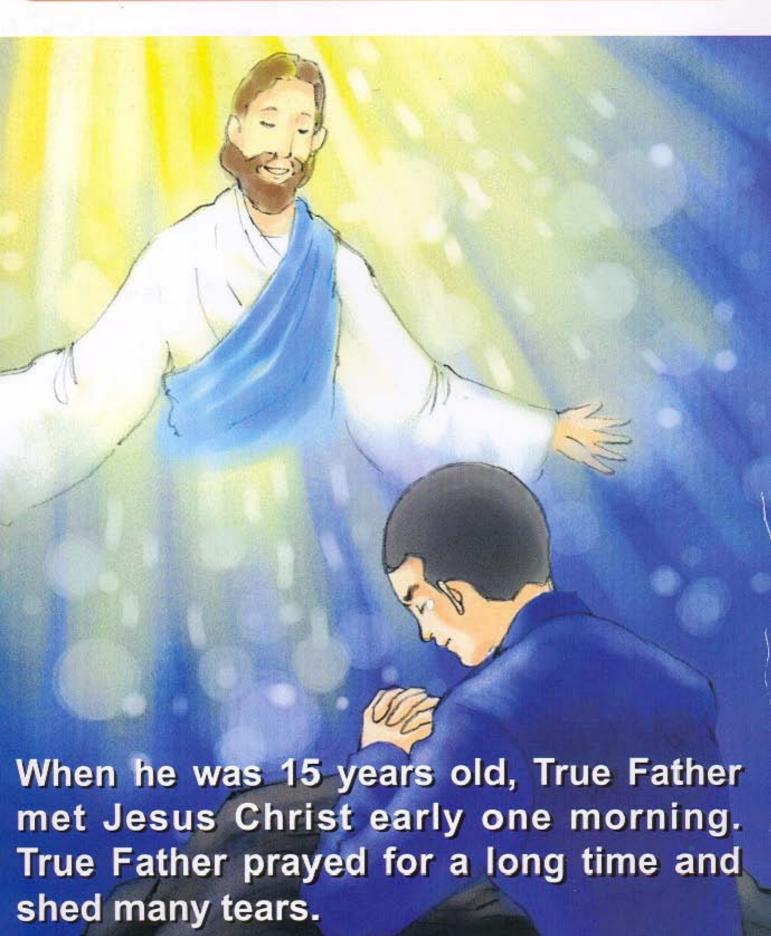
Thinking and doing

Find the children that are behaving properly during the church service



True Parents' Birthday

13. True Father met Jesus





Which children can go and find True Father?

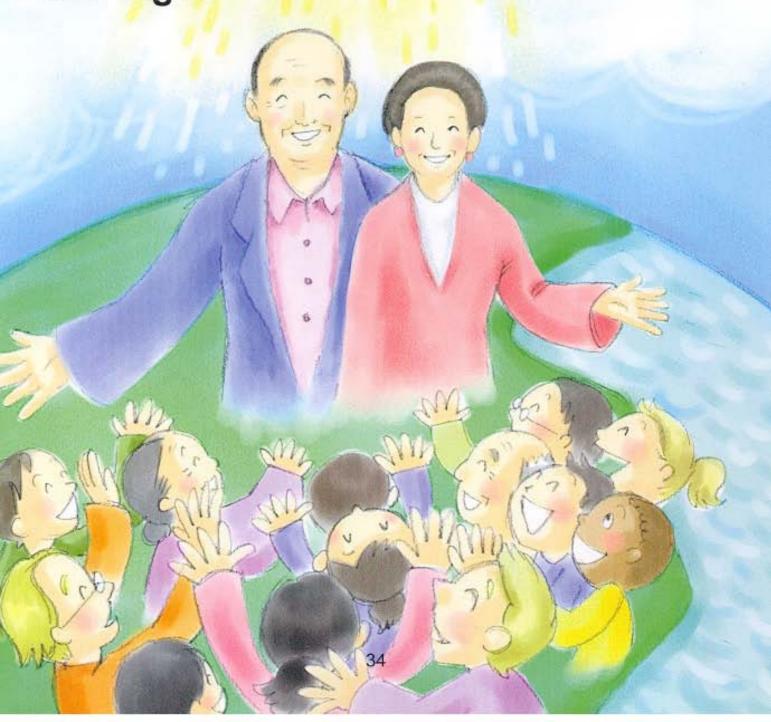


14. True Parents give us true love

True Parents are the most precious people in the world.

True Parents came with true love.

True Parents give us true love day and night.



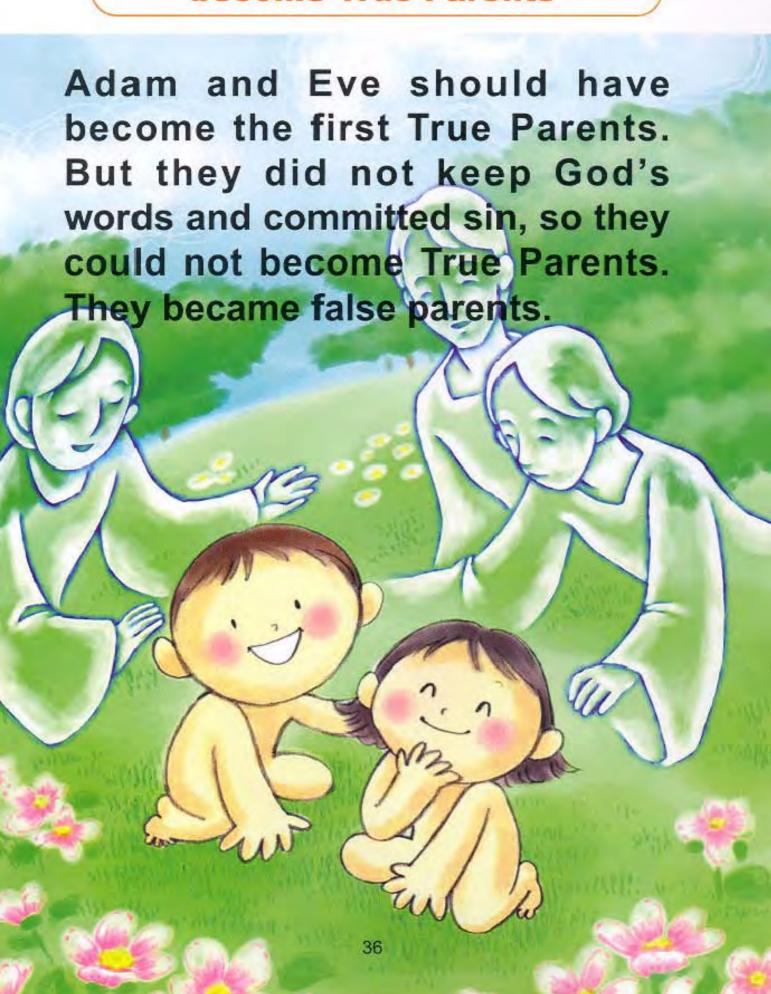


Follow the currents in the water and find True Parents.



True Parents' Day

15. Adam and Eve could not become True Parents





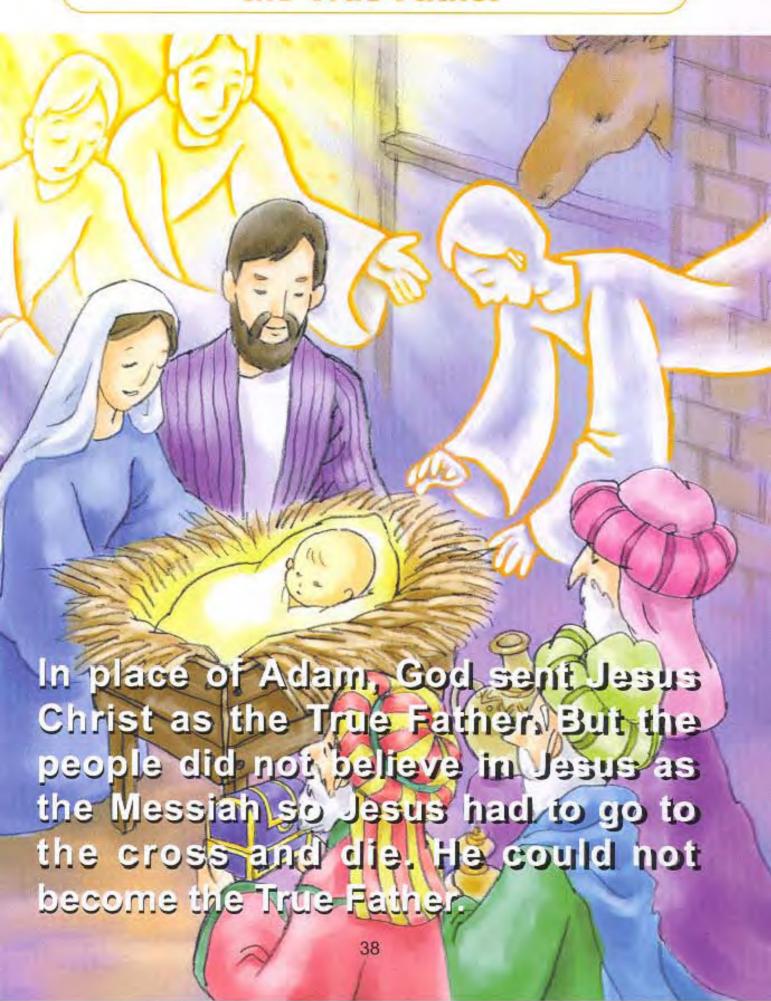
Let's talk about how Adam and Eve could have made a true family.



- 1 Adam and Eve should have gotten along well with each other.
- 2 Adam and Eve should have listened to God's words.
- 3 Adam and Eve should have received God's blessing and had good children.

True Parents' Day

16. Jesus could not become the True Father



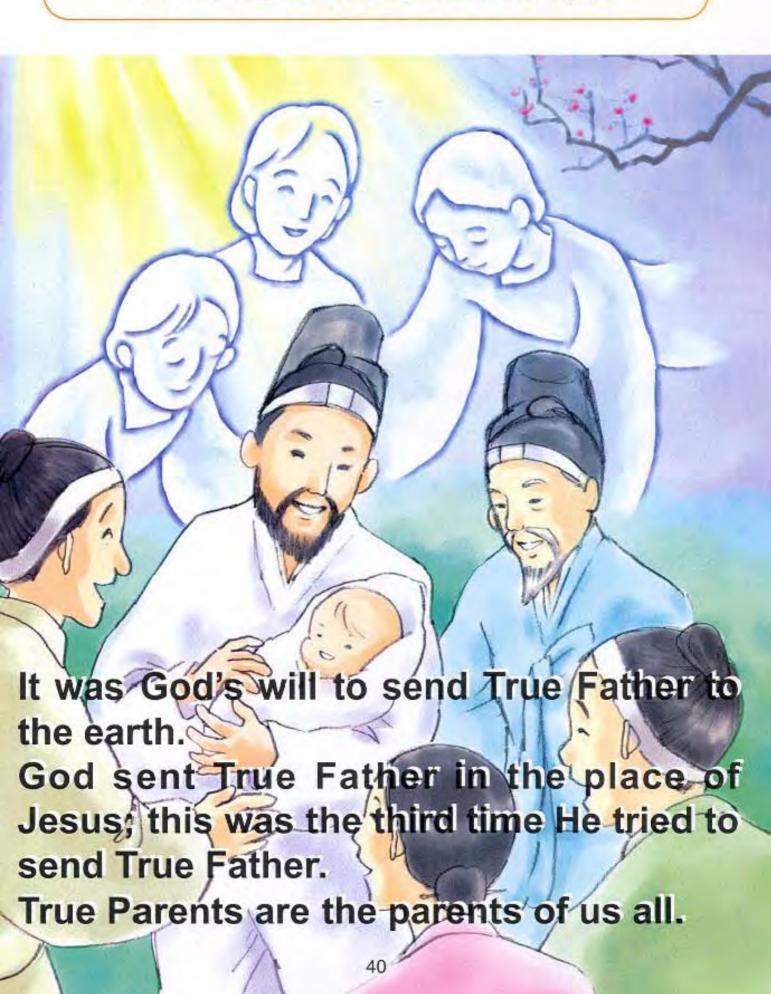


Look at the pictures and tell the story of Jesus.



- 1 Baby Jesus was born in a stable.
- 2 As a boy he discussed the scriptures with the Rabbis.
 - 3 Jesus helped his father in his carpentry work.
 - 4 He received baptism from John.
 - 5 He found twelve disciples.
 - 6 He healed the sick and the blind.
 - 7 Jesus prayed to be able to complete his mission.
 - 8 He was nailed to the cross and died.
 - 9 Three days later he was resurrected.

17. God sent True Parents





Let's look at an album of True Parents' pictures, and talk about them.

