

CEPC CHILDREN

Dear Girls and Boys,

Attached are some coloring sheets and some puzzles for you this Sunday.

Here is the Bible passage and something to think about.

Christian Unity John 17:20-23 "I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word, **21** that they may all be one, just as You, Father, are in Me, and I in You, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that You have sent Me. **22** The glory that You have given Me I have given to them, that they may be one even as We are one, **23** I in them and You in Me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that You sent Me and loved them even as You loved Me.

These Bible verses are not too hard to understand. They are harder to live. Maybe you've heard someone say: You are not the Boss of me! Or maybe you've heard someone say: I like to pick my own friends.

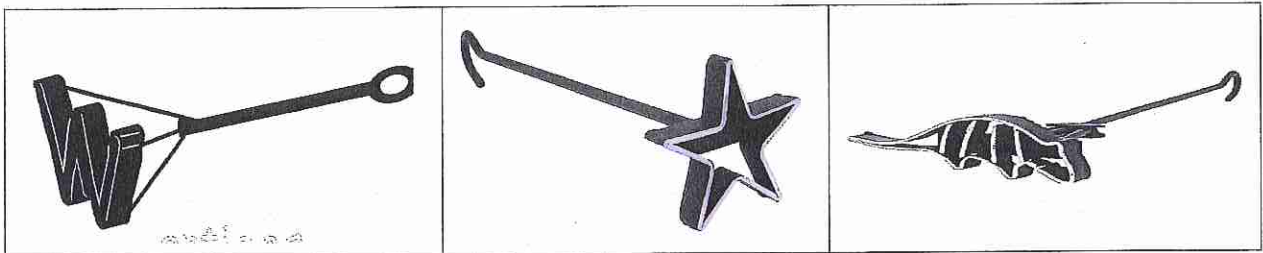
The beautiful thing about these verses is that once again God shows us that He is a loving Father. He loves you like He loves Jesus. And because He loves you and other Christians He wants us to love each other. We are one family united by blood – the blood of Jesus.

Maybe this illustration will help you think about these verses.

