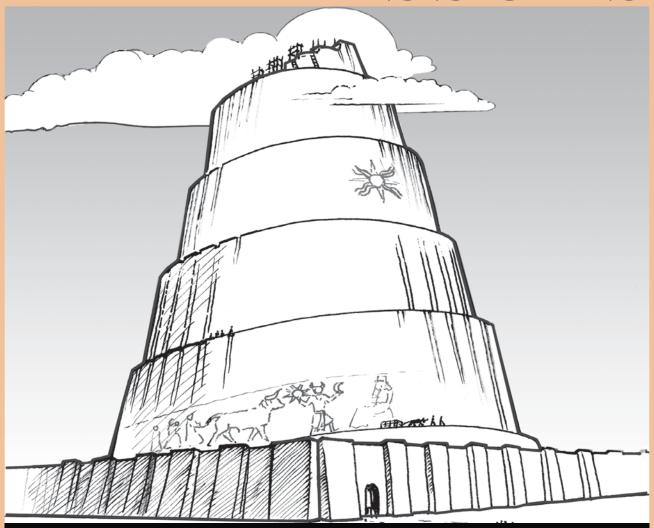
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In the previous lesson, we learned about the Flood that destroyed the Earth. Noah and his family were the only people protected. Noah had three sons: Shem, Ham and Japheth. Including their wives, there were only eight people remaining after the Flood.

Ham had a son named Cush. When Cush grew up, he had a son named Nimrod. Nimrod was a very strong man and a mighty hunter. The people looked up to Nimrod because of his strength. They saw him as a leader and a hero. Nimrod defended the people from wild beasts.

Nimrod did not obey God. But the people admired him, and they followed his wrong example. He taught the people to worship the sun and snakes, rather than God.

Noah was still alive, and he obeyed God. Noah tried to warn the people, but just as before the Flood, they would not listen.

Nimrod planned and organized the building of a very tall tower. He wanted to make a tower that would reach

the heavens. It was a temple for the people to worship the sun. Nimrod was rebelling against God.

People liked this project. They worked very hard, and it soon became the most important thing in their lives. It was easy for the people to work together because they all spoke the same language.

God did not want this to happen. He wanted people to obey Him. The people forgot the Flood, and they forgot God. If the building of this tower continued, God knew that the people would become as evil as they were before the Flood.

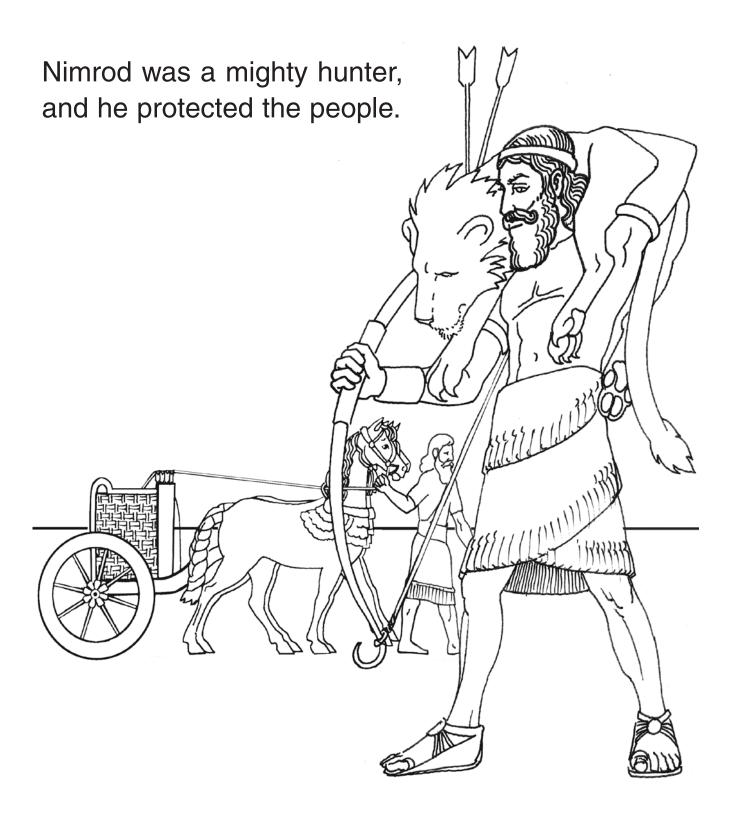
God caused the people to speak different languages. This caused them to break into separate groups. They could no longer work together to build this tower. There was confusion and the building stopped.