True Parents Album of Memories

True Father as a student at the Kyung Seong School of Commerce



True Mother as a student at the Sun Jeong Girls' Middle School



True Father as a Sunday school teacher at the Myung Soo Dae Christian church in Seoul (Late 1930s)



True Mother as a middle school student (Late 1950s)

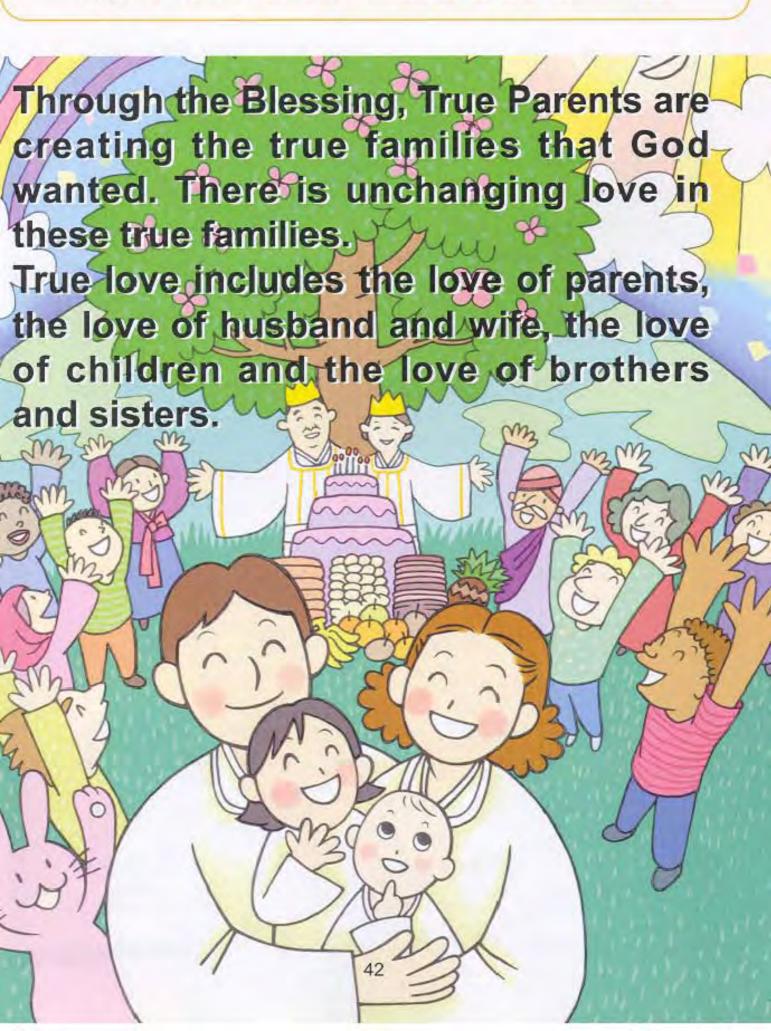


In this hut of cardboard and mud, True Father wrote down the original Principle



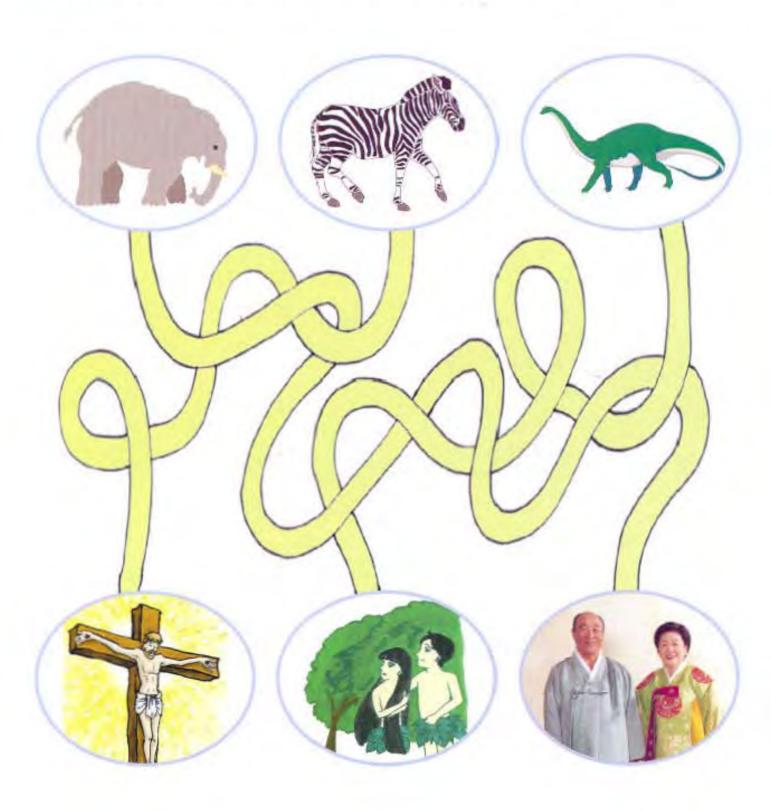
In the old Chungpa-dong Church, True Parents had their holy wedding

18. True Parents make true families



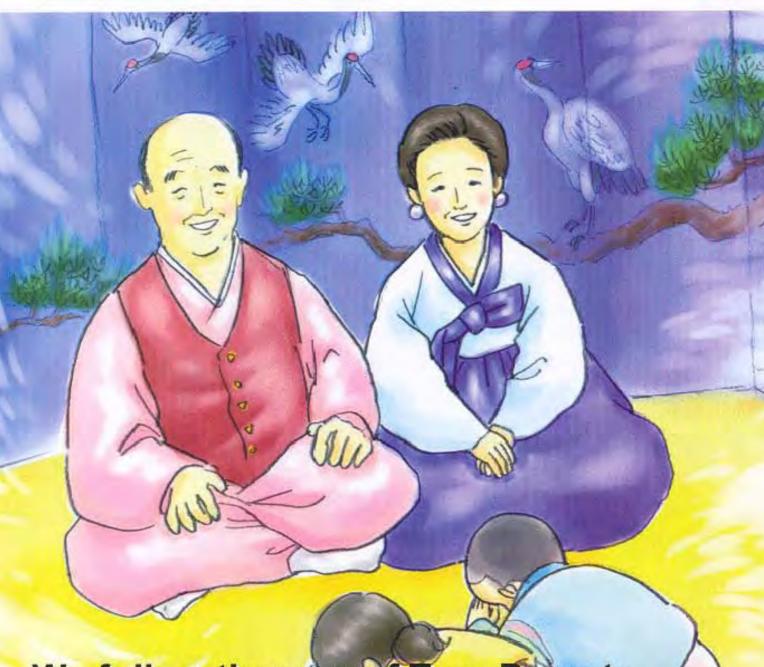


Which animal shall we ride to get to True Parents?



True Parents' Day

19. True brothers and sisters attend True Parents



We follow the way of True Parents.
We live together with True Parents.
We are true brothers and sisters, attending True Parents and doing good things everyday.



Thinking and doing

Follow the pictures to do a correct bow (kyungbae), then write a number in each blank to show the proper order.



True Parents' Day

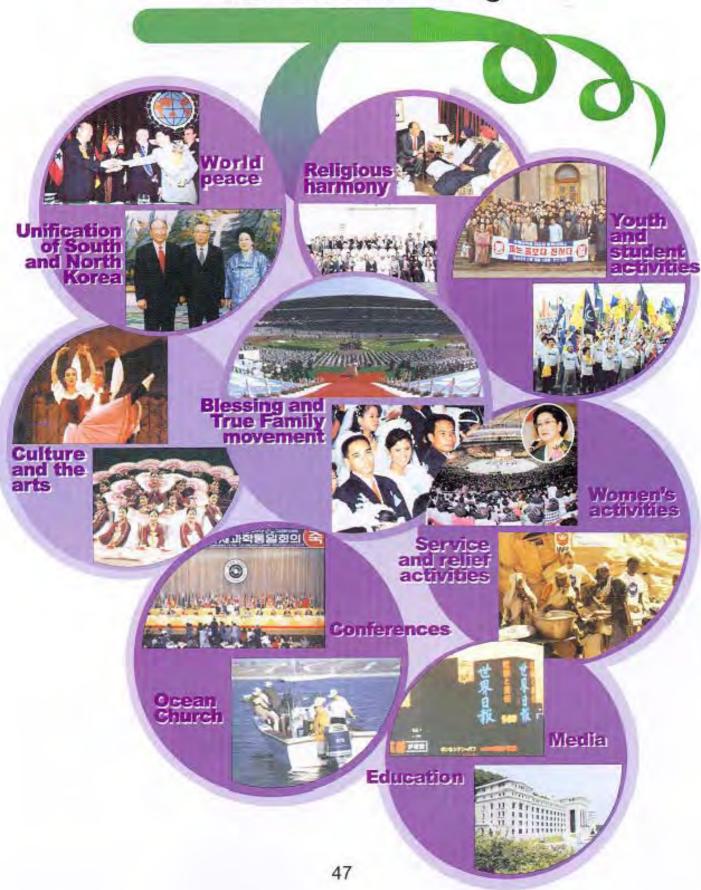
20. True Parents must establish the Kingdom of God

True Parents give rebirth to the people of this world. They help them become true sons and daughters of God. Following True Parents, we must go back to the pure garden of Eden.

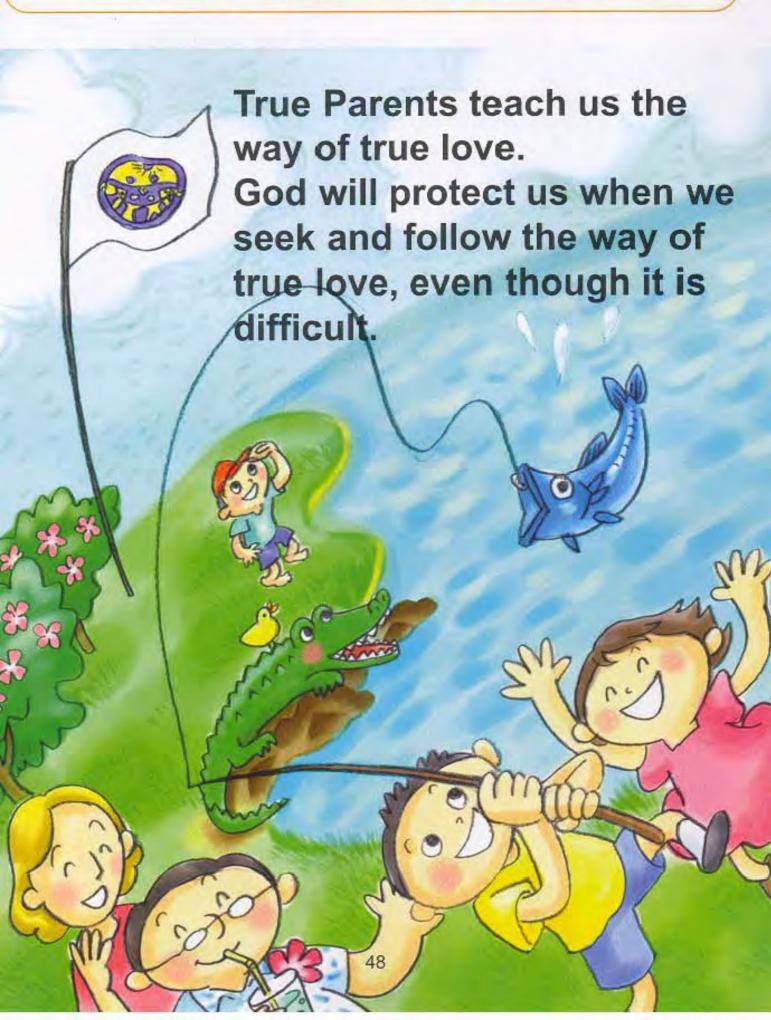




Let's look closely at the work that True Parents are doing.



21. True Parents teach us true love



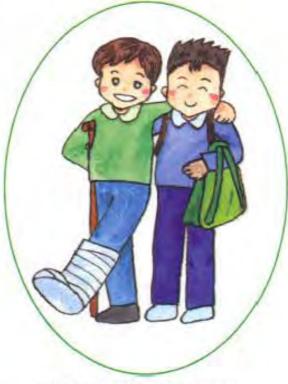


Share your ideas

• Have you ever served your friends with true love, like in these pictures?



I share tasty things with my friend.



I help my friends when they hurt themselves.



I play well with others and share my toys.



I take my close friend to church.

True Creation Day

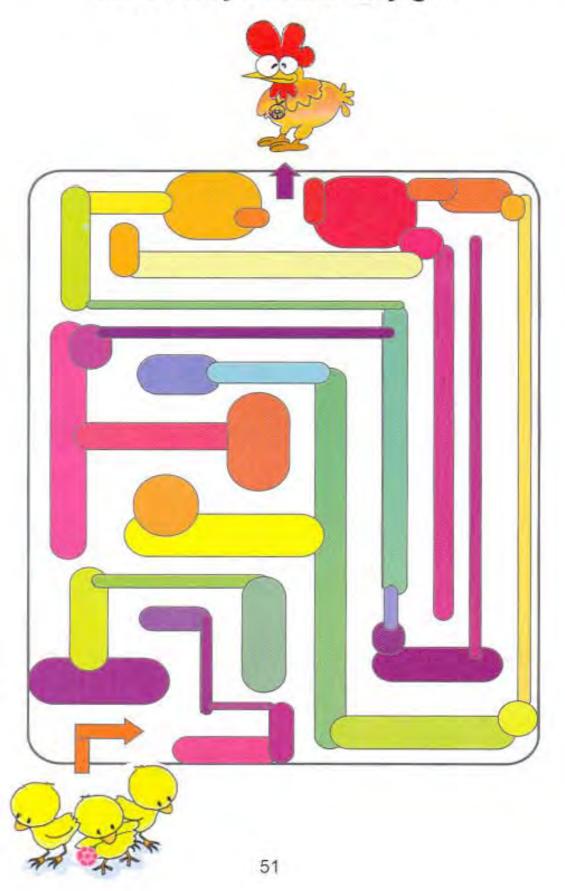
22. God created everything with whole-hearted devotion

God did not make the world with one magic touch.
God created the world with His total devotion.

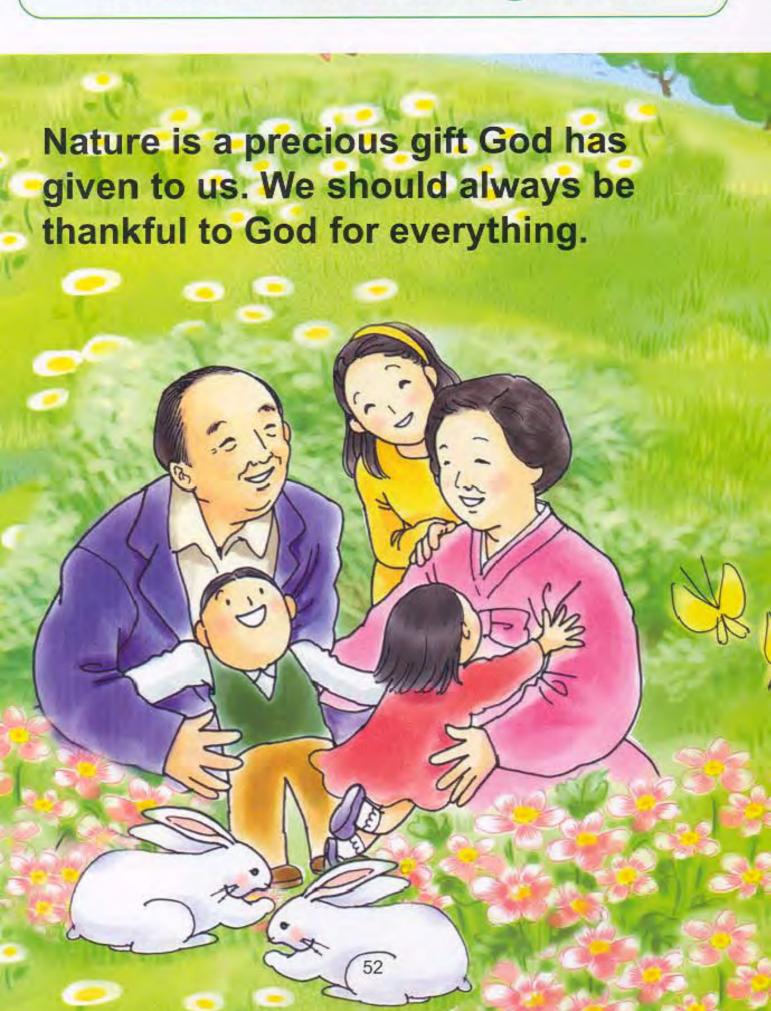




The little chicks want to give the flower to their mother.
Which way should they go?

