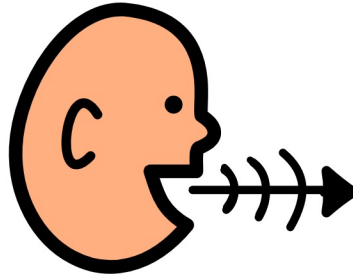


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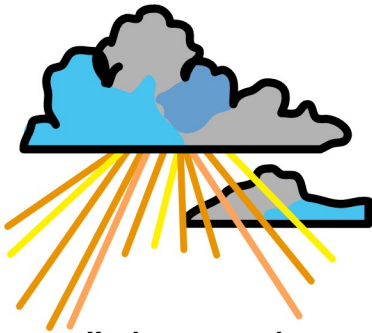
Hebrews 13:6a NIV



So we say



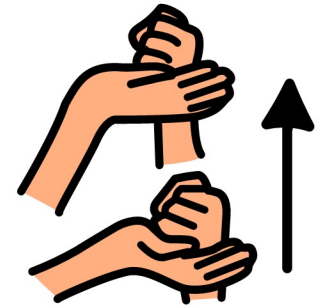
with confidence,



"The Lord



is my



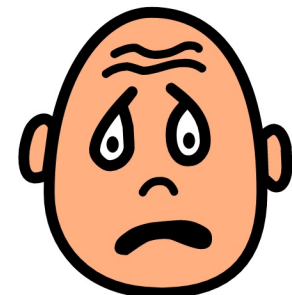
helper;



I



will not



be afraid."

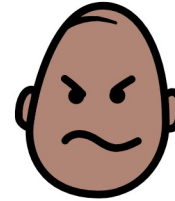
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Acts 8:26-40



The religious leaders continued to feel



threatened



by Jesus' followers.



Many were thrown in prison and even killed,



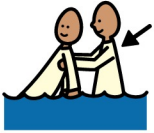
but that didn't stop the new believers.



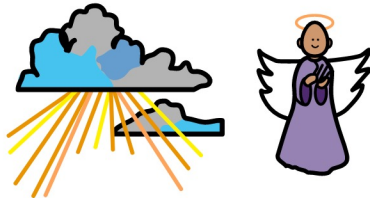
One man, named Philip, began teaching in Samaria.



Big crowds came to listen.



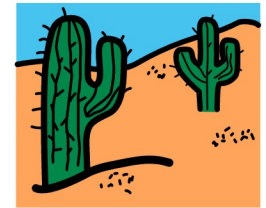
Many people became believers, were healed and baptized.



God sent an angel to



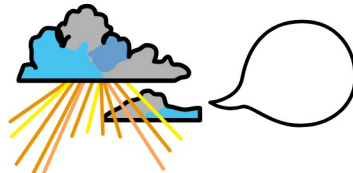
speak to Philip. Through the angel, God told Philip



to head for the desert.



As he traveled, he saw a chariot.



God told Philip to stay near the chariot.

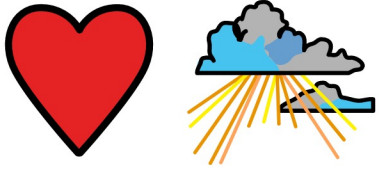


The man in the chariot was a very important Ethiopian official



who believed in God.

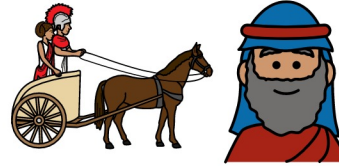
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Even though he loved God, he was missing



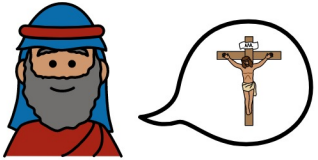
a big piece of the story.



The man invited Philip to join him in the chariot.



There, Philip



was able to explain the whole story of Jesus



- how He lived,



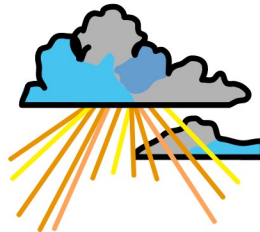
how He gave up His life for us



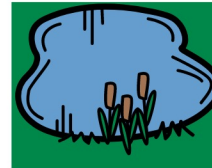
and how God raised Him back to life.



The official was amazed.



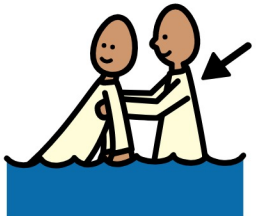
God had brought them



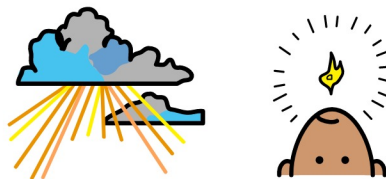
to a pool of water in the middle of the desert.