Those who spoke the same language moved in groups to different parts of the world to start over.

This very tall tower built to worship other gods was called the Tower of Babel. The word Babel means confusion.

In the next lesson, we will learn about a man who obeyed God and received many blessings because he did so. This man is Abraham.

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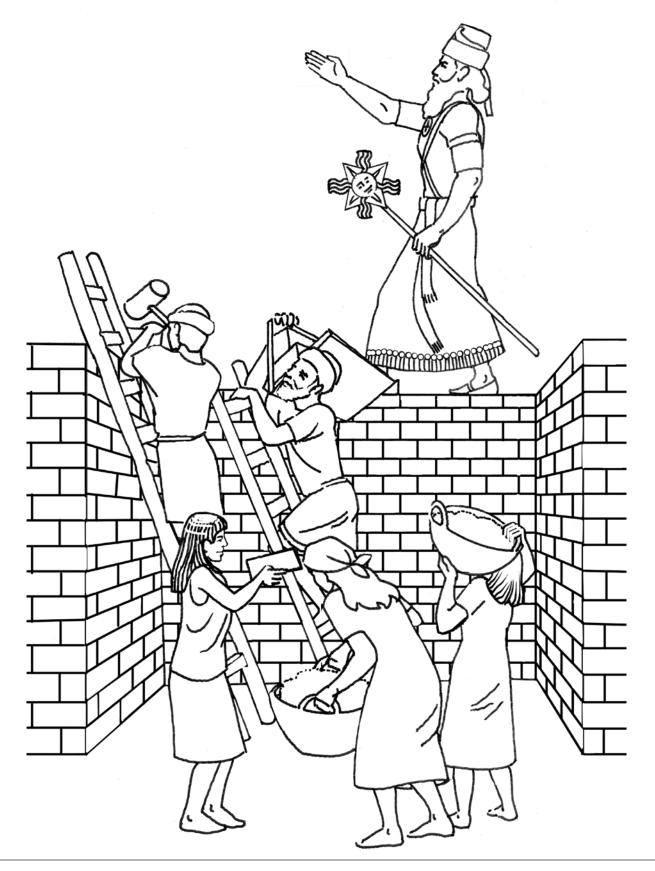
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Nimrod did not obey God. He taught the people to worship other gods such as the sun and snakes.

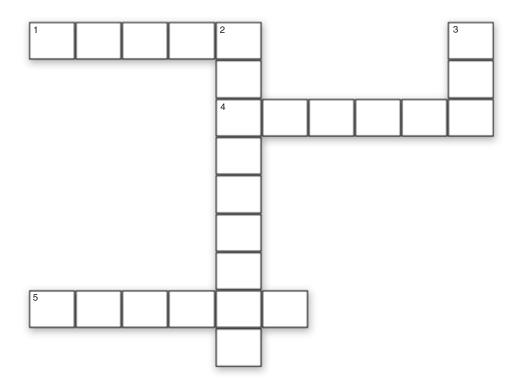
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Nimrod planned the building of a very tall tower.



