For the Parents

Incase you would like to do some study for yourselves; here is where this Bible Story is found.

1 Kings 17: 1-16 My Bible Friends Book 6 The Bible Story Vol 5, p. 16-24 Prophets & Kings p. 119-142

Continue to remind your child that Jesus and His angels are with them where ever they go and whatever they are doing.

If you started a picture book for last lesson, add to the pictures activities that the child does, placing a picture of an angel or Jesus in the background.

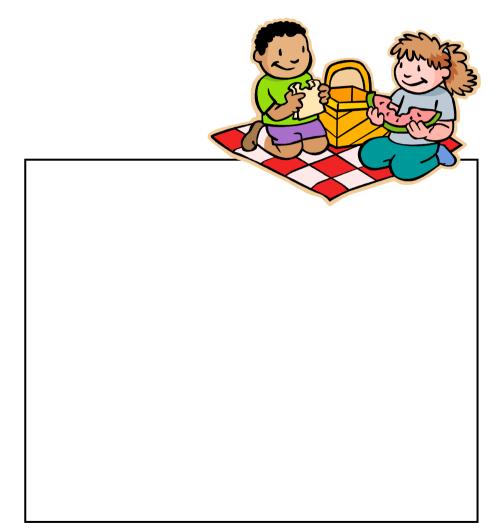
You could also have a picnic by a small creek and talk about how Elijah ate beside a creek.

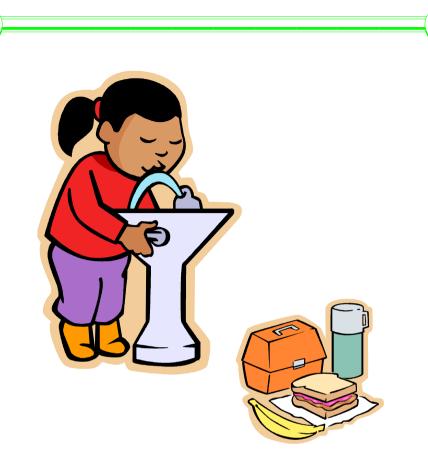
May God bless you as you teach your little ones about Him.

Elijah

<u>Sabbath</u>

What is your favourite picnic food?



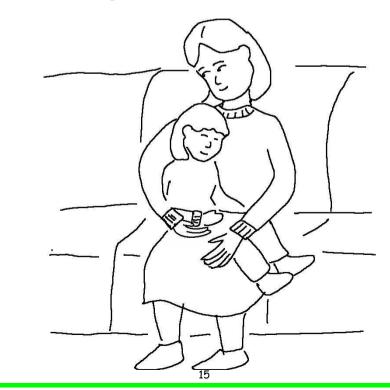


My God will supply every need of yours. Philippians 4:19

<u>Friday</u>

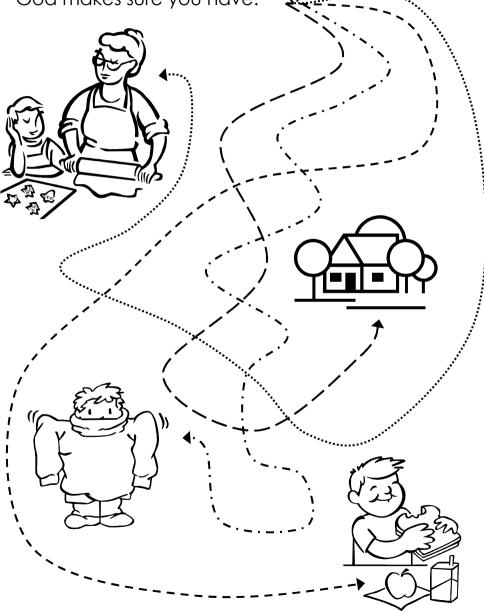
God wanted the Israelites to obey and He wants us to obey to; He wants you to obey your Mummy and Daddy.

And just like God cared for Elijah He cares for us too; He gives us mummies, daddies and grandparents to help take care of us. He gives us a warm bed to sleep in, clothes to wear, food to eat and water and milk to drink. God knows just what we need and He has promised to take care of ALL of our needs every day. I am glad we have such a wonderful and good God to take of us.



Thursday

Follow the lines to see some of the things that God makes sure you have.



Sunday

One day God said to Elijah "Go and tell King Ahab that there will be no dew or rain because the people of Israel are not listening to Me, and they are not obeying my commandments."



