

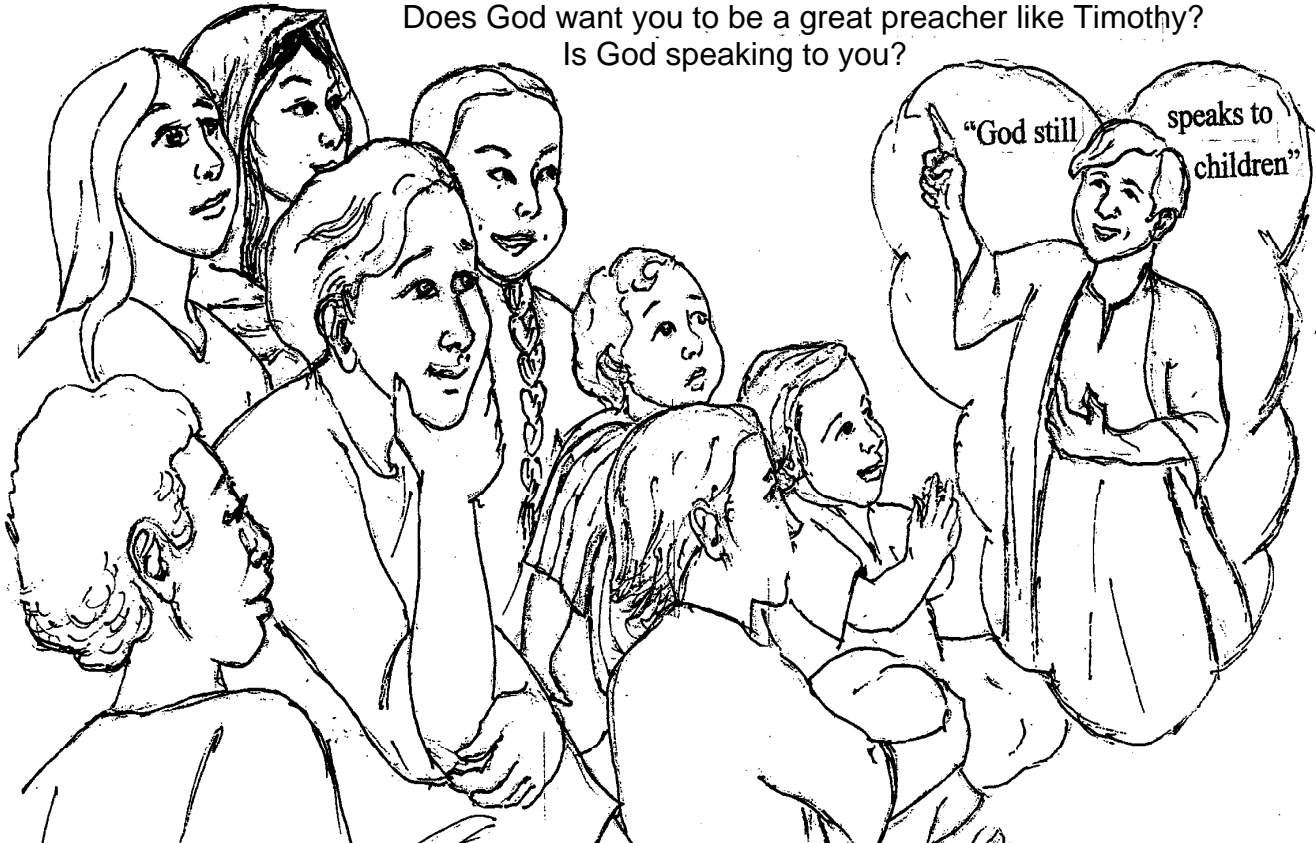
TIMOTHY

Read-and-Color — "Timothy"



This is my book

Does God want you to be a great preacher like Timothy?
Is God speaking to you?



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This is the story of Timothy...

Timothy knew what God wanted him to be when he grew up!

When Timothy heard Paul preach in his hometown of Lystra, he heard God speak to him (Acts 16:1-2).

I WANT TO TELL OTHERS ABOUT JESUS

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Paul was allowed to live by himself in a rented house with a Roman soldier to guard him (Acts 28:16).

