

For Older Kids



Lately I have been thinking there weren't enough stories for older kids in the *Friend*. But when I looked at the "For Older Kids" section, I was so excited about it that I had to write to thank you for it!

**Tabitha L., age 11,
Massachusetts, USA**

Singing for the *Friend*!

The **Vaiola Ward Primary, Utah, USA**, sang the recordings for some new songs for the *Friend*. Turn to page 9 to sing one of these songs and to find the link for the sing-along video to hear the choir!



DEAR FRIENDS,

Happy New Year! When you look into the sky at night, what do you see? Do you see a sky full of stars? Or just a few bright stars? Jesus asked each of us to let our light shine. This year we you can tell us how you do that! Read pages 2-3 and send us your star and story. We love you so much.

Keep shining!

The *Friend*

Was there a story or activity this month that helped you? Tell us about it! Turn to page 39 to find out how.

Kindness Challenge

I took the "kindness challenge" (Feb. 2017) when I met a new boy in Primary named Mason. I learned new things about him and invited



him to come over to play. The best part was that he liked coming to church and he wants to come again!

Lincoln S. (right), age 5, Virginia, USA

Visiting the *Friend*

We went on holiday to Salt Lake City and visited the *Friend* office!

Rebekah, Joseph, Keziah, and Rachel B., ages 9, 11, 10, and 7, Cornwall, England

