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God's Promise to Abraham



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- Ask child(ren) to share some things they did from the last theme. eg Did they find it hard to understand the other person in the mime activity?
- God makes, and will keep, great promises to His people who obey His word.

Materials Needed

- Bible(s) suitable for children
- Colouring pens/pencils
- Bible Booklet - God's Promise To Abraham - Options to print as A5 or A4 booklet to colour or already coloured
- 'God's Promise to Abraham' picture to colour and handwriting practice.
- See maps for Abraham's descendants and chart of languages
- Picture Of The Birth Of Isaac sheet and writing Practise

Topics:- Keeping promises, faithfulness, trust in God, patience.



Prayer:- Thank God for...

Ask God to help you...

Ask God to help others by...



Bible Verses:-

Genesis chapter 12 verses 1-5

Genesis chapter 13 and Chapter 18

Genesis chapter 19 verses 1-26 & Chapter 21:1-7

Story: God's Promise to Abraham

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Activities



- Bible story – Read ‘God’s Promise to Abraham’ booklet and discuss (eg using discussion questions provided.)
- Picture: Child(ren) to colour picture (of Abraham receiving God’s promise to give him and his children the land of Canaan) and to practice writing.
- ‘Puzzle’ map of some countries where Abraham’s seed of faith are living – children to cut out coloured countries and stick them onto the black and white counterparts.
- Chart of countries, languages and people to talk about / fill in.

Discussion Questions

- What did God tell Abram to do? Did he obey?
- Why did Abraham and his nephew Lot go different ways with their animals?
- Why do you think Abraham was happy for Lot to take the land that looked good?
- Have you ever given up something you could’ve enjoyed as a gift to someone else?
- Do you think God is pleased when we do this?
- Why did Sarai laugh at God’s promise of a baby for her and Abram?
- Who did and who didn’t believe God’s word in Lot’s family?
- Do you know how to find out what God’s promises are for you?

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Extra Activities for Theme 8

Suggested Activities:



- Re-read God's Promise to Abraham booklet, or the equivalent Genesis chapters (see previous page) from the children's bible, over the week, using discussion questions for recall.
- Picture – Child(ren) to colour picture of the birth of Isaac and talk about God's miracle in fulfilment of His promise.
Writing practise to go with the picture.
- Make a parent – child 'covenant' promise for this week – child and parent make a promise to each other to be met this week. (Both parties sign their names / or first letter of their names on a 'covenant promise' paper – to be ticked when the promises have been met.

Prayer Points



- Thank God for showing His faithfulness to His people (like Abraham and Sarah) over thousands of years, and giving us the chance to know Him for ourselves, and enjoy His love.
- Ask God to help us see how important it is to keep the promises we make to people.
- Ask God to give us chances to show people something good that we have learnt about Him, especially what makes us kinder to each other.

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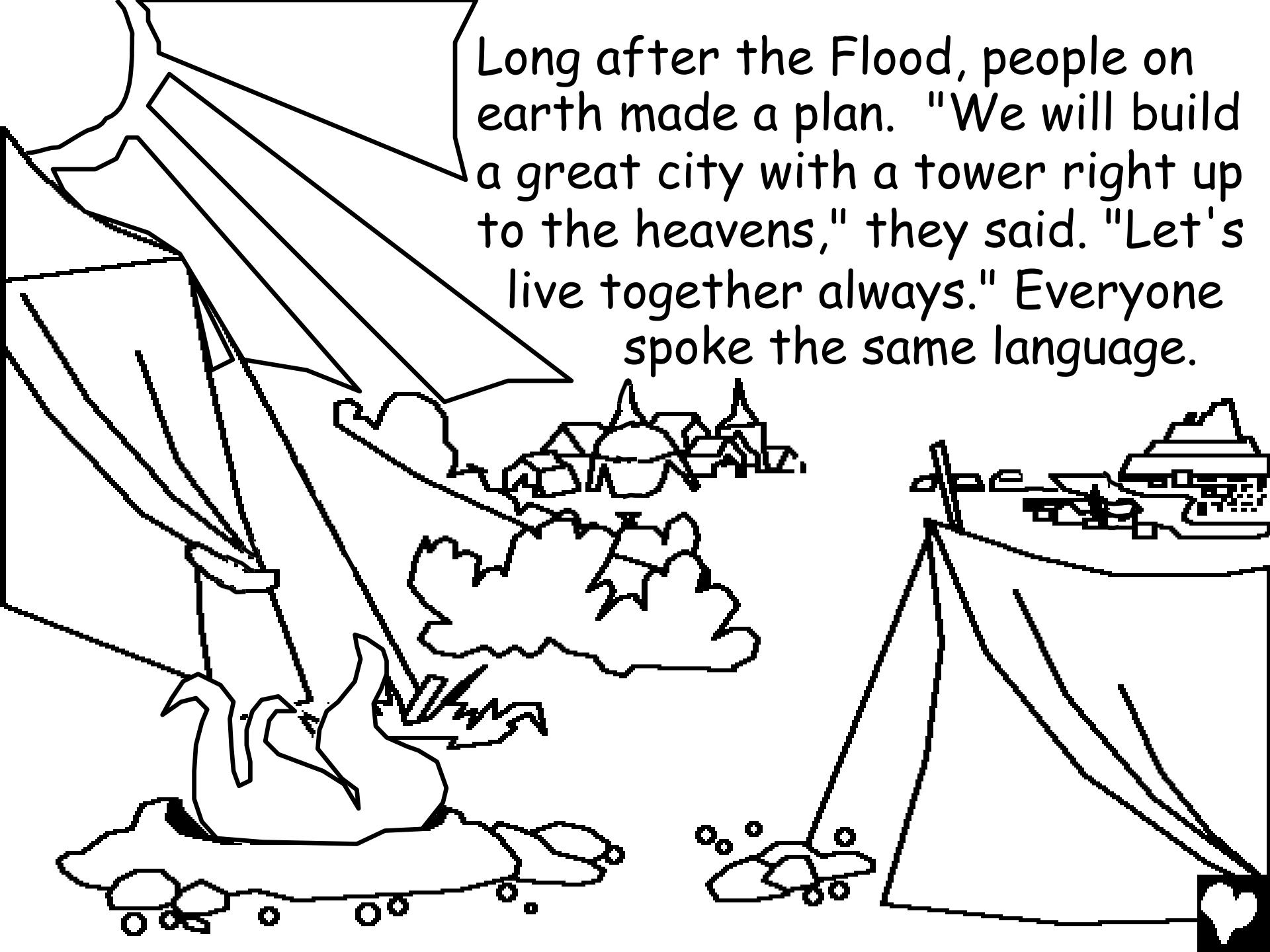


