

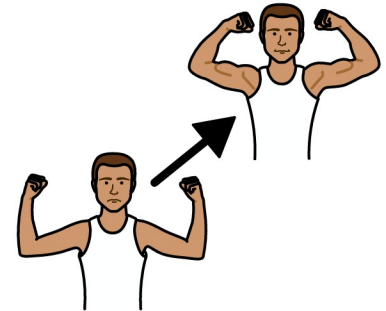
KC July Memory Verse



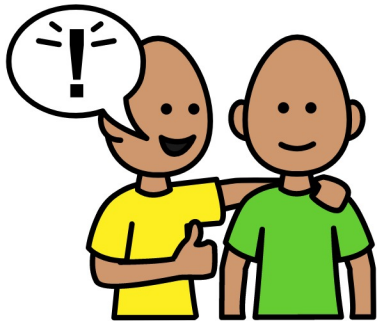
Romans 15:5 (NirV)



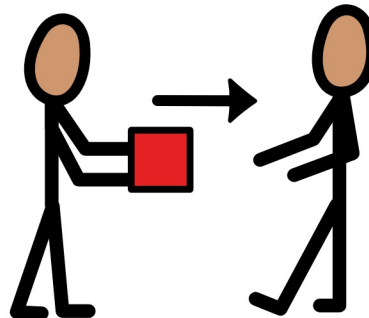
Our God is a God



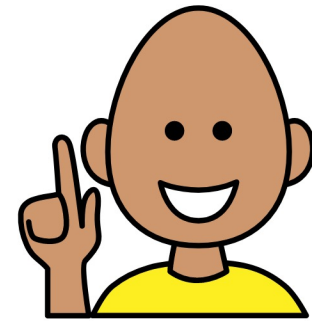
who strengthens



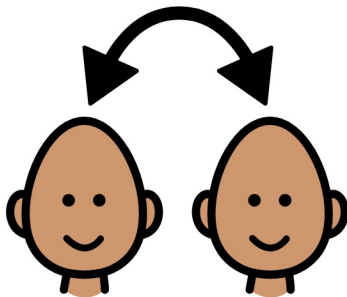
and encourages you.



May he give you



the same attitude toward



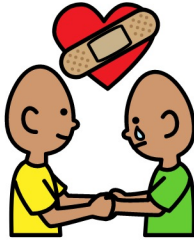
one another



that Christ Jesus had.



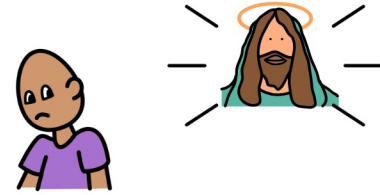
Colossians 3:13 - "Put up with one another. Forgive one another if you are holding



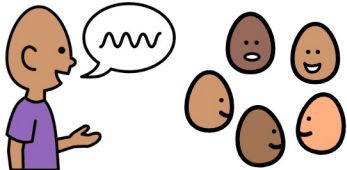
something against someone. Forgive, just as the Lord forgave you."



Can you imagine how awful Peter must have felt about denying Jesus?



Even after Jesus returned to life, Peter's excitement must have been mixed with feelings of guilt.



Jesus was back, but none of His friends knew what would happen next. Peter was tired of waiting around so he told them he was going fishing.



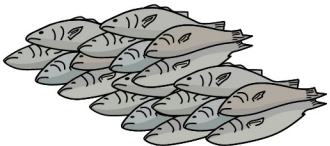
Some of the other disciples went with Peter, but just as on the night before Jesus first called Peter, the men caught 0 fish.



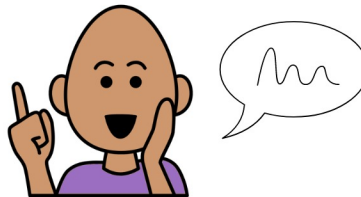
Early in the morning, a man called out to them from the shore and asked if they had any fish. The disciples replied, "No".



"Throw your net on the right side of the boat, then you will find some", the man replied.



Peter and his friends, tossed their nets into the water and suddenly, the net filled with so many fish they couldn't drag it back in the boat.



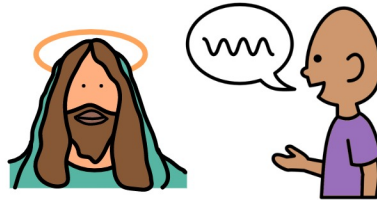
Almost exactly what happened before Jesus called Peter to follow Him. "It's the Lord", Peter said and leaped out of the boat.



Jesus gave the men bread and fish and they ate together.



