

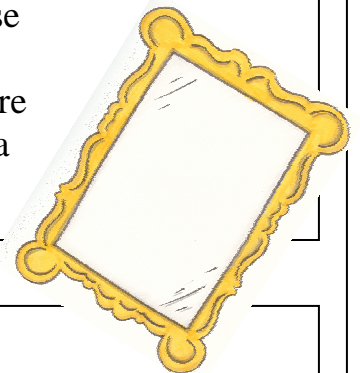
TIPS for parents and teachers

Romans 1 is a good opportunity to talk about contemporary idols. Kids may not realize how very relevant this section of scripture is to them today. Spend some time talking about what they are grateful to God for, and what consequences not being grateful has brought onto those Paul talks about. How does a lack of gratitude result in the list of sins? Does it ever seem like it isn't worthwhile to "retain the knowledge of God?" What does that mean? How does the law help us understand who we are?

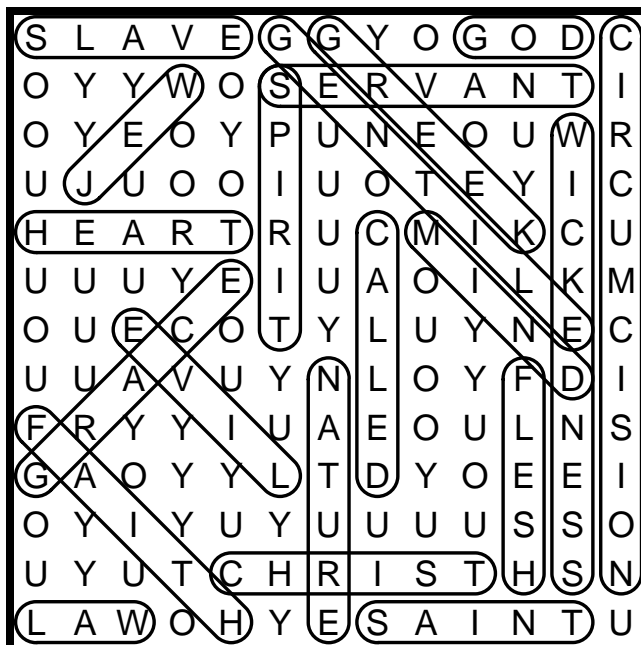
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1 Corinthians 13:12 talks about the poor reflection that we see in a mirror. Give each of the kids an inexpensive mirror and discuss what they can and can't see about themselves.

Give the kids the "mirror" on Page 5 and have them illustrate some of the things that God fully knows about them. Romans 2:16 says that God will judge men's secrets. What kinds of things do we keep secret? How can those secrets cause us damage when they are kept hidden? What are some ways the Bible gives us a fuller view of them?



