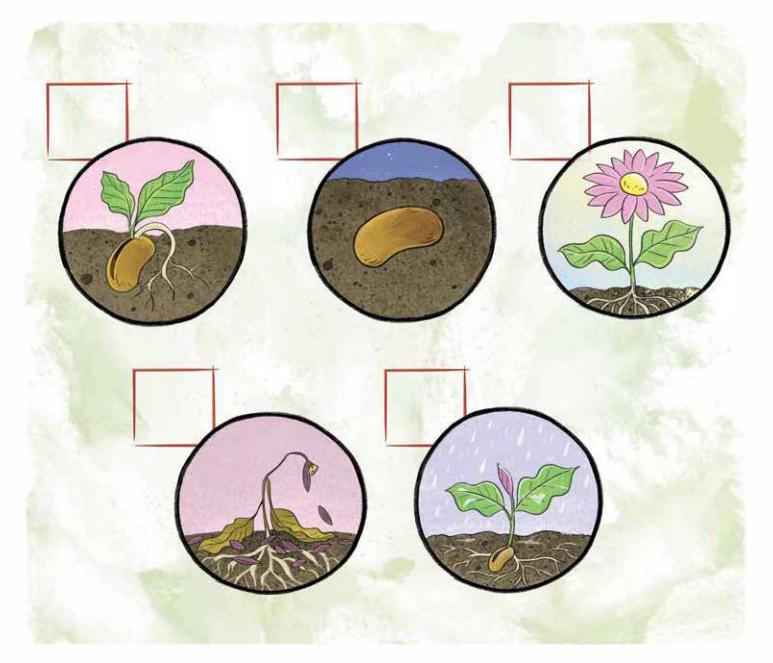
Plant Power

INSTRUCTIONS: Number each picture to show the order of a seed growing into a plant and then dying.





KEY PASSAGE: Mark 6:34

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

 Why did Jesus tell parables? Jesus told parables to teach people about God and His kingdom.

BIBLE STORY: PARABLE OF THE SOWER

- Jesus taught a parable about a man who scattered seeds.
- Jesus told about four kinds of soil, but only one produced a crop
- Each type of soil represented a way people respond to the gospel.
- Not everyone who hears the gospel believes it.

FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- How can we know who will believe the gospel?
- What could you do if someone you tell about Jesus doesn't believe the gospel?

FAMILY ACTIVITY:

 Plant a garden with your family. Check on the seeds daily to see how they are growing. Consider using different kinds of soil to see which grow the best plants.

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