



Fruit of the Spirit Writing prompts





**The living, the living—they
praise you, as I am doing today;
parents tell their children about
your faithfulness.
Isaiah 38:19**

**List 3-5 things your parents (or
significant adults) told you
about God and/or his
faithfulness.**



**For you are great and do
marvelous deeds;
You alone are God.
Teach me your way, Lord, that I
may rely on your faithfulness
Psalm 86:10-11**

**Write a paragraph about what
marvelous things you have
experienced because of God.**



**Now it is required that those
who have been given a trust
must prove faithful.
I Corinthians 1:2**

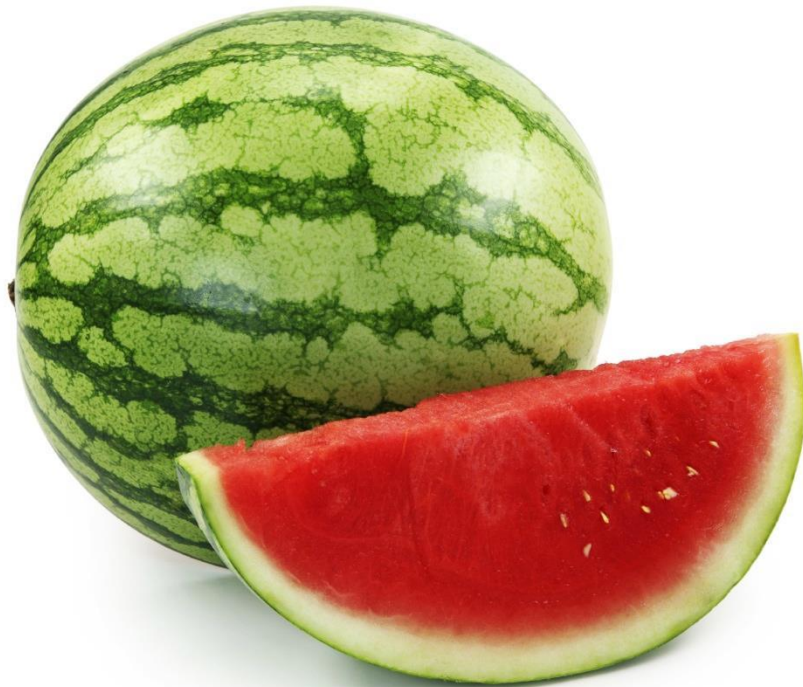
**Create a narrative about a
person given a
responsibility. Were they
faithful or not? What
resulted from their actions?**



**A gentle answer turns away
wrath, but a harsh word
stirs up anger.**

Proverbs 15:1

**Create a 2 paragraph story
where this happened OR
relate an actual event
related to this scripture.**



**Let your gentleness be
evident to all.
Philippians 4:5**

**When should you appear
tough and when gentle?
Back up your position
with concrete examples
and persuasive reasons.**



**Patient persistence pierces
through indifference;
gentle speech breaks
down rigid defenses.
Proverbs 25:15**

**Look up Luke 18:1-5. How
do these scriptures relate to
each other?**



**Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect
1 Peter 3:15**

Create a 12-16 line dialogue between two people that illustrates this verse.



GOODNESS

Luke 6:27

**But I say to you who listen: Love
your enemies, do what is good to
those who hate you**

**Write a story about someone who
was kind to an enemy. Explain the
who, what, where, when, how and
why.**



GOODNESS

2 Thessalonians 3:13
Brothers, do not grow weary
in doing good.

List 10-12 things that make
you tired. Then make another
list of things that energize
you.



GOODNESS

Galatians 4:18
**Now it is always good to be
enthusiastic about good.**

What are you enthusiastic about?
Why? On a scale of 1 to 10, how
“good” are these things or
activities?



For unclean spirits, crying out with a loud voice, came out of many who were possessed, and many who were paralyzed and lame were healed. So there was great joy in that city. Acts 8:7-8

Imagine a family member or good friend of yours was healed from something terrible. How would you celebrate?



