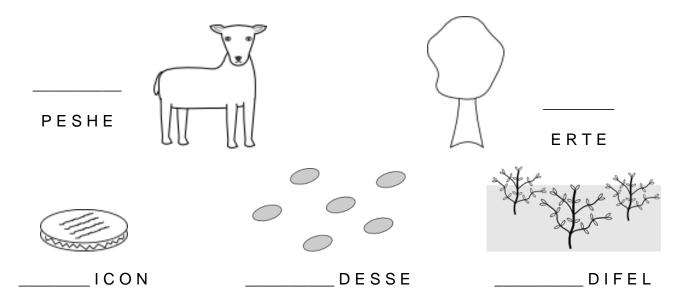
#### Learn About

# **Parables**

Parables are stories told by Jesus. In these stories he used everyday objects to help us understand more about God.

### **Everyday Things**

Unscramble the names of some things Jesus talked about in his parables.



Word List: COIN, FIELD, SEEDS, SHEEP, TREE

# Lost Things

Luke 15 contains three stories about lost things. Read each verse, and find out what was lost and who was looking for it.

Luke 15:6 (for the whole story read Luke 15:4-7)

Lost Thing \_\_\_\_\_\_ Person Looking \_\_\_\_\_\_

Luke 15:9 (for the whole story read Luke 15:8-10)

Lost Thing \_\_\_\_\_ Person Looking \_\_\_\_\_\_

Luke 15:20 (for the whole story read Luke 15:11-24)

Lost Thing \_\_\_\_\_ Person Looking \_\_\_\_\_\_

In each story the lost thing represents a person who doesn't know God, and the person looking represents God. God wants to find every person who doesn't know him and bring all of them to himself.

Word List: coin, father, man (or shepherd), sheep, son, woman

### The Good Samaritan

When Jesus said, "Love your neighbor as yourself," a man asked, "Who is my neighbor?" Jesus told a story. In this parable a man who had a problem was helped by a Samaritan, a man he thought was his enemy.

Read each verse, and number the events of the story in the right order.

1	Luke 10:30	 A Samaritan was sorry for the man and stopped to help.
2	Luke 10:31	 A man was robbed, beaten up, and left by the side of the road.
3	Luke 10:32	 He bandaged the man and put him on his own donkey.
4	Luke 10:33	 A priest (temple leader) passed by the man and didn't stop to help.
5	Luke 10:34	 He took the man to an inn (hotel) and left money to take care of him.
6	Luke 10:35	 A Levite (temple helper) stopped to look at the man but didn't help him.

## The Meaning of the Story