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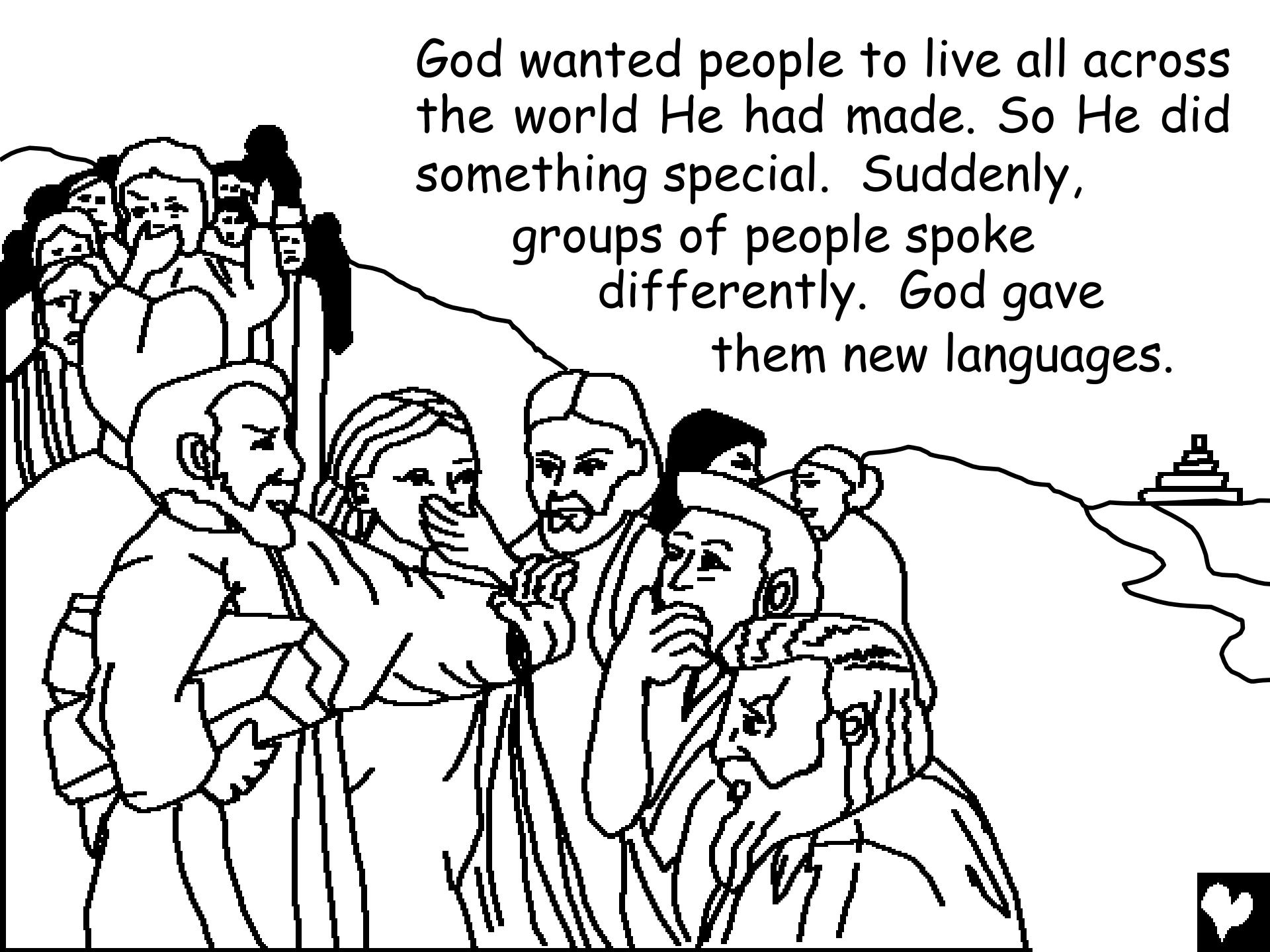
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Long after the Flood, people on earth made a plan. "We will build a great city with a tower right up to the heavens," they said. "Let's live together always." Everyone spoke the same language.



God wanted people to live all across the world He had made. So He did something special. Suddenly, groups of people spoke differently. God gave them new languages.



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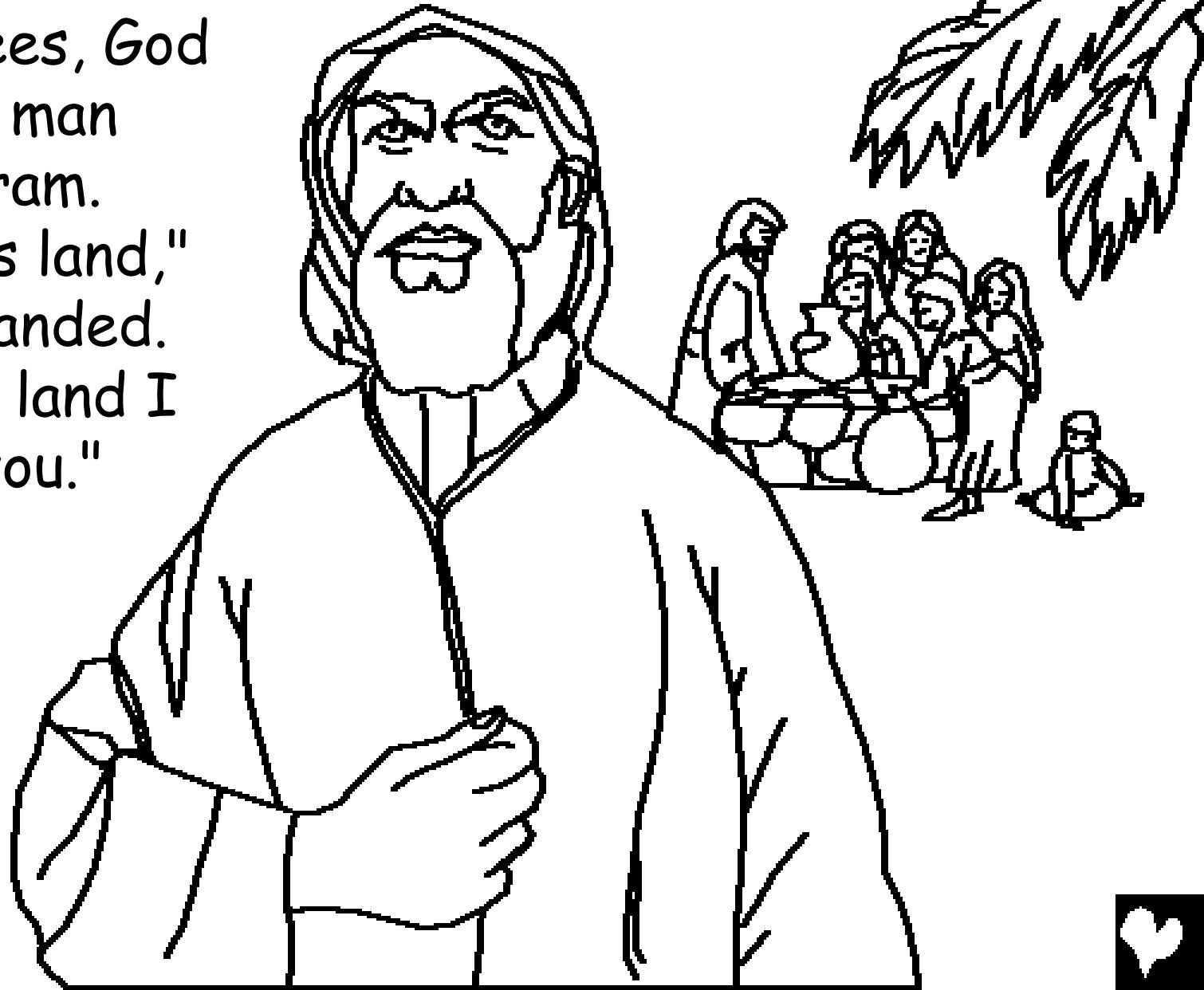