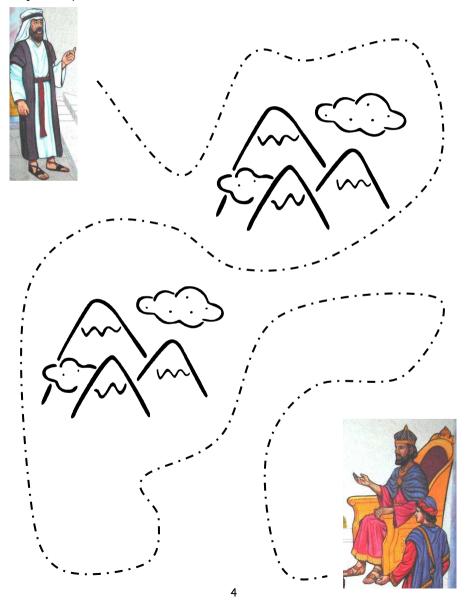
Elijah left his home in the mountains and hurried over the hills and valleys to Samaria where King Ahab lived.

He hurried past the palace guards and stood in front of the king. Elijah said, "There will not be any dew or rain until you stop worshipping the idol Baal and start worship the true God in heaven." Before the startled king could do anything, Elijah disappeared; and no-one could find the prophet Elijah anywhere because God was hiding him.

God wants us to love and obey Him too. When we are kind and we share, and when we obey our parents, we are showing that we love Jesus and God.

<u>Monday</u>

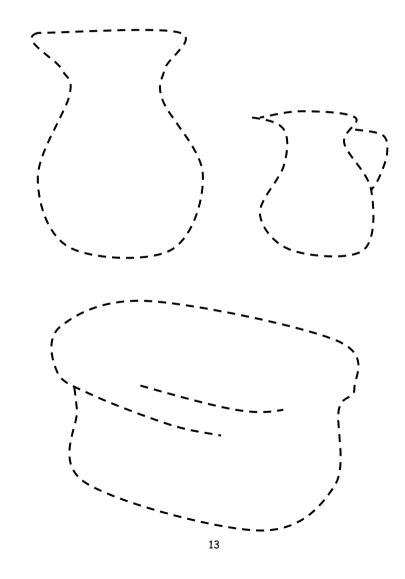
Elijah walked from his home to Samaria to tell King Ahab Gods message. Use a pencil to trace Elijah's path.



Wednesday

Because the widow shared the last of her flour and oil to make bread for Elijah, God made sure that she never ran out, and there was always enough to make bread for them.

Trace the outlines and then colour them in.



<u>Tuesday</u>

God had a plan. When the brook ran dry, He sent Elijah to live with a widow and her little boy in the little town of Zarephath, in another country.

The widow was nearly out of flour and oil, but God made it last the whole time Elijah lived with the widow; so even though there was no rain, they always had bread to eat and water to drink.

God was taking care of Elijah in the three years of no rain. God made sure that Elijah had a safe place to stay, food to eat and water to drink.

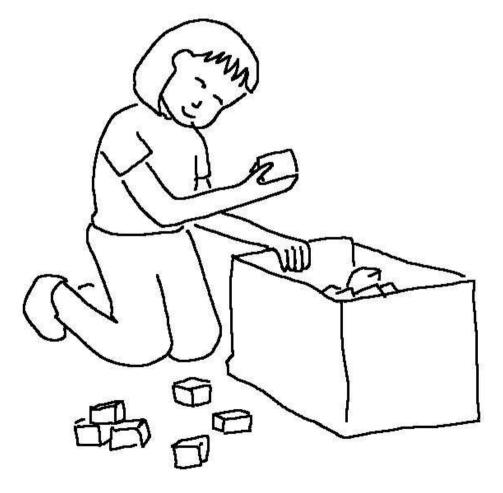


Tuesday

God wants us to obey His commandments; just like He wanted the people of Israel to obey.

Did you know that one of God's commandments say "Children, obey you parents?"

Do you obey Mummy and Daddy when they say it is time to pick up the toys?

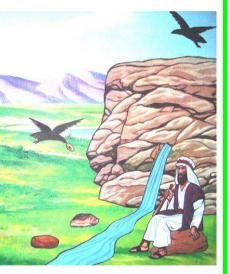


Wednesday

As Elijah left the palace, God said to him, "Go and hide by the brook Cherith and I will send Ravens to feed you."

