

PRIMARY - TANGRAMS

TANGRAM FAITH!

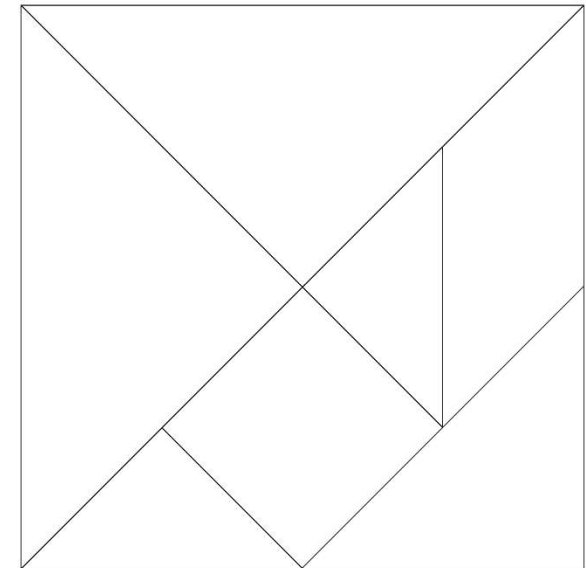
Each week this month, our bible stories tell of situations that may be challenging and how our bible characters, using God's principles, found a solution.

We've created a Tangram set for you to **challenge** yourselves! A Tangram is a set of SEVEN shapes that can be arranged in many different ways to create a picture or shape. Simply colour, cut and arrange the shapes to create the 'picture' below from one of our bible stories.

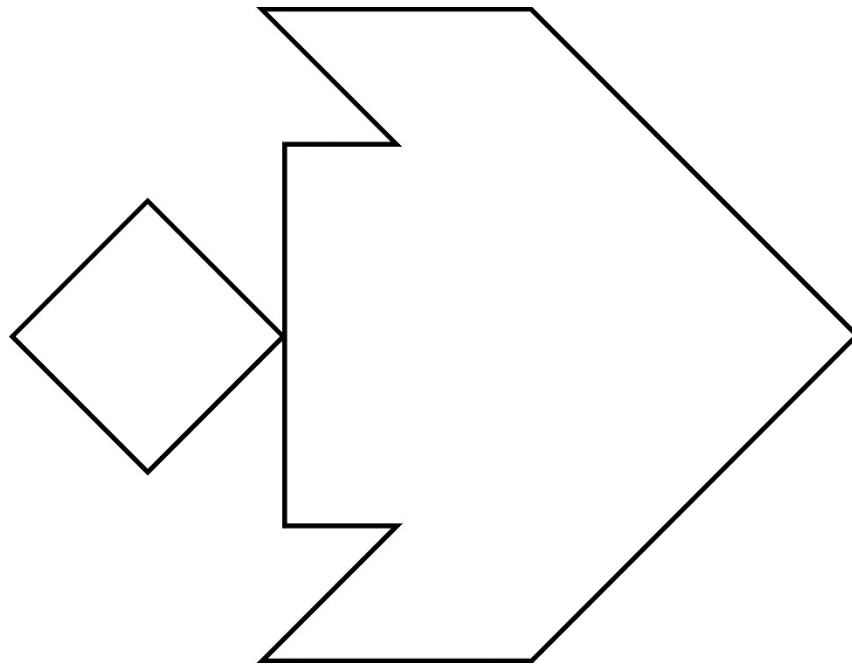
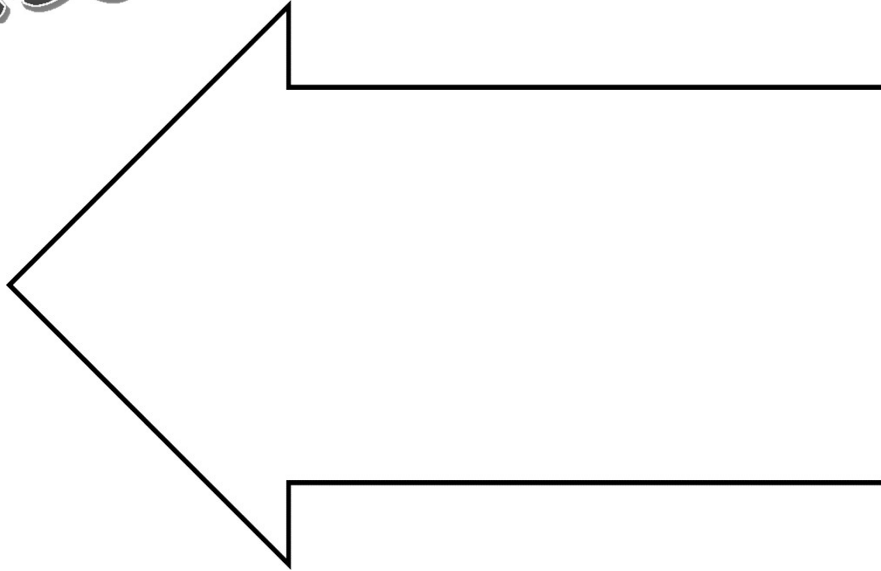
These puzzles can be challenging. Just like things can be challenging in your life. Or you may find yourself in a challenging situation that you don't know how to get out of. Or you may have lots of questions that challenge you and you don't have the answers to.

