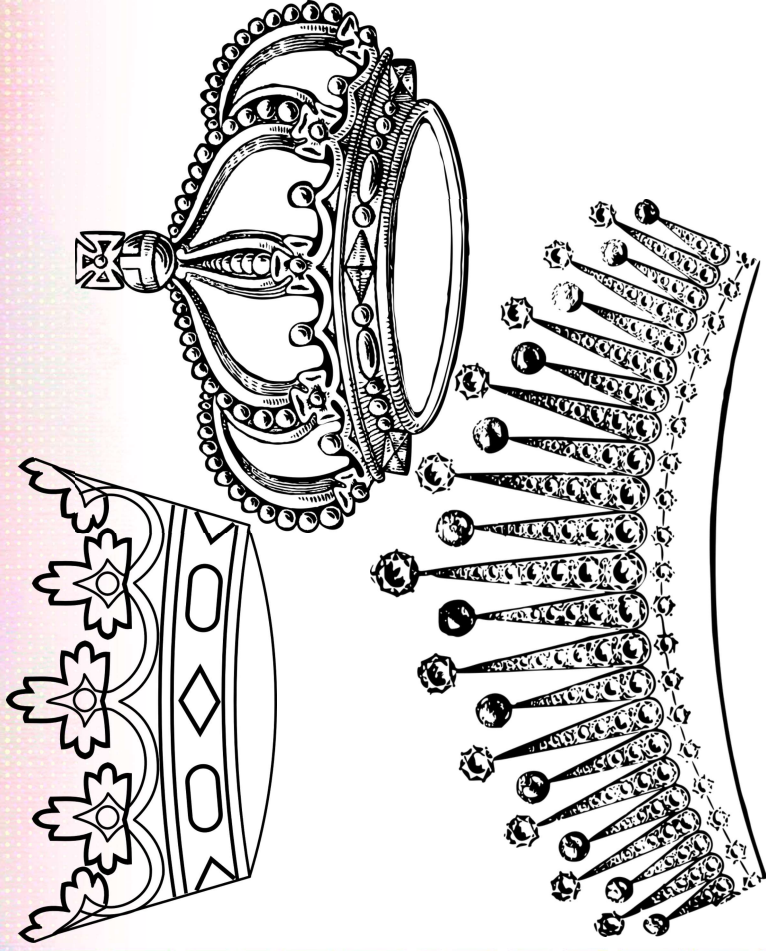


Draw & Color

Color the different crowns. Then draw the kind of crown you think Jesus would have.



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John 18:33-37

KidStuff

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RCL Kid's Bulletin

Reign of Christ Sunday

Jesus was arrested by the Romans. Pilate, the Roman governor, asked Jesus, "Are you a king?"

It would be very bad if Jesus said he was a king. The Romans didn't want anyone to be a king except their own ruler.

Jesus knew what to tell Pilate. "I'm sort of a king, but not the kind you understand. My kingdom is God's kingdom."

Pilate was confused. "So you are a king?"

Jesus said, "You might say so, but I don't rule the way your kings rule. I am here to share God's love and truth with the world. Everyone who loves God and the truth will listen to me and I will be their king."

Even after talking to Jesus, Pilate was still confused.



REMEMBER THIS

REIGN OF CHRIST

When and where Jesus is in charge of the world. Anytime we share God's love, Jesus reigns!

KINGDOM CROSSWORD

Use the story on the first page to help you complete the puzzle below.

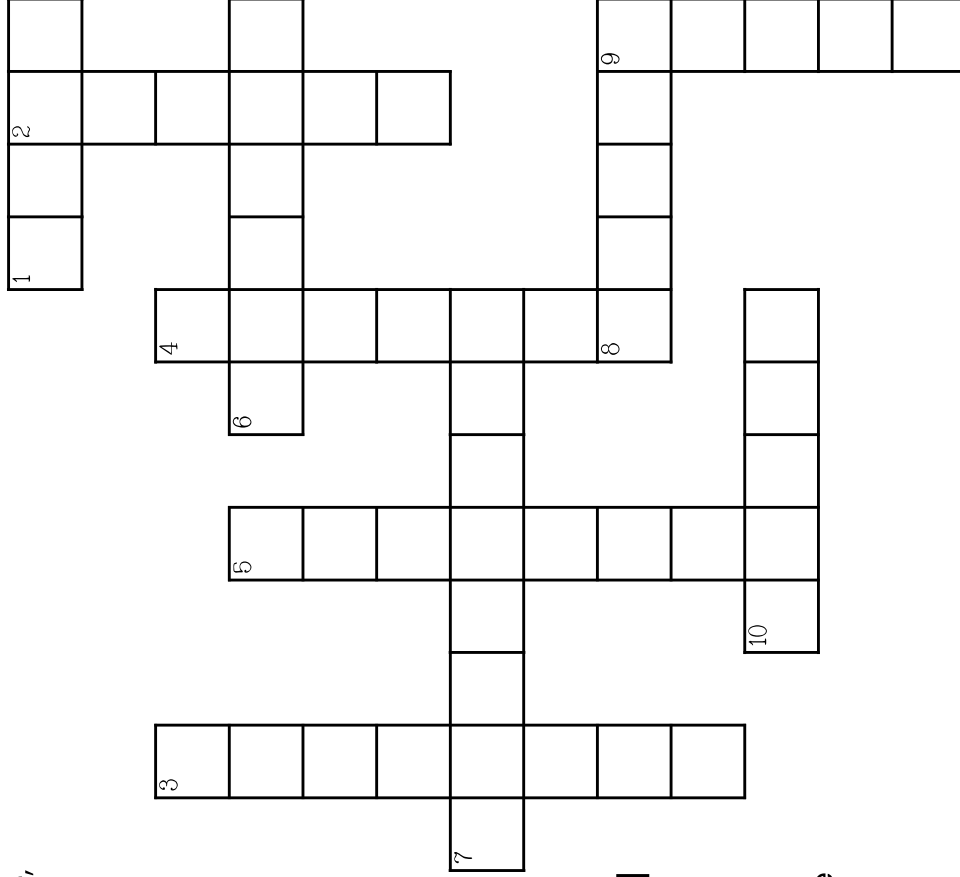
Jesus was **[7 ACROSS]**. Pilate, the Roman **[3 DOWN]**, asked Jesus, "Are you a king?" The Romans didn't want anyone to be a king except their own ruler.

[10 ACROSS] said, "I'm not the kind of king you understand. My **[4 DOWN]** is God's kingdom."

[6 ACROSS] was confused. "So you are a king?"

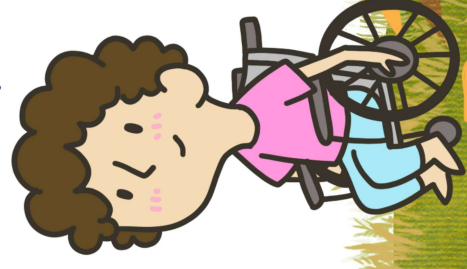
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[5 DOWN (2 words)] and truth with the world. Everyone who loves God and the **[9 DOWN]** will **[2 DOWN]** to me and I will be their king."



Did You Know?

No one knows when the first person ever called themselves a "king", but there's some evidence that the first kings showed up in the world around 5,000 years ago.



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TRY IT AT HOME!

With a grown-up, do a web search for "benevolent kings in history." Read about one or two. What made them good kings? How were they like Jesus? How were they different?