

CONNECT THE DOTS

To connect these dots in the correct order, you will need to put the books in the order they appear in the Bible. **HINT:** Start with Joshua. After you finish, find the Bible verse in the middle. What does it say about God's Word?

UNIT VERSE

The sum of your word is truth, and every one of your righteous rules endures forever.
PSALM 119:160 (ESV)

1 KINGS

2 KINGS

1 CHRONICLES

JOSHUA

ESTHER

2 Timothy 2:16

INSPIRED:

Guided by God to write true and trustworthy words

2 SAMUEL

JUDGES

2 CHRONICLES

1 SAMUEL

RUTH

NEHEMIAH

EZRA

DICTATION



God told Jeremiah the words that Baruch would write. Can you find the right word to complete these sentences? Write them in as your leader reads the sentences.

All Scripture is inspired by _____.

God told _____ what to write.

The Bible _____ us how to live.

The Bible is God's message _____ Himself.

WORD BANK

- teaches
- God
- about
- people

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CONVERSATION

Jeremiah Wrote God's Words

JEREMIAH 36

When King Jehoiakim (jih-HOY-uh-kim) had been king of Judah for four years, God spoke to the prophet, Jeremiah. God said, "Take a scroll and write My words on it. Perhaps if the people hear about all the disasters I am planning to bring to them, they will turn from their evil ways. Then I will forgive their sin."

Jeremiah called for his scribe, Baruch (BAY-rook). As Jeremiah spoke God's words, Baruch wrote them on a scroll. Then Jeremiah told Baruch to go to the temple and read the words to the people.

One man heard the words on the scroll and went to tell the king's officials in the palace. The officials sent for Baruch and asked him to read the words. When they heard, they looked at each other in fear and asked, "How did you write this?"

Baruch explained, "Jeremiah told me God's words, and I wrote them on the scroll in ink."

The officials told Baruch, "You and Jeremiah must hide. Do not tell anyone where you are."

King Jehoiakim was at his winter house. It was cold, and he had a fire burning. The king sent his servant, Jehudi (jih-HYOO-digh), to get the scroll. As Jehudi read the words, the king and his men were not afraid of God's warning. Instead, as soon as Jehudi read part of the scroll, the king would cut off that part with a knife and throw it into the fire! He did this until the entire scroll was burned!

God spoke to Jeremiah again, "Take another scroll and write on it the same words I told you to write on the first scroll. Tell King Jehoiakim that I will bring about the disaster on him and the people. I warned them, but they did not listen."

Jeremiah gave another scroll to Baruch. Baruch wrote the same words as before, and God added many more words to the new scroll.

WEEKLY BIBLE VERSE: 2 Timothy 3:16

LIFE POINT: God inspired people to know what to write in the Bible.



THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Today your child heard that God inspired people to know what to write in the Bible. God spoke directly to Jeremiah. The scribe, Baruch, wrote the words that God gave Jeremiah, and we can read them today.

LIVE IT OUT

Review the Bible story. Together read 2 Timothy 3:16, today's Weekly Bible Verse. Talk about the meaning of the word *inspired*. Discuss how the Bible teaches and trains people in righteousness.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

God inspired people to know what to write in the Bible.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: 2 Timothy 3:16

Monday: Jeremiah 36:2

Tuesday: 2 Peter 1:21

Wednesday: Habakkuk 2:2

Thursday: Jeremiah 1:9

Friday: 2 Samuel 23:2

Saturday: Isaiah 46:10

TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out *Jeremiah Wrote God's Words* in Bible Studies for Life on the LifeWay Kids App for Bible stories and games.