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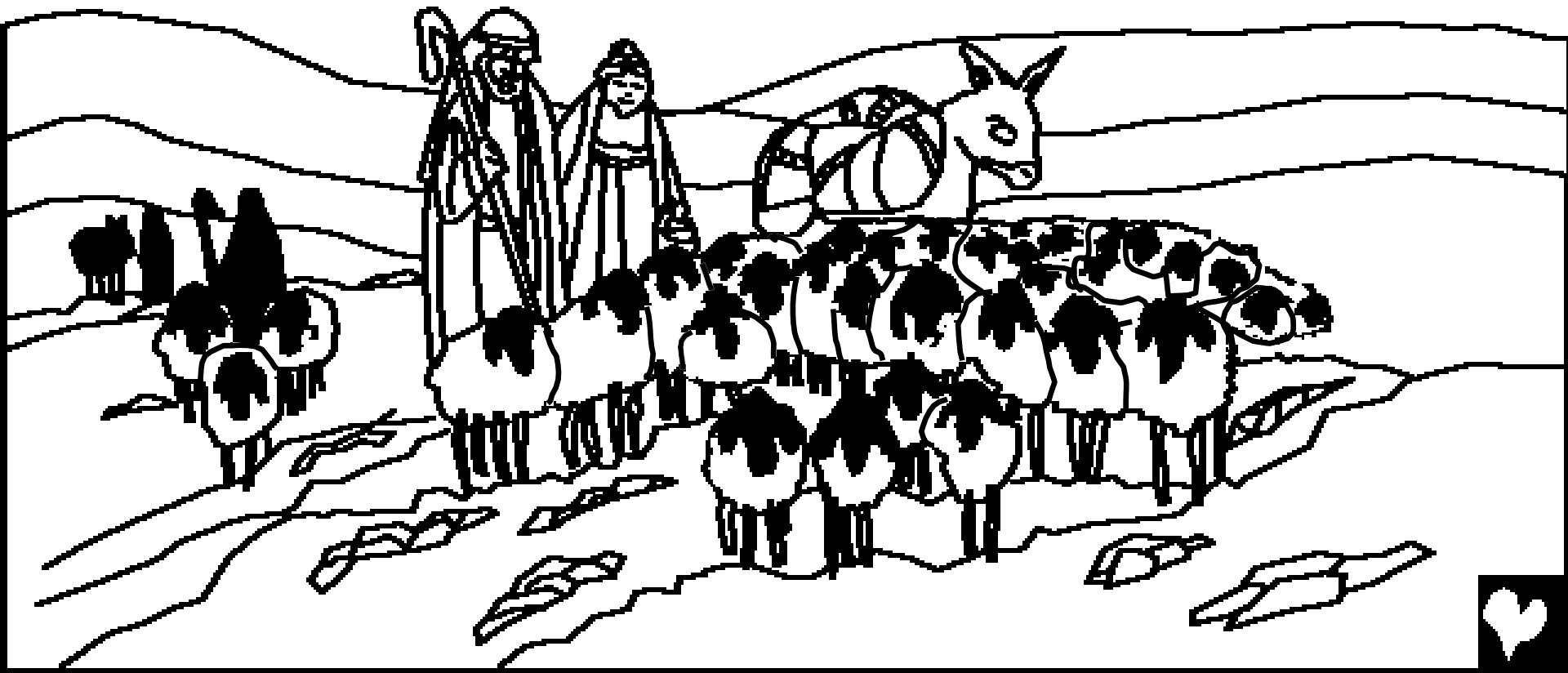


