

## Draw & Color

Draw a picture of how creation felt on the day Jesus died. Think about the birds, the animals, the ocean, the mountains. What else do you imagine?

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John 18:1-19:42

## Jesus Dies

Jesus hung on the cross. It was a terrible way to die. But Jesus looked down and saw his mother, Mary, and one of his friends, John. He said to Mary, "Mom, John will be your son, now." And to John he said, "Mary will be your mother." After that day, John took care of Mary for the rest of her life, and she lived in his house like his own mother.

Then Jesus bowed his head and died.

Jesus' friends were so, so sad. Most of them were hiding, afraid that they would get in trouble the way Jesus had. Joseph of Arimathea was a secret friend of Jesus, so he went to ask for Jesus body. Nearby there was a garden—a cemetery—where a new tomb had been carved out of the rock. Joseph took Jesus' body and laid it in the tomb.



### REMEMBER THIS

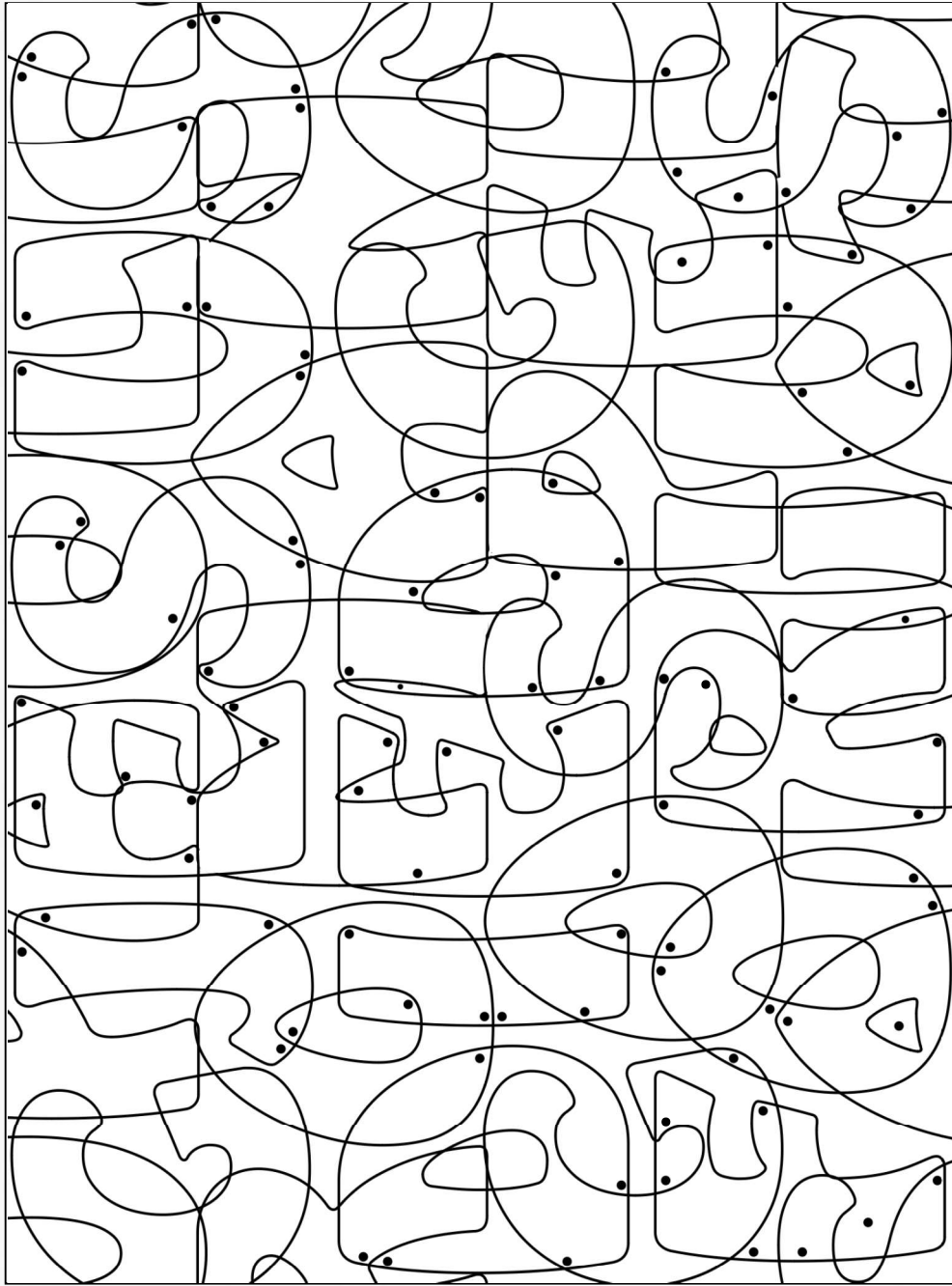
#### CRUCIFIED

Crucified means hung on a cross to die. It was a common way that the Roman Empire killed people.



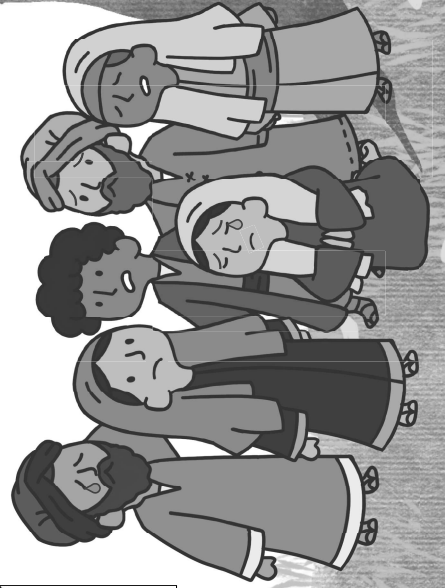
# HIDDEN MESSAGE

Color the shapes with dots to see what happened on Good Friday.  
Note: Some spaces (and dots) are teeny tiny!



## Did You Know?

They wrote, "King of the Jews" above Jesus on the cross. They thought they were making fun of him. But they didn't realize Jesus really was a king.



## TRY IT AT HOME

At a family meal, ask everyone to share something that makes them sad. Talk about how sometimes it's okay to feel sad.