

I Didn't Know

I didn't know I loved the feeling of the ice-cold breeze
blowing in my face.

I didn't know I loved the smell of the crisp,
clean air after a snowstorm.

I didn't know I loved the feeling of the cold snow melting
from the warmth of my hands.

I didn't know I loved seeing the white, powdery snow
being shuffled by the people who walk in it.

I didn't know I loved feeling calm, but freezing,
as I walk through powdery snow.

I didn't know I had so much love
for the amazing world God gave us.

Jacob R., age 11, Utah

Sacrament Thoughts

I fold my arms
And bow my head;
Then the sacrament prayer is said.
I open my eyes
And then look up,
And after the bread I drink water
From a little plastic cup.

I try to think
Of how Jesus died,
Sacrificed His life
For all mankind.

I picture His hands
Pierced, bleeding, and sore.
A crown of thorns
On His head He wore.

And now I think
As I take the sacrament's drink
How Jesus, our Savior,
Died for us,
That we might live again.

Sariah J., age 11, Utah

Animal Haiku

Animals God made
A bird, a deer, and a dog
I love animals

Peter B., age 8, North Carolina

To Be a Missionary

I go out,
telling all what I believe in.

I go out,
telling all to go away from sin.

I go out,
telling of baby Jesus and Mary.

I go out,
to be a missionary.

Grace S., age 9, Ontario, Canada

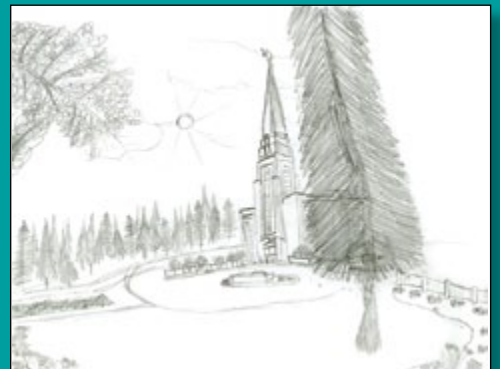
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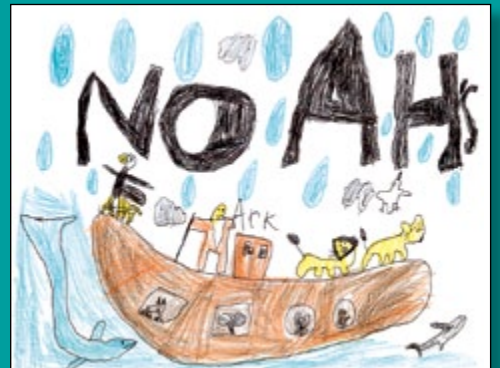
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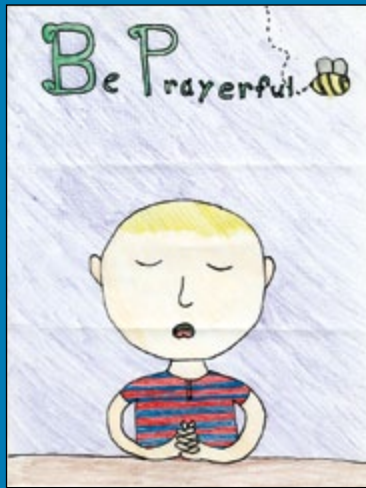
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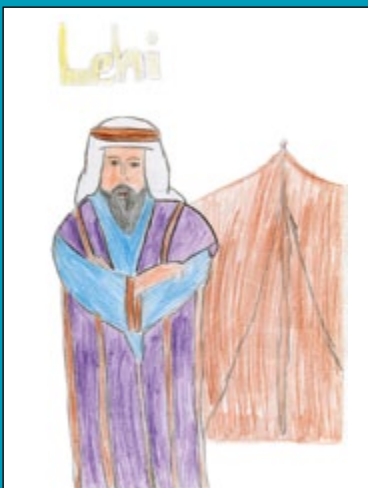
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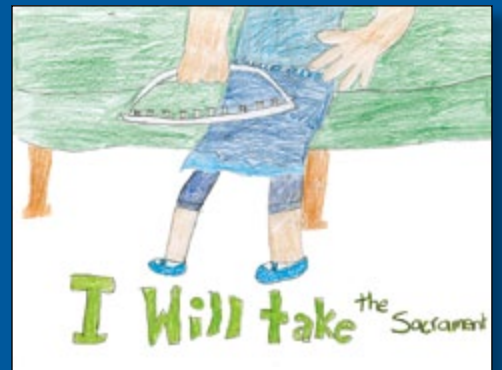
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