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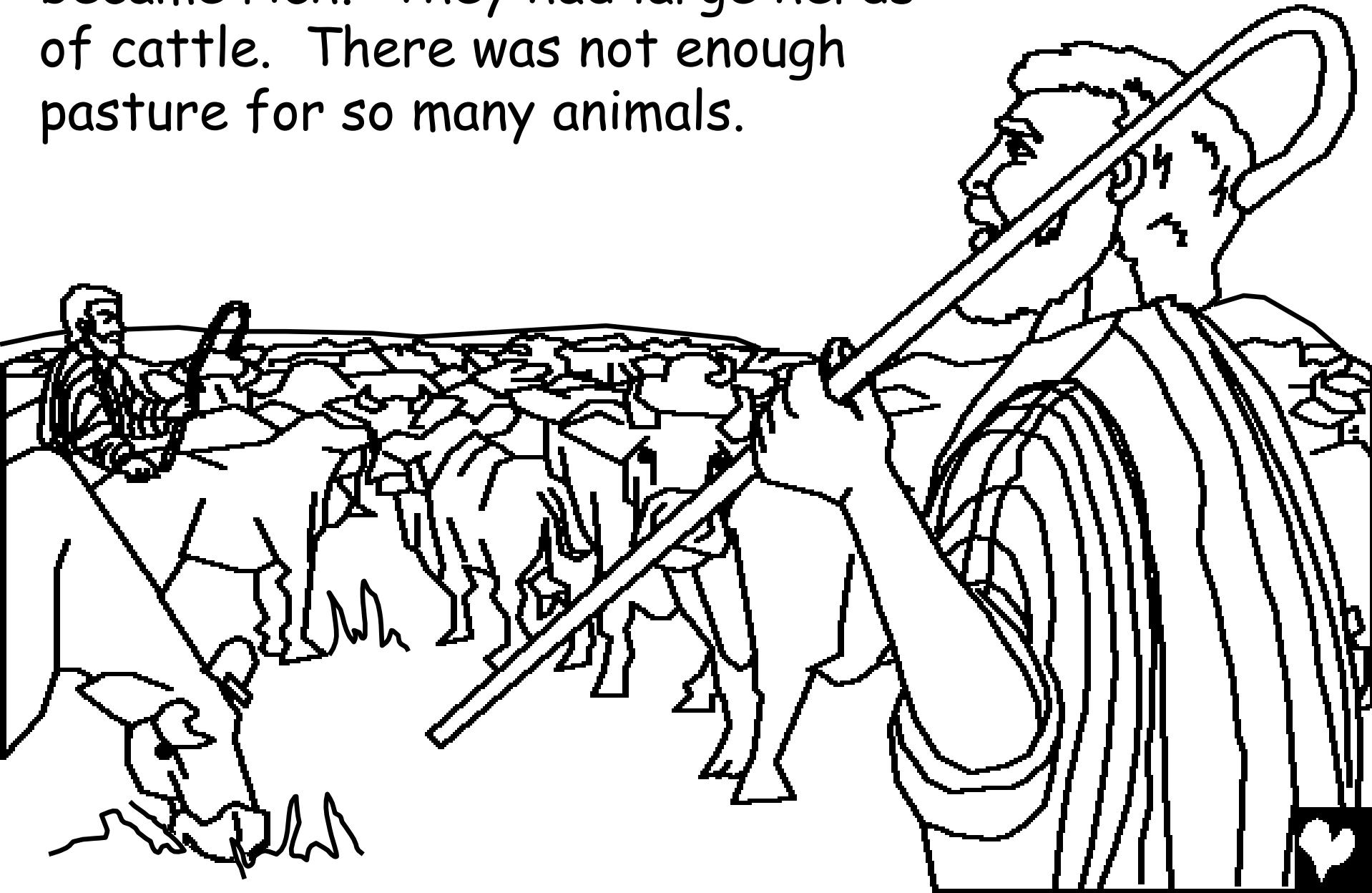
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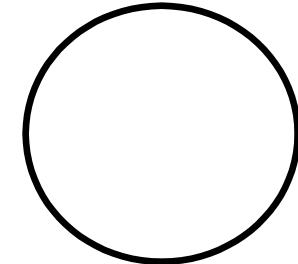
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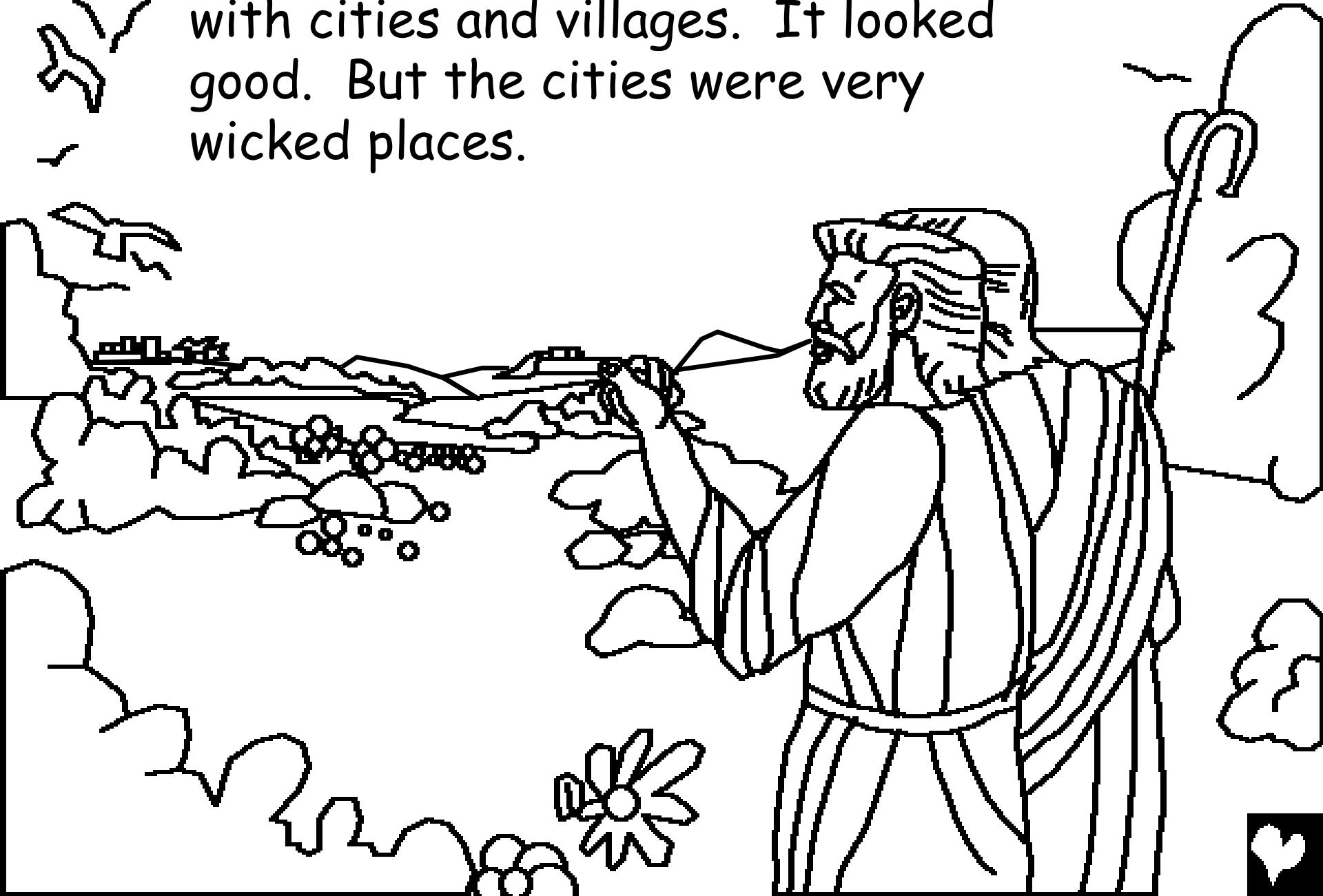