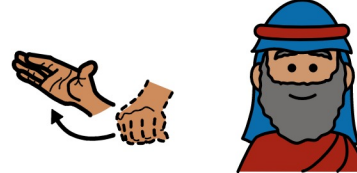
There, Philip



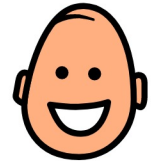
baptized the official.



God's Spirit came

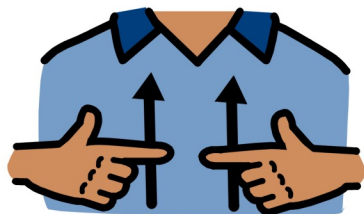


and suddenly took Philip away.

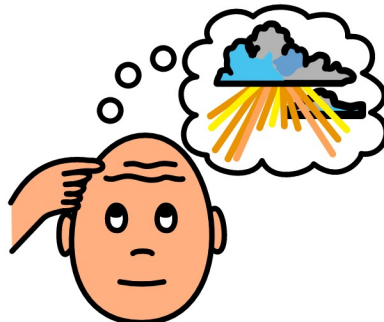


The official continued to be filled with joy.

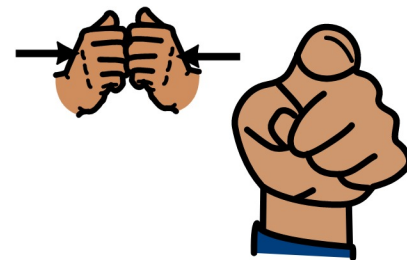
Monthly Virtue ·
Confidence



Living like

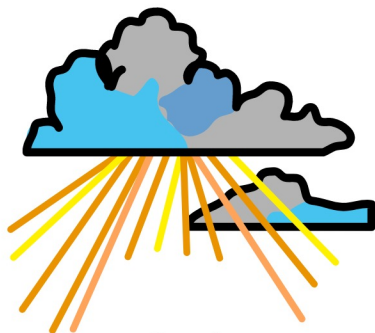


you believe God



is with you.

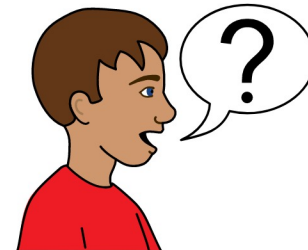
Bottom Line



God

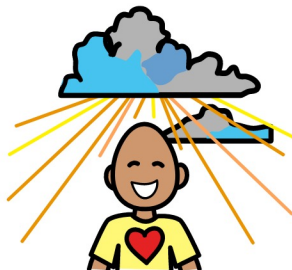


is with you



even when you have
questions.

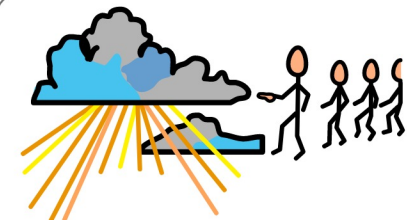
Basic Truth



I am loved by God
no matter what

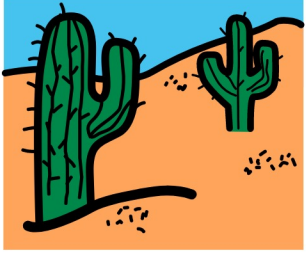


so I can trust God

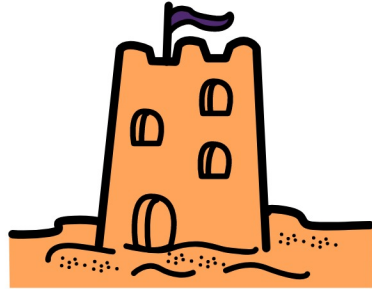


God to guide me.

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1. Why did God send Philip to the desert?



a. To build sand castles



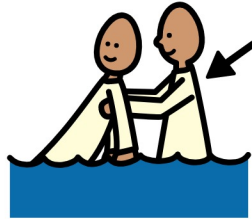
b. To help a man understand Jesus



c. To look for treasures



2. What happened after Philip explained the story of Jesus to the man?



a. The man put his faith in Jesus and was baptized



b. They went for a swim



c. He went home



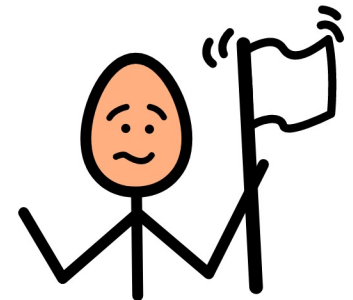
3. When I don't understand something, I can always trust God and



a. Ask questions



b. Get frustrated



c. Give up