

BGR BGR Children's Resource

Hi, kids! I'm Farmer Jeff. I want to introduce you to some of my friends today.

God uses families like yours and mine To bring help, hope, and healing at just the right time. We bring gifts more special than milk, eggs, and cheese--The chance to give hope while meeting real needs. To show Jesus' love and the way that He cares, We offer folks meals, or a goat, or some hares. With time spent in teaching and sharing and prayer, These small things bring life to kids everywhere. Think with your family, and ask God to show How you can be part of this blessing that goes To people all over God's beautiful earth So they can know their meaning and worth!



Use your favorite colors on this page and hang on your refrigerator.



Some backyards are tiny—no room for a cow. My friends and I can help somehow! The folks still need protein and something to sell To bring home some money—keep everyone well. We chickens lay eggs and kids gather them up In buc-buc-buckets, or bowls, or a cup. We're easy to care for lined up in the coop, Except when we're running—don't step in the... OOPS!

You can buy 10 chickens for \$25 and help other kids grow strong and healthy.

Buy 10 chickens

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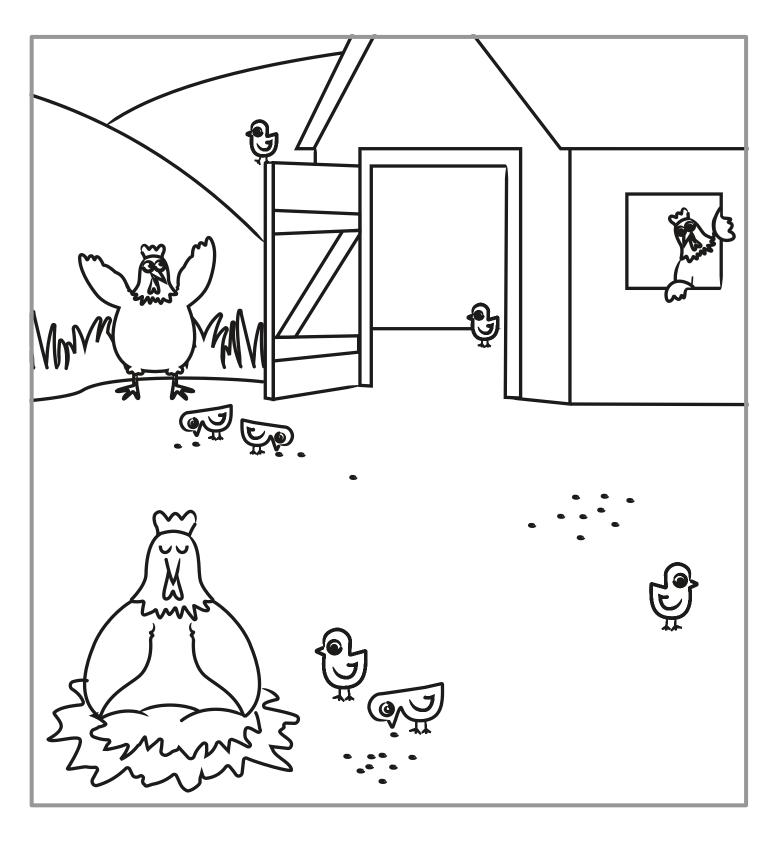
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Pray a prayer of thanks that God uses even chickens in His plan to show love to people.



Spot 10 chickens in the photo.

Draw a heart around each chicken you find on Farmer Jeff's farm.



Nanda's a grandma who had lots of worry She needed a plan to feed folks in a hurry Friends gave Nanda two rabbits and taught her to raise us And prayed over the perfect-sized cage that we stay in. We rabbits had babies, and those ones had more Until Nanda's family had rabbits galore! Plenty to sell and then bring home some money To buy food and clothes and more food for more bunnies!

You can buy 2 rabbits for a family like Nanda's for \$25.

