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Lazarus Brought Back to Life

The story of Lazarus is one of the most exciting in the Bible! *Fit all the **bold purple** words from the story into the grid below. All the vowels are already in place to help you. Then go from top to bottom and take the letters in the shaded boxes to find out what Jesus said to Lazarus when Lazarus was dead and buried.*

There was a man named Lazarus who was sick. He lived in the town of **Bethany**, where Mary and her **sister** Martha lived. **Mary** and Martha sent someone to tell Jesus, "**Lord**, the one you love is sick."

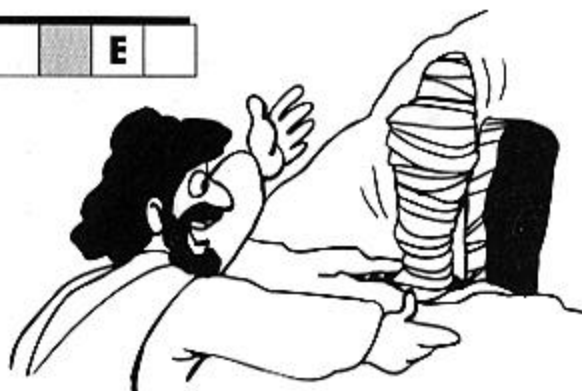
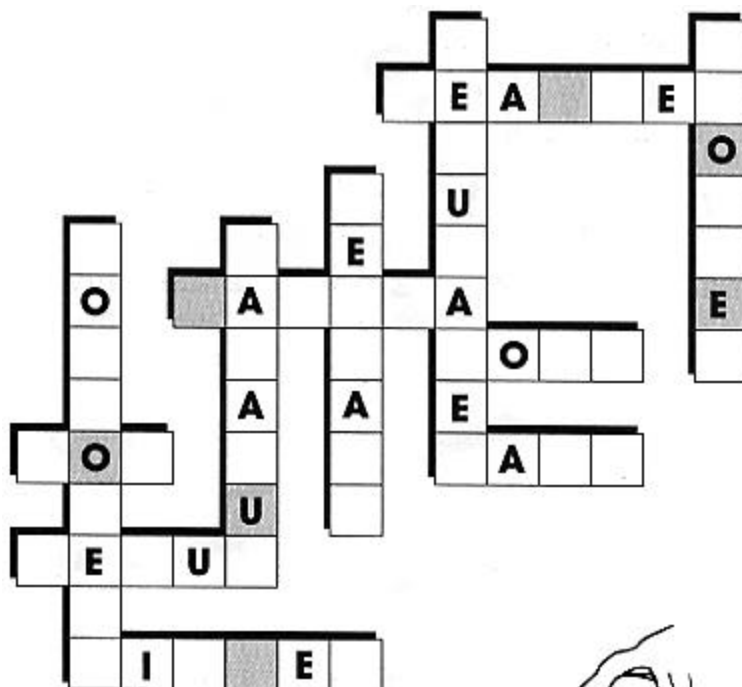
Jesus loved **Martha** and her sister and Lazarus. But when he heard that Lazarus was sick, he stayed where he was for two more days. Then **Jesus** said to his followers, "Let us go back to Judea."

The **followers** said, "But **Teacher**, the Jews there tried to kill you. Now you want to go back there?" Jesus said, "**Lazarus** is dead. But let us go to him now."

Bethany was about two miles from **Jerusalem**. Martha heard that Jesus was coming, and she went out to meet him. Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if you had been here, my **brother** would not have died. But I know that even now **God** will give you anything you ask."

Jesus felt very sad in his heart. He came to the tomb. Jesus said, "Move the stone away." After Jesus said this, he cried out in a loud voice, "Lazarus,

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