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The eyes of the Lord are everywhere, keeping watch. . .
Proverbs 15:3 (NIV)

The Angry Brother
Genesis 4

"Cain, why do you look so upset and angry?" God asked. "Do what is right because sin wants to destroy you."

Outside the garden Adam and Eve had two sons. They named them Cain and Abel. Cain was a farmer. Abel raised animals.

One day, they both brought offerings for God. Cain brought some of his crops. Abel brought the best and fattest of his animals to give to God.

God liked Abel's offering, but not what Cain brought. That made Cain mad and he looked really upset. God saw that and talked with Cain about not letting anger control him, but Cain ignore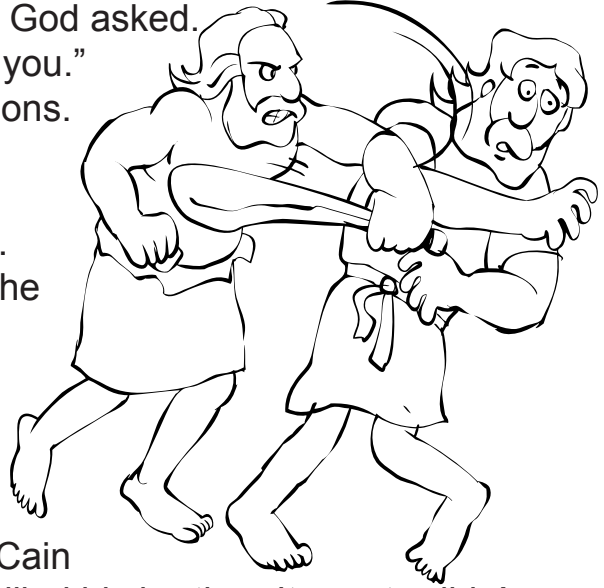d God and did something horrible: Cain invited Abel to go out to the field. There, Cain killed his brother. It was terrible!

God knew all about it, but He asked Cain, "Where's your brother, Abel?"

"I don't know," Cain lied, "Do I have to take care of my brother?"

God explained to Cain that what he had done brought a curse on him and on the ground. Now the seeds Cain planted wouldn't grow for him like before, and Cain would have to wander around for the rest of his life.

Now, Cain was afraid someone would kill him, but God had mercy and gave Cain a special mark to protect him from others. God still cared about Cain. He made a way to protect him.
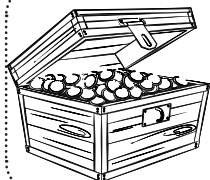
What did we discover?

1) Who were Cain and Abel's parents? _____

       MARY & JOSEPH   ADAM & EVE   DAVID & ABIGAIL

2) Who brought a good offering to God? _____

       ABEL   CAIN   ADAM

3) Cain _____ his brother Abel.

       TOOK CARE OF   CARRIED   KILLED

4 Even though Cain did wrong, how did God protect Cain?_____

       WITH A MARK   WITH AN ANGEL   WITH A SWORD

God always sees what I do, so how should I live this week?

God sees everything.
God is everywhere and knows everything. He wants to help me do right.

Father God, Help me do what is right.