Timothy, you are like a son to me. I need you to go to Philippi to visit the Christians there.

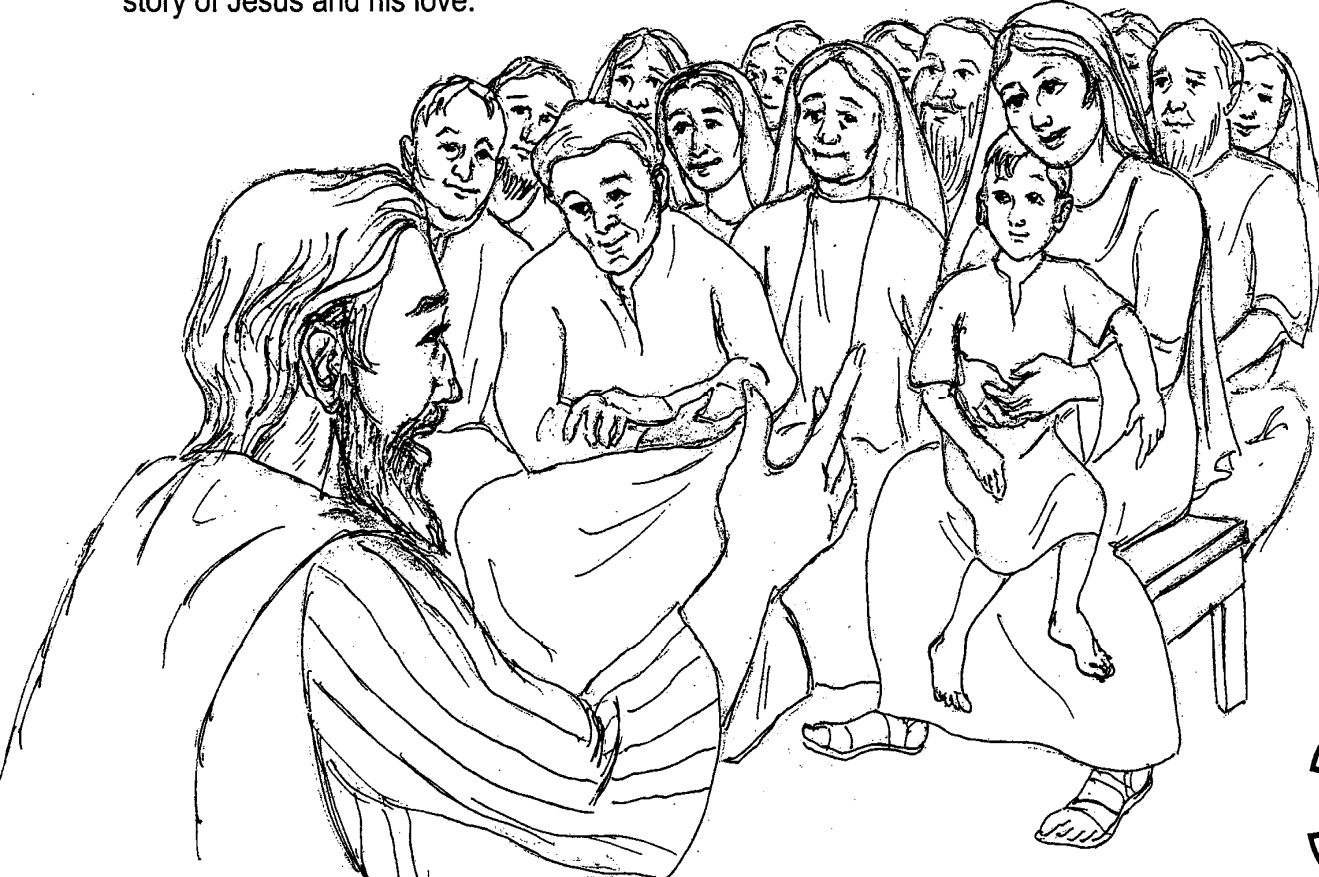
I will bring back a report to you.

I like what I hear!

Paul spent his time writing letters to the new churches. He taught them how to live so that they could face real problems. We still read these letters today in our Bible.