**There will be more joy in heaven
over one sinner who repents than
over 99 righteous people who don't
need repentance.**

Luke 15:7

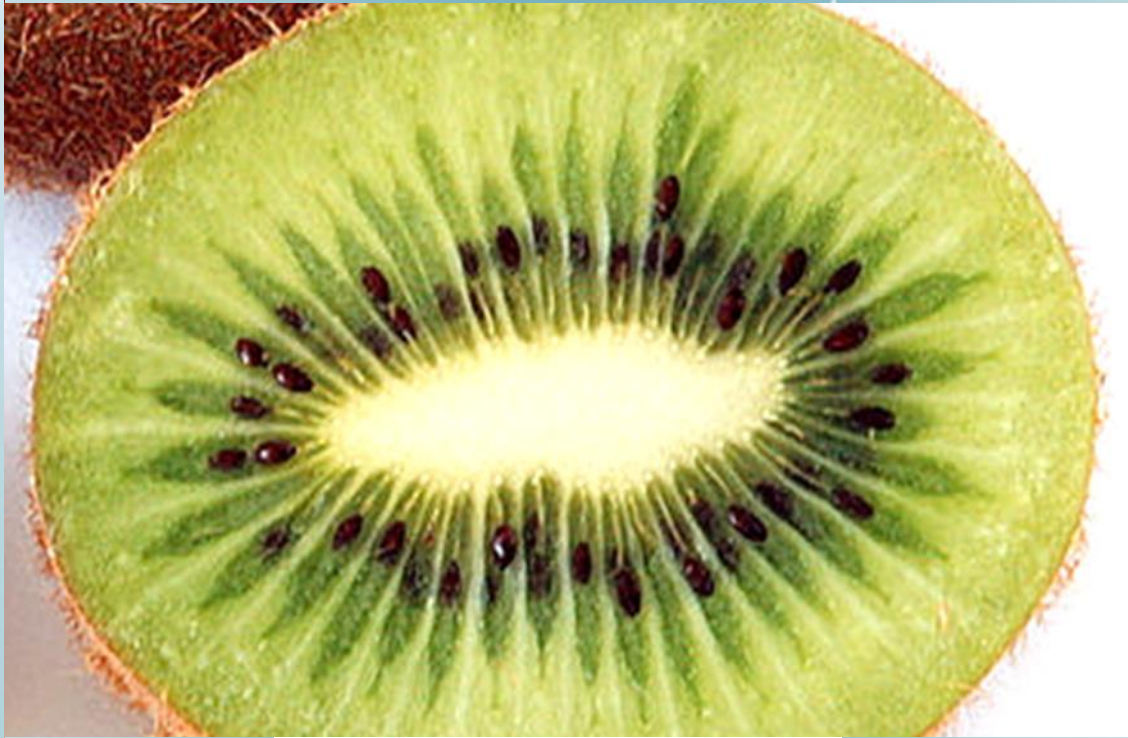
**Describe a party in heaven over a
saved sinner. Tell what can be
heard, seen, tasted, touched and
smelled.**



