

There are many ways to honor God.

Circle the children honoring God.



Ages 3+

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Clean and Unclean

Some leaders asked Jesus why His disciples ate with "unclean" hands.

Find and count the hidden  6 or 7?  7 or 8?



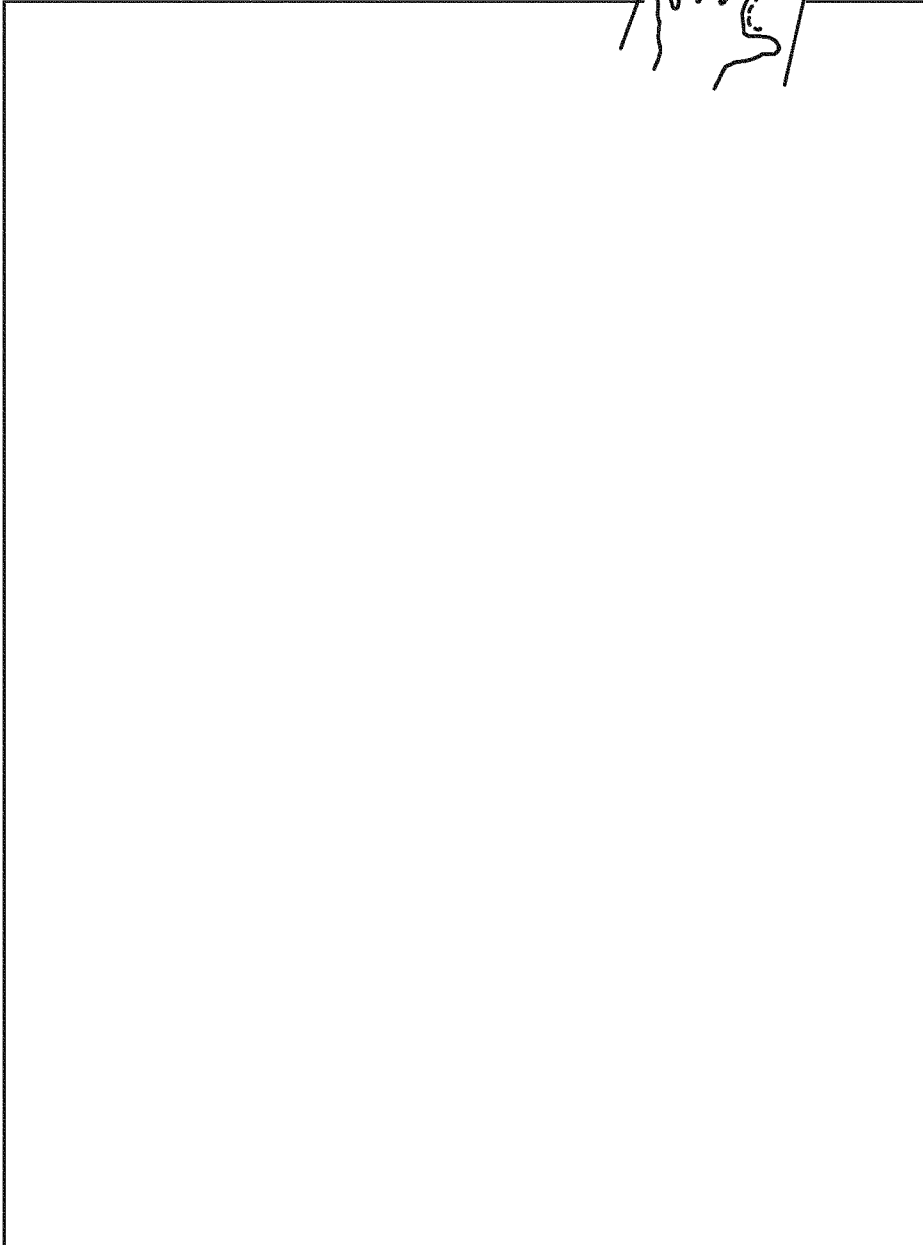
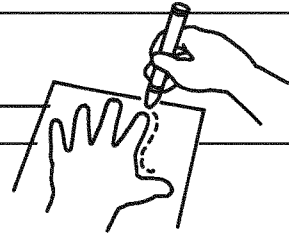
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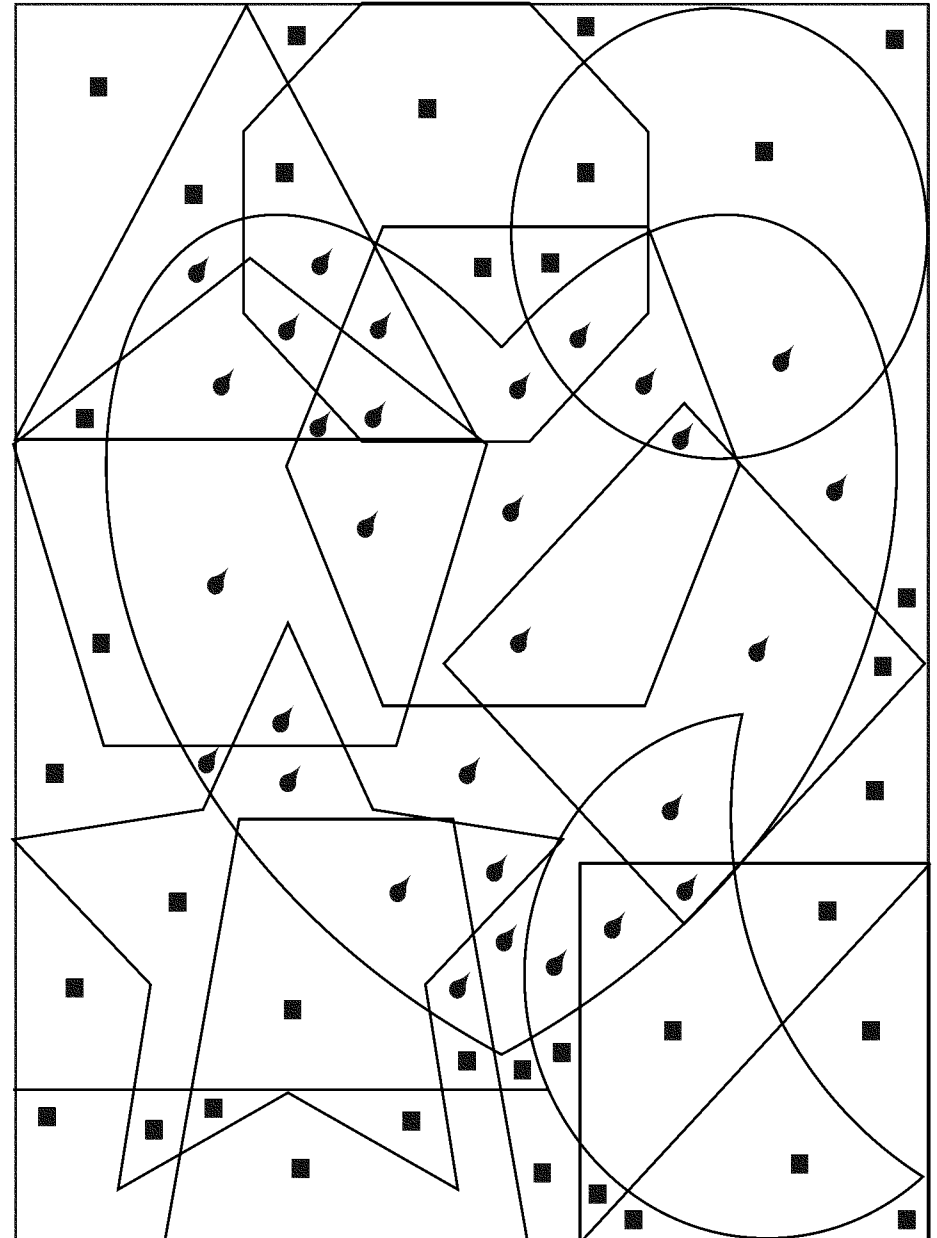
Jesus told them, "Nothing can make a person unclean to God from the outside."

