bibletime



B.E.S. & Friends



B.E.S. A wise guide

 $\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{0}$



Bravely asks questions



Likes to stop and think



Beam
An encouraging friend



The next day Q decides to go and see B.E.S. who always seems to know what to say...

B.E.S!

Can you help?

Don't look so worried Q! What's wrong?





B.E.S, why is the Bible such a special book?

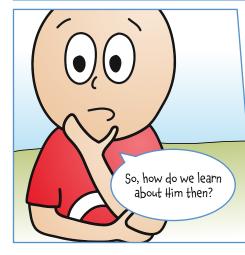
The Bible is
God's message to us.
In it, God tells us about
Himself, His Son, Jesus,
and He also shows us
how to live.



But who is God?

Well Q, the first
thing you need to learn
about God is that He is so
great that we can't fully
understand everything
about Him.

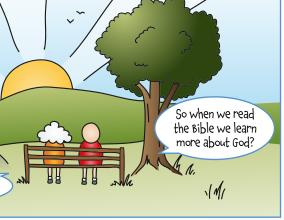


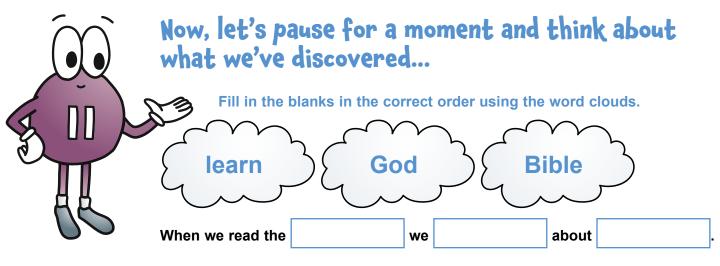


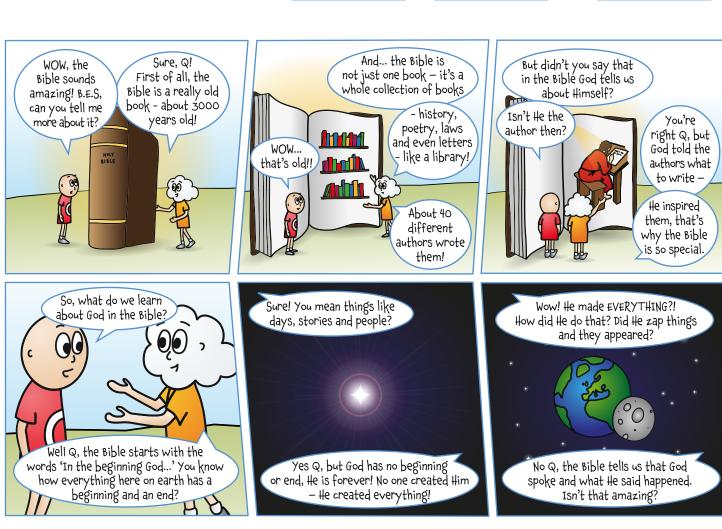
Well, you know the best way to get to know someone? Ask them to tell you about themselves! That's what God does in the Bible!

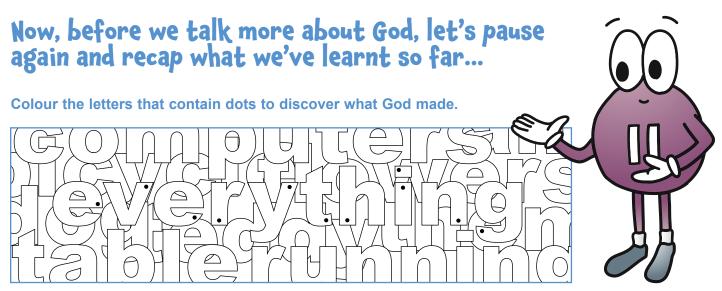


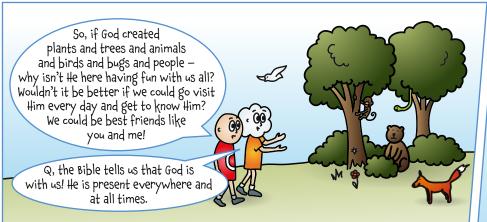
That's right Q!

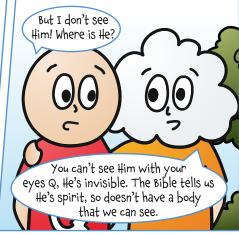










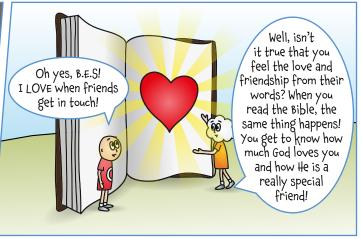




I suppose, but if He's a best friend, like you and me B.E.S, I want to be able to talk to Him and give Him big giant hugs! How can I do that if He's invisible?

