

The Empty Tomb

Spring Unit 4:
Jesus is Alive

Bible Verse:
“Jesus said, ‘I am alive for ever and ever.’”
Revelation 1:18

God’s Word & Me (Bottom Line):
I can thank God for the good news Jesus is alive.



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Matthew 28:1-10



When Jesus was here on Earth, Jesus did many wonderful things for people. He made blind people see. He made crippled people walk again. He taught people about God.

Jesus **loved** people very much. And many people loved Him.

But not everyone loved Jesus. Some people hated Jesus. They wanted to hurt Jesus. They didn’t like it that many men and women wanted Jesus to be their leader!



These **angry** people said, “If we let Jesus go on like this, everyone will believe in HIM, and we won’t be in charge!” These people hated Jesus so much they killed Him.

Jesus’ friends were very sad when Jesus died. They didn’t know God’s plan for Jesus.

The sad friends put Jesus’ body in a tomb in a garden. The tomb was a little room cut out of the side of a hill. Jesus’ friends **rolled** a big stone in front of the opening of the tomb.



On the first day of the week, some women who were Jesus’ friends walked to the tomb. The women were still very sad. They thought Jesus’ body was in the tomb. But when the women got to the tomb, God had a big surprise for them! The big stone in front of the tomb had been moved. Jesus’ body was GONE.

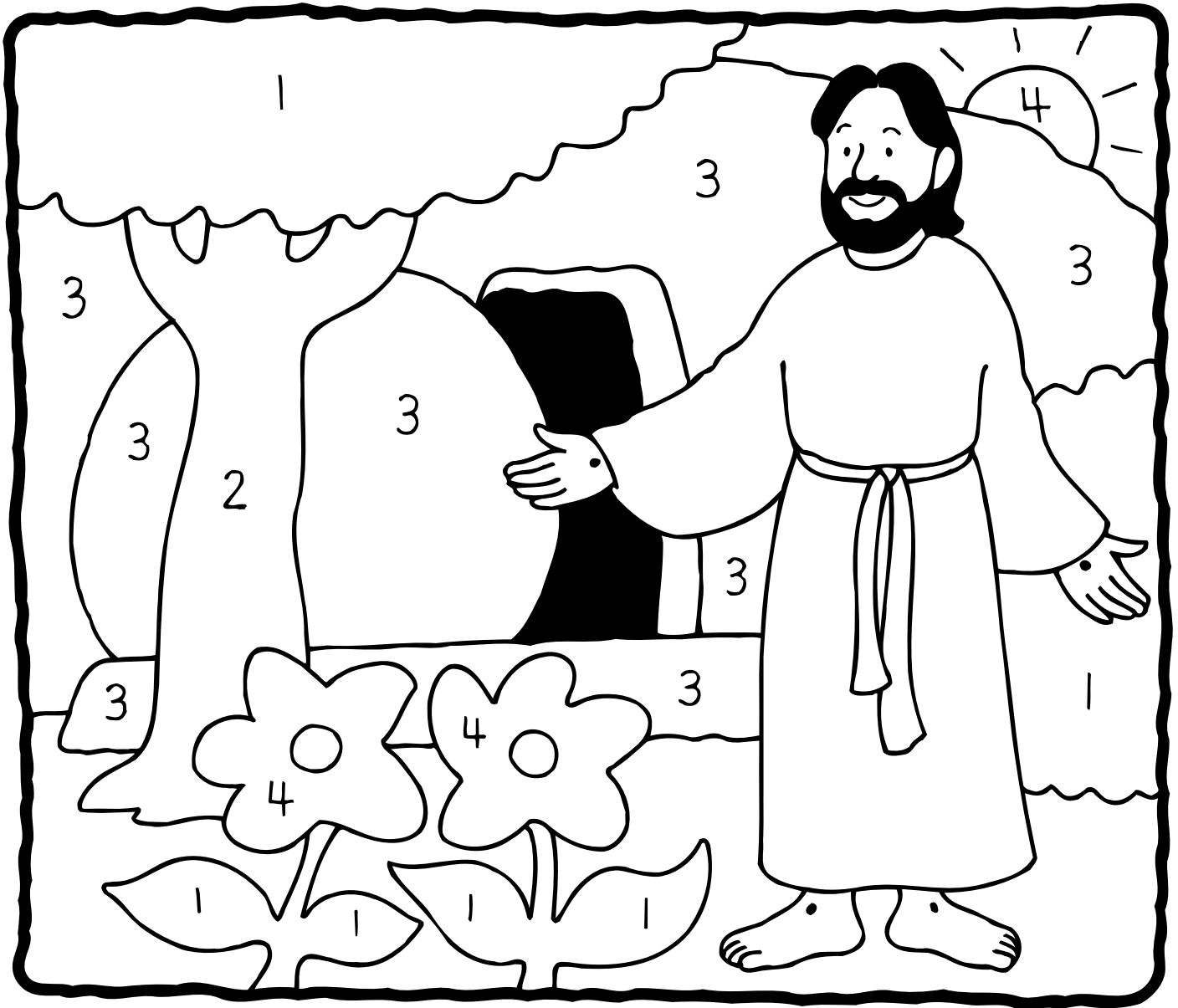


Suddenly, the women saw **two** angels. The angels wore shining white clothes. “Jesus is not dead,” the angels said. “He is alive!” NOW Jesus’ friends weren’t sad anymore. The women were happy to hear this good news! The women ran to share the glad news with Jesus’ other friends. “Jesus IS alive!” they said.





Color the picture by using the correct colored crayon for each numbered space.



The tomb is empty. God made Jesus alive again! The Bible says, "Jesus is risen from the dead." (See Matthew 28:7.) We can thank God that Jesus is alive.

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Draw a ○ around JESUS' name every place you find it in this puzzle.