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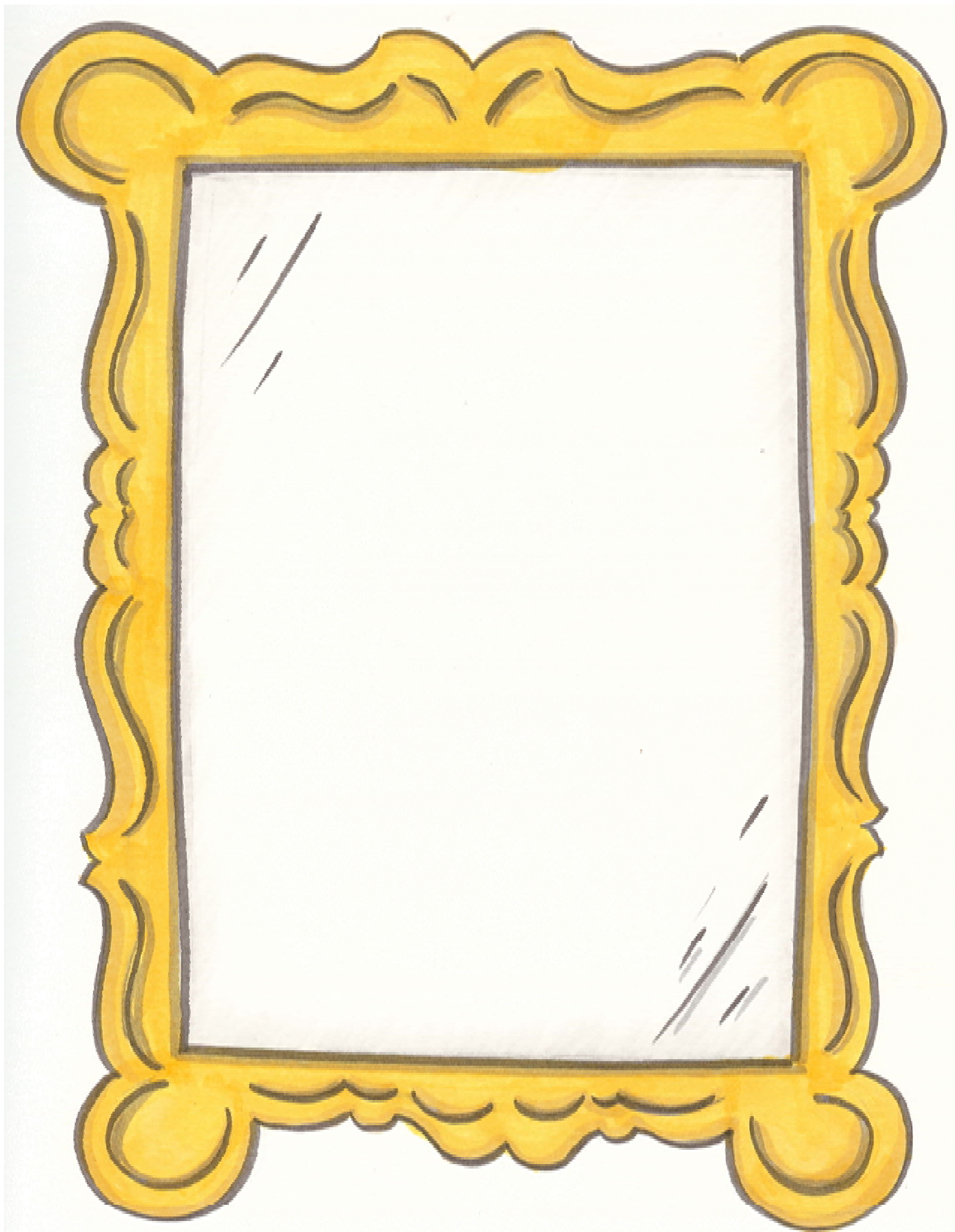
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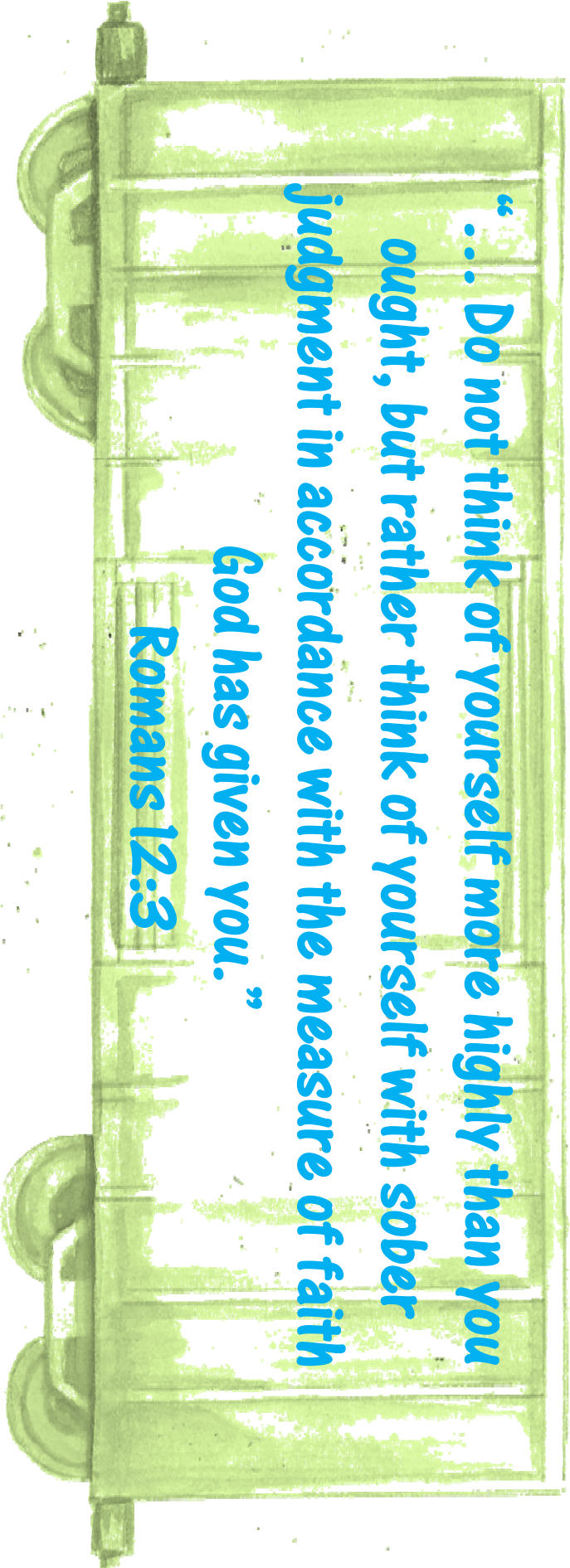
Do a little review and talk about some of the things we learned about God. What is He like? What does it mean for us to be made in His image? What are some ways that you are like your parents? In what ways are we like Him?

How does knowing God help us know ourselves?



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“... Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment in accordance with the measure of faith God has given you.”

Romans 12:3