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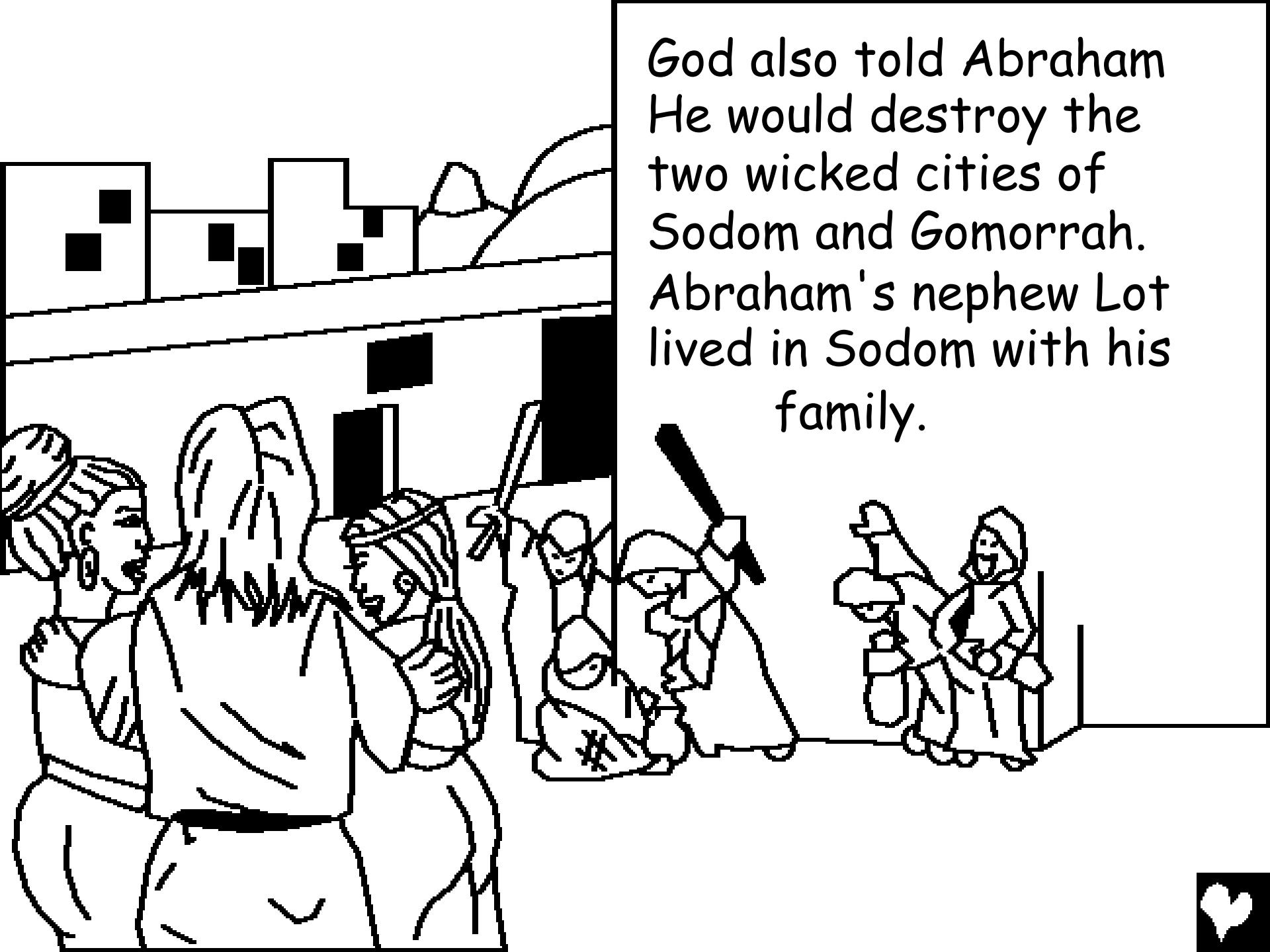
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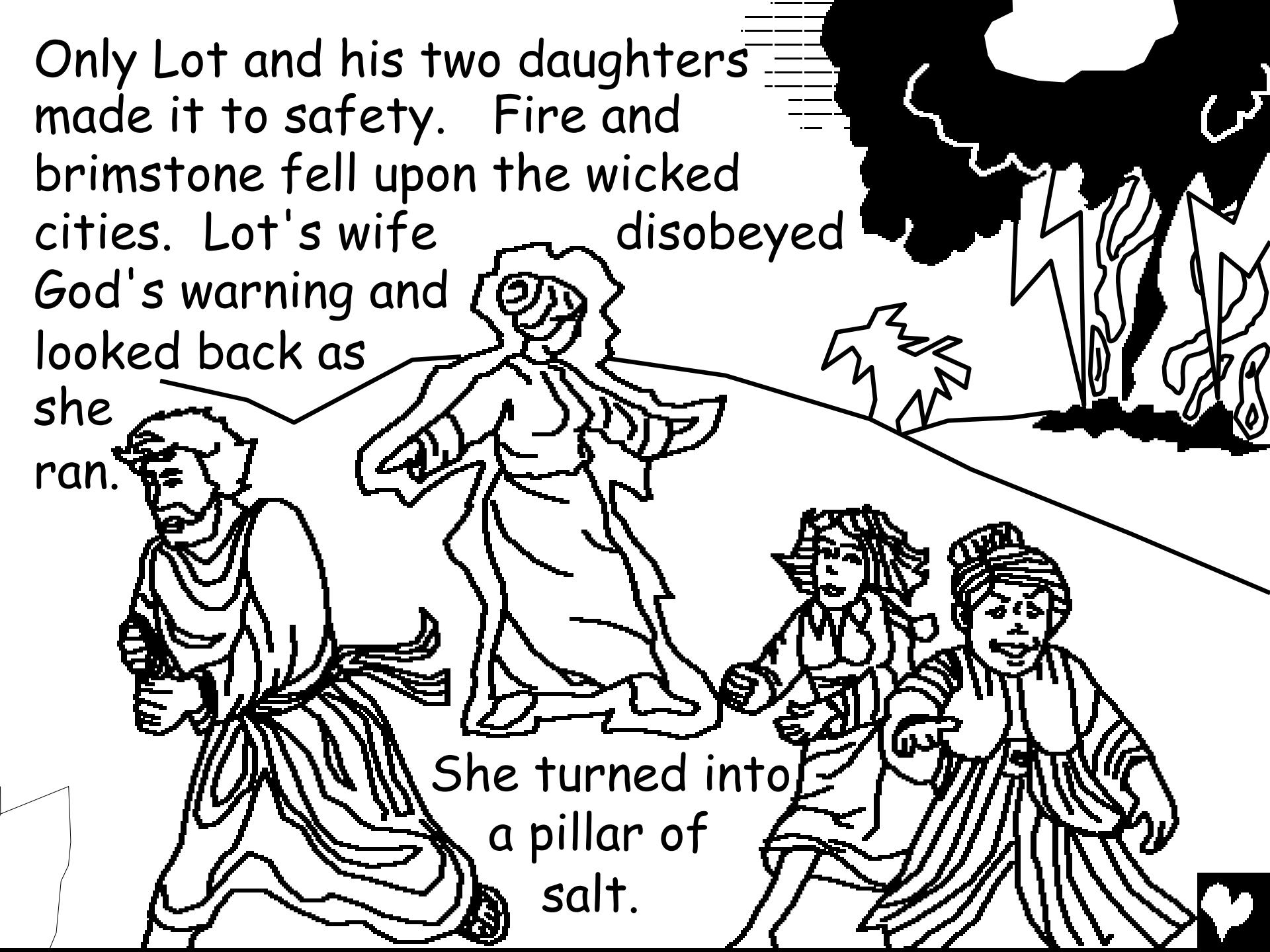