Challenges are actually good for you! Why? Well you learn how to deal with tough situations, what tools you need to face them, how to work through them and you come out so much stronger.

DIRECTIONS: Colour each shape a different colour or all one colour. Then carefully cut along the lines to create **SEVEN** pieces of a tangram puzzle set. If you've got a laminating machine, laminate each puzzle to make them sturdier.



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WHICH WAY?

Jonah chose to go the wrong way at first. But after being challenged in the belly of a big fish, he repented and went the right way to Nineveh to share God's message. You can choose the right way too – and say sorry.

Challenge yourself to solve this Tangram 'ARROW'

Got CHALLENGING questions?

Why does God let bad things happen?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s-vp9vpUmFo>

A FISHY STORY

A boy was ready to share his lunch. The disciples only saw obstacles and the challenge seemed too big. But Jesus knew God always provides, He always finds a way out. You can trust God to always provide for you.

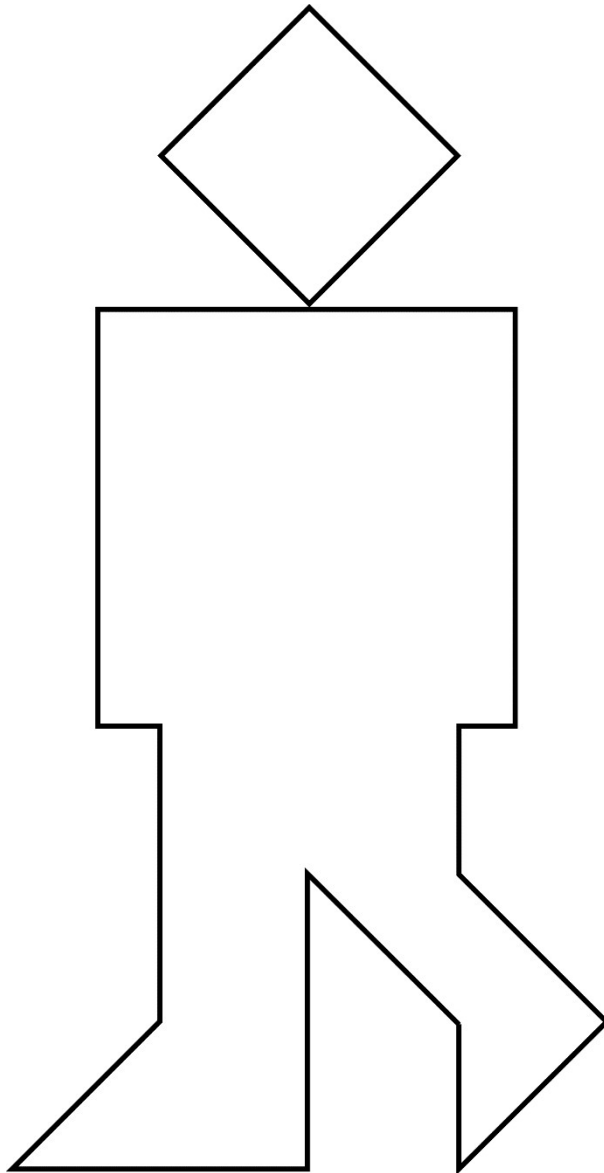
Challenge yourself to solve this Tangram 'FISH'

Got CHALLENGING questions?

Was Jesus a man or God?

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A LIVING SACRIFICE

We've been created to share our lives with God, to talk to Him, share our hearts and to worship Him in every area of our lives. Jesus gave the ultimate sacrifice, His life, for us. So the least you can do is walk with Him and worship Him.