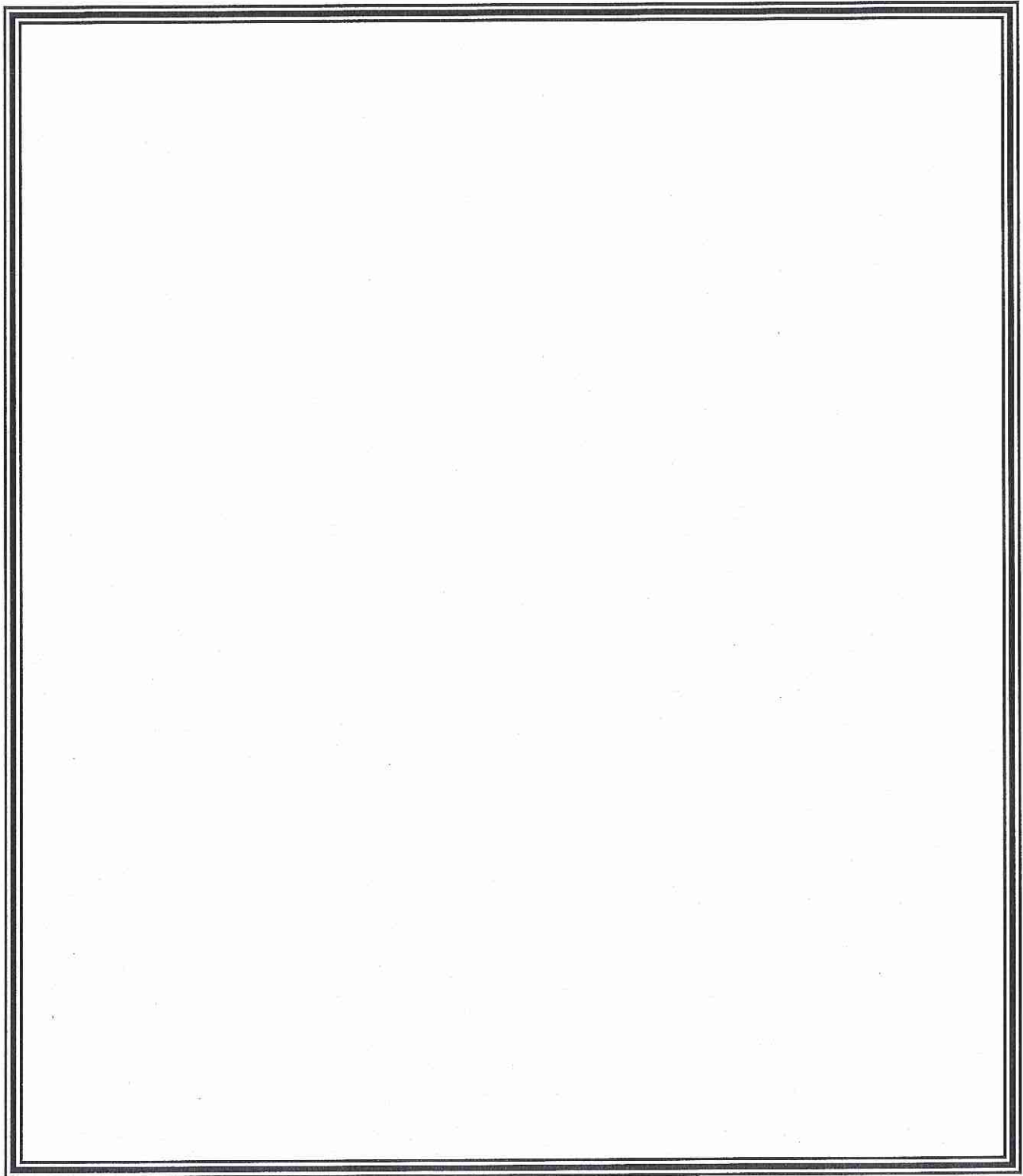
<p>* In John 10 Jesus tells us about the Good Shepherd.</p> <p>"Jesus said: I am the Good Shepherd. The Good Shepherd lays down His life for the sheep. There will be one flock, one Shepherd."</p>	<p>** Shepherds mark their sheep. It is called "branding." Today herds of sheep or cattle have brands that are painted on them. All shepherds know which sheep belong to which shepherd. They never get mixed up.</p>
<p>*** Branding tools have changed through the years. Now most brands are in paint that does not wash off. Think about how Jesus has marked you as His own. He doesn't put a symbol on you.</p>	<p>**** He puts His Holy Spirit in your heart. The cost of His brand was His life with His blood. All of His children are marked the same way.</p> <p>Jesus knows you, He never lets you go.</p>

