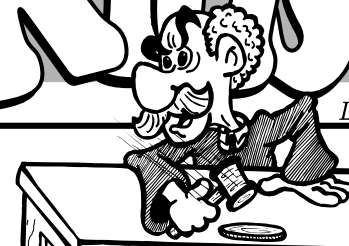


The Apostle Paul wrote to Timothy, a young friend and helper, reminding him that the scriptures come from God and can be trusted to help guide our lives.

On each book above, cross out every word that is the name of an animal. Put the words left over in order, below.

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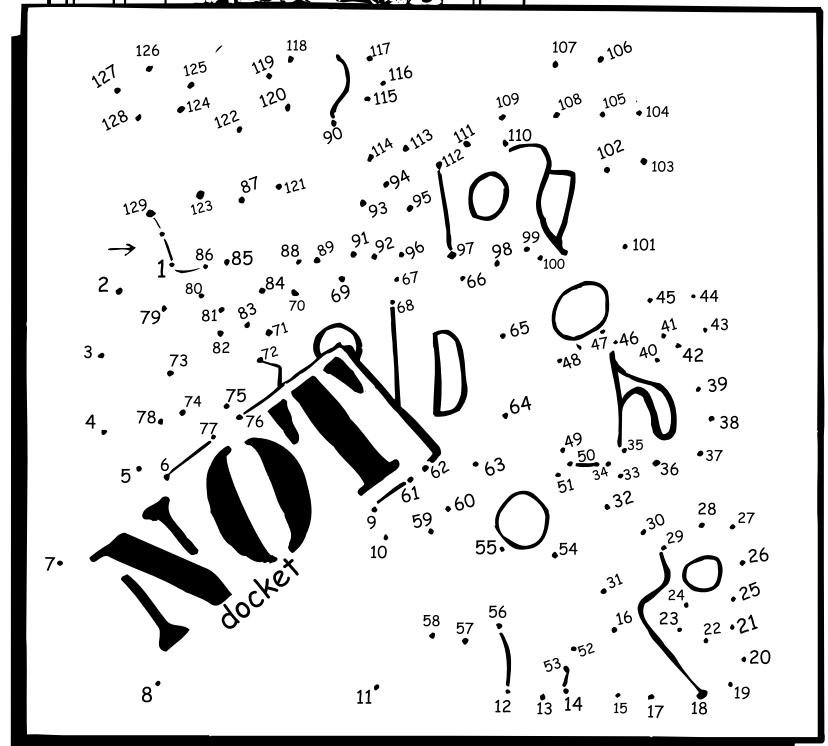
Luke 18:1-8



JESUS TOLD THIS STORY:

The missing words are hidden on each page.

There was a judge whose only law Made a jingle in his _____;



So when people came for justice, There was no time on his _____.

1 In the same town was a woman
Whose tears ran like a _____;



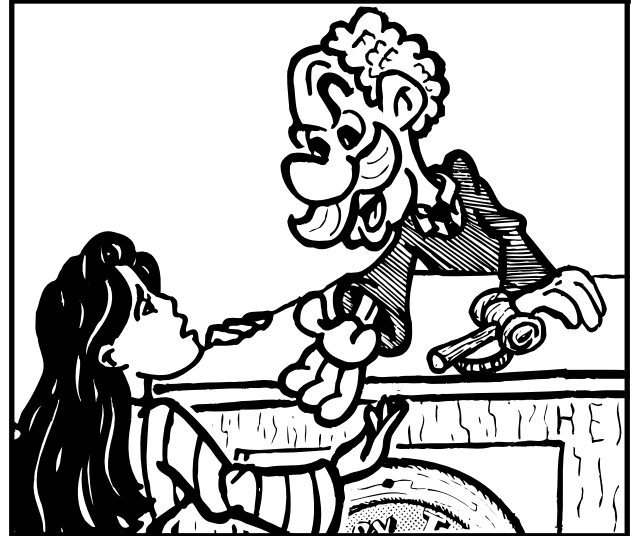
Everything she had was gone--
Stolen by a _____!