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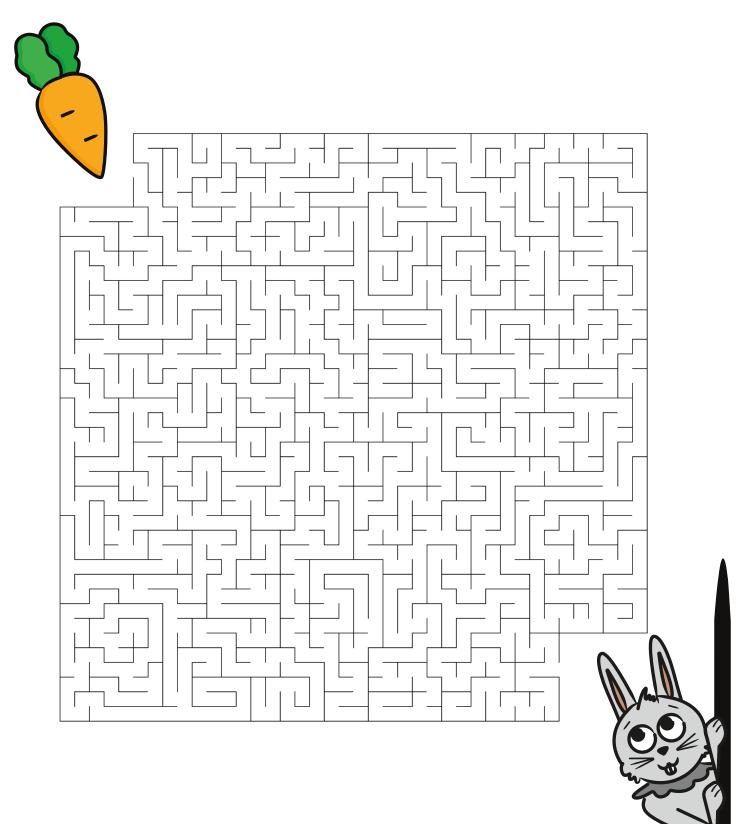
Buy 2 rabbits

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Pray for the workers that will teach families like Nanda's to raise and sell rabbits. Pray for opportunities for them to show Jesus' love.



Help Ravi find his carrot!



Zaid was badly injured—he worked hard to recover. He had no more money he soon would discover. But then he received me, Lalit. (I'm a goat!) New friends taught him well how to keep things afloat. I give him good milk, to drink and sell cheese So Zaid's small family can plant and grow peas And countless more veggies they'll put in their garden, So soon they can open their very own market!

You can buy one goat for \$75 that can bring hope to a family like Zaid's.

Buy 1 goat

for

\$75

Pray for meaningful v conversations that can happen while Farmer Jeff's friends teach families like Zaid's to farm with goats and raise vegetables.





Find the following words in the puzzle.

Words are hidden \rightarrow \checkmark and \checkmark

ANIMALS BREED FARM GOAT LALIT LIVESTOCK MARKET MILK

STORE ZAID Farmer Jeff named me Arvin and helped me grow strong I moo-oo-ooved in with Miko and helped his family along Miko was hungry a lot of the days But my milk made him healthy in so many ways! Miko can gather my milk in a pail To have plenty for drinking and still lots for sale. In early morn waiting out here in the stall I'm glad to see Miko in spring, summer, and fall. My milk provides protein and vitamins, true, And brings in some money for food and clothes too!

You can buy a cow for \$300 and provide years of financial security for a family like Miko's.

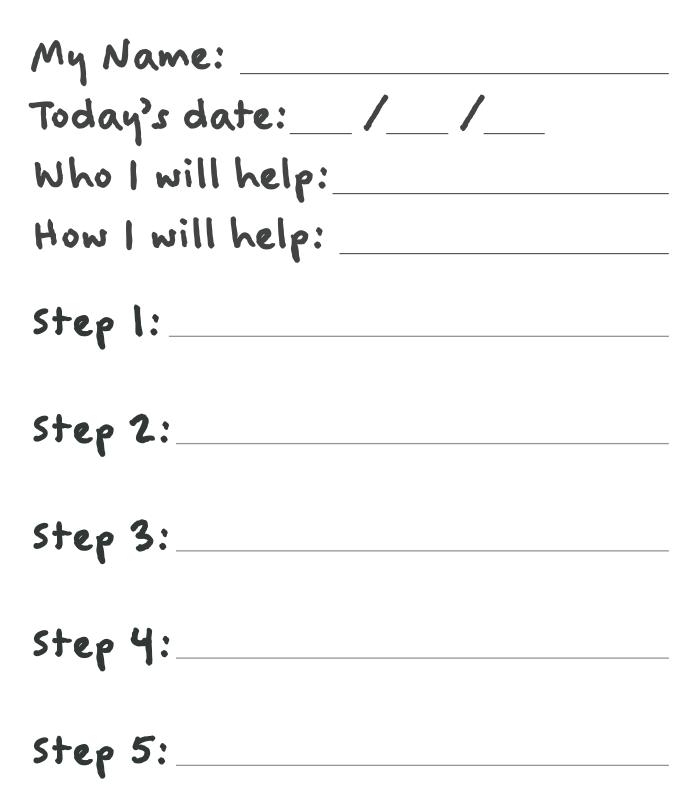
Buy 1 cow

for **\$300**

Pray with your family for cows like Arvin to give lots of milk for their families to drink and sell.