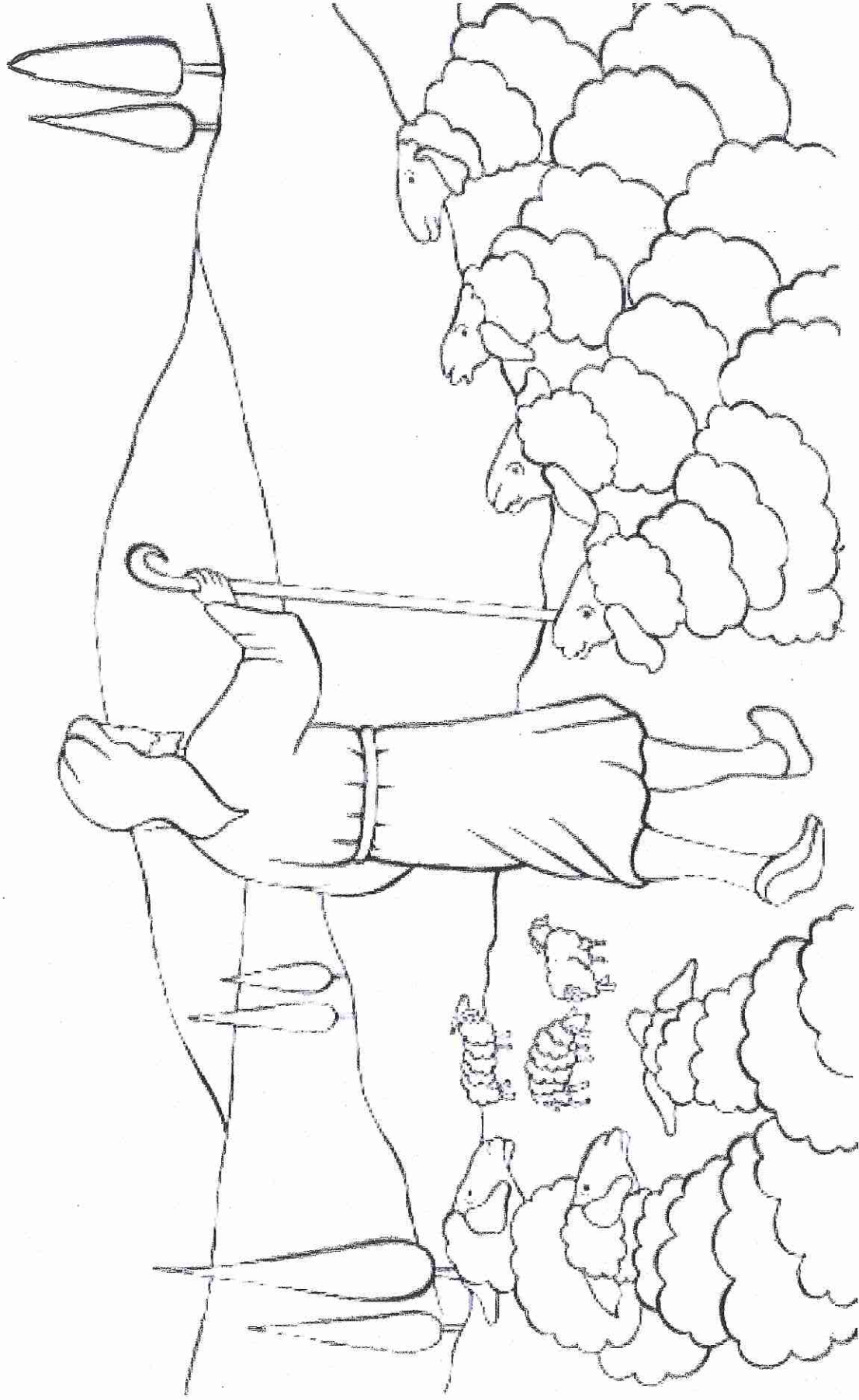


If you were designing a brand, what would it look like? Draw it on the next sheet.



If you had a flock of sheep, what would your brand look like? Draw it below.





Jesus said: I am the Good Shepherd. The Good Shepherd lays down His life for the sheep. John 10

Jesus prayed that:
they may become
perfectly one, so that the
world may know that You
sent Me and loved them
even as You loved Me.

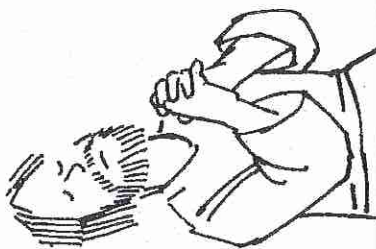
John 17:23

Draw a border and color in the letters.

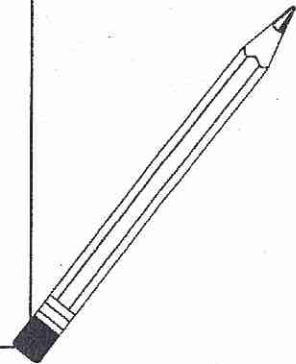
Find and circle the underlined words in the puzzle below.
Some will be found more than one time. They are → ↓ ↘ ↙ ↖ ↗

Jesus prayed:

"I have given them the glory
that You gave Me, that they
may be one as We are one —
I in them and You in Me."



