

Listen to God! Jeremiah 10:2-7



While the children were in town with Uncle Paul they saw a very strange cow in the park. It was made from corrugated iron. "I'll bet that cow doesn't give much milk," laughed Vicki. "It doesn't do anything except stand there," said Uncle Paul



Draw a picture of a scarecrow with a bird sitting on it's head because it can't even scare the birds away.

Some people make idols to worship out of stone or metal or wood. Perhaps it's because they want a god they can see. Even God's people the Israelites once



made a calf out of gold. You can read about that in Exodus chapter 32. But Jeremiah the prophet showed the people how

foolish idols are. They can't see, or hear or speak. They can't even stand up on their own. How can an idol do anything for us? One of God's rules is "Do not make idols of any kind." An idol is anything or anyone we give first place to and let become more important than God.

Mimi and Melvin were on their way to visit their cousins in the old house when they saw a horrible scary monster in the vegetable garden, "I'm scared," squeaked Mimi. "That monster will chase us and eat us." And she ran back to the house. Melvin thought for a minute and then crept closer. "It's alright," he called. It's only made out of straw and old clothes. It can't move.

We can eat it!"

Talk to God!

Dear Lord, thank you that you hear us, you see us and you speak to us in your Word, the Bible. We want you to always have first place in our lives.