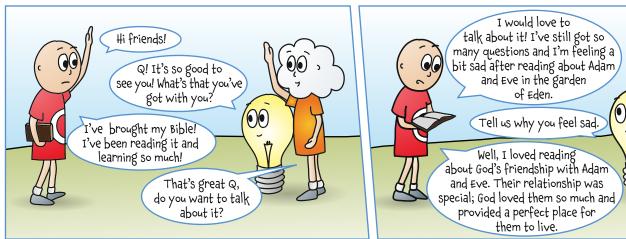
Sometimes these things are hard for us to fully understand Q, but the Bible tells us that God loves us. He wants to talk with us and He's always there for us!

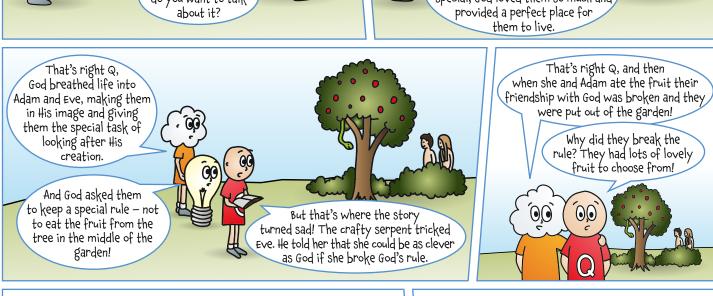


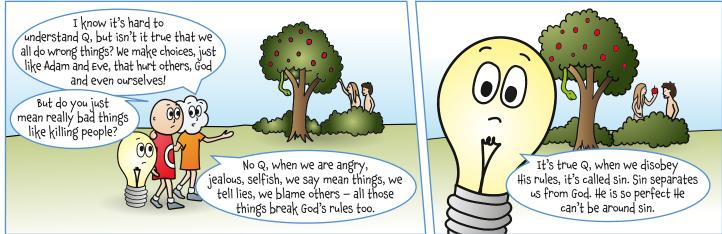




The next day B.E.S. and Beam are in the park. Q joins them with more questions...

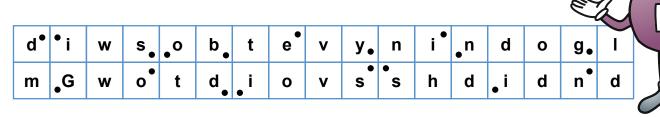




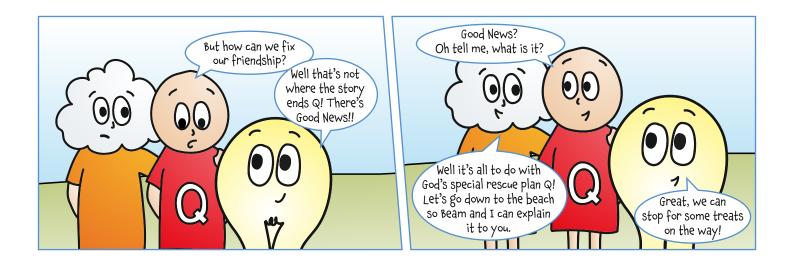


Let's pause for a moment and recap.

Write the letters with dots in the spaces below to reveal what the Bible says.