Trace your hand below.



But it's what's inside a person's heart that can be unclean.

Shade in the shapes with a .





Jesus said that from inside of us, come unclean things.

Cross out these words in the puzzle below. They may be found forward, backward, diagonally, down or up. The letters that remain will tell you what you need to have in your heart. Write them in order on the lines.

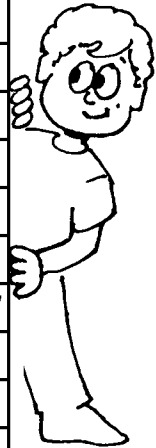
Evil Thoughts
Theft
Adultery
Malice

Immorality
Murder
Greed
Lewdness
Arrogance

Envy
Folly
Deceit
Slander



K	E	I	E	P	E	N	V	Y	T	T	H
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E	D	V	E	M	A	L	I	C	E	O	S
D	E	F	J	E	O	S	U	S	F	A	E
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Ages 7+

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Following God's Way

The Pharisees followed rules for everything. The rules were called the tradition of the elders.

Circle these letters hidden below.
T-R-A-D-I-T-I-O-N and E-L-D-E-R-S



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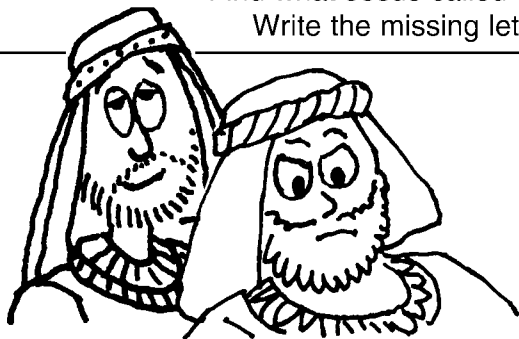
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The Pharisees followed rules for everything ... even the ceremonial way to wash their hands before eating. But their attitudes toward other people were not right. What did Jesus call them?

