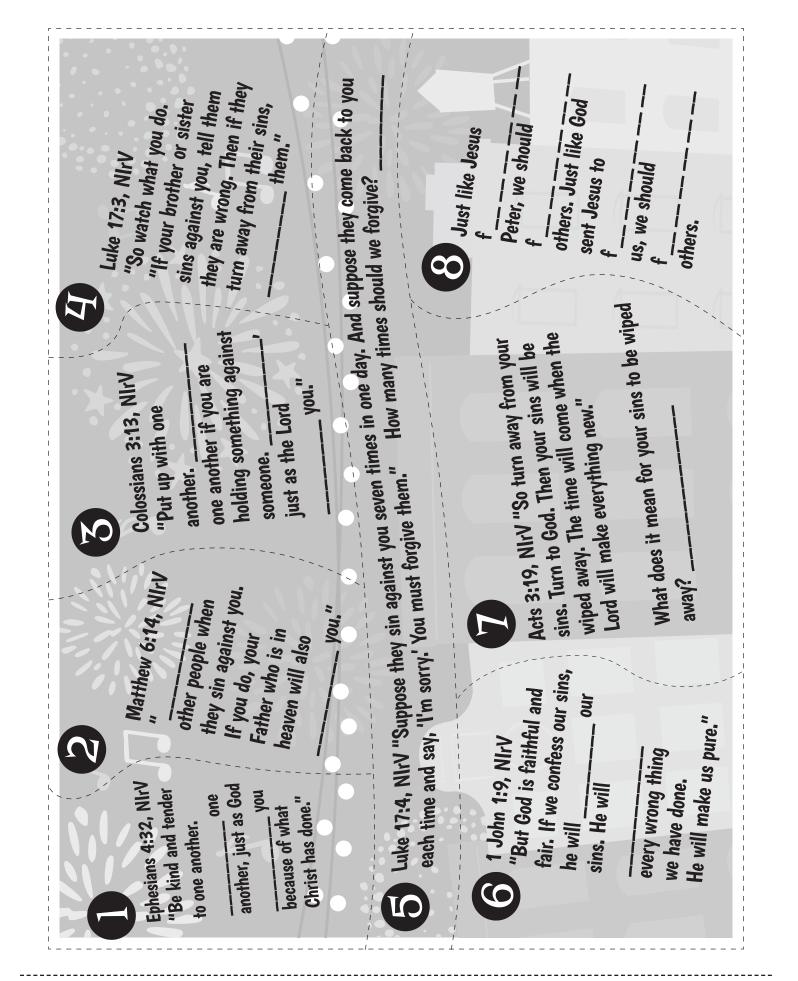
After this, Jesus appeared to His disciples again. It was by the Sea of Galilee. Here is what happened.	Simon Peter and Thomas, who was also called Didymus, were there together. Nathanael from Cana in Galilee and the sons of Zebedee were with them. So were two other disciples.	"I'm going out to fish," Simon Peter told them. They said, "We'll go with you." So they went out and got into the boat. That night they didn't catch anything.
Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore. But the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus.	He called out to them, "Friends, don't you have any fish?" "No," they answered.	He said, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat. There you will find some fish." When they did, they could not pull the net into the boat. There were too many fish in it.
Then the disciple Jesus loved said to Simon Peter, "It is the Lord!"	As soon as Peter heard that, he put his coat on. He had taken it off earlier. Then he jumped into the water.	The other disciples followed in the boat. They were towing the net full of fish. The shore was only about 100 yards away.
When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals. There were fish on it. There was also some bread.	Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you have just caught."	So Simon Peter climbed back into the boat. He dragged the net to shore. It was full of large fish. There were 153 of them. But even with that many fish the net was not torn.
Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." None of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord.	Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them. He did the same thing with the fish.	This was the third time Jesus appeared to His disciples after He was raised from the dead.
