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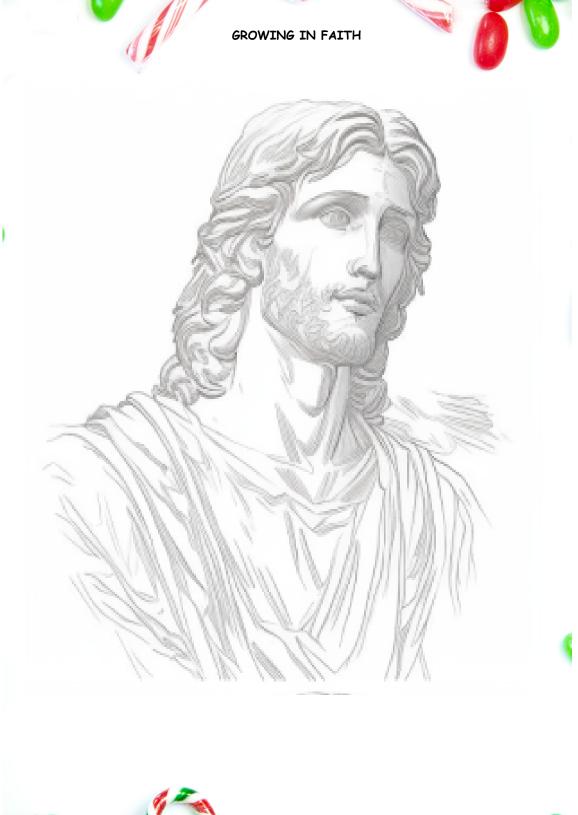


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Introduction

Welcome, boys, to our exciting book of Christian stories! We have prepared for you a collection of stories about the 12 disciples of Jesus.

We will focus on the good character traits they possessed. You will have the opportunity to learn about the kind of person you should strive to be.

From Peter's courage to Matthias' faithfulness, these stories will inspire and encourage you to become a better person.

Each story comes with fun illustrations and reflection questions at the end to make the learning experience more interactive and enjoyable.





You'll also find biblical references and quotes to help you understand the context and the teachings of these stories.

By reading these stories, you'll learn valuable lessons about how to be a good person, a true friend, and a responsible member of the community.

You'll discover that it's important to be honest, kind, humble, and persevering and that you should avoid being like Judas Iscariot, the traitor.

This book is not just for reading but for learning and growing. We hope it will be a valuable tool for you and your parents or teachers to help you understand the importance of good character and Christian values in today's society.





While reading about the disciple of Jesus, you will answer questions, learn a Bible verse and then color a Bible image.

We hope that by the end of the book, you will learn what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ, a Christian.

So, let's begin this journey together and learn how to become the best version of ourselves.















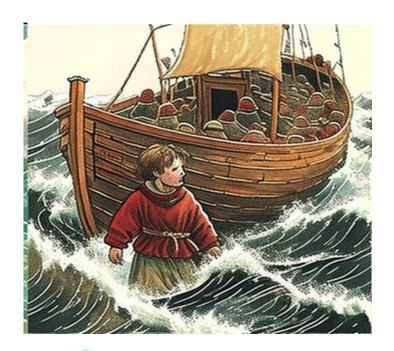




Peter's Courage

Once upon a time, there was a boy named Peter. He lived in a small fishing village and loved to go out on the boat with his father to catch fish.

One day, while out on the water, a big storm came, and the boat began to fill with water. Peter and his father were afraid they would sink and drown.









But Peter remembered something Jesus had told him, "I will be with you always, even until the end of the age."

With that thought in mind, Peter dared to bail out of the water and save the boat and himself and his father.



After the storm passed, Peter's father said to him, "Peter, I am proud of you for having the courage to save us. I can see that Jesus' teachings have made you a brave young man."

From that day on, Peter knew that with Jesus by his side, he could do anything.

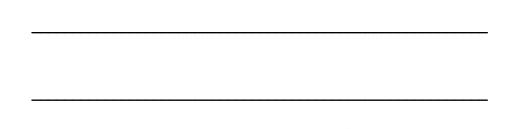




Reflection Questions

1.	What made Peter courageous during the
	storm?

2. How can we remember that Jesus is always with us, even in difficult times?







3. How can we apply Peter's courage in our own lives?

Bible Verse



"I will be with you always, even until the end of the age." - Matthew 28:20

















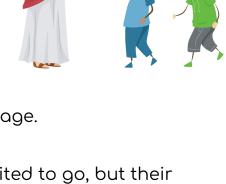
James and John's Loyalty

Once upon a time, there were two brothers named James and John. They were known for their strong friendship and loyalty to each other.

They also had a strong faith in Jesus and were eager to follow him wherever he went.

One day, Jesus asked them to accompany him on a journey to a nearby village to spread his message.

James and John were excited to go, but their mother asked them to stay and help her with the family's fishing business.







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