

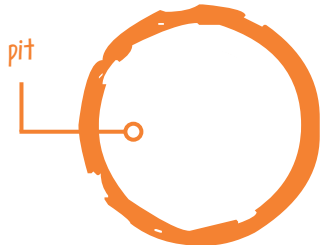


1

Read Genesis 37:16-28.

We tell the story of Joseph with a happy ending, but we can't forget he spent some time in a pit, waiting to be sold as a slave!

Write the name of a "pit" you're in or have been in. (A pit is a hard, scary, or sad situation.) Around the pit write the words, God is with me!



PRAISE God for being with you, even in the pits.

2

God was with Joseph, even when things weren't going well. God is always with His people. The book of Hebrews (where all this month's Bible stories come from) lists other people God was with, even when times were tough.

Look up these verses to discover some other faithful God-followers:

Hebrews 11:7
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Hebrews 11:30
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(Hint: Who led the Israelites to march around the walls of Jericho? See Joshua 6:2.)

Hebrews 11:30
 Write 6 people's names here:

Read Psalm 9:9-10 to discover others He's with.

THANK God that you can know He's always with you.

Answers: Noah; Joshua; Gideon; Barak; Samson; Jephthah; David; Samuel

3

Read Psalm 139:7-10.

There's no escaping it. God just loves you way too much to ever let you go. Did you read the verse? Get it? There's nowhere you can go that He's not willing to go with you. Where might your faith lead you to go for HIM?

- Interview an adult about things he or she has done because of faith in Jesus.
- Write what you learn on the back of this card and record it as a faith story.

ASK God to let you feel His presence when you need Him.

4

Read 2 Timothy 2:13.

See this wavy line?



Label it "Life." Change colors and draw a straight line above the wavy line. Label it "God."

Here's the deal. Life is up and down. (Remember Joseph? Thrown in a pit, sold as a slave, put in charge of Potiphar's house, thrown in jail for something he didn't do, put second in command of Egypt, saved people from starvation.) But God is not up and down. He is always faithful, even when you're not.

PRAY that your life will be an example of faithfulness.

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