2 She hurried to the courthouse,
For she had heard it _____



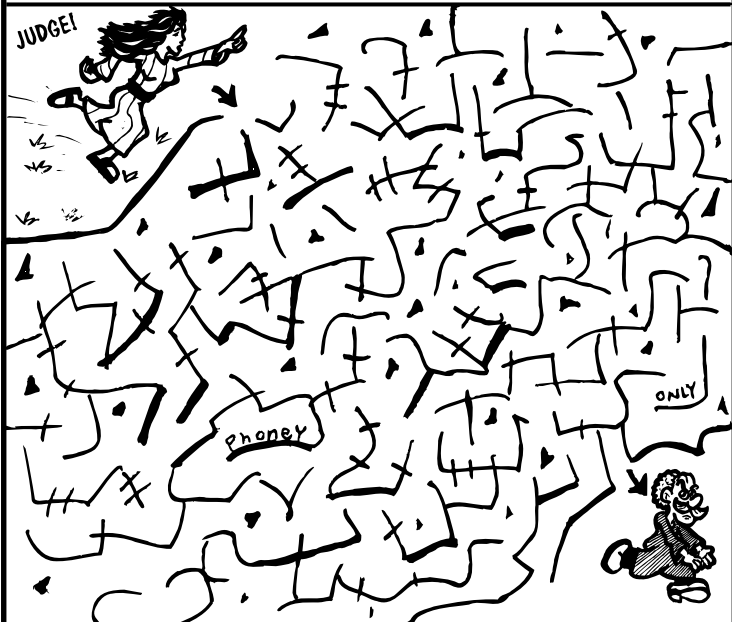
That poor folk could get justice there,
And bad folk get _____.

3 "Dear Judge," she cried, "I need your help!"
"I'm glad to help," said _____;



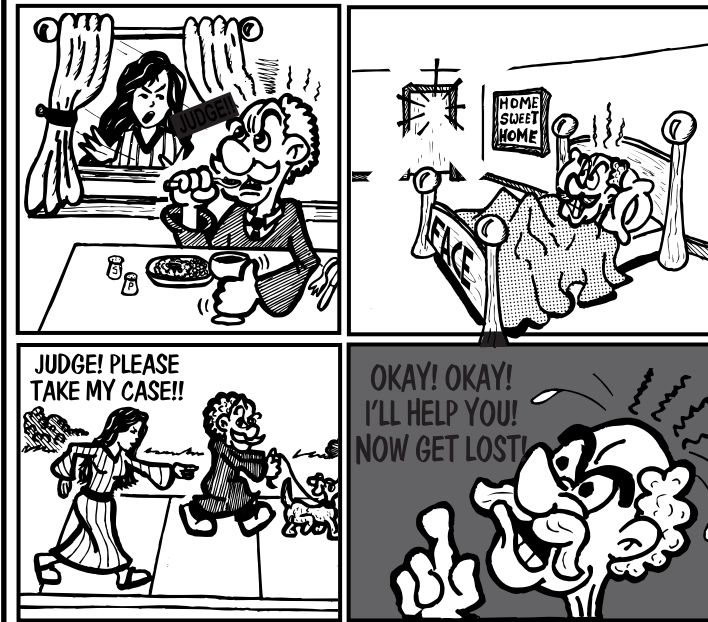
"I'm a very helpful judge to those
Who can afford my _____!"

4 Not a penny to her name, she knew
Justice would come _____



If she pestered, followed, bothered,
Harassed, this judge who was a _____.

5 Every hour of every day
She cried, "Please take my case!"



Until he screamed, "Okay, I'll help!
If you'll just get out of my _____!"

After he told this story,
Jesus said, "If that wicked
judge finally helped the
woman just to get rid of
her, think how much God,
who truly loves us, wants
to help those who cry out
to him"

YOU BE THE JUDGE.

True or False

1. God is like the judge.
2. God doesn't want to be bothered.
3. God will only answer us if we bug him a lot.
4. God cares about justice.
5. The woman gave up too easily.
6. God is like the woman.
7. We should be like that woman.
8. God does not ignore us.