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Preschool Playhouse®



For God's Little Children

"We love Ms. Dunn," said all the children. "She is a fun Sunday School teacher. She plays games and acts out Bible stories with us."

"Ms. Dunn misses her home in Africa. She would like a card," Sharon said.

They taped two yellow poster boards together. Then they placed heart and flower stickers everywhere!

They drew smiling faces and stars on the boards. They drew Ms. Dunn. Each child wrote his or her name on the card.

The children showed Ms. Dunn their love and it made her feel special. Ms. Dunn was happy with her card.



"The [stranger] living with you must be treated as one of your native-born. Love him as yourself, for you were [strangers] in Egypt. I am the LORD your God"
(from Leviticus 19:34, NIV).

Act It Out



God said He is the LORD. God gave us laws about being holy and just. People should see His love in us. Sometimes we have more than we need; we should share with those who have less than us. Never take what is not yours, tell the truth no matter what, and never, ever cheat!

Always honor God's name. Never use His name in the

wrong way. Show love and compassion to disabled people and treat everyone exactly the same. Try to live in harmony with your neighbors and love them as yourself.

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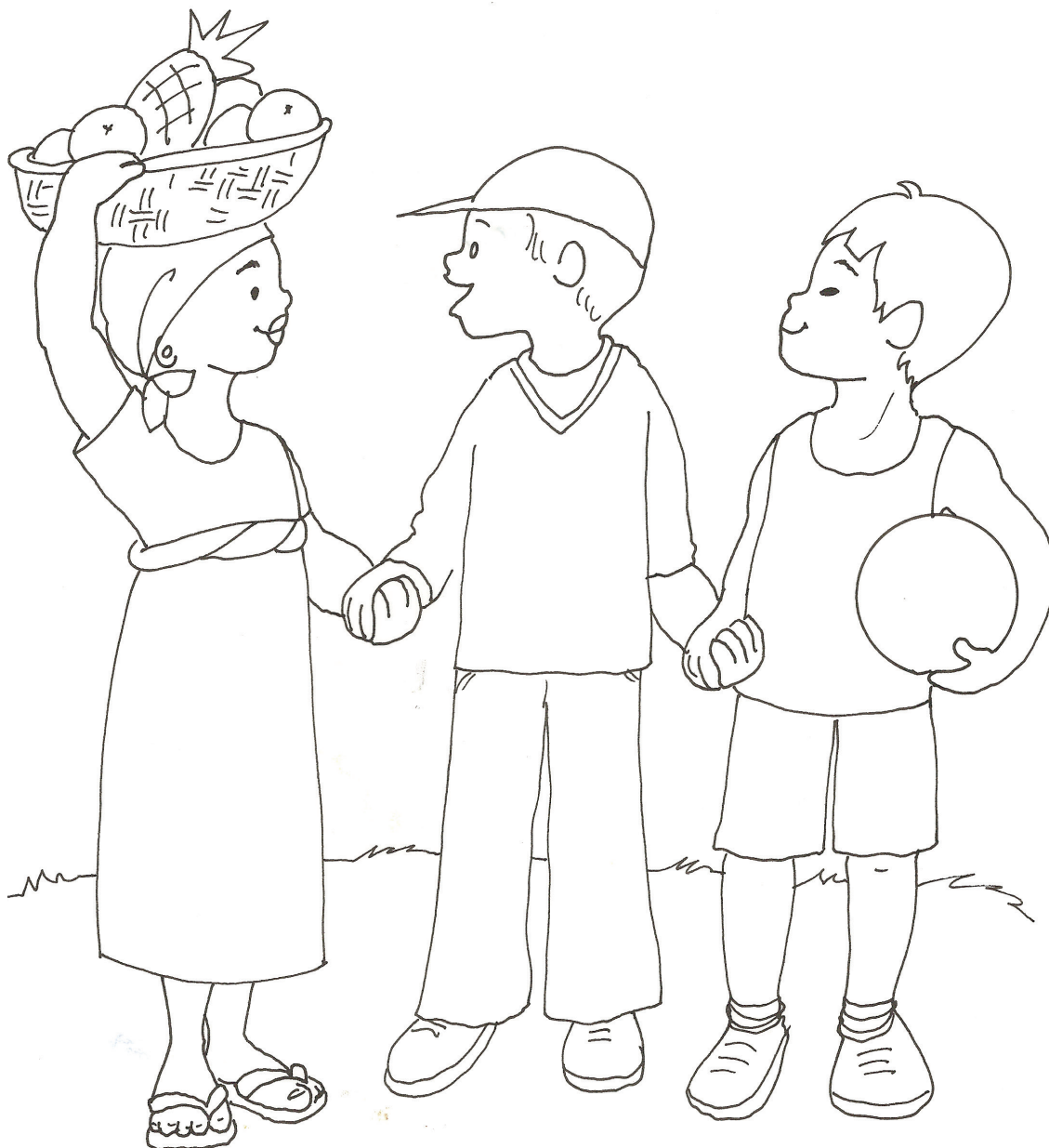
We are called of God to create, produce, and distribute quality Christian education products; to deliver exemplary customer service; and to provide quality Christian educational services, which will empower God's people, especially within the Black community, to evangelize, disciple, and equip people for serving Christ, His kingdom, and church.