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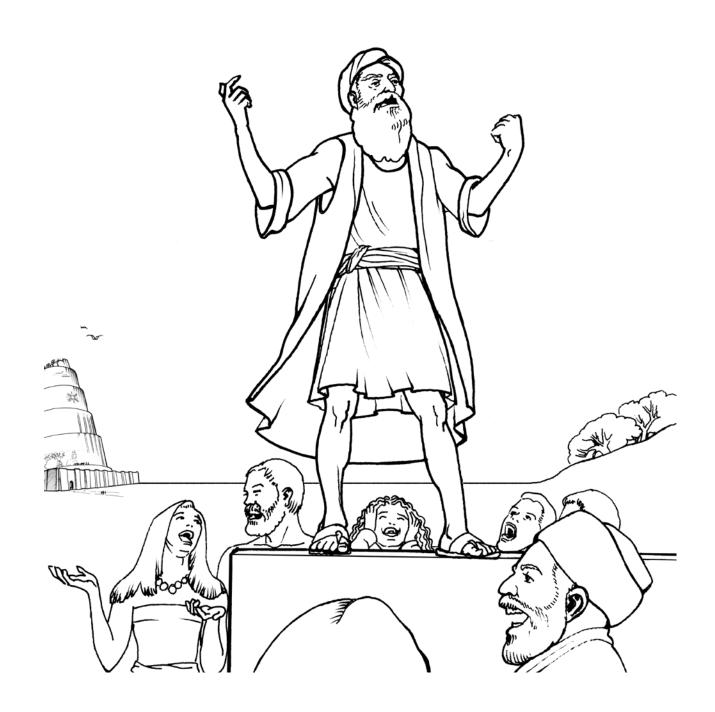


Across

- 1. Tower of _ _ _ _ .
- 4. _ _ _ _ was the son of Cush.

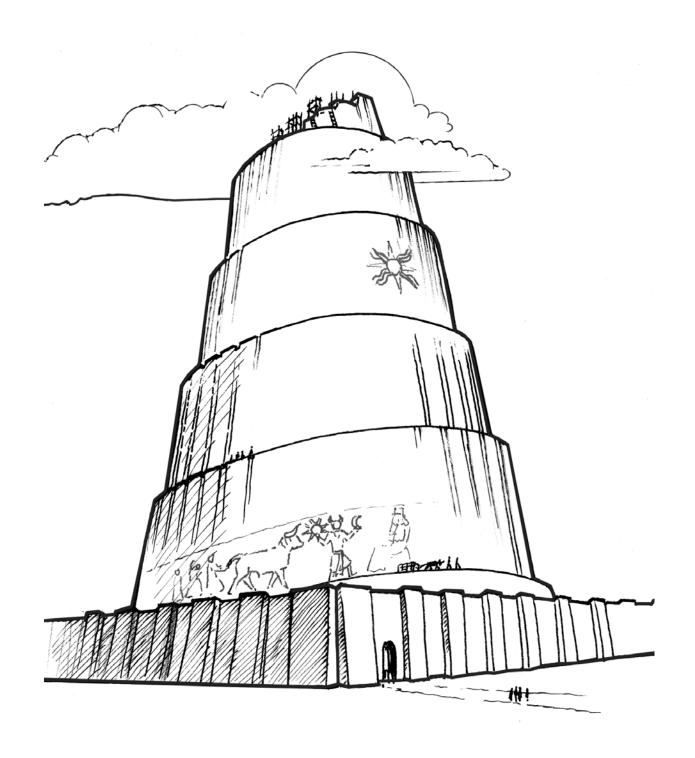
Down

- 2. God confused the people by making them speak different
- 5. Nimrod was a mighty 3. _ _ was not pleased with Nimrod.



Noah was still alive, and he obeyed God. Noah tried to warn the people, but just as before the Flood, they would not listen.

7 CHILDREN'S BIBLE LESSON



God caused the people to speak different languages. This confused the people, so they stopped working. Those who spoke the same language moved to different places around the world.

LEVEL 1 / LESSON 5

FILL IN THE BLANKS

Review the story of the Tower of Babel and fill in the blanks.

1.		had	a	son	named	Nimrod.

- 2. The people looked up to ___ _ _ _ _ _ because of his strength.
- 3. Nimrod taught the people to worship the ___ __ and snakes.
- 4. __ _ was still alive and he obeyed God.
- 5. Nimrod planned the building of a very tall ___ _ _ _ _ _.

Parents: Please explain and help your child with the next two activities.

TRUE OR FALSE

Circle the correct answer

1. Noah was not alive when the Tower of Babel was being built.

True / False

2. Noah told the people to obey God.

True / False

3. Nimrod protected the people.

True / False

4. God caused the people to speak the same language.

True / False

5. Nimrod did not obey God.

True / False

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BIBLE MEMORY: Genesis 11:6-7

Crossword Puzzle									
Across: 1. The people his wrong example. 2. Nimrod was									
Down: 3. The tower was a worship the sun. 4. Babel means		4							
1									
2									