

The apostles were arrested and put in prison for telling people about Jesus. They were ordered to stop talking about Jesus.

When the apostles continued to talk about Jesus—even in prison—they were punished.

Those who followed Jesus had to figure out a way to continue telling others about Jesus, even though it was against the rules.

Your coach sits you on the bench at the beginning of the game, even when you have been working extra hard at practice lately.

You have been looking forward to your best friend's birthday party. All your friends at school are going. The morning of the party, you wake up with a sore throat and a fever. Your mom says you'll have to miss the party.

Your dad has accepted a job in another state, and your family is going to be moving. You have had the same friends your whole life, and now you're going to have to start all over again.

Someone at school blamed you for doing something you didn't do. The principal doesn't believe you, and he is giving you detention for three days.

Your family had a super fun beach vacation planned. But several days before you were supposed to leave, a hurricane came through and caused damage to the resort where you were supposed to stay. Your trip has been cancelled, and you are very disappointed.

**What to Do:**

Print one for each group and cut on the dotted lines.

**"Joy Scenarios" Activity Page**

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