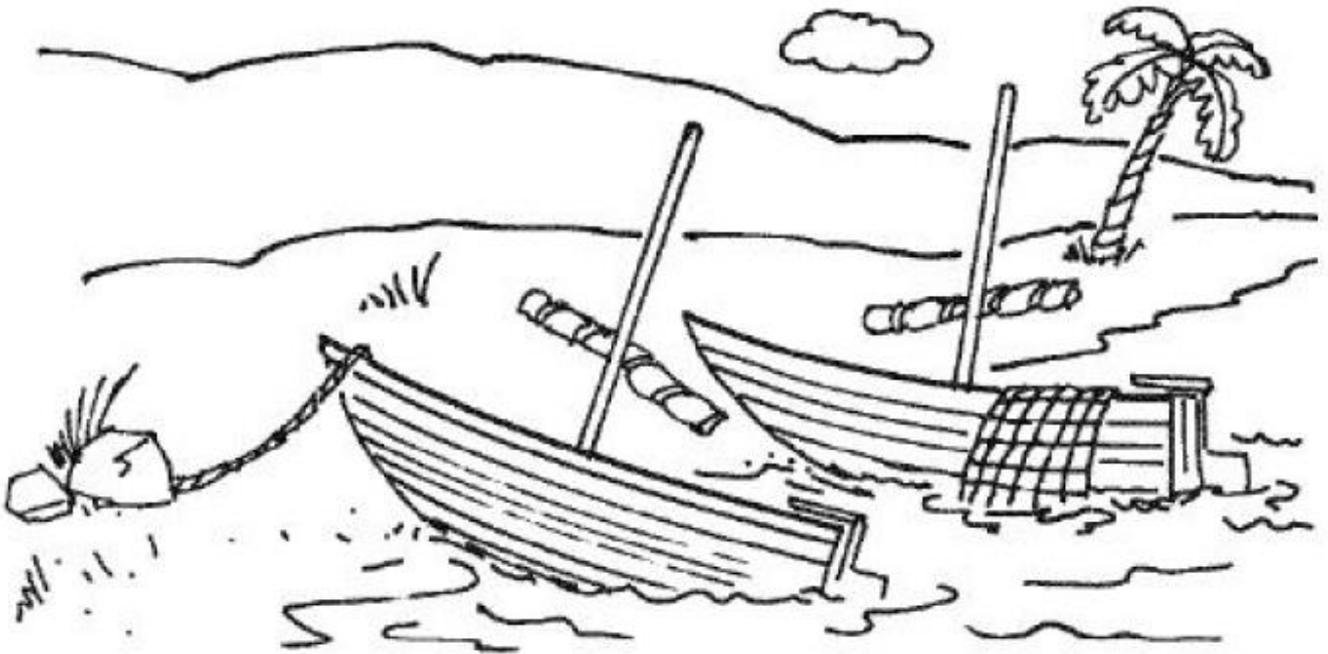


Castleton 2020 – KS1 Workbook

The Life of Peter



Lesson 4: Peter and Cornelius

Peter and Cornelius



(read the story to yourself or with an adult)

Cornelius was a Roman soldier. But even though he was a

Gentile he  prayed to God. One day he saw a vision of an  angel. The

 angel told  Cornelius that his  prayers had been heard. He told  Cornelius

he should send  men to call for  Peter, and  Peter would tell him what he needed to do.

Meanwhile,  Peter went upon the top of a house to  pray. He did

not know that there were  men coming to find him! While he was

 praying he saw a vision. In his vision there was a  sheet coming down

from heaven. Inside the  sheet were all kinds of  animals, wild beasts,

and creeping things.  “Rise, Peter, kill and eat!” Said a voice. “I



can't!" said Peter, "I have never eaten anything that is common or unclean!" The voice replied, "What God has cleansed, you must

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not call common!" Three times this happened, and then the



was taken back up to heaven.



While Peter felt puzzled over what the vision could have

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meant, the three men from Cornelius arrived. Before, Peter would not

have gone with them because they were Gentiles, and Gentiles



were unclean to Jews like Peter. But now, Peter realized that God

did not want him to think that the Gentiles were unclean anymore.



God wanted Peter to baptize Cornelius and his family! So Peter went with



the men, and Peter baptized Cornelius and his family.

Peter had a vision.
The heavens opened and a sheet with
unclean four-legged animals came down.



Circle the correct answer

1. What was Cornelius?



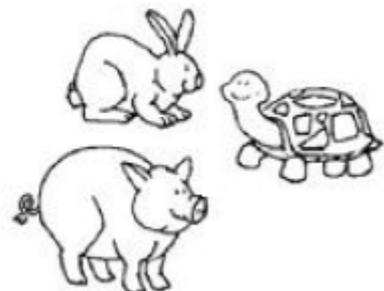
2. How many times did the sheet come down from heaven?

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3. What was in the sheet in Peter's vision?



Now Peter understood that it was right to visit the Gentile Cornelius.

Help Cornelius' men take Peter to Cornelius' house.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

The puzzle consists of a grid of cells with numbers and shaded areas. The grid is as follows:

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			4	3	Shaded	8	4					
		8	5	6	2							
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Illustrations include: four men walking at the top left; a house with palm trees at the top right; a row of houses at the middle left; a man standing in front of a house with palm trees at the bottom; and a small object on the ground at the bottom right.



Cornelius was a Roman soldier. He was a centurion of the Italian cohort.

Peter's vision taught him that God loved the Jews and Gentiles.

Trace the heart and the letters below.