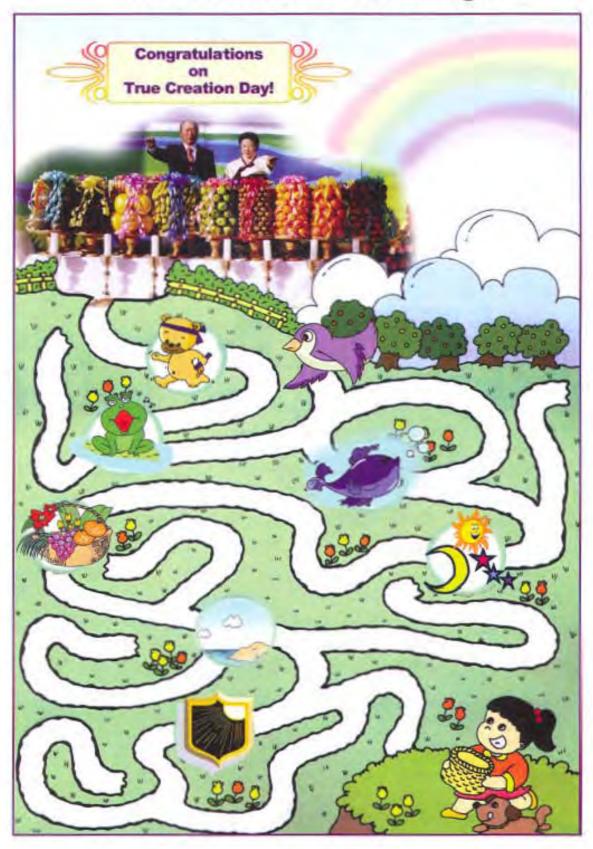


23. God created all things for us

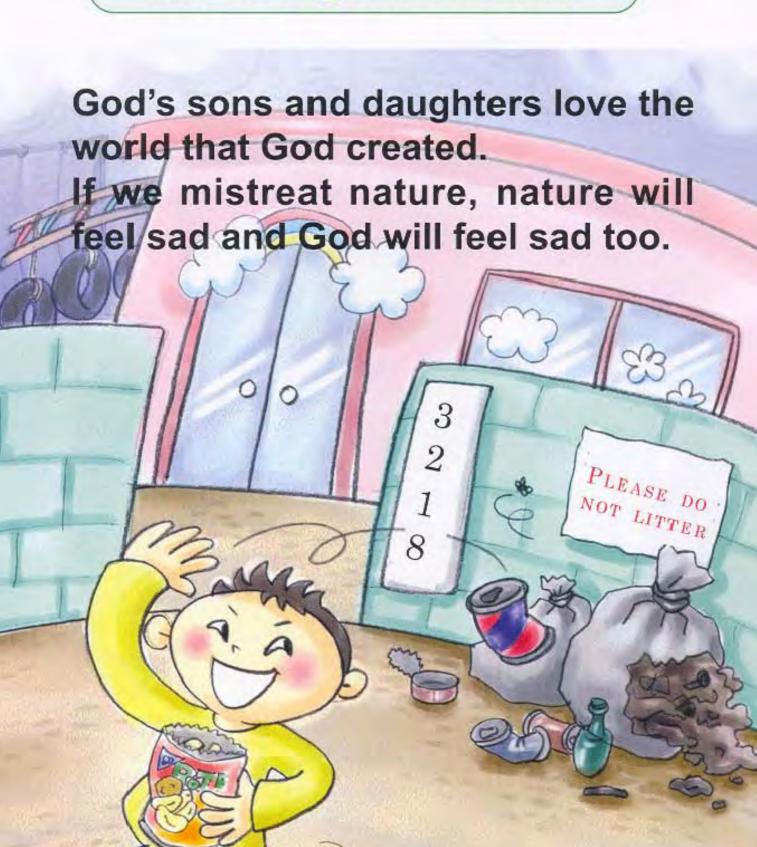




Follow the road and find the order in which God created all things.



24. Loving the creation

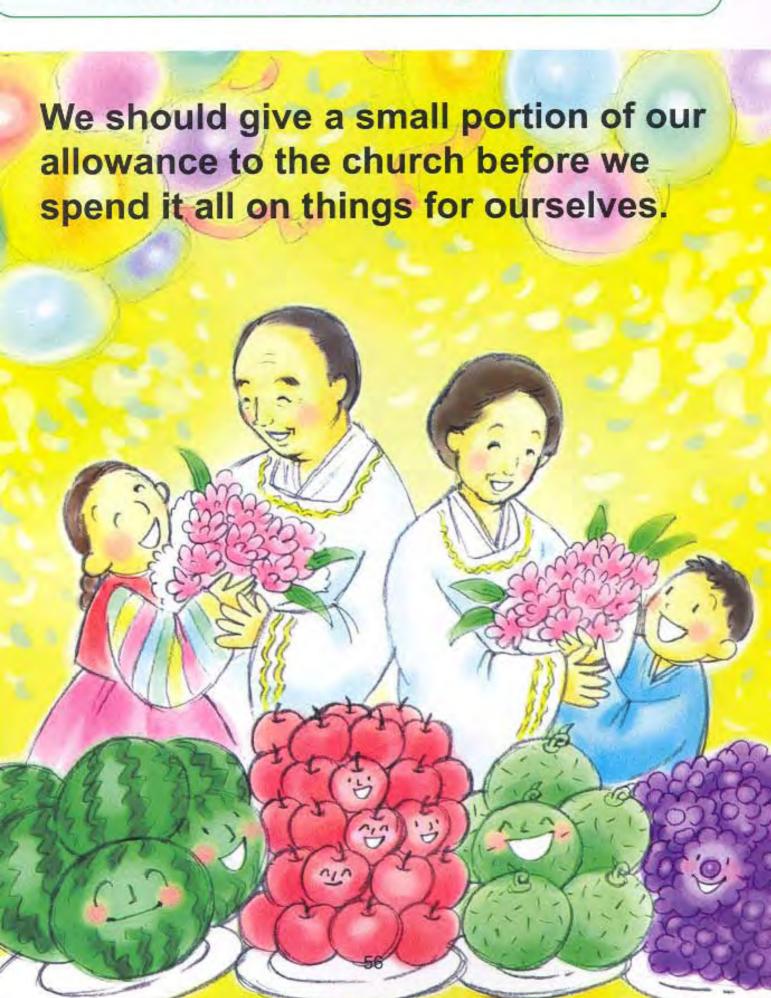


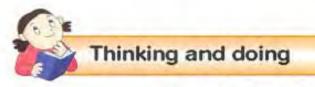


Look at these pictures and say what you think is happening in each one.

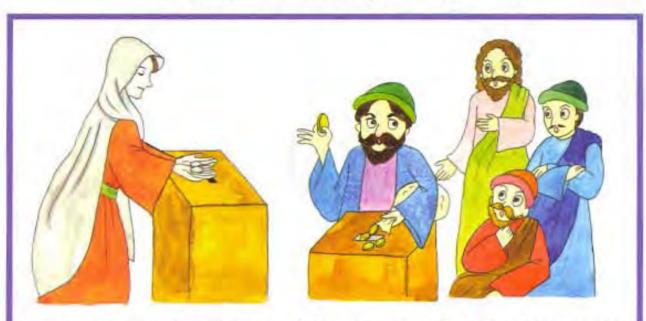


25. We make an offering to God first

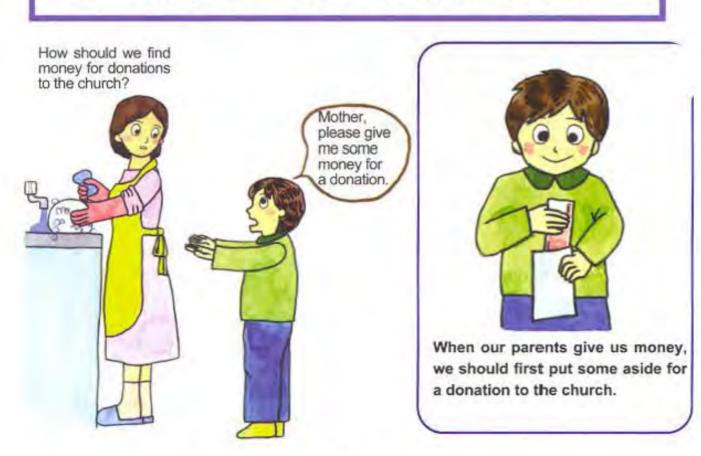




Look at the pictures and talk about giving donations.

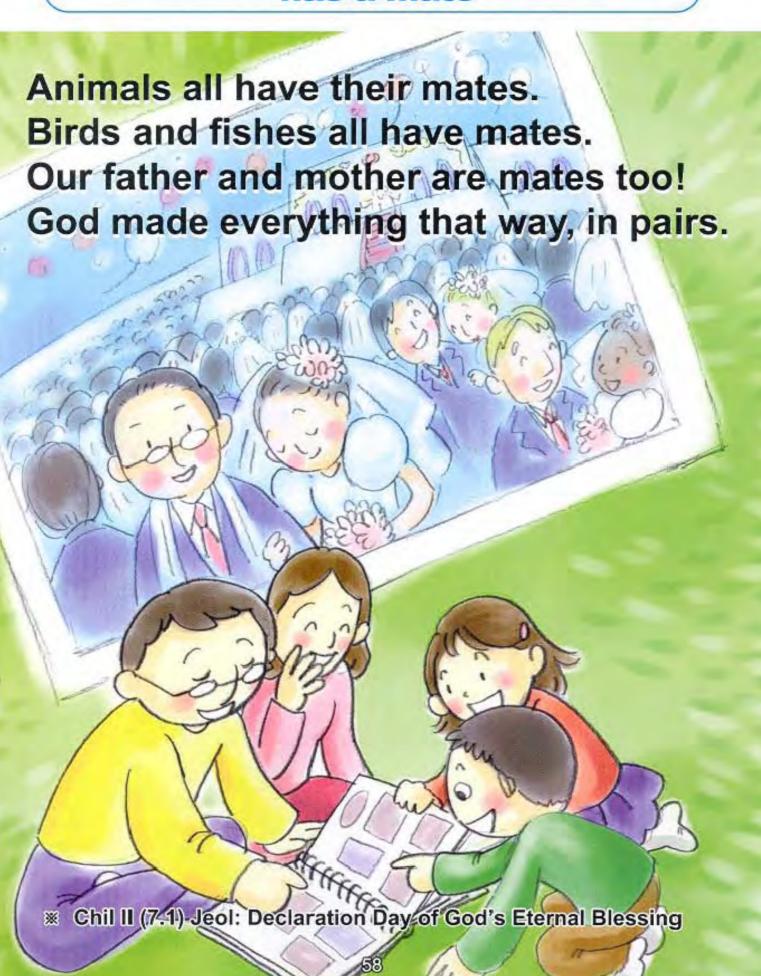


God values the poor widow's small donation more than a large gift from a rich man. (Luke 21:1~4)



Chil II Jeol

26. Everyone and everything has a mate





Thinking and doing

True Parents are champions at matching pairs.
After matching our father and mother,
True Parents are praying to bless them.



Match each picture with its mate.











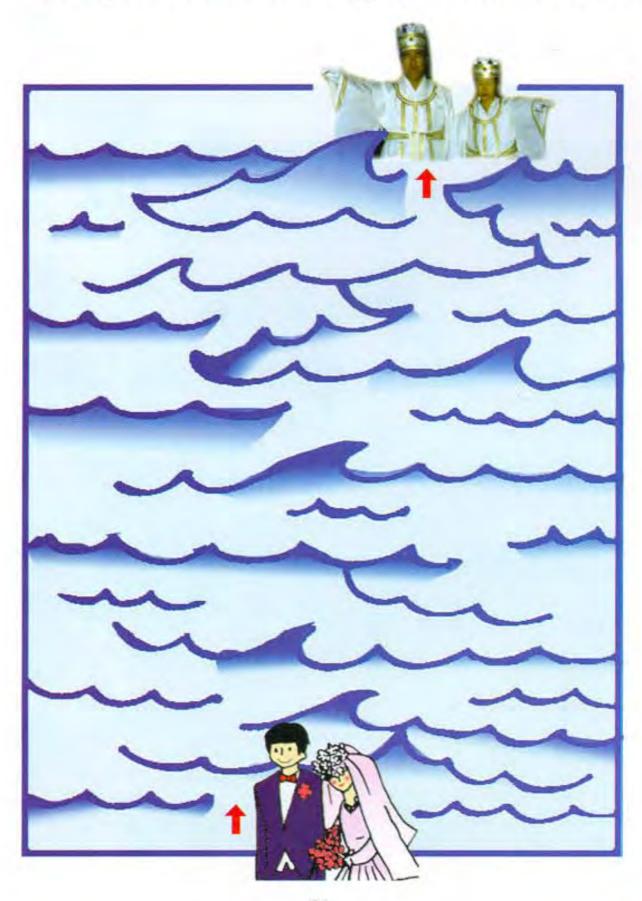


27. The Blessing and making of a true family

To make a true family, a true man and a true woman must receive the Blessing. When you receive the Blessing of God, you can go to the Kingdom of God. God's blessed families live in the Kingdom of God on earth. 60

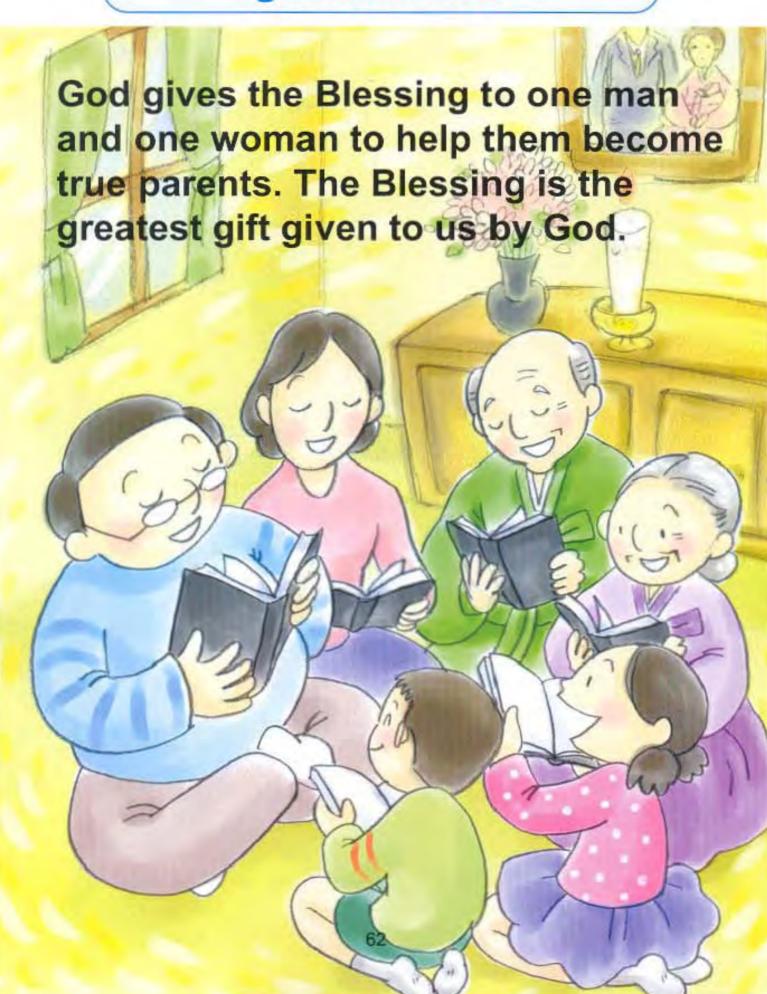


Help the bride and bridegroom find True Parents.