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Loving Our Neighbors

God said to love each other as He has loved us. Color this picture of children from different places.



**Memory
Verse:**

"Love each other as I have loved you"
(from John 15:12, NIV).

Your preschooler is learning the importance of being compassionate toward others. Point out opportunities where he or she can show compassion to someone this week.

GROWING

An Act of Compassion

This child is showing his love for an elderly woman by giving her flowers. Connect the dots, color the flowers, and pretend this is someone you know and care about.



Name _____

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Mason has to go to a new school.

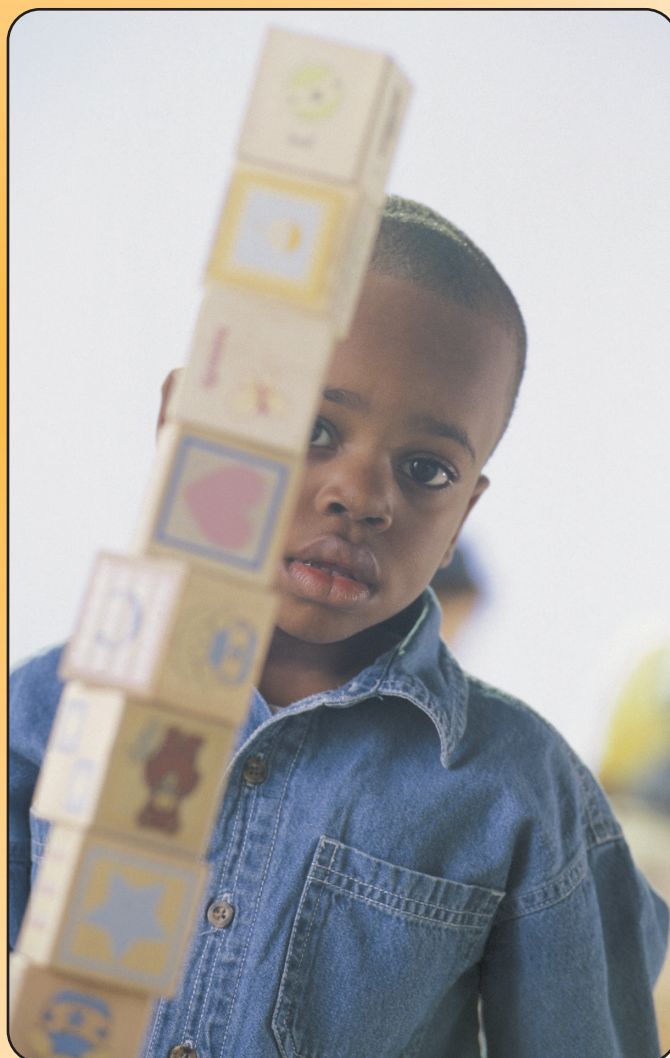
He liked his old school.

