

Kids



WEEK 4

THIS WEEK...

we learned that fear can cause hazardous idols! We might be afraid that God is not enough... that we're missing out on things! A lot of times, our idols become more important than God. Sometimes our idols might be our video games, our friends, tv, sports, or money. When the things we have or people around us fill up our minds and our hearts more than God does, then that means you're putting those things in front of God.

DID YOU KNOW?

One ounce of gold can be stretched 50 miles!



WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS

What does the Bible say about idols?

Quite a bit! It's because of how important it is to put God first. Just find your Bible and look up Leviticus 19:4 (NIV).

Fill in the blanks below.

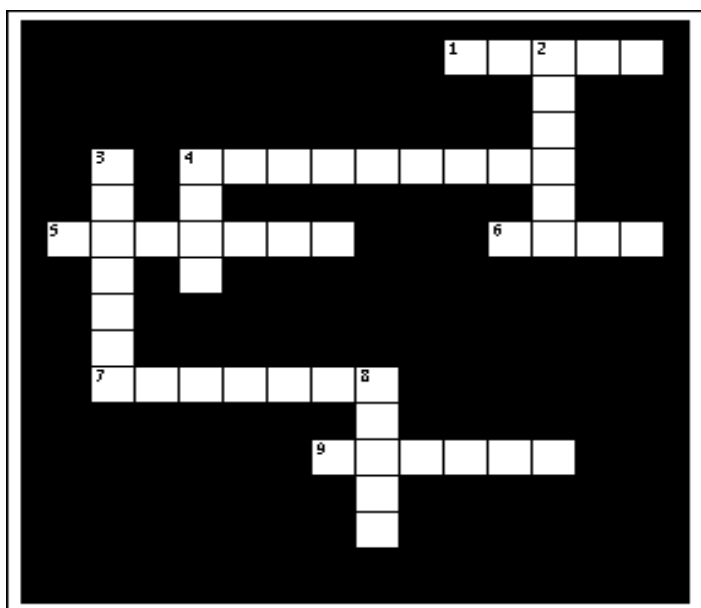
Do not turn to i _____ or
make for yourselves
any g _____ of cast m _____ :
I am the L _____ your G _____ .

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

Traditionally idols were made out of wood and stone or even metals like gold and silver. God tells us not to make things that we would want to worship. Whether it be a statue of a god we made up, or even things like fun & friends that we've put ahead of God, He reminds us that he is the LORD of our lives.