So Elijah walked over the hills and through the valleys until he came to the brook Cherith. Maybe he found a small cave to live in. He drank water from the brook and every morning when the sun came up, and every evening before the sun

disappeared, the big black birds which are called ravens, would come and drop food for Elijah to eat. Every day Elijah prayed that the people of Israel would stop worshipping the false gods and would go back to worshipping the true God in heaven.



God likes to take care of us too. He makes sure we have food to eat, water to drink and clothes to wear; and He really likes it when we sing songs to Him and pray and read the Bible each day.

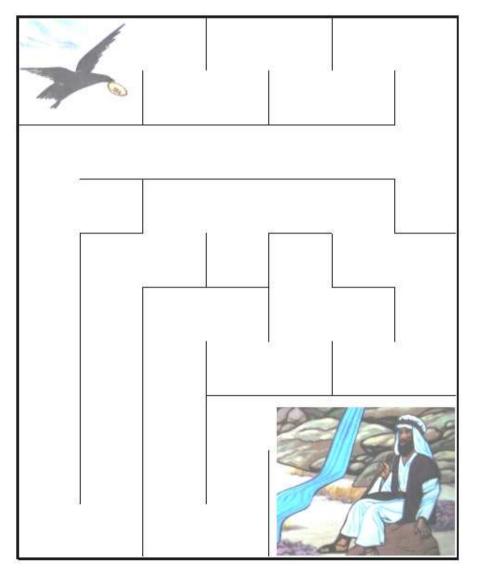
Monday

God didn't forget about Elijah, and He won't forget about you either. God sends His angels to watch over you all the time.



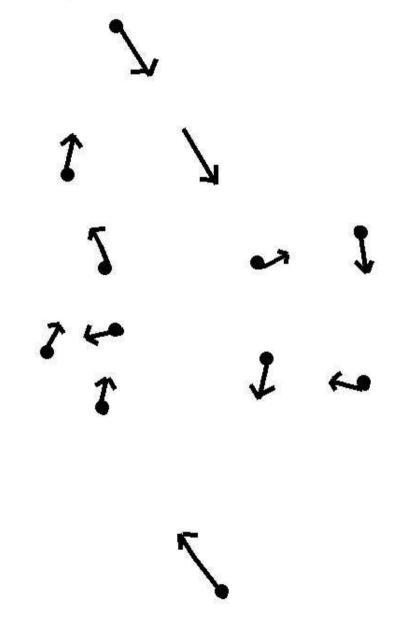
<u>Sunday</u>

Even when things looked bad, God made sure there was food for Elijah. Help the raven take the bread to Elijah.



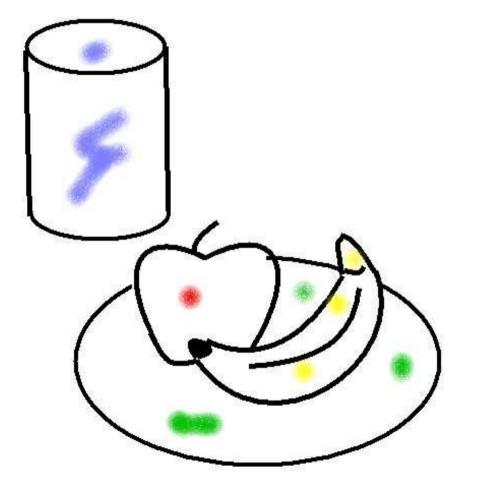
<u>Thursday</u>

How did God send food to Elijah? Follow the arrows to join the dots to find out.



<u>Friday</u>

God takes care of us. He gives us food, water and clothes.



<u>Sabbath</u>

Every morning the sun would come up in the big blue sky. There weren't many clouds, there was no rain and during the nights there was no dew either. The plants and grass began to die and the leaves fell off the trees. As the plants died, the animals became hungry and thirsty, and the people became hungry and thirsty because they had no food to eat.

But still the people would not listen to God in heaven, but prayed to their gods made of wood and stone who couldn't hear them.

During this time, God was taking care of Elijah and sending the ravens to feed him each morning and night. But the water in the brook



became shallower and shallower until finally there was none left. Now what was Elijah to do? Had God forgotten about Elijah? No! God never forgets. He was still caring for Elijah just as He is cares for you each day.