Chil II Jeol

28. The Blessing is the best gift from God

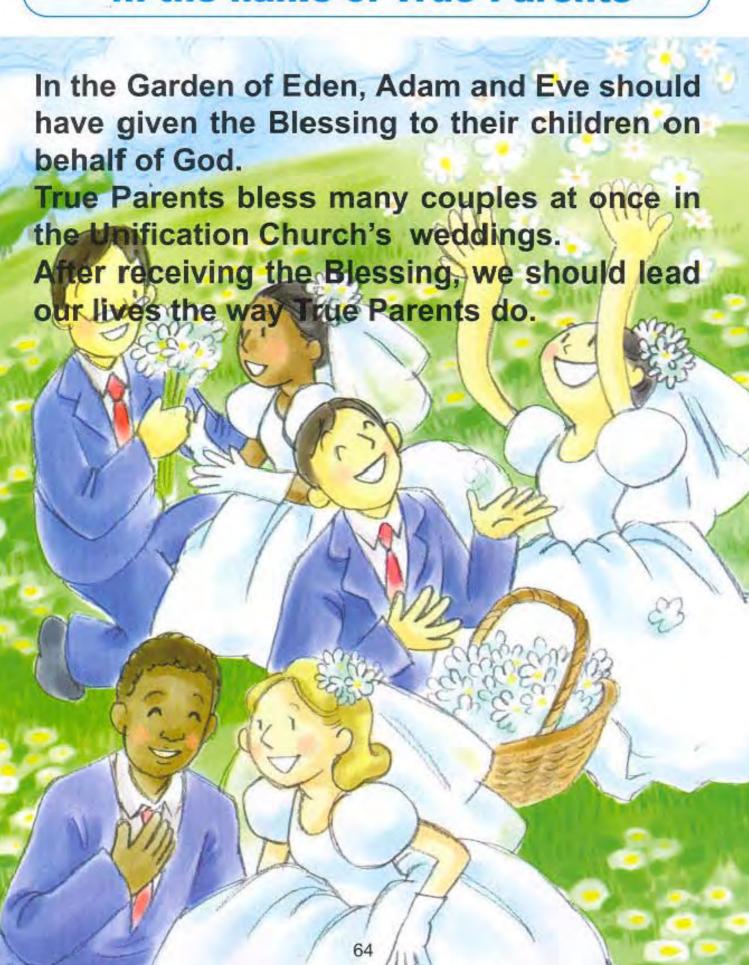




Follow the path from start to finish.

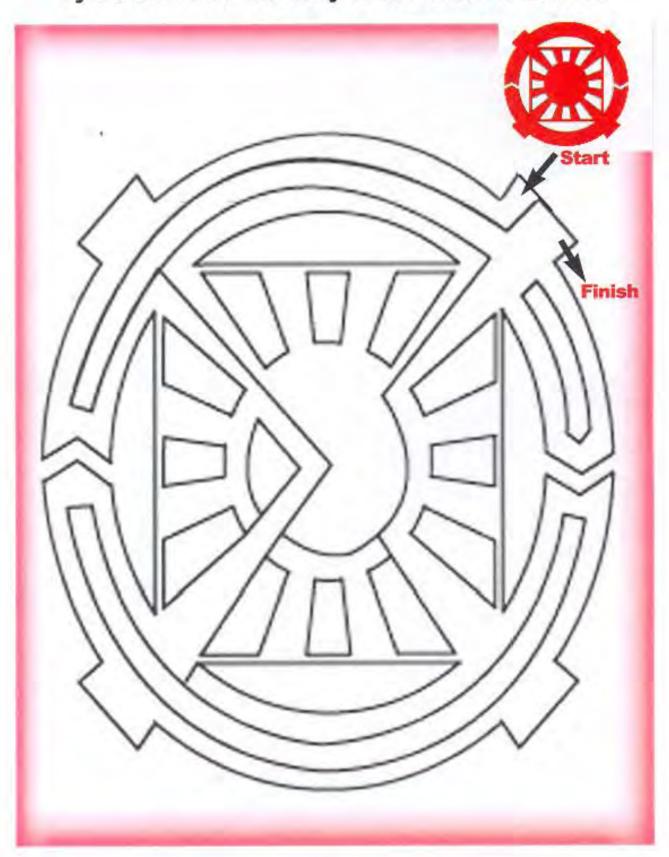


29. We receive the Blessing in the name of True Parents

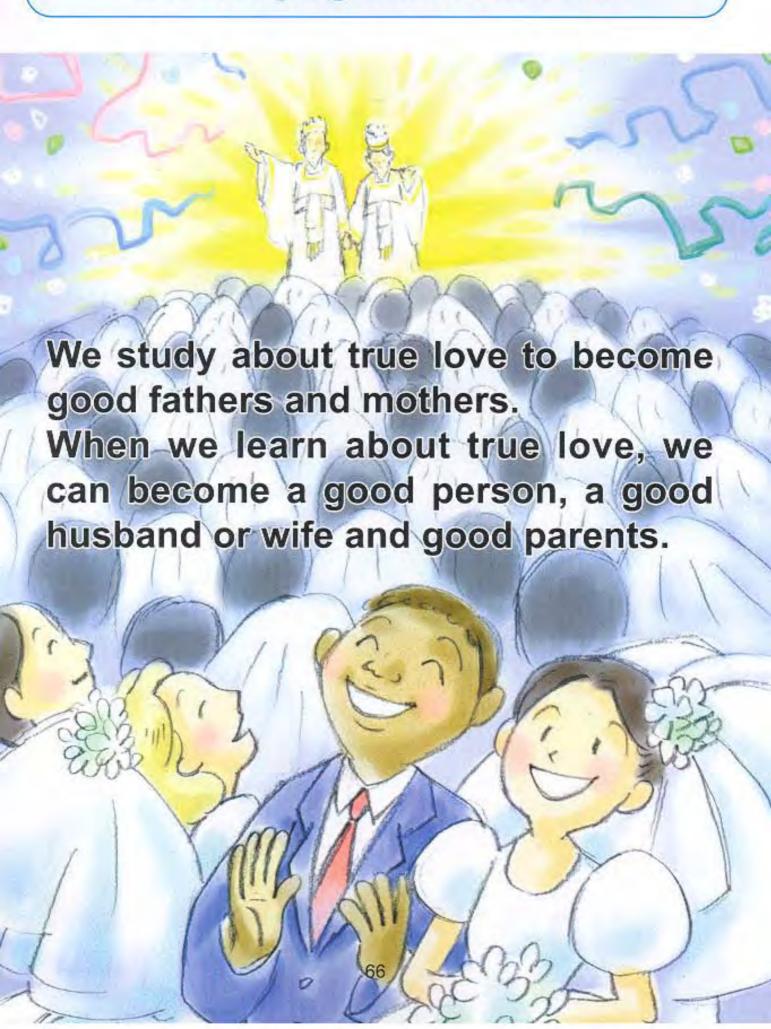


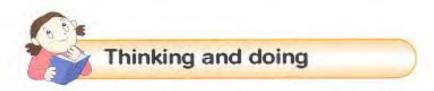


Find out the meaning of the Unification symbol. Find the way from start to finish.

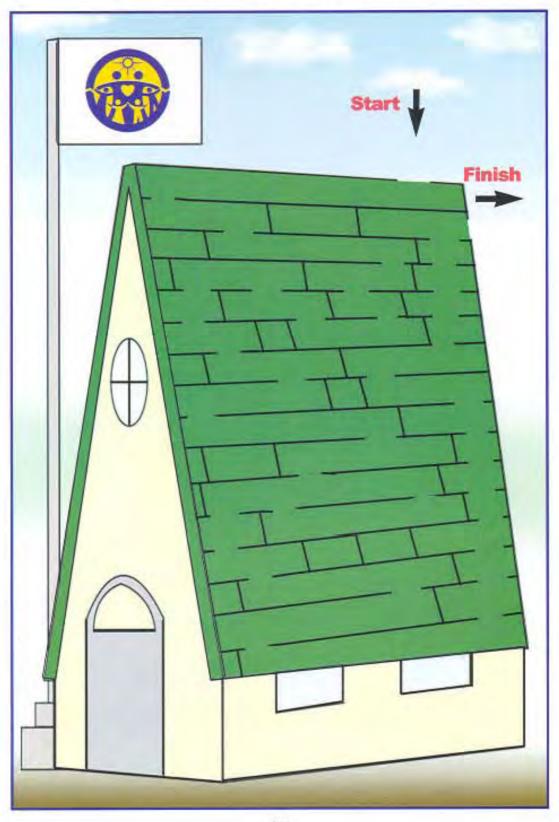


30. Studying about true love

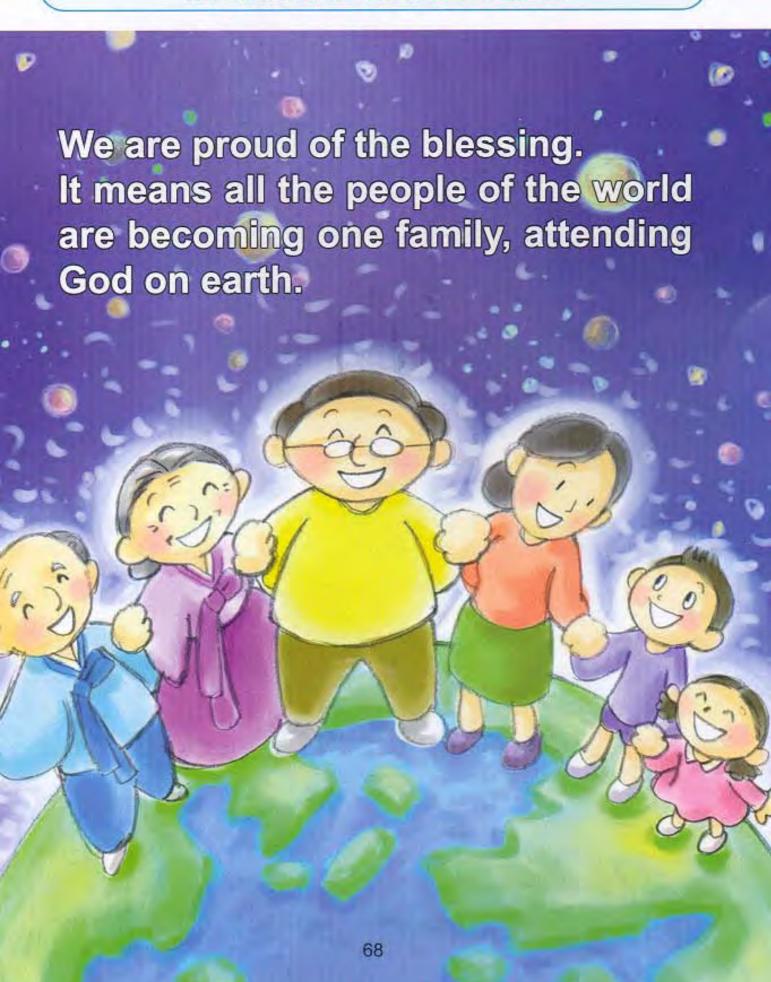




The early church buildings were called A-frames. Follow the maze on the A-frame church roof.



31. We are one family, we are all brothers and sisters





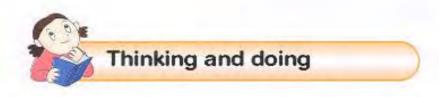
Look at the picture and talk about what the family is doing.



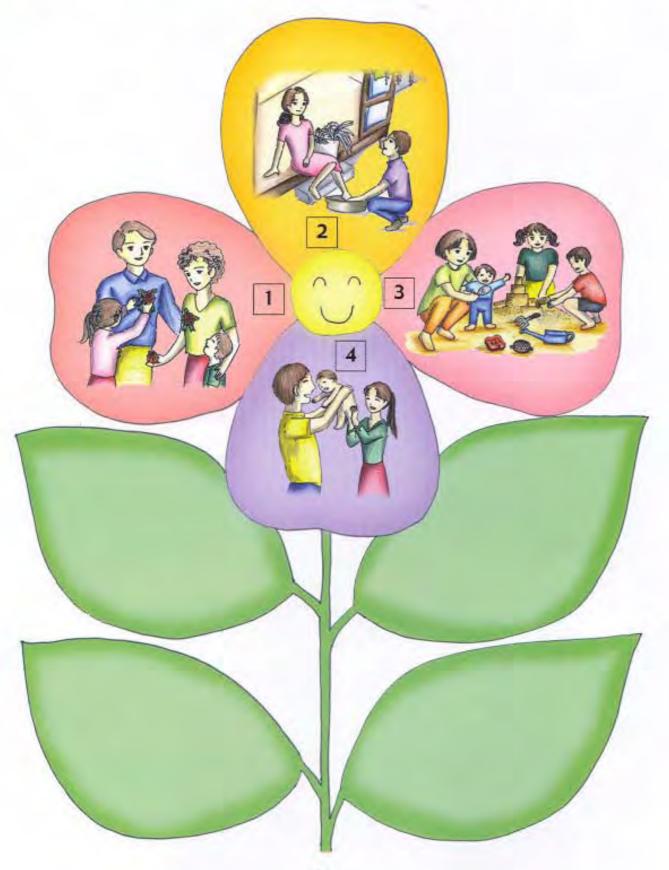
My father is Korean, my mother is American. They received the Blessing. Today our cousins came and we all played a game of Yute.

32. Happy family





Oraw the members of your family in the leaves.

