

# STEP 3

SECRET  
NUMBER

## Letter Examiner...

Figure out the secret message by looking at each letter below. Write the letter in the alphabet that comes before the one that you see. For instance, if you see the letter B, you would write the letter A on the line. If you see an M, you would write an L on the line. If you see an R, you would write a Q on the line and so on. Once you have the letters filled in, you will solve the math problem. The answer is today's secret number.

|       |       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| F     | J     | H     | I     | U     |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| N     | J     | O     | V     | T     |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| T     | F     | W     | F     | O     |

Secret Number

Complete this game.

Parent's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ (+2 Points)

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3RD-6TH GRADE – WEEK 5



# STEP 1

KEY  
VERSE

## FAILURE

Not everyone who goes in an escape room is able to escape. As a matter of fact, many people fail. They may get very close to the last clue, but many times, the timer runs out. Even though some people fail, they still have a fun time and many decide to come back and try it again so they can be successful the next time.

Christians are not perfect. Christians still sin. We may be worried, or angry. We may complain or be impatient. Just like an escape room, even if we fail, God has made a way for us to have another chance to be successful. Escape from failure by trusting in God's forgiveness for your sin. The Devil wants a Christian to quit. He wants to remind you of your sin so that you will stop trying to serve God. But God offers you forgiveness for your sin. God wants you to live a successful Christian life. When you sin, ask God for forgiveness and ask Him to help you to get back up and to go on living for Him.



1 John 1:9 - If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Say this verse to your parent.

Parent's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ (+2 Points)

### Don't forget to do these four things:

- 1.) Memorize and say the Bible verse to your parent.
- 2.) With a parent's help, go to [www.expeditionsministries.org/vbs](http://www.expeditionsministries.org/vbs) and watch this week's lesson. Listen carefully to hear today's secret clue. Fill in the blanks of the secret clue on this handout. Save your handout! We'll need it later on.
- 3.) Play the game on this handout and figure out today's secret number.
- 4.) With a parent's help, go to [www.expeditionsministries.org/vbs](http://www.expeditionsministries.org/vbs), then fill out the "Clue Box" and tell us everything that you have figured out. You will be entered into a special drawing for some points and prizes.

Don't  
Forget!

# STEP 2

SECRET  
CLUE

With your parent's help, go to [www.expeditionsministries.org/vbs](http://www.expeditionsministries.org/vbs). Then listen to this week's lesson and pay careful attention so you can figure out the missing words in today's secret clue below. You'll need it to help Jason and Matt escape!

### Today's Secret Clue:

*Just need the*

\_\_\_\_\_ ...

*do not quit...*

\_\_\_\_\_

*job to see to...*

*and you'll find it!*

*(Stumped on this week's clue?  
Take a look near the bottom of  
the website for an extra little hint).*

Complete this clue.

Parent's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ (+2 Points)