Now he Grumbles!

"I do not like this school. My old school had toys. My old school was big. My old school was nice. I do not like this school."

Mason is not happy.

Should he be happy? What should he do to become happy?



"The rabble with them began to crave other food, and again the Israelites started wailing and said, 'If only we had meat to eat! We remember the fish we ate in Egypt at no cost—also the cucumbers, melons, leeks, onions and garlic. But now we have lost our appetite; we never see anything but this manna!'" (from Numbers 1:4–6, NIV)

Don't Grumble



The people grumbled!
They did not want
God's "manna."

Some people wanted
other food and meat.

They wanted what
they ate in Egypt.

This made God angry!
God loved the people.
God gave the people
meat.

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“Don’t Be A Grumble-Bee”

What do you see? Use yellow and black crayons. Then you can see. What is it? Can you write the name?



Don't be a

GRUMBLE-BEE

**Memory
Verse:**

*"Bless the LORD, O my soul"
(from Psalm 103:2, KJV).*

Your preschooler learned not to be a "Grumble-Bee" but to show gratitude to God and others. Ask your child about ways they can show gratitude.

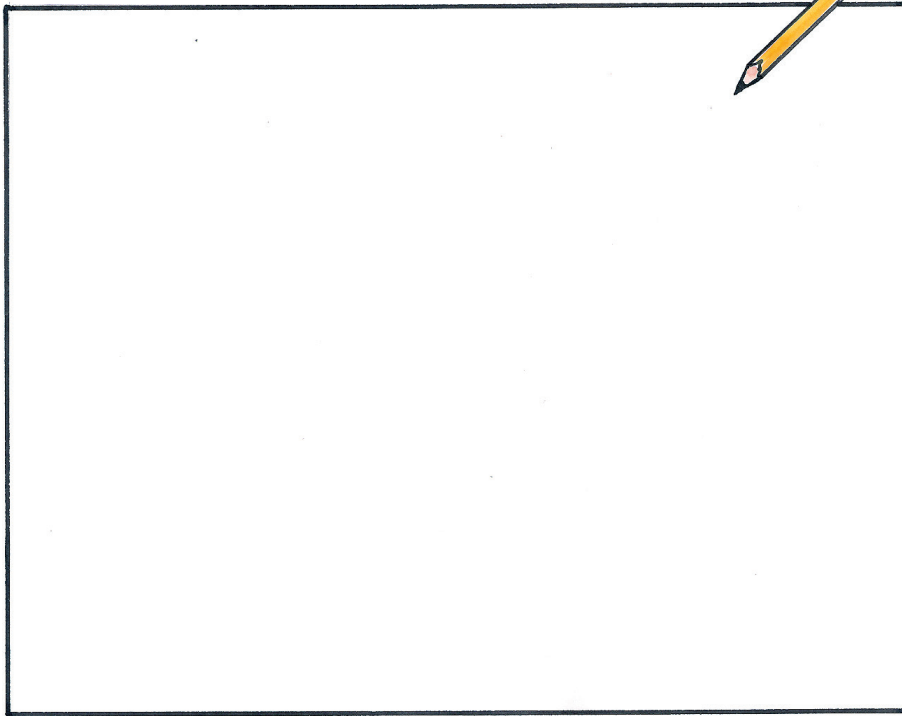
The word "GROWING" is written in a stylized, blocky font. The letters are white with a blue outline. The word is set against a background of three overlapping shapes: a green oval on the left, a yellow star in the middle, and a blue octagon on the right.

GROWING

"I Am Grateful for ..."

What do you like? Draw a picture to show. Draw a picture inside the frame of someone or something you are grateful for.

Mason was a grumble bee. Can you make him happy? Draw a smile for Mason.



Name _____