Romans 4:8

**How joyful is the man the Lord
will never charge with sin!**

**Write about a courtroom scene
where the charges against you were
dropped because Jesus came to
your defense.**

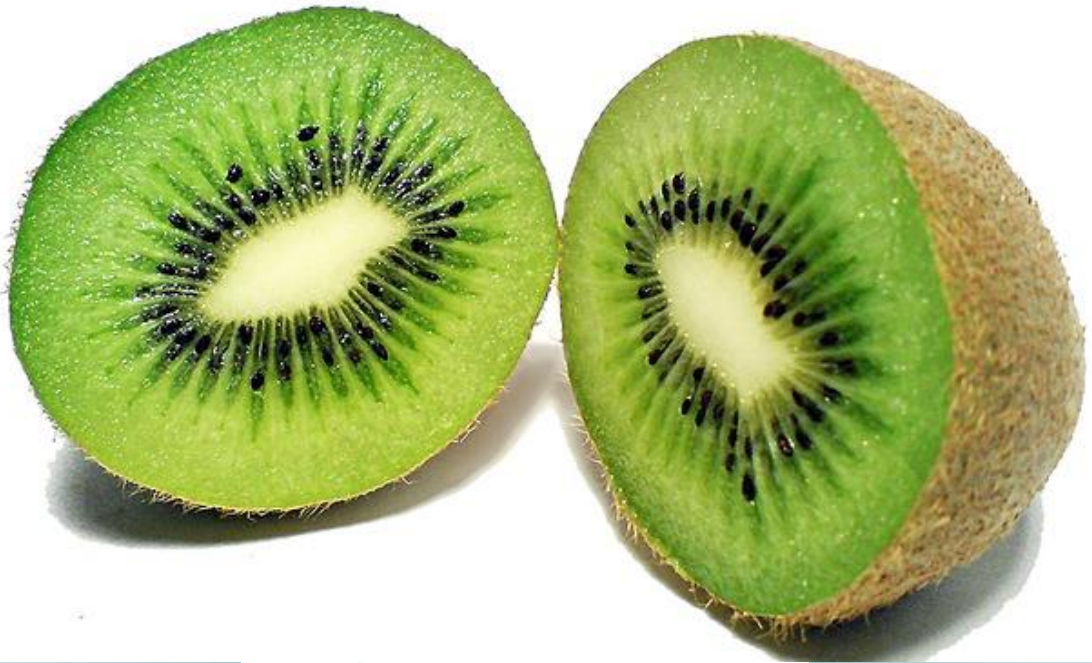


KINDNESS

Ephesians 4:32

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

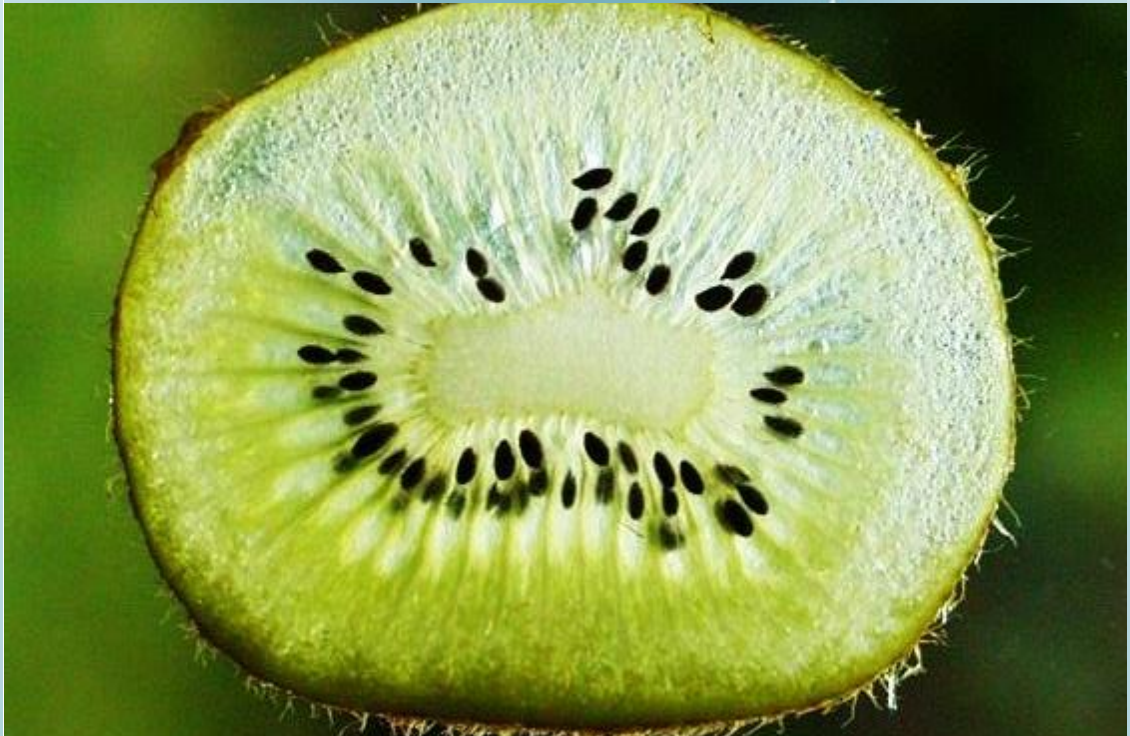
Make a list of people who have forgiven you in the past. Write a thank you note to them or Jesus for the forgiveness you have received.



