

**Bible Story 123**

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### CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD(S):

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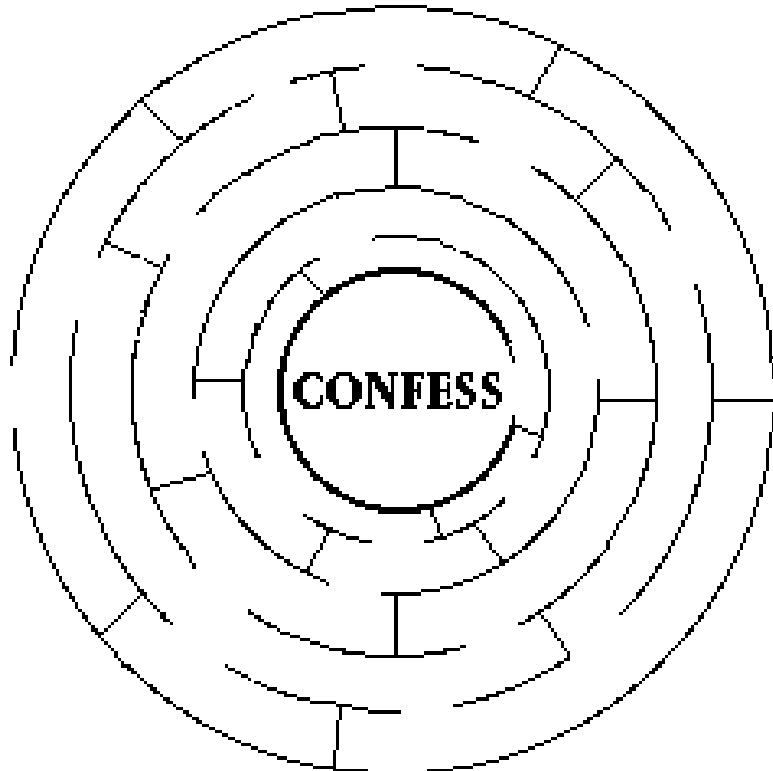
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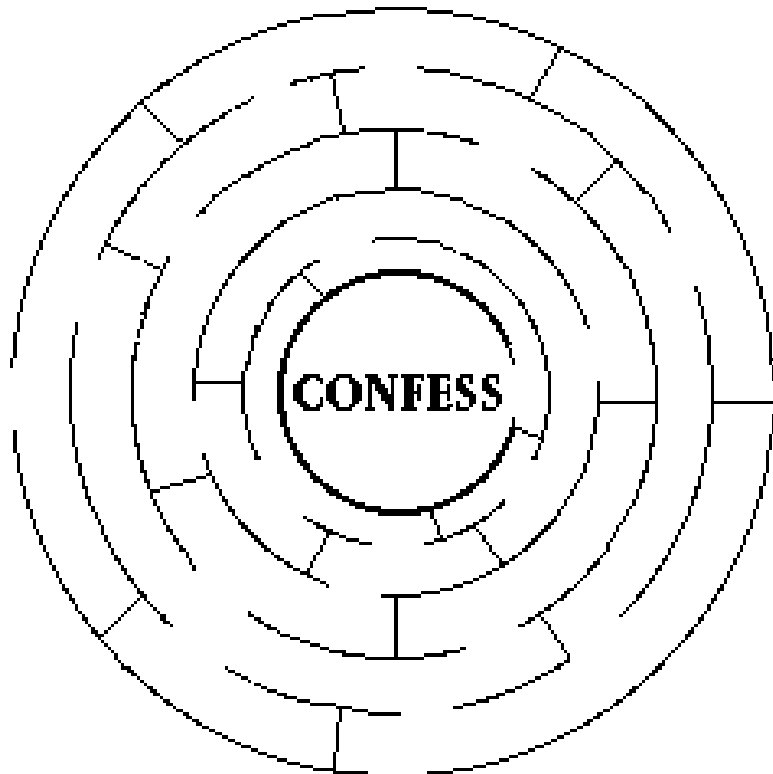
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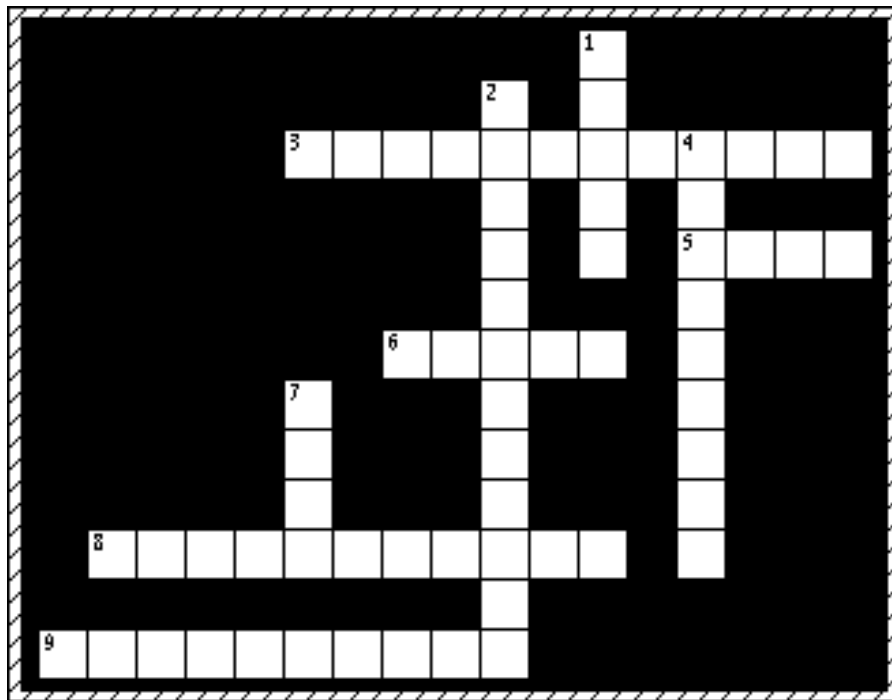
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