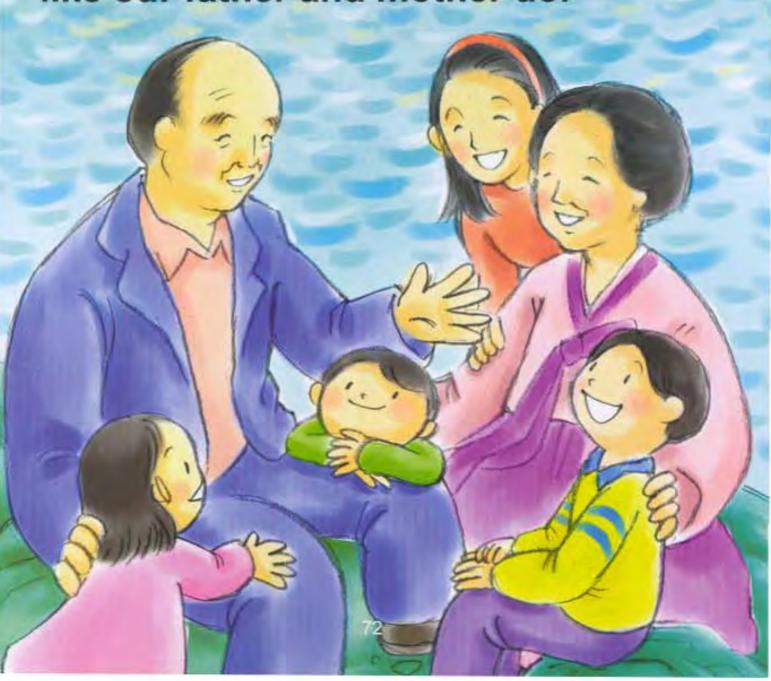


33. Living together in love

We were born through the love of our father and mother.

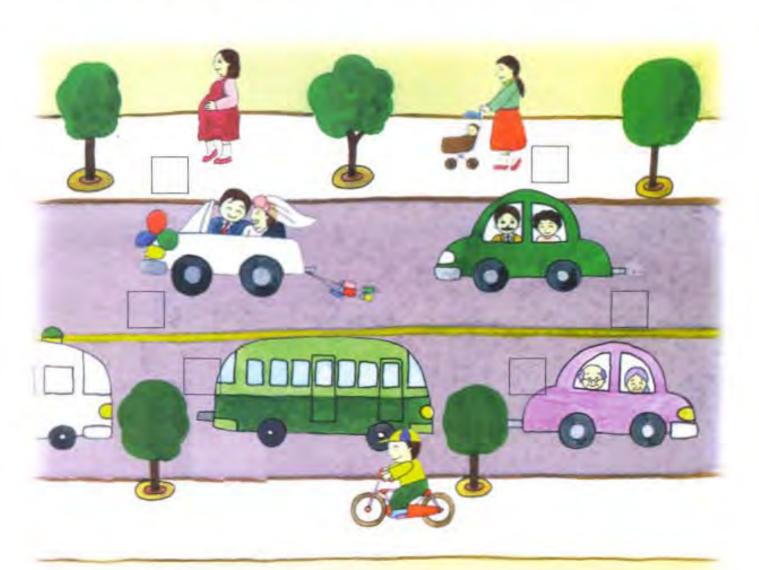
While growing up, we receive the love of our father and mother.

When we grow up, we will love others like our father and mother do.

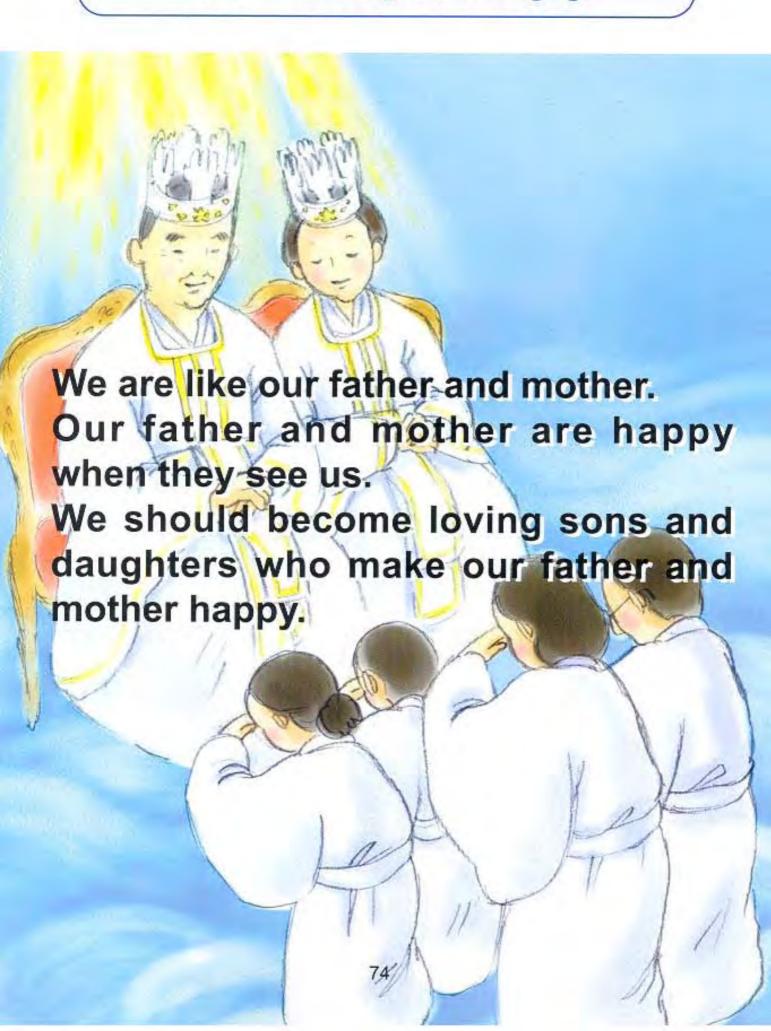




- These pictures show loving families. Match each number to the picture it describes.
- 1 My mother's womb is my palace!
- 2 It's fun when my mother takes me for a ride in my stroller.
- 3 I ride the school bus to go to school.
- 4 When I receive the Blessing, I want to go on a wonderful honeymoon to Brazil.
- On my parents' Blessing anniversary, I will take them for a ride in my car.
- 6 I want to take Granddad on an outing for his birthday.

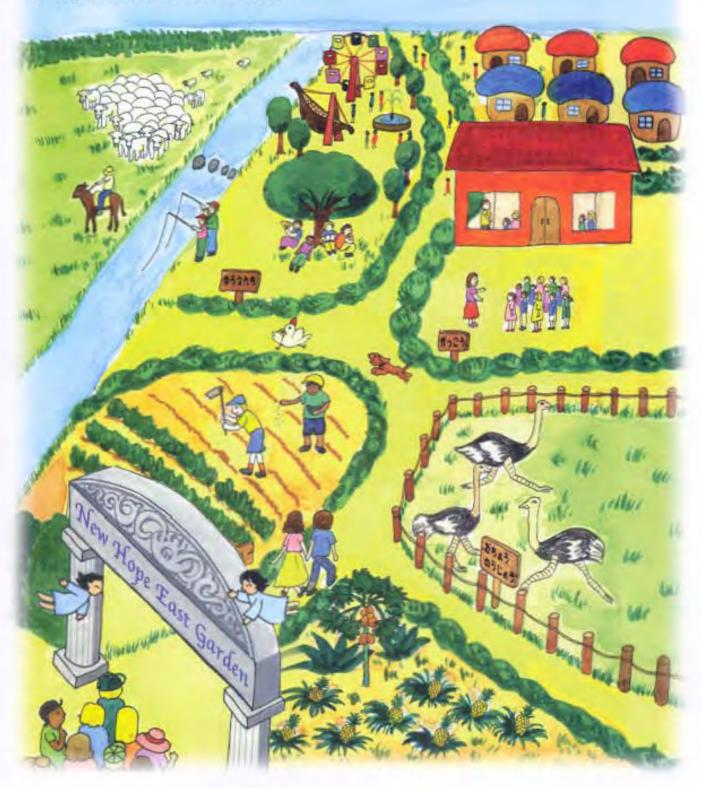


34. A family full of joy



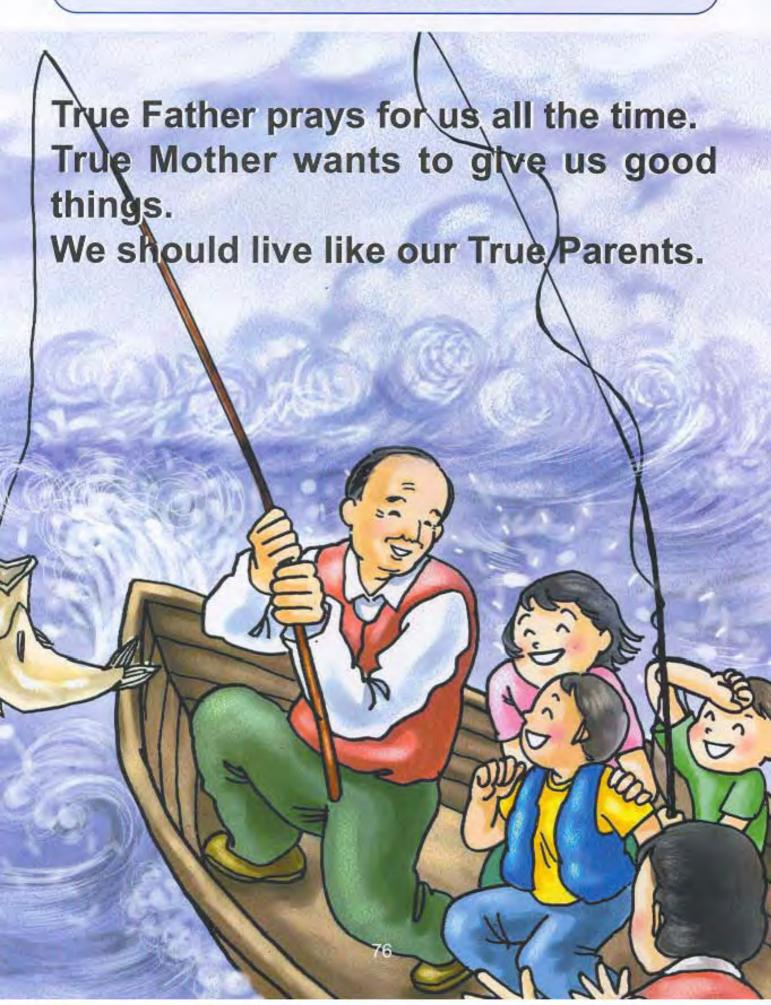


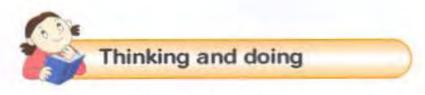
True Parents built New Hope East Garden in Brazil. What do you see at New Hope East Garden? Find True Parents fishing and draw a heart around them.



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35. We are living like our True Parents

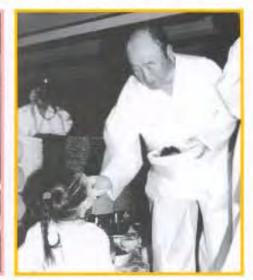




Let's talk about our loving True Parents.



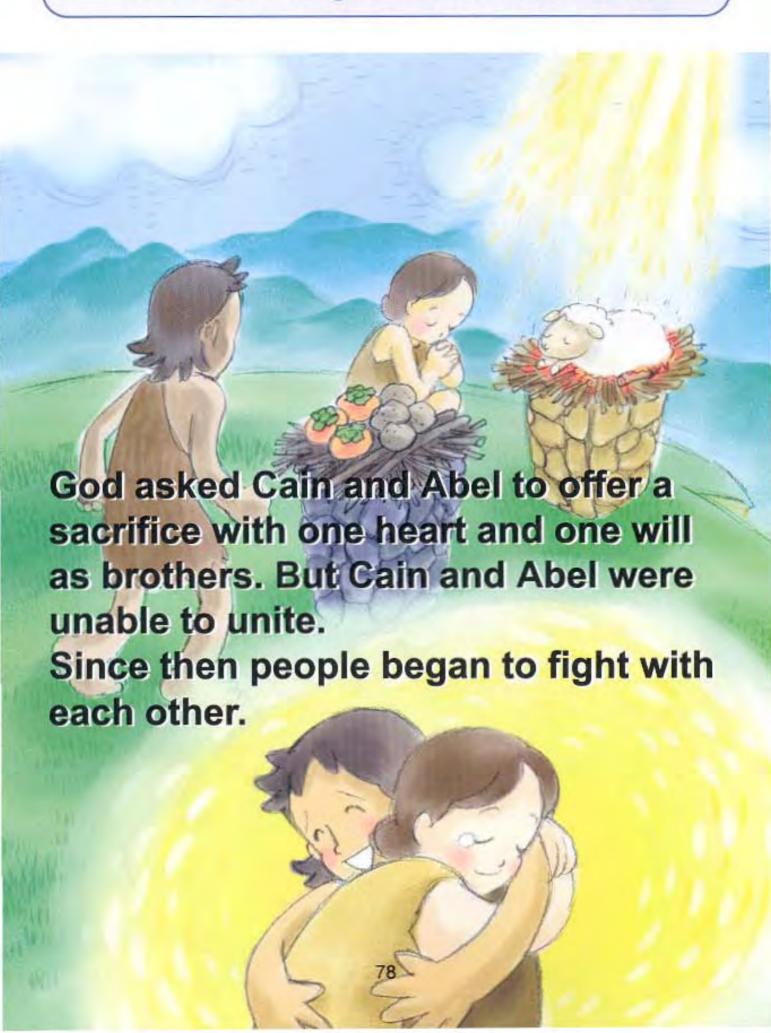




Mow many flowers are in full bloom on the screen behind True Parents?



36. The story of Cain and Abel

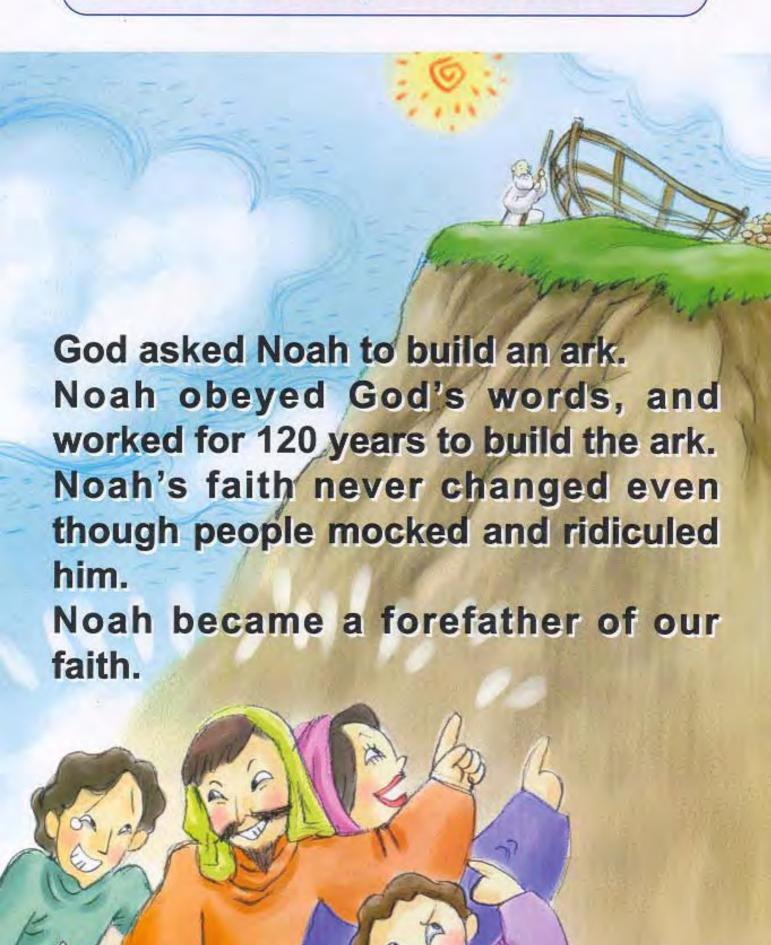




Why did God accept Abel's offering and reject Cain's? Look at the pictures and tell the story.