KINDNESS

**Anyone who withholds
kindness from a friend
forsakes the fear of the
Almighty. Job 6:14**

**How can you show kindness to
friends? How do they show
kindness to you?**



KINDNESS

**I will tell of the kindnesses of
the Lord, the deeds for which
he is to be praised, according to
all the Lord has done for us**

Isaiah 63:7

**Make a list of 15-20 things for
which you praise the Lord.
Circle the three you are most
thankful for.**



Love

**There is no fear in love. But
perfect love drives out fear
1 John 4:16**

**Describe a scary situation: who,
what, where, when, how and
why OR describe how being
with someone who loves you
makes you less afraid.**



Love

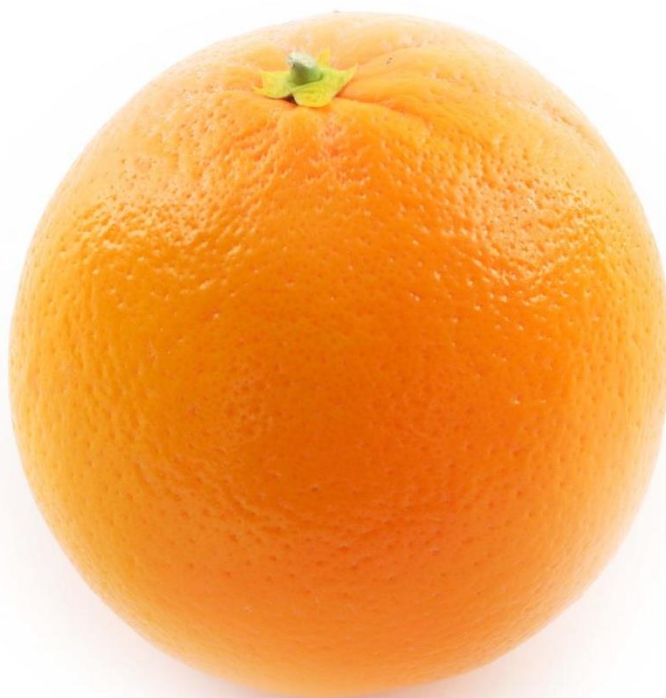
**Love the Lord your
God with all your
heart and with all
your soul and with
all your mind.
Matthew 22:37**



Love

**The only thing that counts is
faith expressing itself through
love. Galatians 5:6**

**Write 4 diary entries of a
Biblical character who showed
love to someone else OR explain
how this verse relates to James
2:14-19.**



PATIENCE

Be patient until the Lord's coming. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth and is patient with it until it receives the early and the late rains. James 5:7

Describe fruits offered at a garden or farmer's market. How do they taste? Smell? Look? Feel?



PATIENCE

**Be still before the Lord and
wait patiently for him
Psalm 37:7**

**When or for what is it
hardest to be patient?
OR
Describe a Bible character
you think exemplifies
patience.**



PATIENCE

A hot-tempered person stirs up conflict, but the one who is patient calms a quarrel.

Proverbs 15:18

Create a 3 paragraph story that exemplifies this scripture. Have three characters OR relate this to Matthew 18:21-35



PEACE

**Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children
of God. Matthew 5:9**

**Rewrite the story of Cain and
Abel with Adam or Eve making
peace between the brothers.**



PEACE

Let us therefore make every effort to do what leads to peace and to mutual edification.