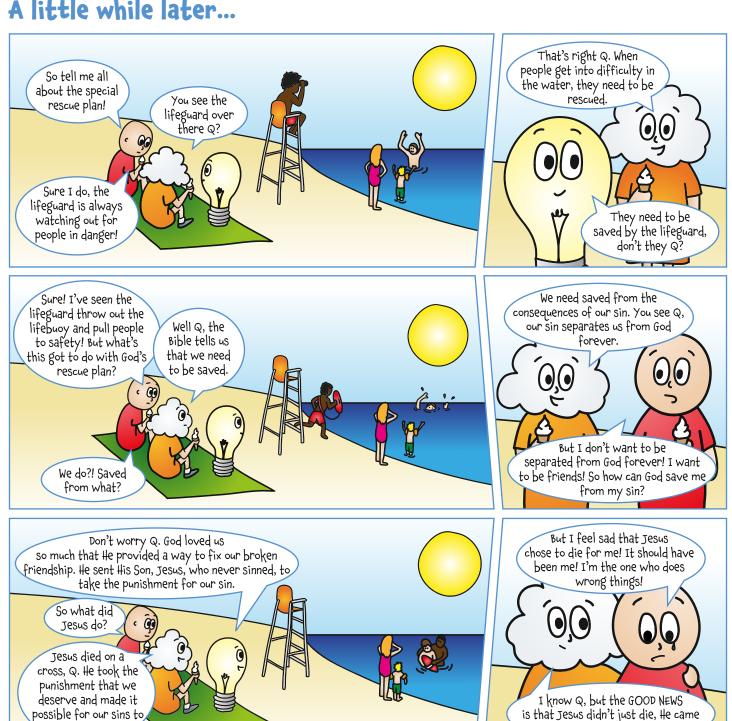




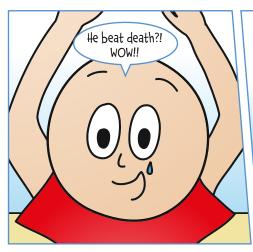


A little while later...

be forgiven.



back to life! He beat death!









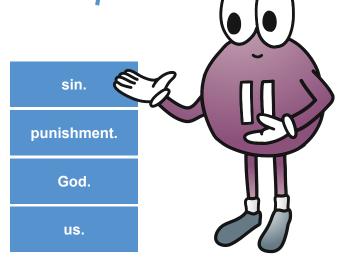
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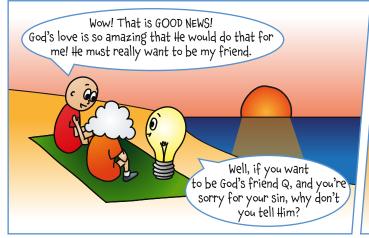
God loves...

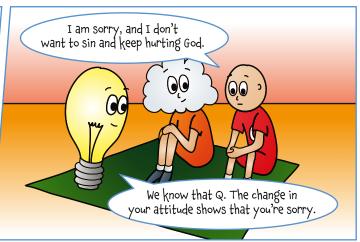
Our sin separates us from...

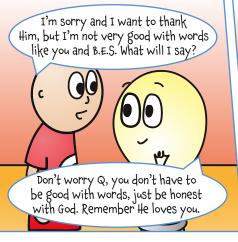
Jesus had no...

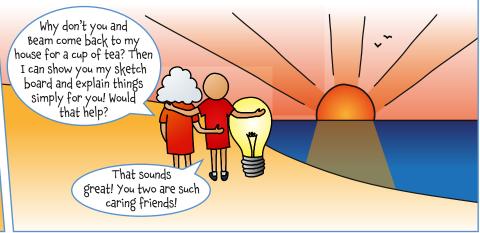
God sent Jesus to take our...

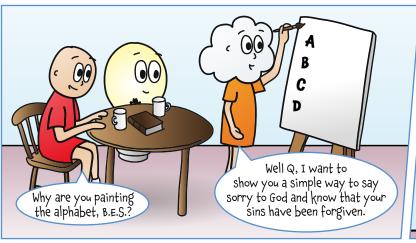


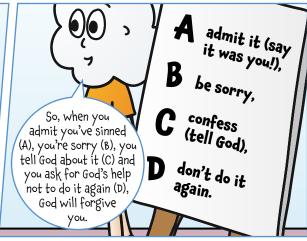


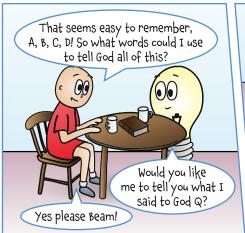




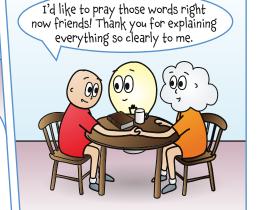








I said: Dear God, I know I do wrong things every day. I'm sorry. Thank You for loving me so much and sending Jesus to die for me. Thank You that He took my blame and He beat death. Please forgive all my sin so we can be friends. Please help me to be Your good friend by talking to You and reading Your Word, the Bible, every day. Amen.





Q said sorry for his sin and thanked God for loving him. To keep his friendship with God strong, he will need to:

- 1. Read the Bible.
- 2. Talk to God (pray).
- Meet with friends who love God.
- 4. Tell others the GOOD NEWS about Jesus.

Spending time with God changes us! Reading His Word the Bible, and learning about Him, changes us on the inside. We become more like Him, and our friends should notice!

God gives us power, strength and wisdom to live each day for Him.

Friends Forever! Now tell the world!

Colour the words and try to learn this Key Verse...

afor God so loved the world,

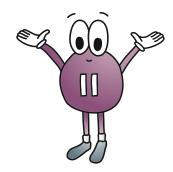
that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life."



John 3: 16



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