37. The story of Noah's ark





Look at the pictures and talk about the story of Noah.



1. Noah had strong faith in God.



2. People ridiculed Noah as he was building the ark.

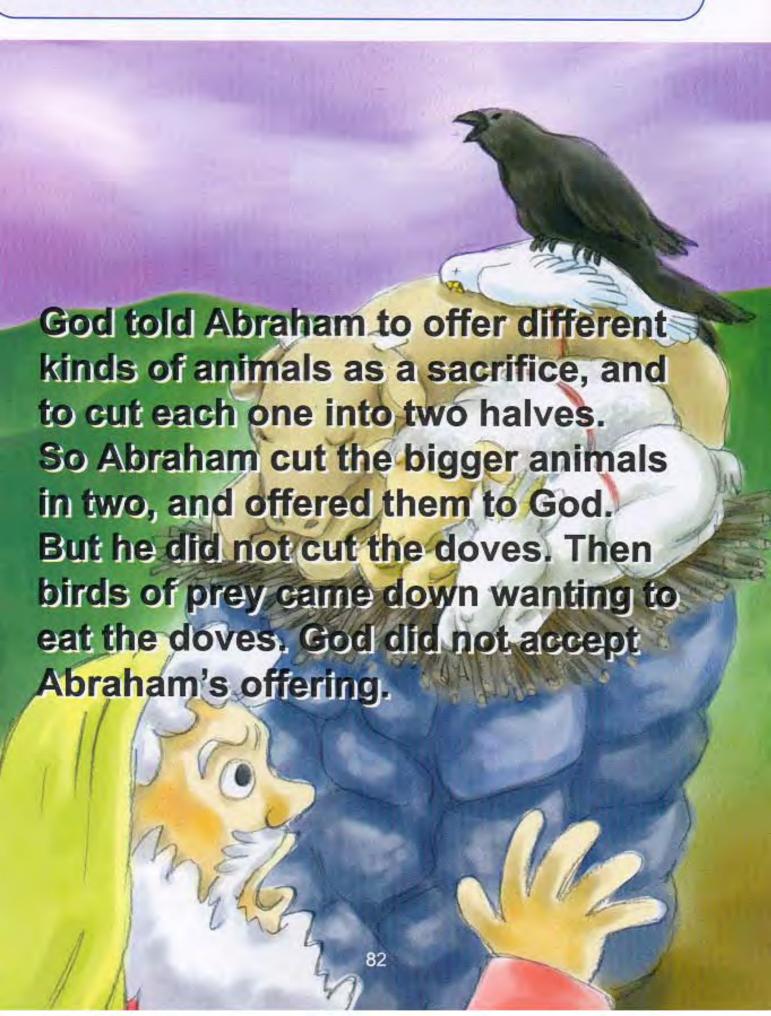


The eight members of Noah's family and all the animals went into the ark in pairs.



4. It rained for 40 days and the ark was floating on the water.

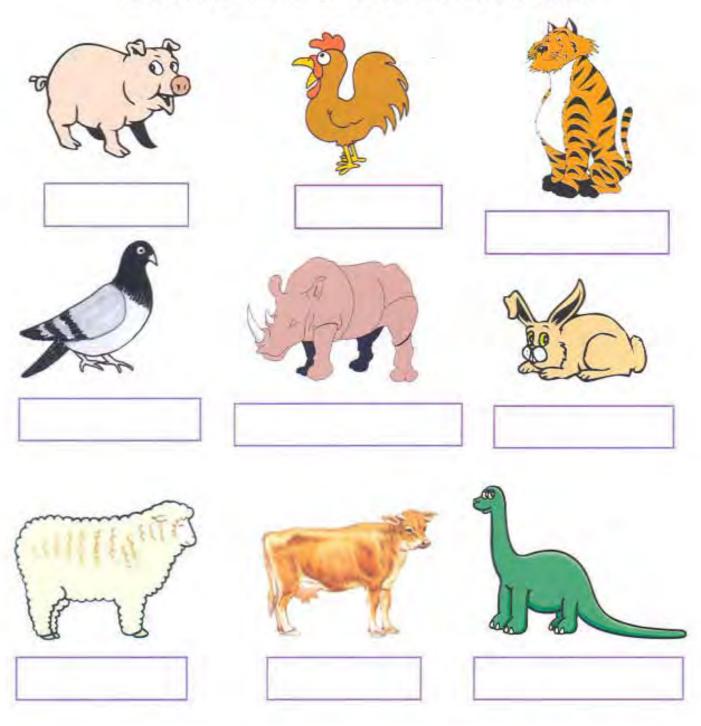
38. The story of Abraham's sacrifice





Thinking and doing

Match the name of each animal with its picture, and draw a circle around the three animals that Abraham offered as sacrifices.



chicken pigeon cow dinosaur pig rhinoceros sheep tiger rabbit

39. The story of Esau and Jacob



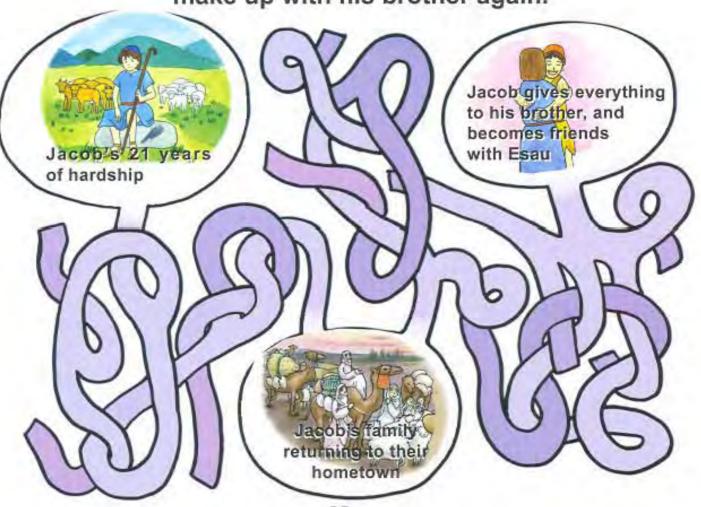


Thinking and doing

Tell the story of Jacob, and how, with the help of his mother, he received God's blessing in place of his brother.

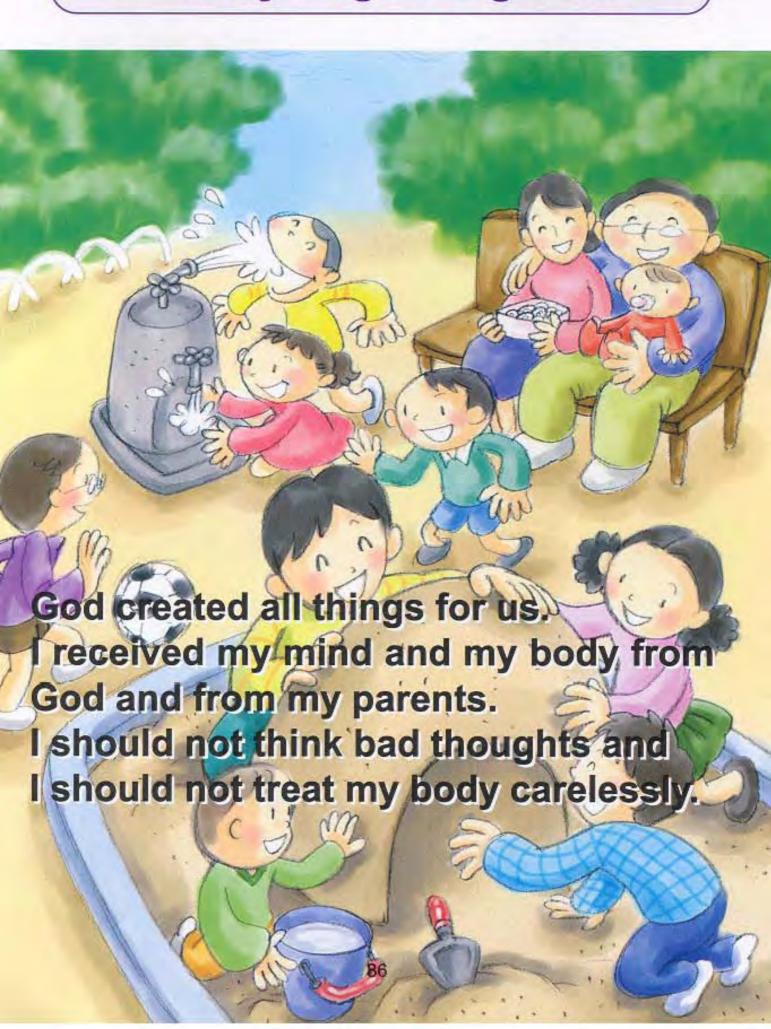


Find the way that Jacob must go in order to make up with his brother again.



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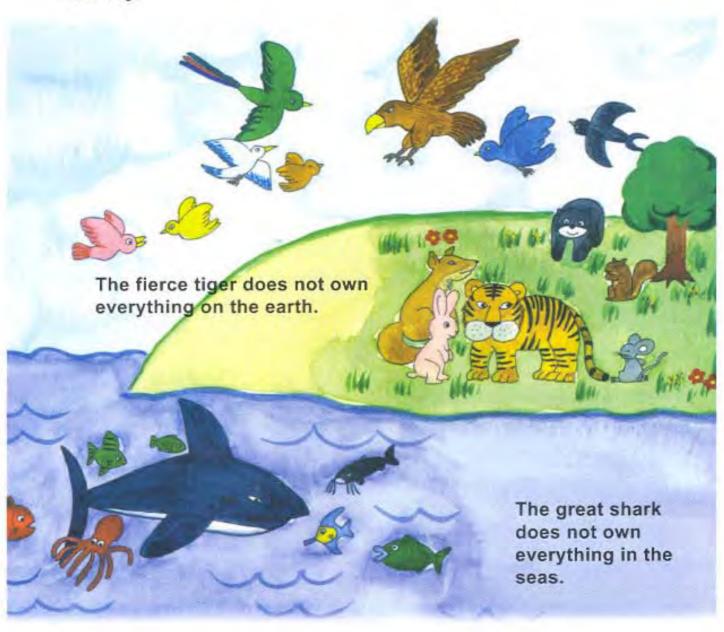
40. Everything belongs to us





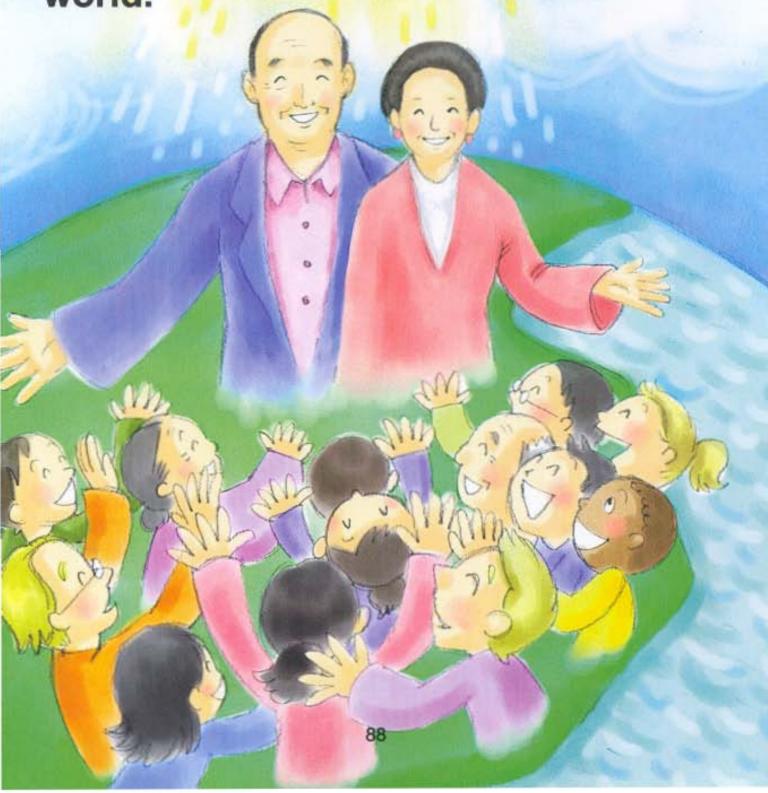
In the world made by God, to whom do you think everything belongs?

The eagle, king of the birds, does not own everything in the sky.



41. We all live together

God's Kingdom is the place where we all live together with true love. So we have to all help make a good world.





Thinking and doing

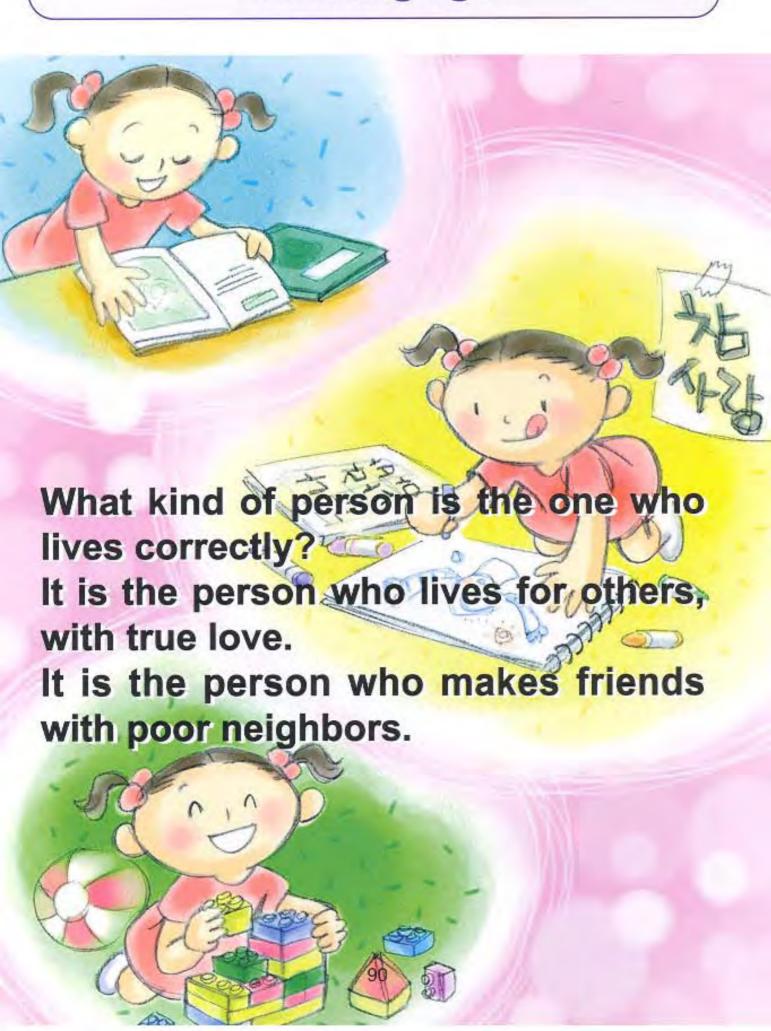
Output
Look at these photos of people working to make the world happy and say what you think they are doing.





