

Peter's Miraculous Escape from Prison Word Search



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Read the story below. Find and circle the words that are **underlined**. The words can appear in any direction: horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backwards.

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Solution

King **Herod** Agrippa began to **persecute** some believers in the church. He arrested **Peter** and **imprisoned** him, placing him under the **guard** of four squads of four **soldiers** each. While Peter was in prison, the church **prayed** very **earnestly** for him.

The night before Peter's trial, he was asleep, fastened with two **chains** between two soldiers. Others stood guard at the prison gate. Suddenly, there was a bright **light** in the cell, and an **angel** of the Lord stood before Peter. The angel struck him on the side to **awaken** him and said, "Quick! Get up!" And the chains **fell** off his **wrists**. Then the angel told him, "Get **dressed** and put on your **sandals**." And he did. "Now put on your **coat** and follow me," the angel ordered.

So Peter left the cell, **following** the angel. But all the time he thought it was a **vision**. He didn't realize it was actually **happening**.

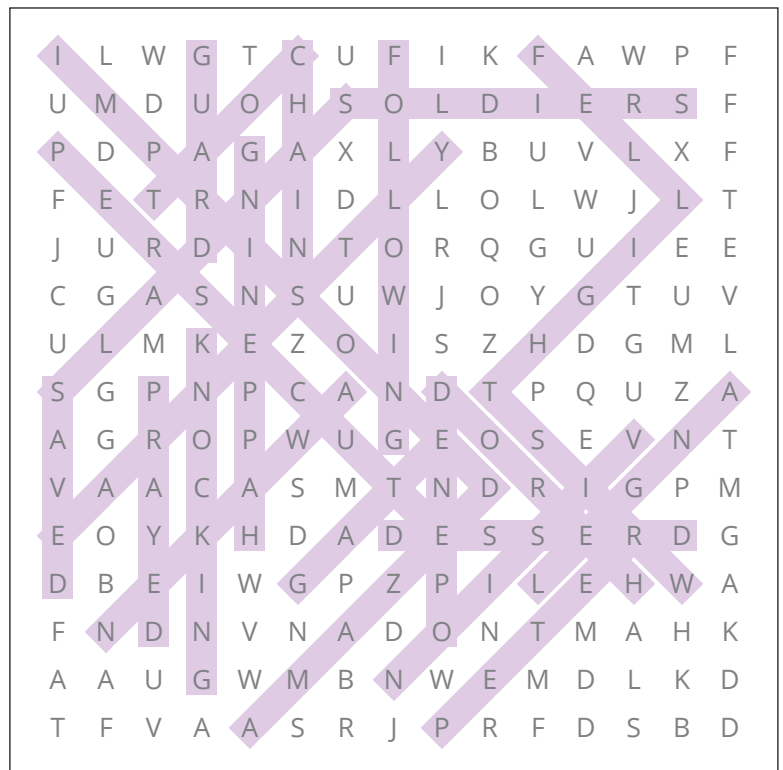
They passed the first and second guard posts and came to the iron **gate** leading to the city, and this **opened** for them all by itself. So they passed through and started walking down the street, and then the angel suddenly left him.

Peter finally came to his senses. "It's really true!" he said. "The Lord has sent his angel and **saved** me from Herod!"

When he realized this, he went to the home of Mary, the mother of John Mark, where many were gathered for prayer. He knocked at the door in the gate, and a servant girl named Rhoda came to open it. When she recognized Peter's voice, she was so overjoyed that, instead of opening the door, she ran back inside and told everyone, "Peter is standing at the door!"

"You're out of your mind!" they said. When she insisted, they decided, "It must be his angel."

Meanwhile, Peter continued **knocking**. When they finally opened the door and saw him, they were **amazed**. He motioned for them to quiet down and told them how the Lord had led him out of prison.



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