Pass it along - buy milk, dry milk or cheese for your local food bank (call ahead) and provide important nutrition for someone in your community.



Next time you bathe, brush your teeth, or drink Imagine the water grey-brown in the sink. Or think about knowing that each time you sipped The water could make you get sick as it dripped. Families in so many places world-wide Need healthy, clean water to help them to thrive. A filter will make water clean for a year Just imagine how you can bring joy and cheer!

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Pray for every person in the world who needs clean water. Pray with your family for this need to be met. Think together of ways your family could work together to provide a water filter through BGR.



Key: agua - Spanish; eau - French; ma'an - Arabic; mul - Korean; tubig - Cebuano; maji - Swahili; amanzi - Zulu



Match the word for water with the correct language!

CLEAN WATER

Month after month after month with no rain Leaves us and our neighbors worn out from the strain Of worry that we won't be able to eat. No veggies can grow, and there isn't much meat. Imagine how thankful and joyous the day When BGR friends brought good meals our way! When you and your family provide this kind grace I have energy new—let's run a race!

> You can feed a hungry child for a week (a nutritious meal each day for 5 days) for \$3.50

Feed a hungry child

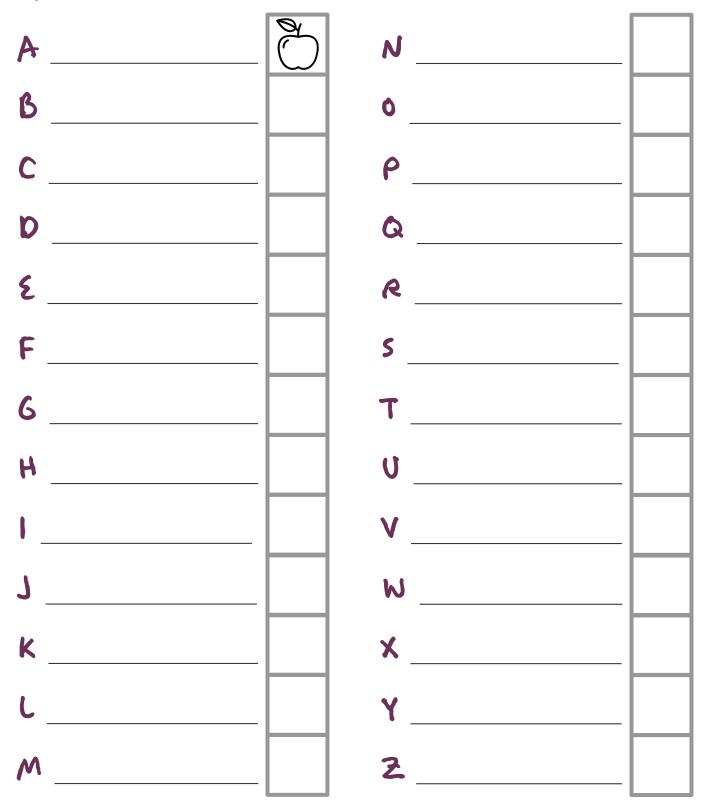
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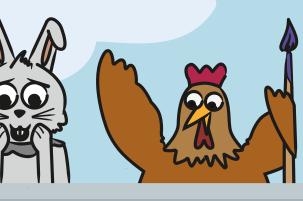
Pray for children like Debra who are physically hungry. People can be hungry in a spiritual way too. Jesus is the answer for spiritual hunger. BGR addresses this hunger as they meet physical needs with the help of families like yours.





Can you name and draw a food that starts with each letter of the alphabet?





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1	We are Christ-centered and people-focused; we have a passion for God and compassion for the suffering and needy.
2	We are committed to excellence and integrity; we do what is right by offering quality solutions to people's needs.
3	We love God and have an unconditional love for others; we care about our relationships.
4	We work in unity and with transparency; we love one another, and we are who we say we are.
5	We believe in community and reproducibility; we believe that people working together can do amazing things and that people should share the blessings they receive with others.

