EXPLORING CANAAN

Numbers 13:1-33

Read the story about exploring the Promised Land. Then find and circle all the capitalized words in the word search. Words can be found down, across, or diagonally. Some words share letters.

GOD brought the Israelites close to the Promised Land. He said TO MOSES, "Send TWELVE men in to EXPLORE the land. They will SEE what it is like. Then they will COME back to tell you what it is like." The twelve men went into the LAND and returned. They brought back a BIG bunch of GRAPES and FIGS and other fruit.

"It is a GOOD land," TEN men said. "But the people there are STRONGER than we are. We saw HUGE GIANTS. We felt like GRASSHOPPERS in their sight. We must not GO into the land." That night, all the people CRIED and grumbled because of the bad news.

JOSHUA and CALEB said, "We can go in and take the land. The Lord will help us."

God said to the people, "Now you must STAY in the desert for FORTY years. All the people who are 20 years OLD or more and who grumbled against Me will DIE in the desert. Only their children and Joshua and Caleb will go into the land."

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Anything that would stop you from doing what God wants is like those giants. God can defeat any giant! Obey Him always.