When Jesus and the disciples had finished eating, Jesus spoke to Simon Peter. He asked, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these others do?"	"Yes, Lord," he answered. "You know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my lambs."	Again Jesus asked, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?"
He answered, "Yes, Lord. You know that I love you." Jesus said, "Take care of my sheep."	Jesus spoke to him a third time. He asked, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt bad because Jesus asked him the third time, "Do you love me?"	He answered, "Lord, you know all things. You know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my sheep. John 21:1-17, NIrV

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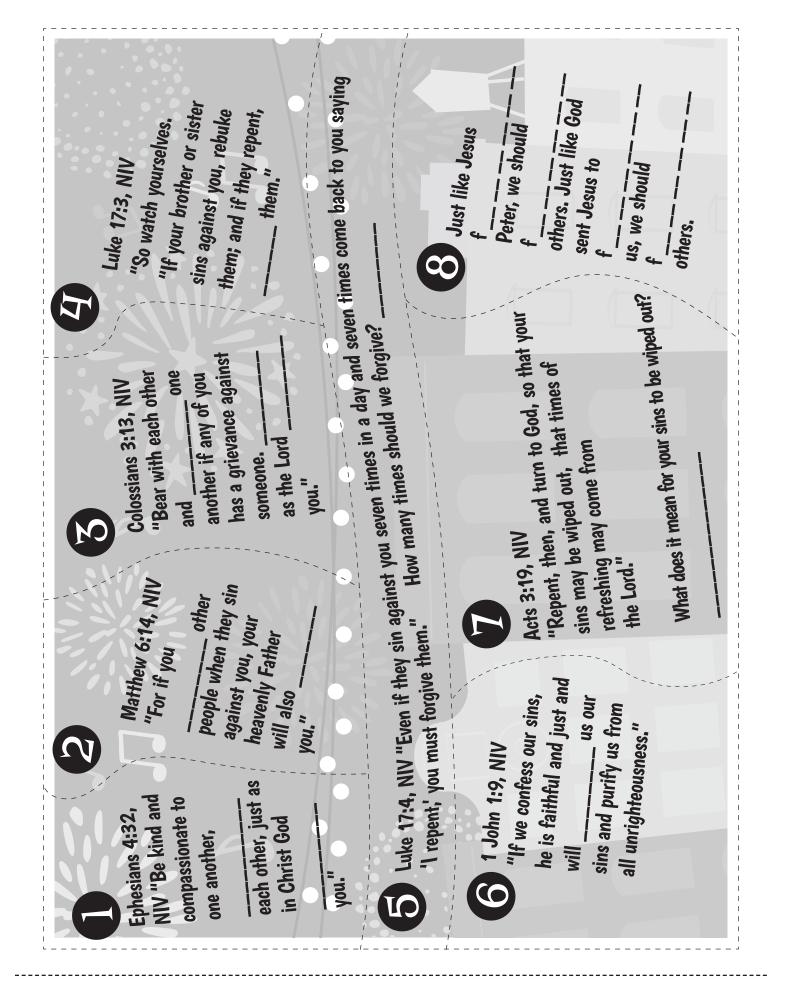
Afterward Jesus appeared again to His disciples, by the Sea of Galilee. It happened this way:	Simon Peter, Thomas, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two other disciples were together.	"I'm going out to fish," Simon Peter told them, and they said, "We'll go with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.
Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus.	He called out to them, "Friends, haven't you any fish?" "No," they answered.	He said, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some."
When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish.	Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!"	As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, "It is the Lord," he wrapped his outer garment around him (for he had taken it off) and jumped into the water.
The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred yards.	When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, and some bread.	Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you have just caught."
So Simon Peter climbed back into the boat and dragged the net ashore.	It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast."	None of the disciples dared ask him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord.
Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.	This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead.	When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" "Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my lambs."
Again Jesus said, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He answered, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Take care of my sheep."	The third time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, "Do you love me?"	He said, "Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my sheep. John 21:1-17, NIV



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