



People did not understand Jesus' purpose in coming to earth and performing miracles.

They became excited about Jesus' miraculous power. They wanted Him to become king and deliver their nation from Roman rule.

Complete the poem with words that rhyme.



Jesus healed lepers,  
The blind, and the lame –  
Yet miraculous deeds were  
Not why He \_\_\_\_\_.

He came to heal hearts  
From sin, guilt and fear.  
But their minds were confused.  
Their ears could not \_\_\_\_\_.

Feeding the hungry,  
Put them in a good mood,  
But was less important  
Than spiritual \_\_\_\_\_.



They needed a Savior  
More than anything.  
But blindly they searched  
For a conquering \_\_\_\_\_.



“Give us what WE want,”  
They seemed to say.  
So Jesus withdrew  
To a mountain to \_\_\_\_\_.

Ages 7+

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## Jesus Feeds 5,000

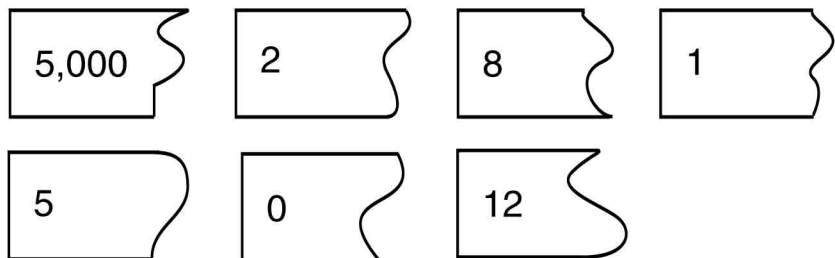
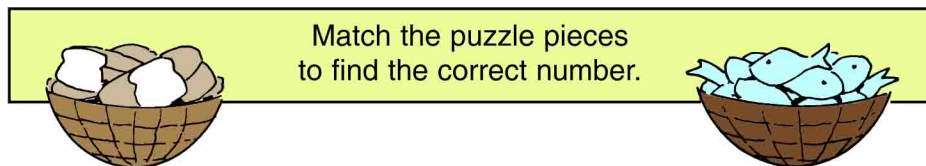
A huge crowd of people came to Jesus in the countryside.



Find 5 small barley loaves and 2 small fish among the crowd.



Very large numbers and very small numbers are contrasted in the story of how Jesus fed so many people.



How many people came to Jesus?

MEN

How much money would it take to feed these people ?

MONTHS' WAGES

How many people brought food?

BOY

After Jesus fed them, how much more did they want to eat?

MORE

How much food did he have?

BARLEY LOAVES

How many leftovers were there?

SMALL FISH

FULL BASKETS

Jesus demonstrated His miraculous power to all the people.

Unscramble the letters to make words that begin with the letter "p." Then place them in the correct blanks to complete the story. You may use some of the words more than once.

vorpniioss = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 moreferpd = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 vaPoress = P \_\_\_\_\_  
 ebosslip = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 hopPert = P \_\_\_\_\_  
 pitnode = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 sapdes = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 loppee = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 pyntle = p \_\_\_\_\_  
 hiPpil = P \_\_\_\_\_  
 treeP = P \_\_\_\_\_  
 lapec = p \_\_\_\_\_

A great crowd of p\_\_\_\_\_ came to Jesus because they had seen the miracles He had p\_\_\_\_\_ for the sick. It was near the time of the Jewish P\_\_\_\_\_. Jesus spoke to P\_\_\_\_\_ about buying p\_\_\_\_\_ for the p\_\_\_\_\_ – which was not p\_\_\_\_\_. Andrew, Simon P\_\_\_\_\_’s brother, p\_\_\_\_\_ out a boy with a small lunch. Jesus told his disciples to have the p\_\_\_\_\_ sit down because there was p\_\_\_\_\_ of grass in that p\_\_\_\_\_. Jesus gave thanks and p\_\_\_\_\_ the food around. There was p\_\_\_\_\_ for everyone. The p\_\_\_\_\_ said, “Surely this is the P\_\_\_\_\_ who is to come into the world!”