When the council asked, "By what power did you heal this man?" Peter and John answered that it was faith in the name of Jesus that had made the lame man able to walk. The men of the sanhedrin tried to frighten Peter and John, and they said that they would let them go if they would promise not to preach or teach about Jesus any more. But Peter and John said that they could not promise that. They must go on telling the story, because there was no other way for the

people of the world to be saved from sin.

When the sanhedrin saw how brave Peter and John were and how full of God's spirit, they let them go, after telling them again what would happen if they preached any more. Peter and John hurried back to the other disciples, and they praised and thanked God.



TWO VERSES TO HELP US TO BE BRAVE

"Stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong."

—I Corinthians 16:13.

"Be strong and of a good courage."

-Joshua 1:9.

A QUESTION ABOUT THE PICTURE ON THIS PAGE

Was it easy, or did it take real bravery for Fred to go on Mother's errand when the other boy's teased him to go sledding, that first snowy morning of the new year?