



# Take-Home Page

## Mile Marker

God is with us when we're lonely.



## Bible Story

**Jesus Visits Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1-10)**

Today we heard a story about Jesus's travels from Galilee to Jerusalem. On this journey, Jesus traveled through a city called Jericho, where he was greeted by a very large crowd. One of the people of Jericho who wanted to see Jesus was a man named Zacchaeus. Zacchaeus was a tax collector, so he was disliked by the people because he took money from the people unfairly to give it to the Roman Emperor. In the story, Zacchaeus could not see Jesus over the large crowd that gathered, so he climbed into a sycamore tree to get a better view of Jesus as he passed by. Even though Zacchaeus was alone in the tree, Jesus noticed him and invited himself to Zacchaeus's house. The crowd was shocked at Jesus's grace toward Zacchaeus, who had a reputation for corruption. Zacchaeus was so blown away by Jesus's grace that he said he would repay those he wronged four times what he owed them. Zacchaeus's story taught us that we can never be so lonely, even from our own wrongdoing, that God is not with us!

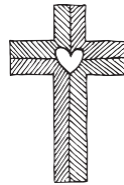
## Family Follow-Up

Draw a picture of what it feels like to be lonely. Then, draw a representation of God's presence with you in the picture to remind you that God is with you when you're lonely!



## Green Light Verse

“The Lord your God is with you wherever you go.” Joshua 1:9



Today at Road Trip! VBS, I learned that God is with me when I'm lonely.

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