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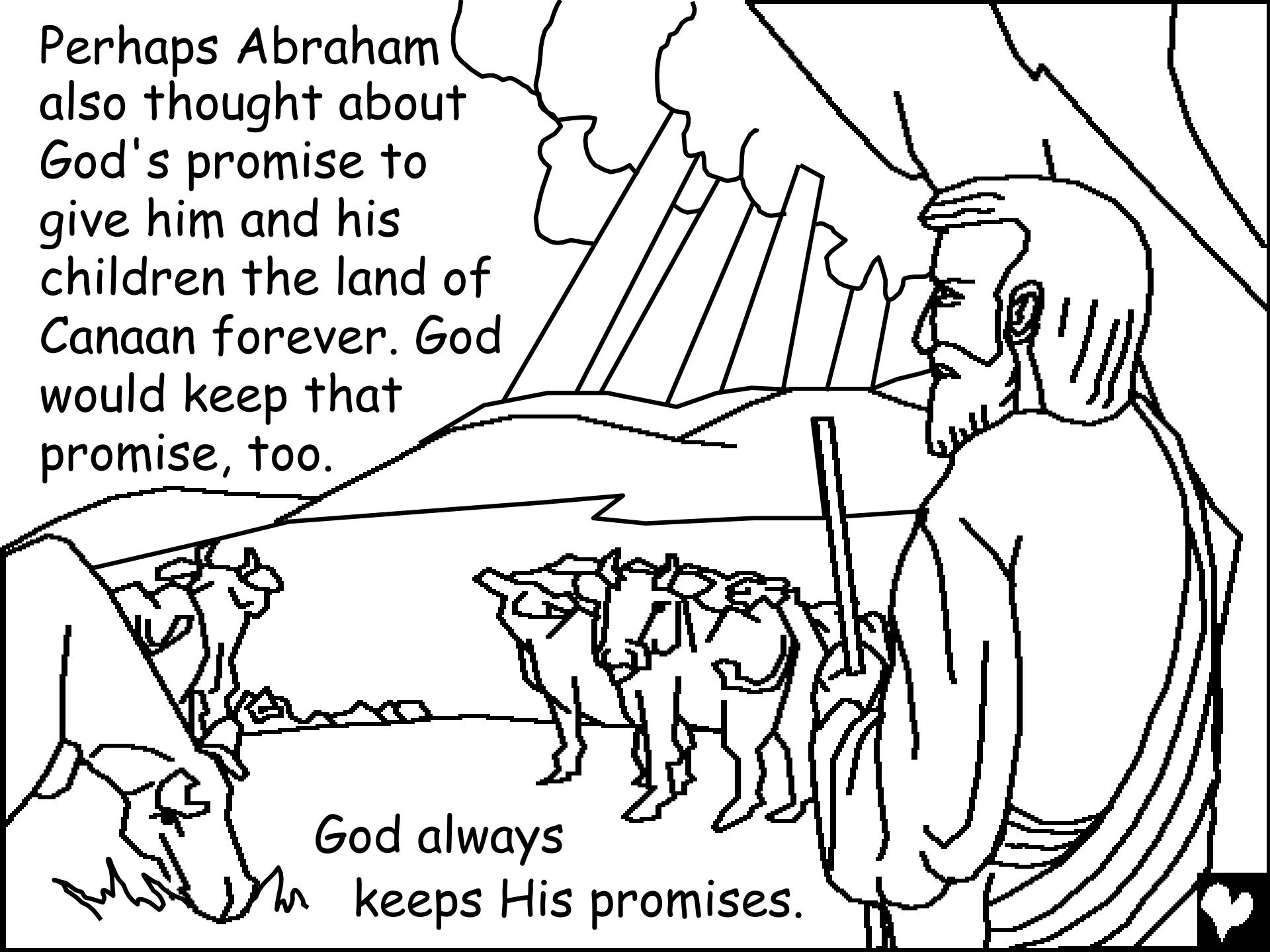
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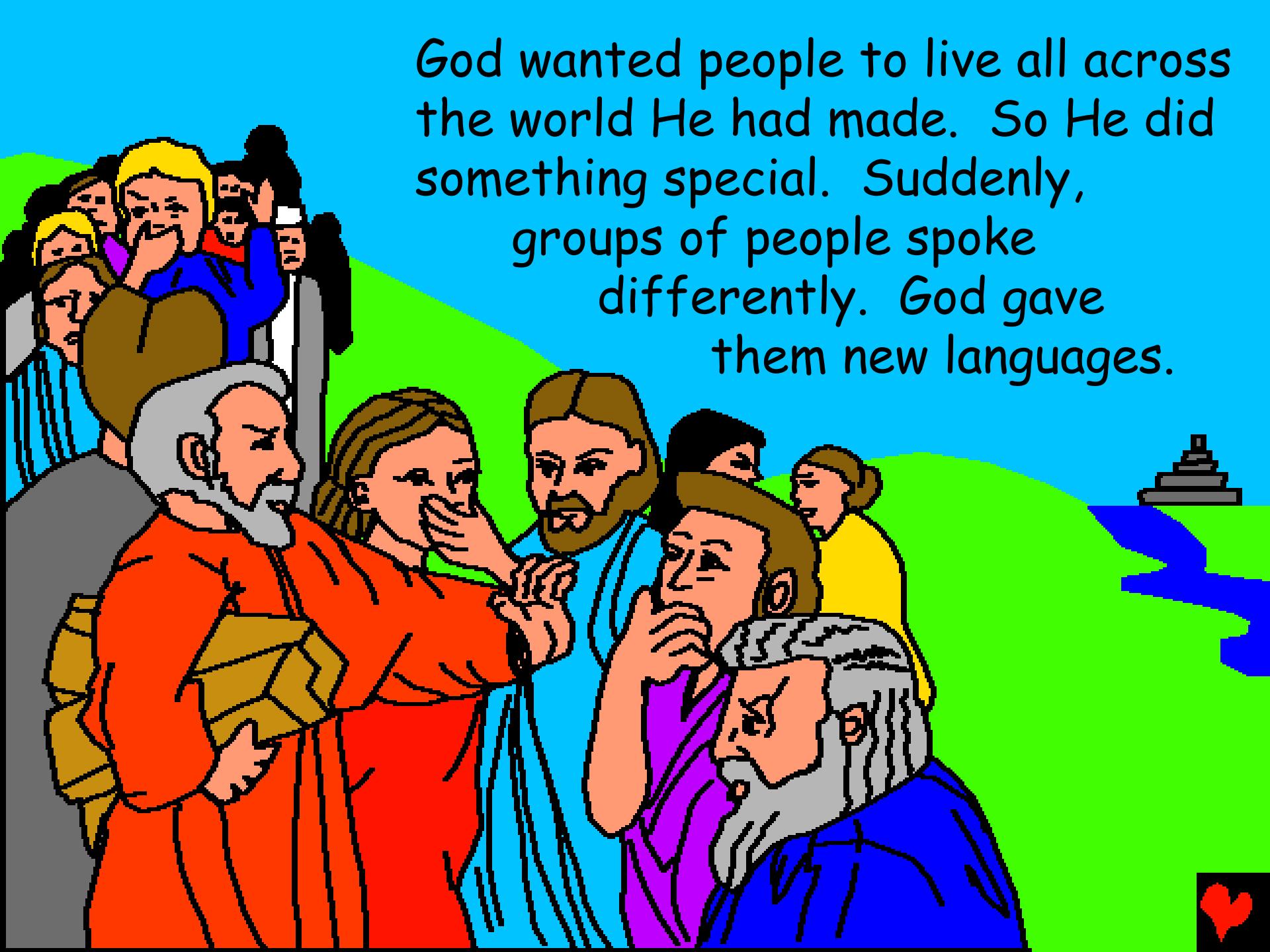
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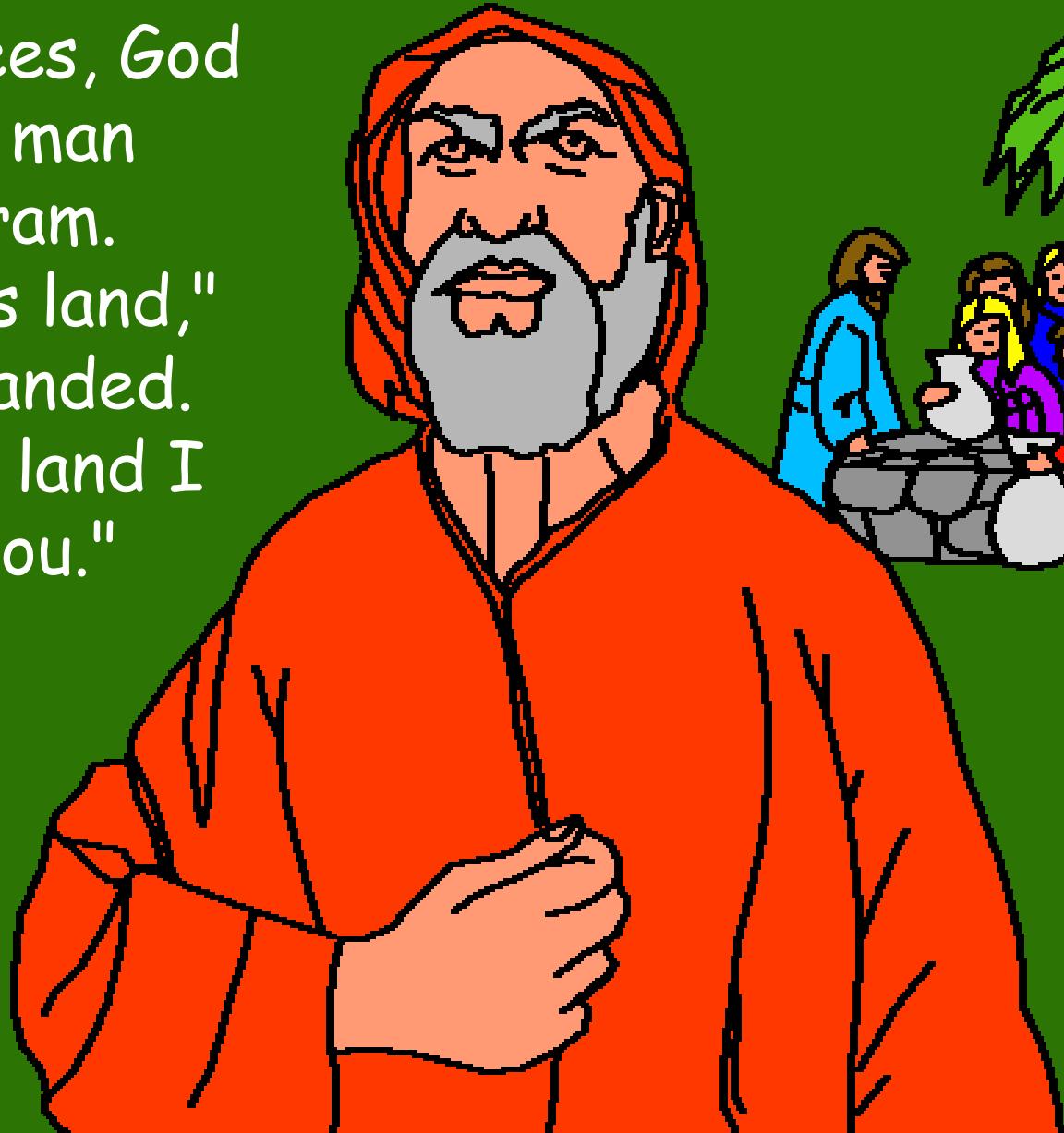