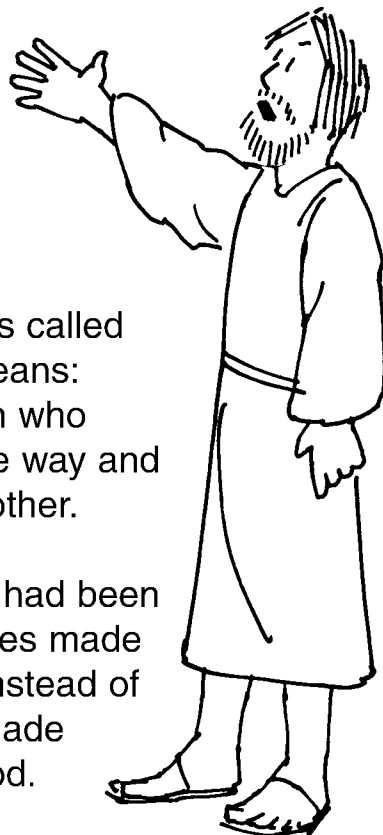
Find what Jesus called the Pharisees.
Write the missing letters below.



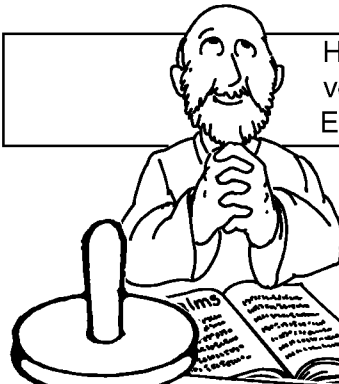
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- _____ A B D E
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What Jesus called them means:
A person who preaches one way and acts another.

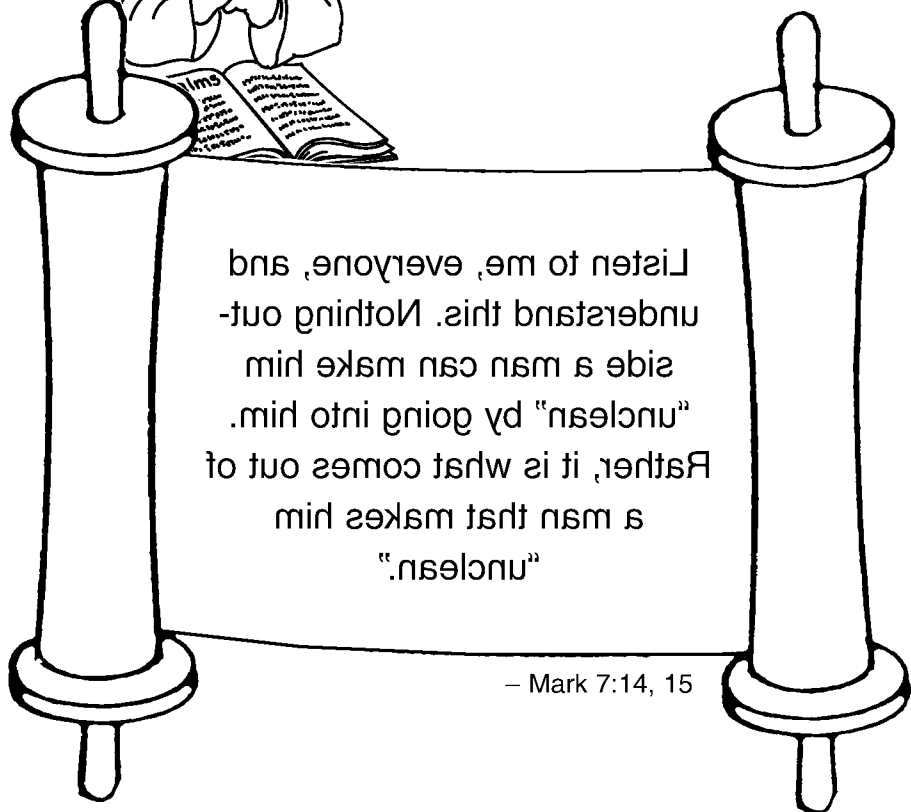
He said they had been following rules made by people instead of rules made by God.



What else did Jesus say?



Hebrew is read from right to left. Change the verse below from the Hebrew way to the English way. Write it on the lines below.



Listen to me, everyone, and understand this. Nothing out-
side a man can make him
"unclean" by going into him.
Rather, it is what comes out of
a man that makes him
"unclean."

— Mark 7:14, 15
