Preschool · Easy

Caleb Asks for the Mountain Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · Joshua 14:6–15

Name: _____ Date: _____

Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. Caleb came to (**Joshua** / **Pharaoh**).
2. Moses sent Caleb to look at the (**land** / **sea**).
3. Caleb (**followed** / **forgot**) the LORD.
4. Old Caleb was still (**strong** / **weak**).
5. Caleb asked for a (**mountain** / **boat**).

Circle the number

6. How old was Caleb when Moses sent him? **10** / **40** / **85**
7. How old was Caleb when he asked for the mountain? **12** / **40** / **85**

Trace the verse

Use a pencil to write over the gray letters. Then write the words again on the line below.

I wholly followed the LORD my God

Joshua 14:8 (KJV) · wholly = with all my heart

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Answer key

Circle the right word

1. The children of Judah came unto **Joshua** in Gilgal, and Caleb spoke to him. *(Joshua 14:6)*
2. Moses sent him "to espy out the **land**." *(Joshua 14:7)*
3. "I wholly **followed** the LORD my God." *(Joshua 14:8)*
4. "As yet I am as **strong** this day as I was in the day that Moses sent me." *(Joshua 14:11)*
5. "Now therefore give me this **mountain**." *(Joshua 14:12)*

Circle the number

6. **40.** "**Forty** years old was I when Moses the servant of the LORD sent me." *(Joshua 14:7)*
7. **85.** "I am this day fourscore and five years old" (fourscore and five = **85**). *(Joshua 14:10)*

Trace the verse

"I wholly followed the LORD my God" is the end of Joshua 14:8 (KJV). The whole verse is: "Nevertheless my brethren that went up with me made the heart of the people melt: but I wholly followed the LORD my God."

For the teacher

Time: about 10 minutes · **Ages:** 4–6 (preschool and kindergarten)

- **Read it out loud:** read each sentence and both choices, then let kids circle the answer. Kids who can't write yet can point while you circle.
- **Tracing:** kids trace the gray letters with a pencil or crayon, then copy the words on the line. Younger kids can just trace.
- **Talk about it:** Caleb followed the LORD with all his heart, and God kept him strong (Joshua 14:8, 11). Ask: *How can you follow God with all your heart?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Caleb Asks for the Mountain Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/caleb-lesson.

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