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A colorful illustration of God speaking to Abram. God is on the left, depicted with a long white beard and hair, wearing a red robe and a white shawl. He is gesturing with both hands raised. Abram is on the right, shown from the back, wearing a red robe and a white shawl. He is looking up at God. The background features green hills, dark grey mountains, and a bright blue sky.

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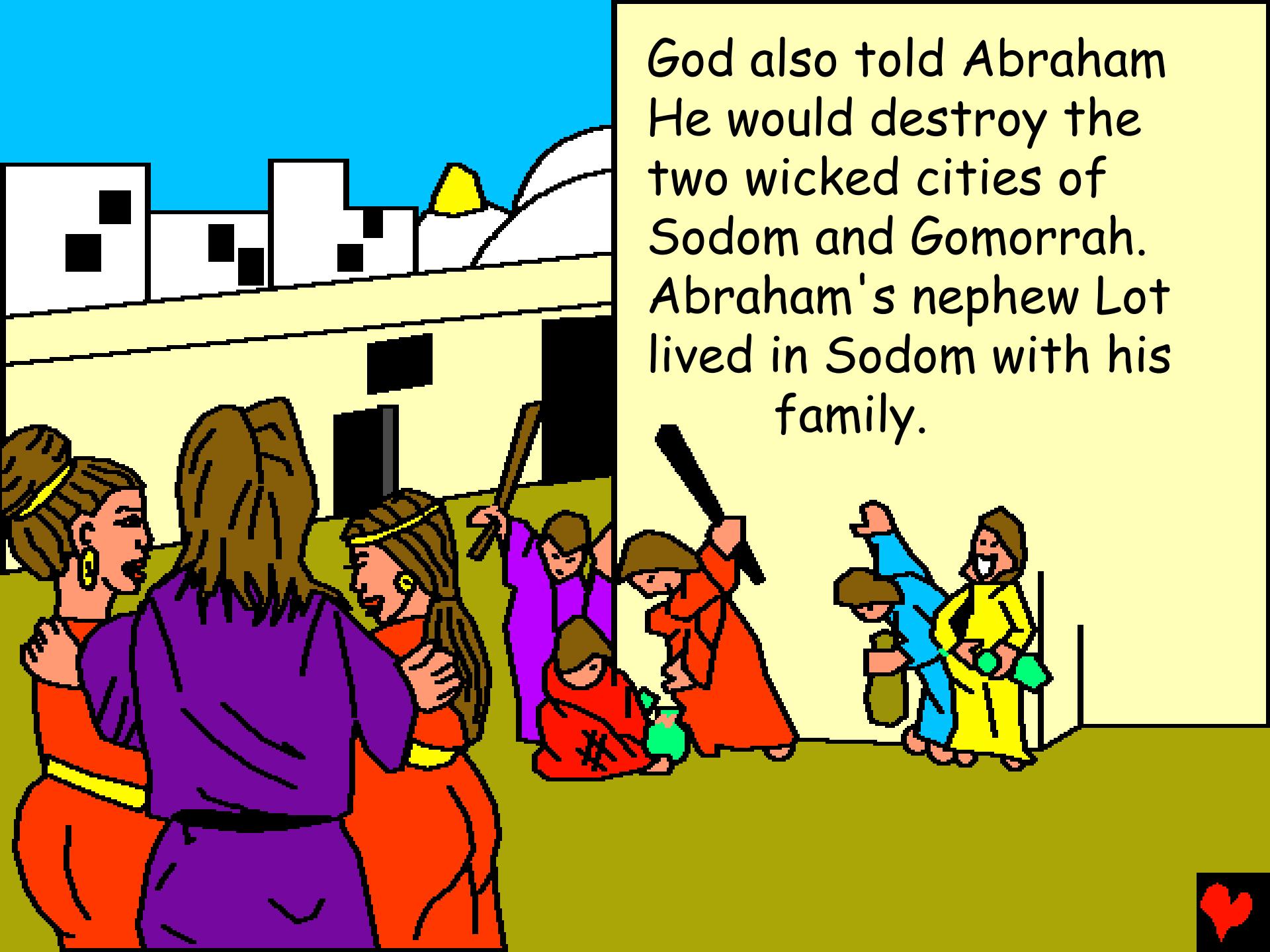
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This Bible story tells us about our wonderful God who made us and who wants us to know Him.