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A	Y	S	E	I	N	I	E
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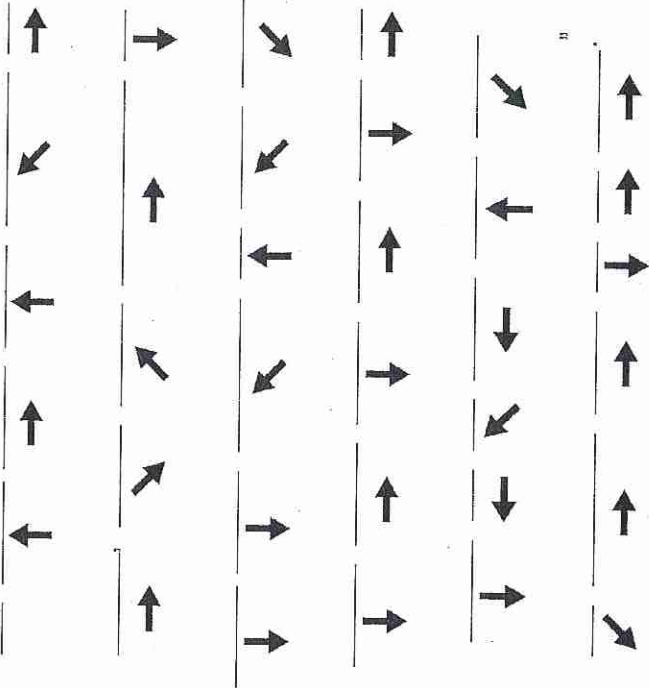
Jesus wanted people to know
more about God. What did He
say in His prayer?

Follow the arrows and write the words below.

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HAVE	MADE	THE	LOVE	KNOWN	MAKE
I	FISH	AND	YOU	HAVE	YOU
NET	THAT	THEM	IN	FOR	ME
I	MYSELF	MAY	SPIRIT	BE	MAY
ALL	HEART	BE	IN	THEM	HEAR

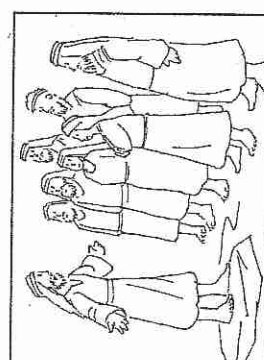
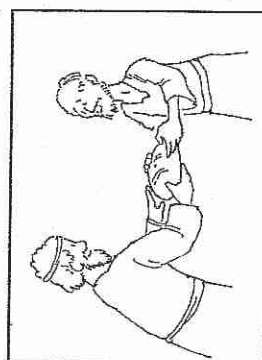
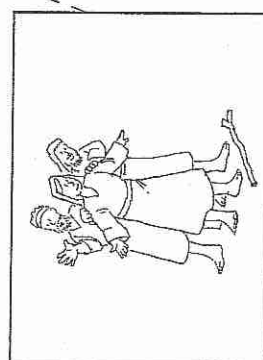
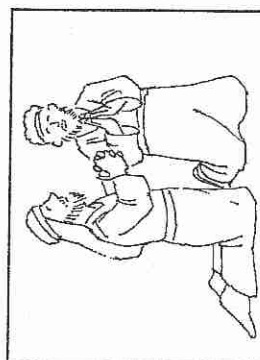
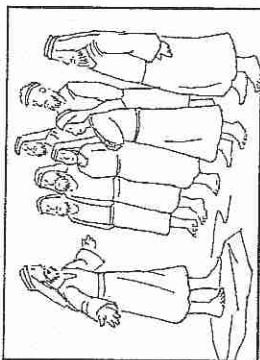
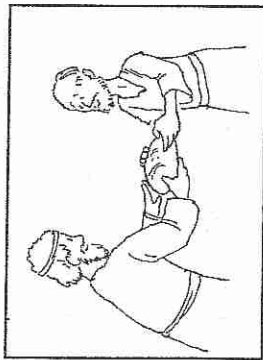
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"I



Jesus prayed,
 "May Your love for Me be in them."

Match the pictures.



Jesus Prays for All Believers

Jesus prayed for all who would believe.

Find these in
 the picture below.

