

Read John chapter 2:13-25 in the International Children's Bible (ICB) and fill in the blanks.

1. But it was almost time for the Jewish P_____ Feast. So Jesus went to Jerusalem. [John 2:13]
2. In the T_____ he found men selling cattle, sheep, and doves. He saw others sitting at tables, exchanging m_____. [John 2:14]
3. Jesus made a w_____ out of cords. Then he forced all these men, with the sheep and cattle, to leave the Temple. He turned over the t_____ and scattered the money of the men who were exchanging it. [John 2:15]
4. Then he said to those who were selling pigeons, "Take these things out of here! Don't make my Father's h_____ a place for b_____ and s_____!" [John 2:16]
5. When this happened the followers remembered what was written in the Scriptures: "My strong l_____ for your Temple completely controls me." [John 2:17]
6. The Jews said to Jesus, "Show us a m_____ for a sign. Prove that you have the right to do these things." [John 2:18]
7. Jesus answered, "D_____ this temple, and I will build it again in t_____ days." [John 2:19]
8. The Jews answered, "Men worked _____ years to build this Temple! Do you really believe you can build it again in t_____ days?" [John 2:20]
9. (But the temple Jesus meant was his own b_____. [John 2:21])
10. After Jesus was raised from d_____, his followers remembered that Jesus had said this. Then they believed the Scripture and the words Jesus said.) [John 2:22]
11. Jesus was in Jerusalem for the Passover Feast. Many people b_____ in him because they saw the miracles he did. [John 2:23]
12. He did not need anyone to tell him about people. Jesus knew what was in a person's m_____. [John 2:25]
13. You should know that you y_____ are God's temple. God's S_____ lives in you. ¹⁷ If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy him, because God's temple is h_____. You yourselves are God's t_____. [1Corinthians 3:16-17]
14. Write 1 John 3:5

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