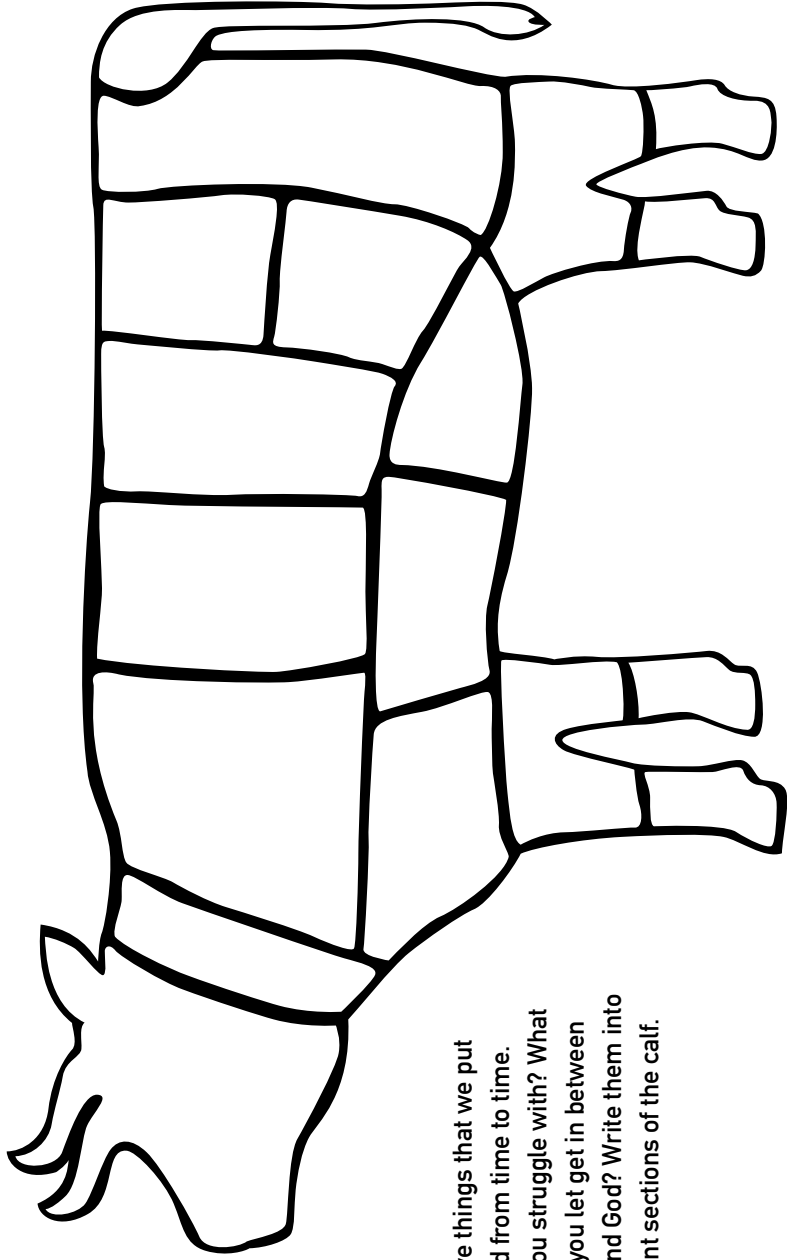
CROSSWORD

Our story is about how the Israelites decided to make a calf out of gold and then call it their god. They were afraid that the REAL God wasn't there anymore. So their FEAR went up and their FAITH went down.



- 6 ACROSS "You shall worship the LORD your God, and Him _____ you shall serve." **MATTHEW 4:10**
- 7 ACROSS "Now when the people saw that Moses _____ coming down from the mountain, the people gathered together to Aaron, and said to him, 'Come, make us gods that shall go before us.'" **EXODUS 32:1**
- 2 DOWN "And Aaron said to them, 'Break off the _____ earrings which are in the ears of your wives, your sons,, and your daughters, and bring them to me.'" **EXODUS 32:2**
- 4 DOWN "And he received the gold from their hand, and he fashioned it with an engraving tool, and made a molded _____." **EXODUS 32:4**
- 4 ACROSS "And the LORD said to Moses, 'Go, get down! For your people whom you brought out of the land of Egypt have _____ themselves.'" **EXODUS 32:7**
- 5 ACROSS "So it was, as soon as he came near the camp, that he saw the calf and the dancing. So Moses' anger became hot, and he cast the _____ out of his hands and broke them at the foot of the mountain." **EXODUS 32:19**
- 8 DOWN "Then he took the calf which they had made, burned it in the fire, and ground it to powder; and he scattered it on the water and made the children of Israel _____ it." **EXODUS 32:20**
- 9 ACROSS "And it came to pass on the next day that Moses said to the people, 'You have _____ a great sin. So now I will go up to the LORD; perhaps I can make atonement for your sin.'" **EXODUS 32:30**
- 1 ACROSS The LORD said to Moses, "Now therefore, go, lead the people to the place of which I have spoken to you. Behold, My _____ shall go before you." **EXODUS 32:34**
- 3 DOWN "So the LORD _____ the people because of what they did with the calf which Aaron made." **EXODUS 32:35**

WHAT IS YOUR CALF MADE OF?



We all have things that we put before God from time to time. What do you struggle with? What things do you let get in between yourself and God? Write them into the different sections of the calf.