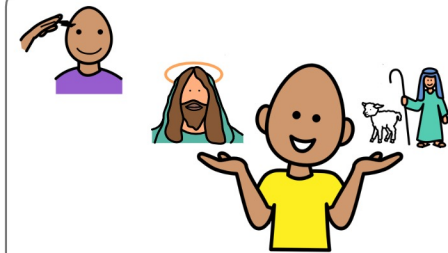
When they were finished, Jesus spoke to Simon Peter. Jesus, simply said, "Do you love me more than these others do?"



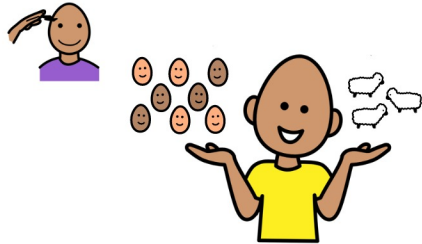
"Yes, Lord. You know that I love you", replied Peter.



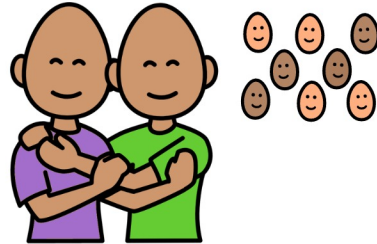
"Feed my lambs", Jesus said.



Peter knew that Jesus had compared Himself to a good shepherd.



Jesus also compared all the people who needed and followed Him to sheep.



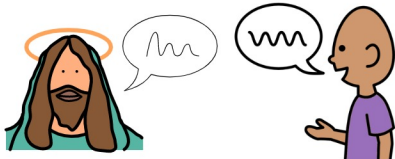
Jesus wanted Peter to take care of all the people who will soon begin to follow Jesus.



Jesus asked Peter again, "Simon, do you love me?" Peter said: " Yes, Lord, you know that I do."



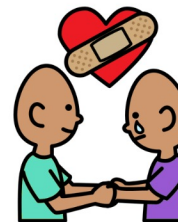
"Take care of my sheep", Jesus said.



Then Jesus asked a third time, "Simon, do you love me?" Simon replied, "Lord, you know all things. You know that I love you."



"Feed my sheep", Jesus said. Jesus was asking Peter to take care of His people.



Despite all that Peter had done, Jesus forgave him



just like Paul wrote many years ago in Colossians 3:13.

Monthly Virtue ·
Live it out



Discover



how to love



like Jesus.

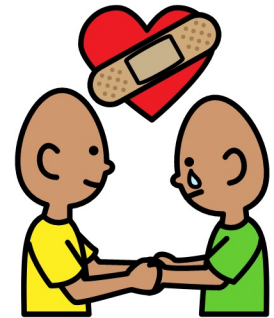
Key Question



What

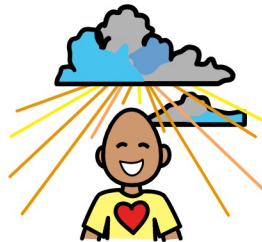


makes it hard



to forgive?

Basic Truth



I am loved by God
no matter what

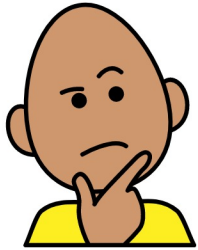


so I can love God,

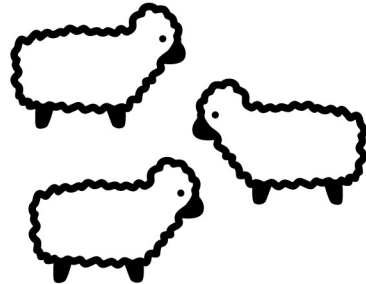


love others, and
love life.

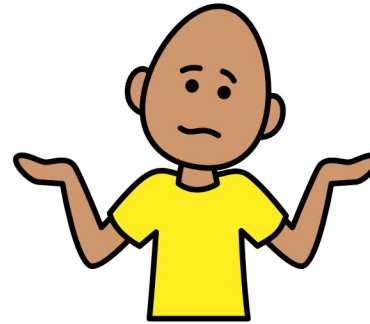
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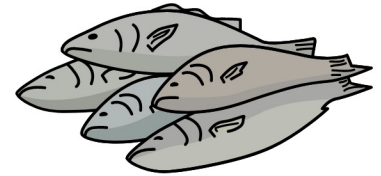
1. Who did Jesus ask Peter to care for?



a. His sheep



b. I don't know



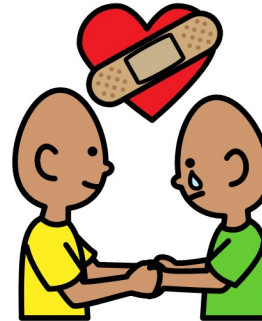
c. His fish



2. Colossians 3:13 tells us to _____, just as the Lord forgave us.



a. be cool



b. forgive



c. fish



3. Jesus held a grudge against Peter for denying Him.



True

OR



False