

Zeke's Help

Group Prayer Activity (Grades 1-4)

Supplies needed:

Tancho coloring sheets

Preparation:

Print enough coloring pages of Tancho to give each student one.

Activity:

In the story, Zeke explains to Tancho why bad things sometimes happen to us. Think about a time in your life when something bad happened to you. Maybe you fell and broke a bone, or a friend broke your favorite toy. How did you feel at the time? Did God use that experience to teach you something? Can you think of a way that God used that experience for good?

Using Tancho's coloring page, write down or draw a picture of ways God helps us when we feel sad.

To help you get started, think of some of the promises God gives us in the Bible:

God loves us - Matthew 10:30-31, John 3:16, 1 John 4:9

God forgives us - Luke 15:3-7, Acts 10:43, Ephesians 1:7

God gives us eternal life - John 6:40, 1 Corinthians 15:51-52

God is always present - Matthew 18:20, John 6:37, Romans 8:38-39

God answers prayer - Matthew 7:7-11, 1 Peter 3:12, 1 John 5:14-15

After you are done with your picture, pray for the people in Japan who do not yet know about God's promises. Pray that they will learn about God's truth and accept it in their own life.