Romans 14:19

If you could bring peace to one area of the world, where would you choose and why?

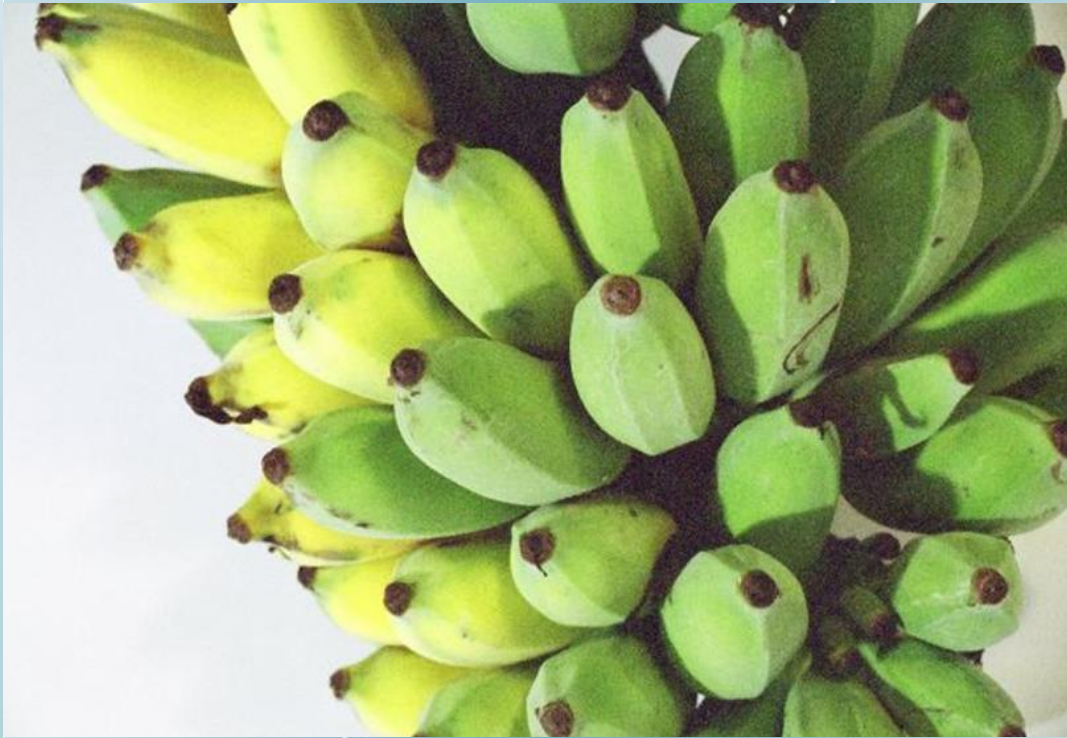


PEACE

**Better a dry crust with peace
and quiet than a house full of
feasting, with strife.**

Proverbs 17:1

**Write 2 short skits that compare
and contrast the two different
scenes that come to mind from
this verse.**



SELF-CONTROL

Like a city whose walls are broken through is a person who lacks self-control.

Proverbs 25:28

Explain this analogy using concrete examples (especially as it relates to a diet or saying the first thing that comes to mind)



SELF-CONTROL

Encourage the young men to be self-controlled. In everything set them an example by doing what is good. Titus 2:6-7

Imagine you had no self-control for 24 hours. What might happen to you? To other people?



Psalm 23:6 Only goodness and faithful love will pursue me all the days of my life

Create a spooky story where you are frightened because you are being pursued by two people or animals. In the end you discover they were chasing you to help you.



Hebrews 10:24
**And let us be concerned
about one another in
order to promote love and
good works**

**List 7 practical ways to
encourage others.**



**Better a patient person than a warrior, one with self-control than one who takes a city.
Proverbs 16:32**

Create a fable or fairy tale that illustrates this principle with a warrior as a character and a city under siege as the setting.