



Fit the pieces into the puzzle.
Find what Jesus said to the
priests and elders.



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Jesus' Authority, and a Parable

Jesus taught in the temple courts.
The chief priests and elders were not happy
with things Jesus was doing.

Find 12  hidden in the picture.



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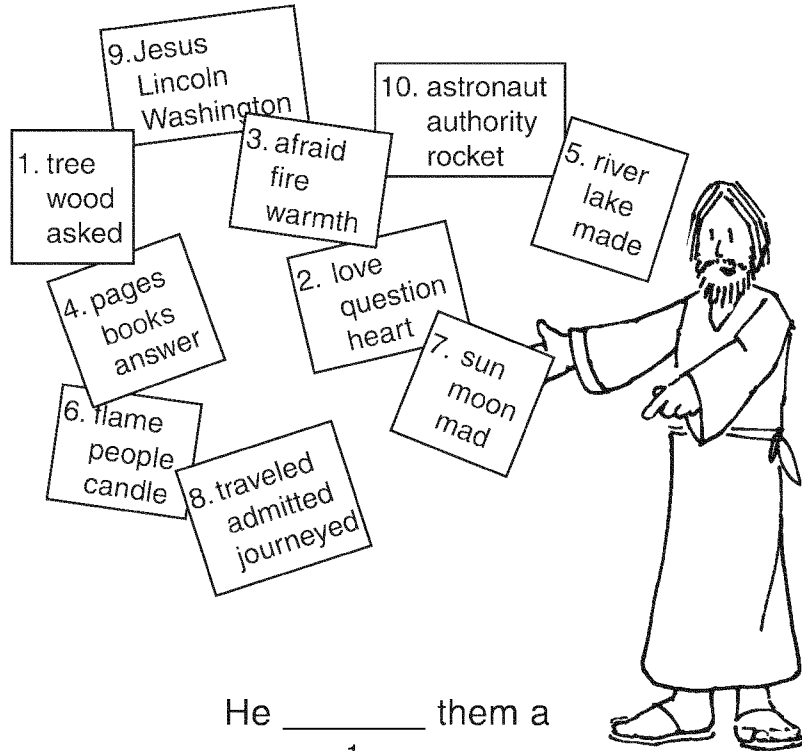
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The chief priests and elders asked Jesus who gave Him the authority* to preach and perform miracles.
What did Jesus say?

Find the word in each set that does not belong.
Write them on the numbered lines.



He _____ them a _____
_____ they were _____ to _____!
They would have _____ the _____ or _____
_____ was the _____!

* Authority - the right to do something.

Jesus told a parable: A man had two sons.
He went to the first and said, "Son, go and work today in the vineyard."

Use the code to finish the "Parable of the Two Sons."

A	B	E	F	I	J	M	N
1	2	3	4				
D	C	H	G	L	K	P	O
R	S	V	W				
5	6	7					
U	T	Y	X	Z			



The son said ...



" _____ , _____ "

_____ , _____

_____ .

Then the father went to the other son, and said the same thing. The son said ...

" _____ , _____ "

_____ , _____

_____ .

Jesus asked, "Which of the two did as the father wanted?"