Activities for Groups

Chicken Dance Competition

Category: Worship Time Gift Catalog Item: 10 Chickens Supplies Needed: "Chicken Dance" song

Instructions:

Do the chicken dance during worship time each morning and get students excited about donating chickens to people around the world!

Egg and Spoon Relay Race

Category: Game Gift Catalog Item: 10 Chickens Supplies Needed: spoons and hard-boiled eggs

Instructions:

Split the children into two or more teams for a relay race. Ask each group to line up and give the student at the head of each line one spoon and one egg. Children will balance their eggs on their spoons. Then, place a chair several yards in front of each line. When you say, "Go!" the children holding the spoons will walk as quickly as they can to the chairs and back. If an egg falls, the player holding it must pick it up, return to his or her line, and start again. After reaching the chairs and walking back to their teams,

students will hand their spoons off to the next teammates in line, and those teammates will try to race without losing eggs. This cycle will continue until all members of a team have participated. The first team of students to complete the race with the egg intact wins.

After the game, tell students these teams represent families and the eggs represent jobs and money for each "family". If the egg falls, that "family" loses all its money must start over again and rebuild its savings!

Follow-up discussion:

Ask, "How did it feel when you lost your egg?" Explain that families around the world depend on chickens to make money, and then let children discuss ways chickens can make money for a family. (Example: eggs, meat)



Bunny Hop Relay Race

Category: Game Gift Catalog Item: Pair of Rabbits Supplies Needed: balloons and laundry basket

Instructions:

- Divide children into two or more teams and have each team form a line.
- The first child in each line will place a balloon between his or her knees and hop to a laundry basket set several yards in front of the team.
- The student then must drop the balloon in the basket--no hands allowed!
- If the child loses the balloon before reaching the basket, he or she must start over.
- The first team to put 10 balloons in its basket wins!



Show kids how to milk a cow!

Category: Learning Experience Gift Catalog Item: Milk Cow for a Family Supplies Needed: latex glove, clothesline, clothespin, water, bucket

Instructions:

- 1. Ahead of time, make a tiny hole in each fingertip of a latex glove--just a pinprick.
- 2. Go outside and hang a clothesline about three feet above the ground.
- 3. Clip the prepared glove to the clothesline with a spring-type clothespin.
- 4. Place a pail below the glove, along with a low stool or chair. Fill the glove with water.
- 5. Finally, let kids take turns squeezing water from the glove into the bucket, as if they were milking.

Follow-Up Discussion:

Ask, "How might a cow help a family?" Children might respond with answers like, "A cow gives a family milk to drink or meat to eat."

Cow Craft

Category: Craft Gift Catalog Item: Milk Cow for a Family Supplies Needed: paper plates, construction paper, googly eyes, glue, etc.

Instructions:

Add spots, snout, eyes, horns, and ears to paper plate. Shapes could be cut in advance or each child could do their own.

CLEAN WATER

Water Game Day

Category: Game Gift Catalog Item: Water Well Snpplies Needed: buckets, water supply/hose, trash cans

Instructions:

- Divide students into teams and ask each team to form a line.
- Place a large, empty bucket several yards in front of each team, and either give every group access to a water hose or to a large trash can of water.
- The student at the head of each line will fill up a small bucket with water from the hose or trash can.
- Then, that child will run to the larger, stationary bucket placed in front of his or her team and will dump the water into it.
- Children must be careful not to spill the water while running.
- The first team to fill a larger bucket wins.
- To make the game sillier, make the kids wear flippers.



Real Life Hungry Hungry Hippos

Category: Game Gift Catalog Item: Hunger Supplies Needed: baskets, skateboards, and baskets, skateboards, plastic balls, and

laundry basket

Instructions:

- Have the children form a circle and place plastic balls in the middle of it.
- Split students into four teams of two and assign each team a color corresponding to a ball color.
- Ask one child from each team to lay stomach-first on a skateboard or a similar dolly recreational product.
- The other teammate will remain standing and pick up the legs of his or her partner.
- Yell "HUNGRIER" to start the game. The standing students will push the children on skateboards back and forth into the ball pile.
- As the students on skateboards reach the ball pile, they will grab as many balls of their assigned colors as possible before their partners pull them away.
- Balls collected must go in a container placed near the team.
- The first team to successfully collect all its balls and put them in its assigned container wins.

Example Videos:

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