

A Talking Donkey

Balak, the king of Moab, was afraid because the Israelites had been winning many battles and now were ready to enter the land of Moab. King Balak offered a lot of money to Balaam, a man of God, if he would come and curse the Israelites.

Balaam rode his donkey to visit the king. On his way, the donkey stopped. It saw an angel with a sword on the road. Balaam hit the donkey but it wouldn't move. Then God allowed the donkey to speak. "Why did you beat me?" asked the donkey. "I have always obeyed you."

Then God opened Balaam's eyes and he saw the angel. Balaam bowed before the angel. The angel said, "The donkey saved your life. I would have killed you."

Balaam said, "I have sinned. I will go back home."

Use the dial-a-message code to find out what the angel told Balaam.

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4-1	6-3	8-1	6-3	2-2	2-1	5-3	2-1	5-2	2-2	8-2	8-1		
<u>O</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>D</u>
6-3	6-2	5-3	9-3	7-3	2-1	9-3	9-1	4-2	2-1	8-1	4-1	6-3	3-1
<u>G</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>V</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>U</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>O</u>				
4-1	4-3	8-3	3-2	7-3	9-3	6-3	8-2	8-1	6-3				
<u>S</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>K</u>									
7-3	7-1	3-2	2-1	5-2									

How to Dial-a-Message:

The first number tells you what circle to look at on the dial. The second number tells you which letter to write down (for example, 7-2 is "R," the second letter on the 7 circle).