God knows we have done bad things, which He calls sin.

The punishment for sin is death, but God loves us so much He sent His Son, Jesus, to die on a Cross and be punished for our sins. Then Jesus came back to life and went home to Heaven! If you believe in Jesus and ask Him to forgive your sins, He will do it! He will come and live in you now, and you will live with Him forever.

If you want to turn from your sins, say this to God:

Dear God, I believe that Jesus died for me and now lives again. Please come into my life and forgive my sins, so that I can have new life now, and one day go to be with You forever. Help me to live for You as Your child. Amen.

Read the Bible and talk with God every day! John 3:16



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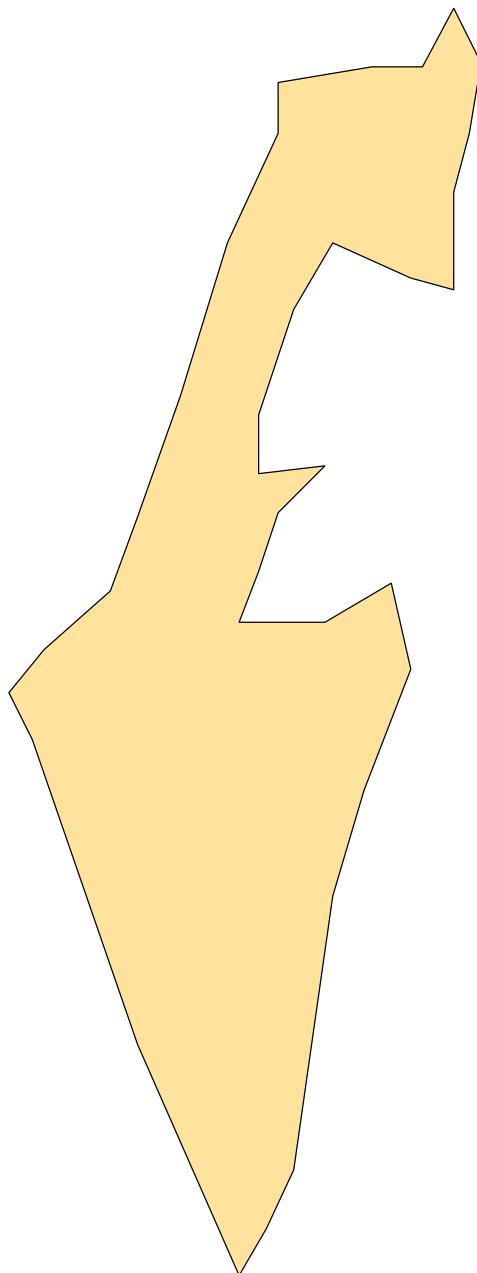
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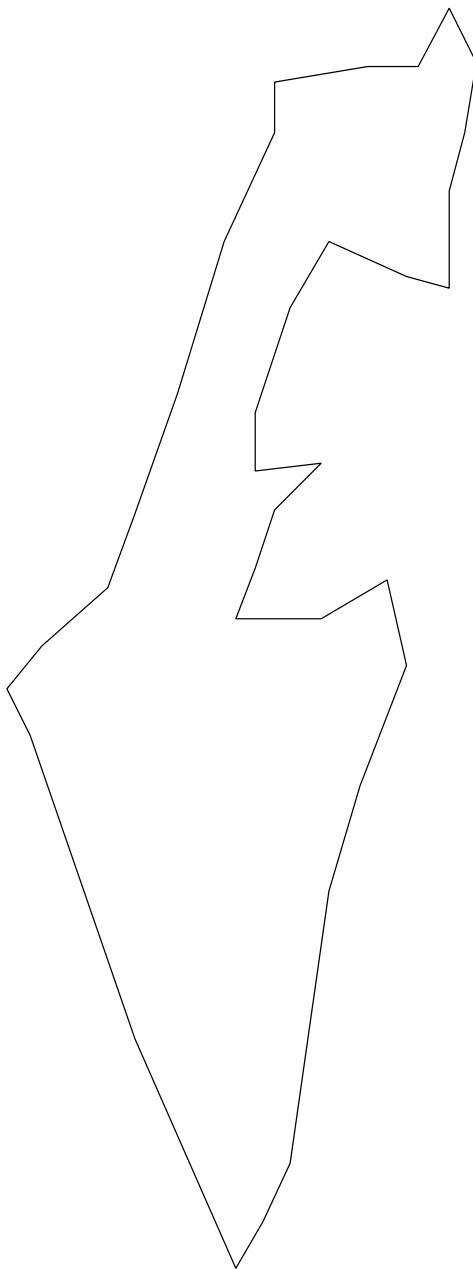
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3.	Israel		
4.	Pakistan		
5.	Eritrea		
6.	Nigeria		
7.	West Indies		
8.	Uganda		
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Nigeria - Hausa was an official language of the northern states from 1951 to 1967. It is the most widely spoken language, although **English** is the official language of Nigeria. In addition to **English**, Hausa, Yoruba, Igbo, Fula, and **English** Creole are widely spoken. Many of the languages exist in written form. – Source:- Britannica.com

The Lord keeps His Promises