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42. Living right





Thinking and doing

Look at the news about what the Aewon

volunteers are doing.



True Mother gives hope and courage to disabled children.





Hoon-sook nim, Director of the Universal Ballet, performs to support disabled children.

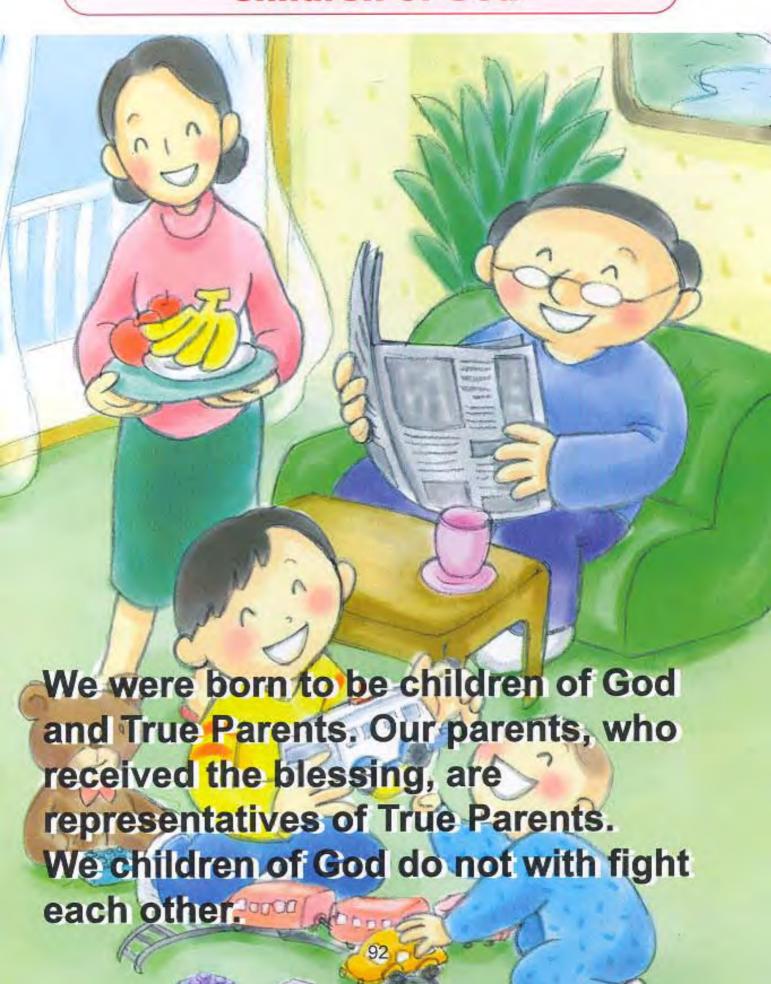


Children donate to a "True Love Account" to help support North Korean children.



Children, let's practice loving and giving to others first, to make this a beautiful world in which we share our joys and sorrows with one another.

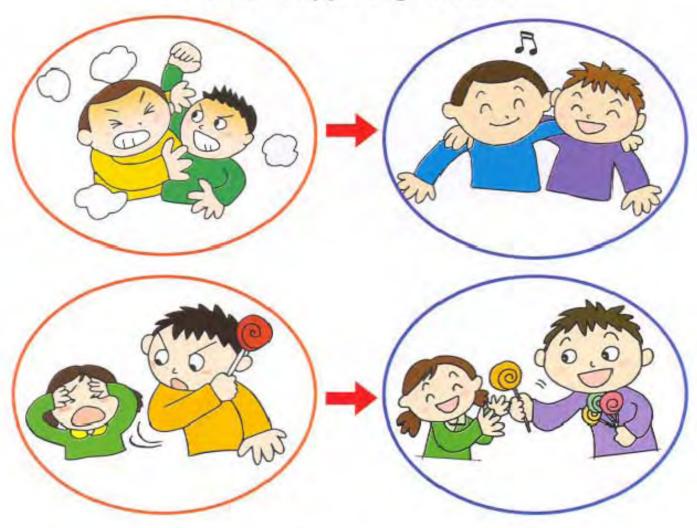
43. We were born to be children of God





Thinking and doing

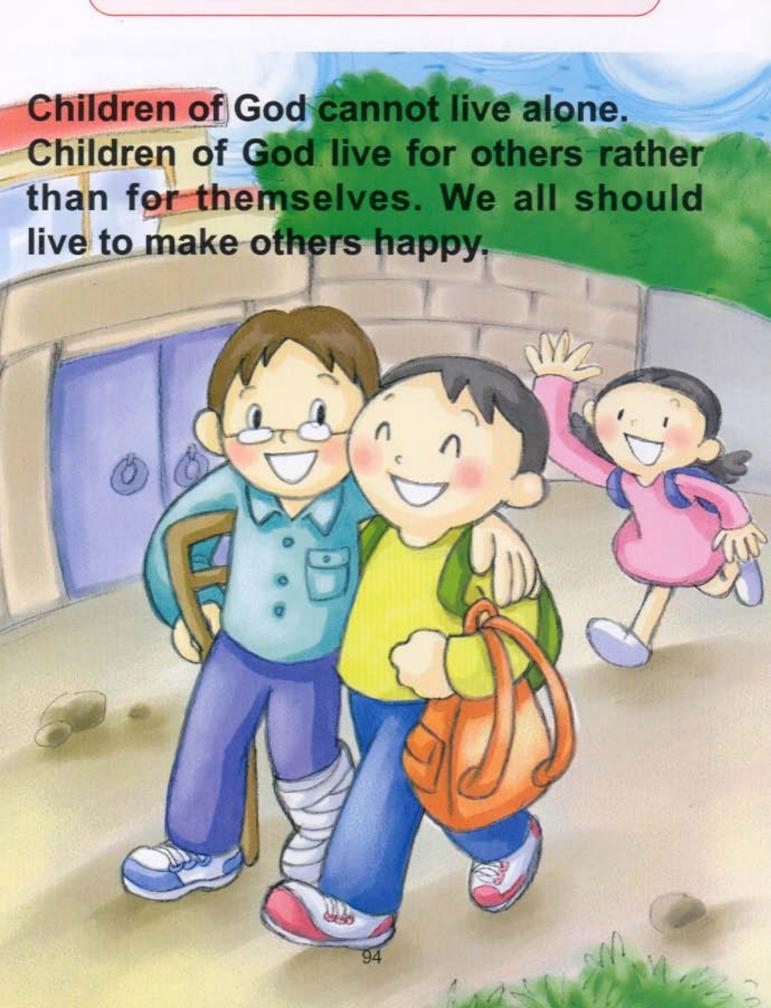
If brothers and sisters do not love one another, God feels sad. Look at these pictures and say what is happening in them.



What is the difference between these two pictures?



44. Living for others





Let's think of what we can do for others. Talk about what is happening in these pictures.





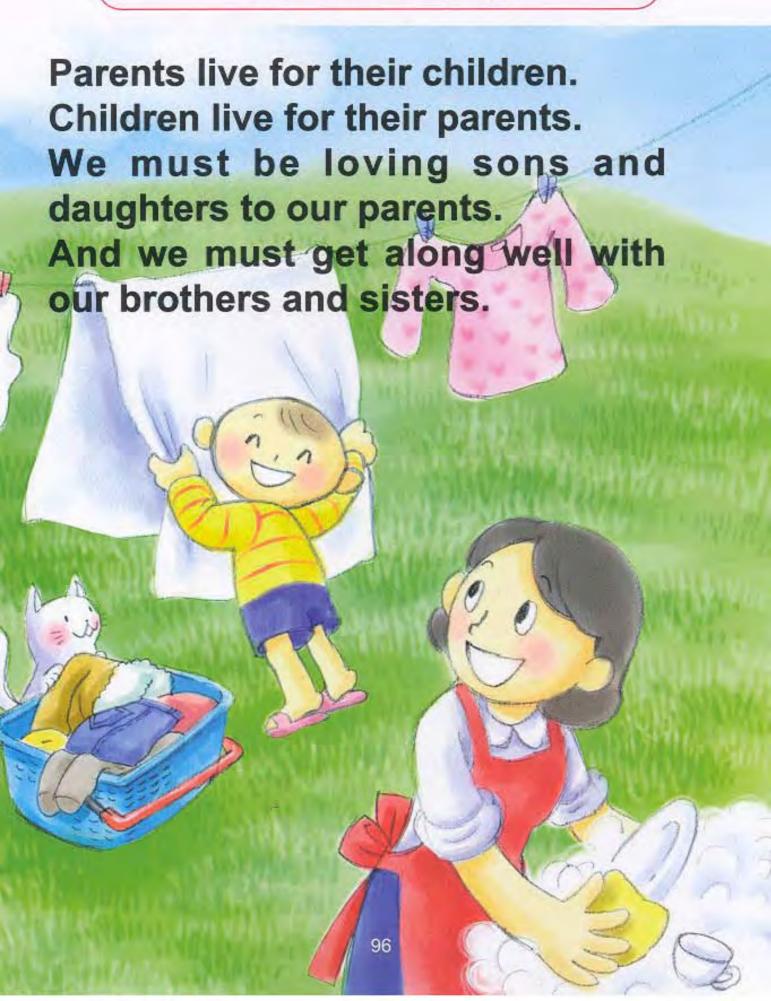
Look at these pictures and tell the story about True Father.

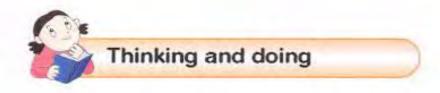




In Heung Nam Prison, True Father showed how to live with true love, by helping and caring for those around him.

45. God's children live for their family





Our family members live for one another. Find the thing that each family member needs.



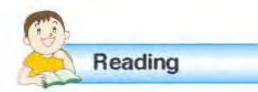


46. We love our relatives and neighbors

We must love our relatives as part of our own family.

We must love our elderly neighbors as if they were our grandparents.





You shall love your neighbor as yourself. (Matthew 22:39)



Something to think about

Let's learn what True Father did when he was a student.





True Father helped poor people with their farm work, and carried heavy things for them. When his parents gave him money to pay his school fees, he gave it away to poor people.

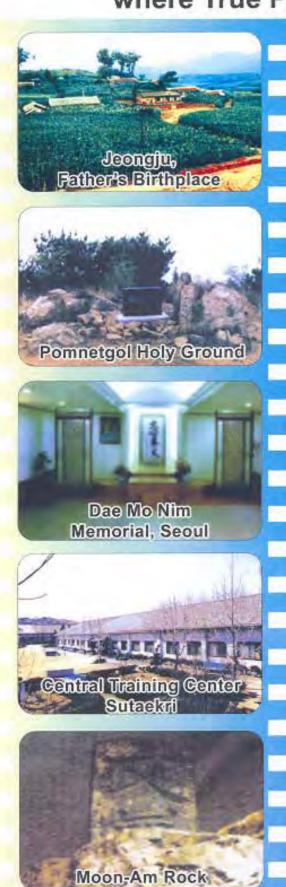


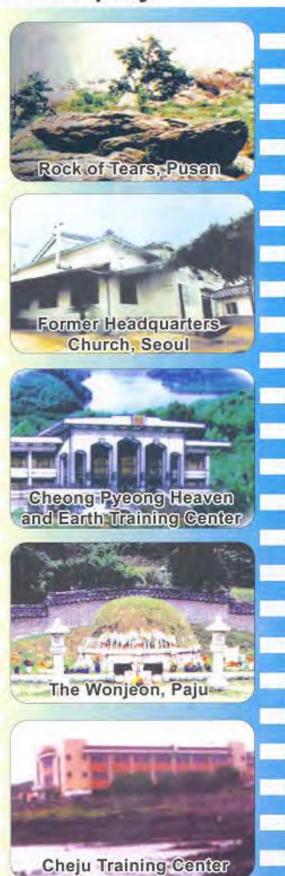
47. We practice the life of the Heavenly Kingdom



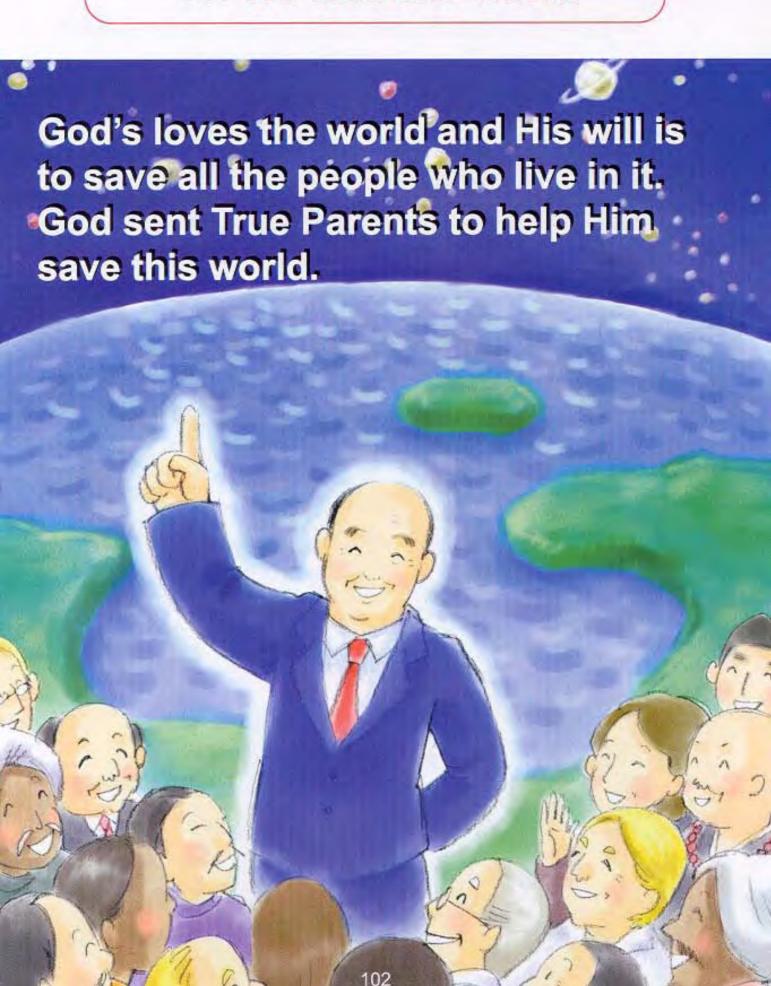


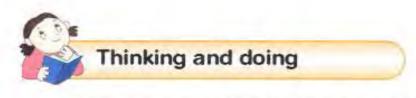
Let's look at these holy grounds in Korea where True Parents have prayed.