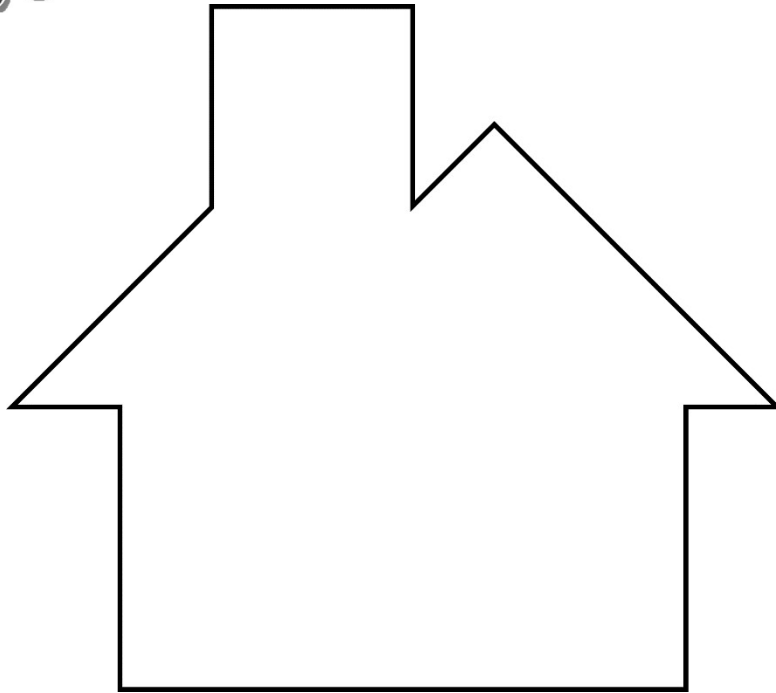
Challenge yourself to solve this Tangram 'WALKING MAN'

Got CHALLENGING questions?

How can Jesus fit in my heart?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xsqUSw0GG2c>

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BEING JESUS TO OTHERS

Although it's a story that Jesus told, this story challenges you to think of how you can help others. Will you find excuses to walk away or choose not to help? Or will you challenge yourself to make the right choices and make a difference in the lives of others. The Inn in this story is a safe place. A 'safe place' could be a person you trust, like your parents. Or you could be a 'safe place' for your family and friends.

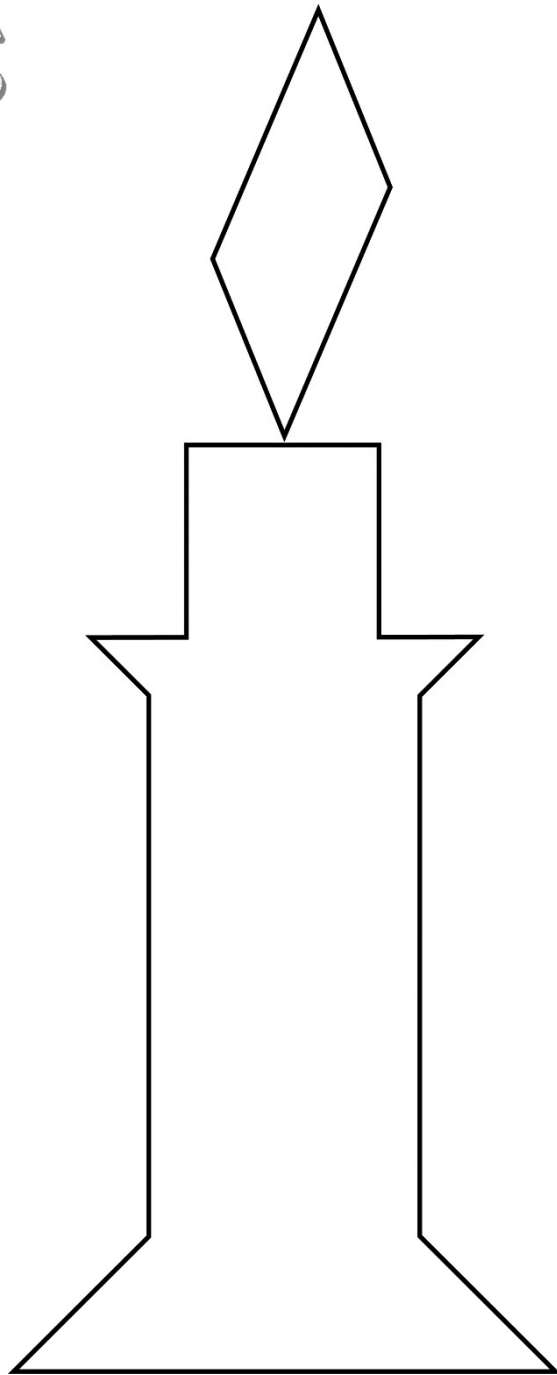
Challenge yourself to solve this Tangram 'INN'.

Got CHALLENGING questions?

Why do people have different colour skin if we are all descended from Adam and Eve?

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JOY! BE THE LIGHT

Jesus transformed Zacchaeus, a miserable little man, into a generous, kind-hearted man who was filled with joy. When God fills us with joy, He makes us a light in this world. You can challenge yourself to be God's light to your family and friends. Think of ways that you can do that – and do it!

Challenge yourself to solve this Tangram 'CANDLE'.

Got CHALLENGING questions?

What is Heaven like?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l3A3nAIOAQ8>