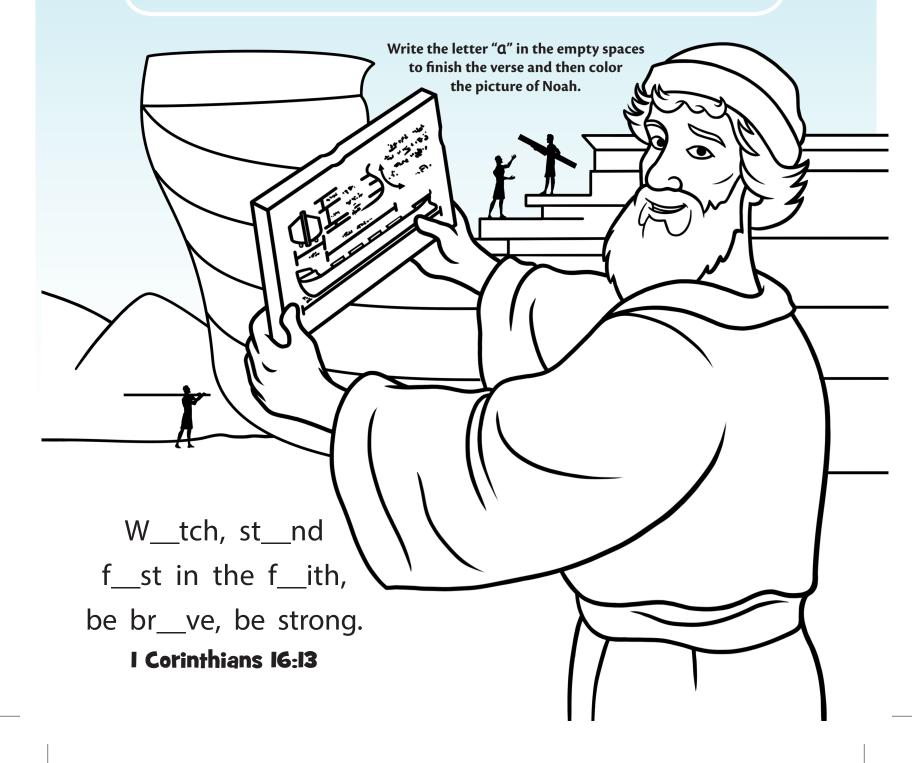
Hello, Divers! We hope you had a blast today at *Ocean Commotion!* Hydro the Whale reminded us that there was a whale of a problem on Earth when Noah was alive. When God first made the world, everything was perfect and there was no sin. But then, Adam and Eve listened to the evil Satan, who was in the form of a serpent, and they sinned. Sin is when we don't obey God. By Noah's time, the world was full of sinful people. The people disobeyed God all of the time (except Noah). Noah pleased God and was different from those around him.

Just like Noah, we can rely on God to help us stand for Him.



Lifeline Verse Challenge

Today's Verse

Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong.

1 Corinthians 16:13

Challenge: Run to one corner of a room and shout, "Watch!" Run to the next corner and shout, "Stand fast in the faith!" Then shout, "Be brave!" in the third corner and "Be strong!" in the fourth corner.

Tomorrow's Verse: "If you love Me, keep My commandments." John 14:15



- 1. Say today's Lifeline Verse to someone (1 Corinthians 16:13). Are you being brave and strong and telling others about God?
- 2. Talk to God (that's prayer!) and ask Him to help you follow Him like Noah did—standing for God no matter what, and being a light who shines God's love to everyone.
- 3. Ask an adult who follows Jesus to share a time he (or she) had to stand for God. What happened?
- 4. With someone's help, check answersvbs.com /ockids for more fun information.



Ask yourself this question: When I get in hard situations at school or wherever, am I going to ask God to help me stand for Him—even if I'm the only one?