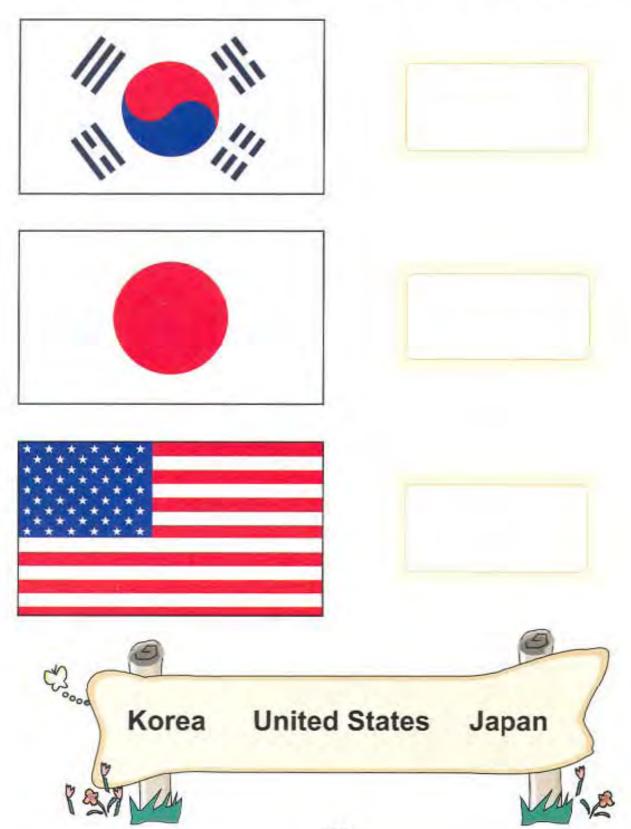


48. We love the world

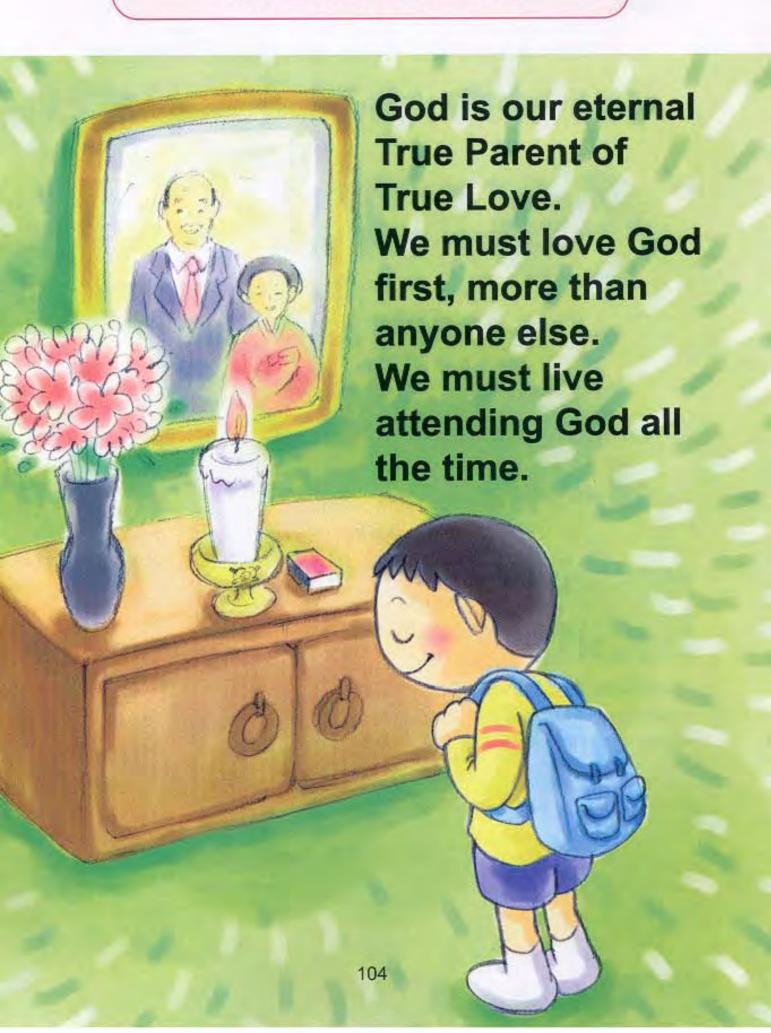




Which countries' flags are these? Find the right name for each flag and write it in the box.



49. We love God

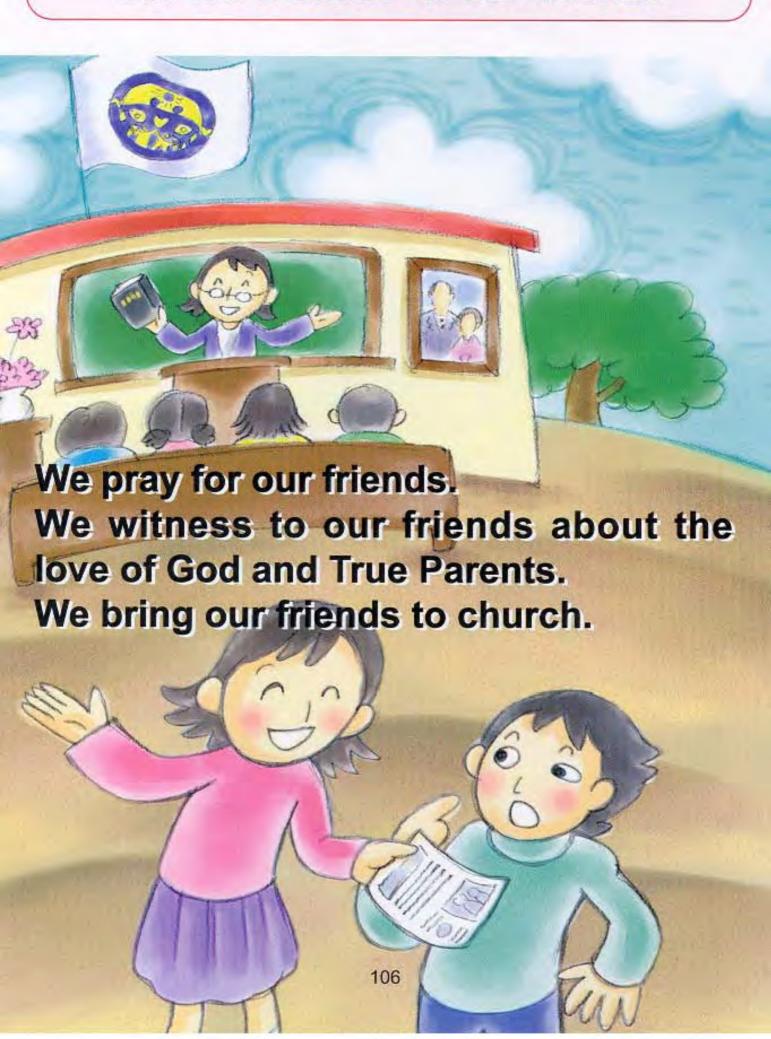


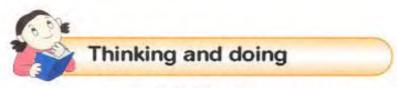


Pray out loud as these children are doing.



50. We witness to our friends

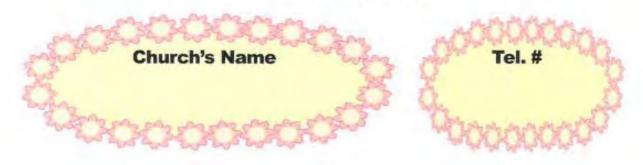




Write the names of the friends you want to witness to.

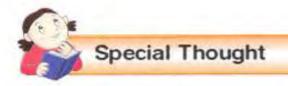


Write the name and telephone number of your church.

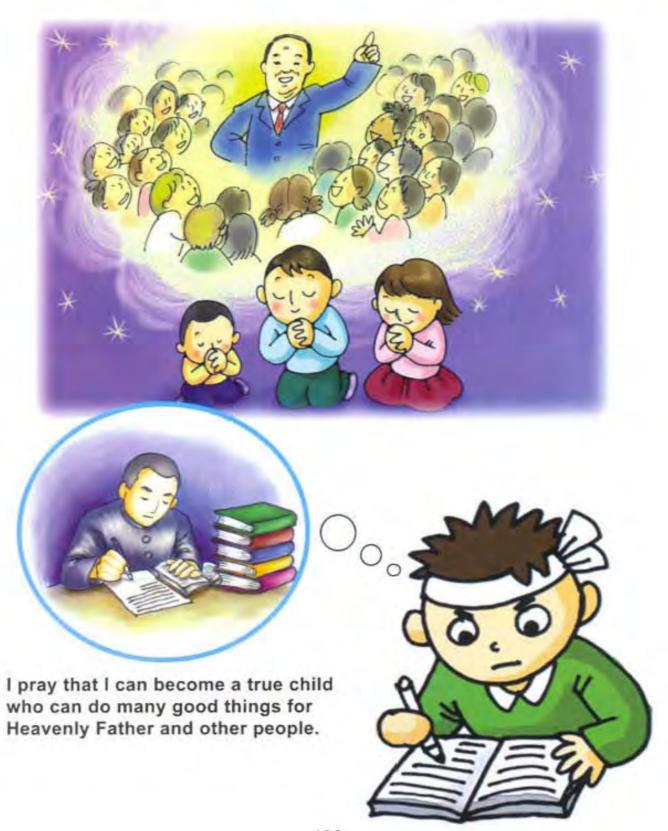


51. Doing everything with our whole heart

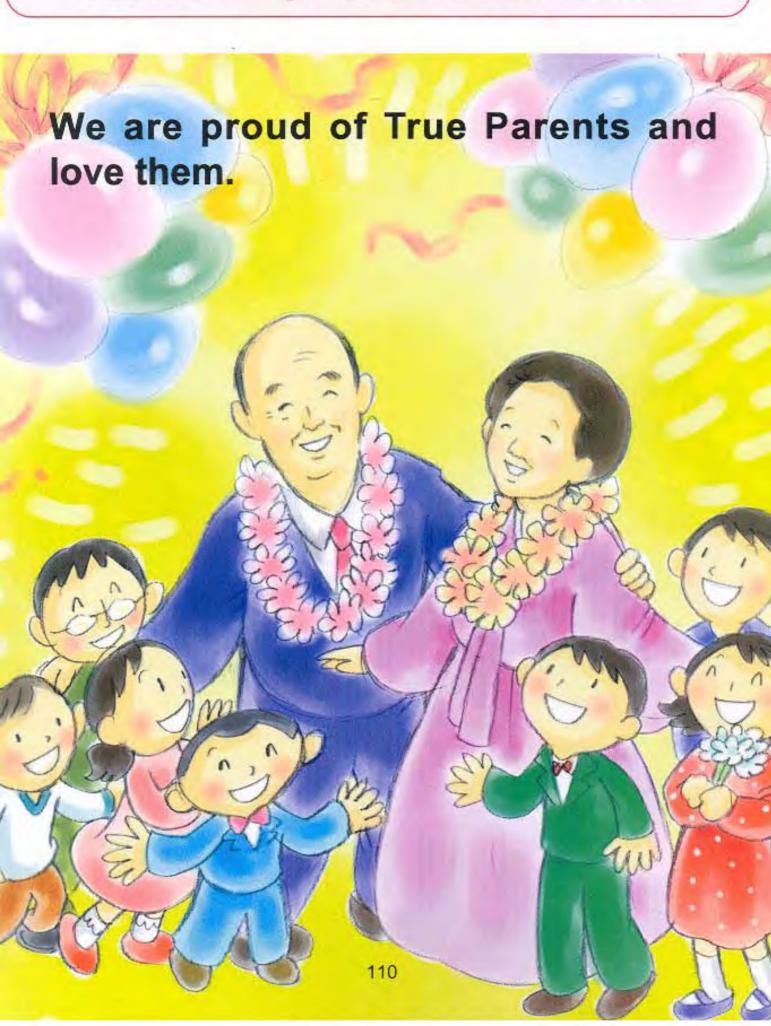




I want to be like True Parents. I will do everything with my whole heart.

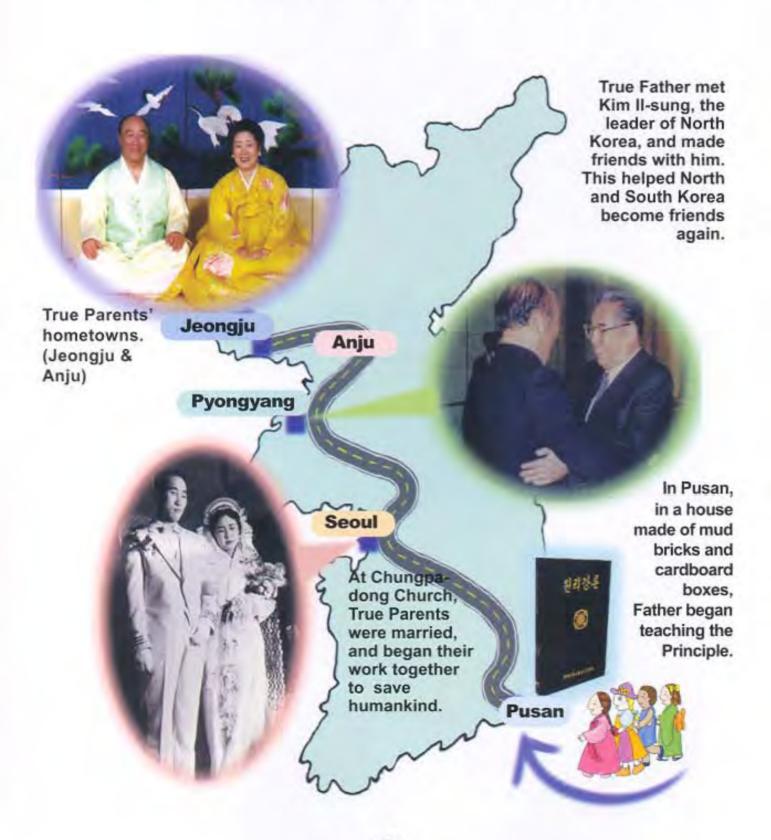


52. We are proud of True Parents





Let's visit True Parents' hometown, together with the children of the world.



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