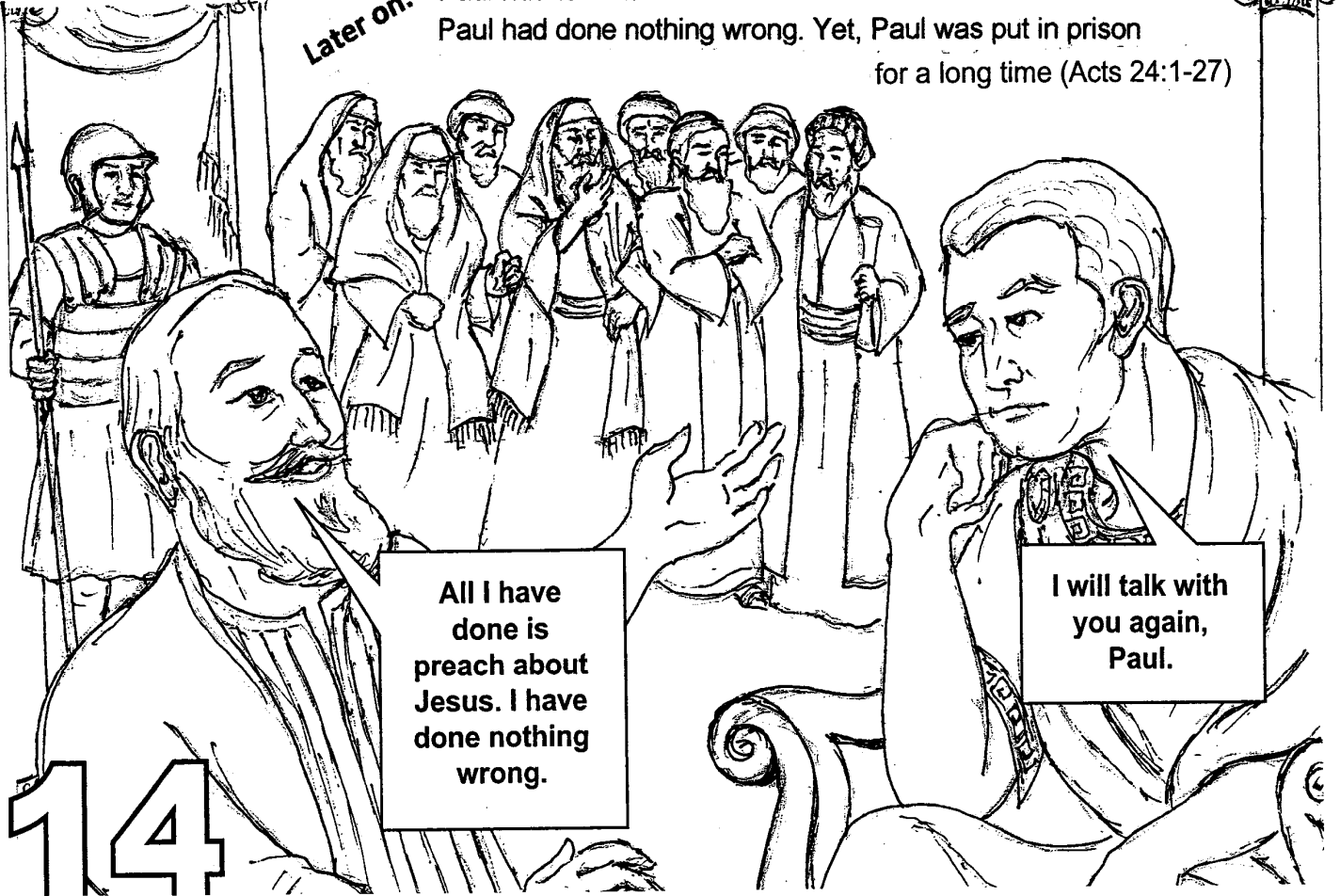
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Every time Paul came to preach in their town, Eunice took Timothy to hear the story of Jesus and his love.



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Later on: Paul had to come before Felix. Felix listened to him. He knew Paul had done nothing wrong. Yet, Paul was put in prison for a long time (Acts 24:1-27)



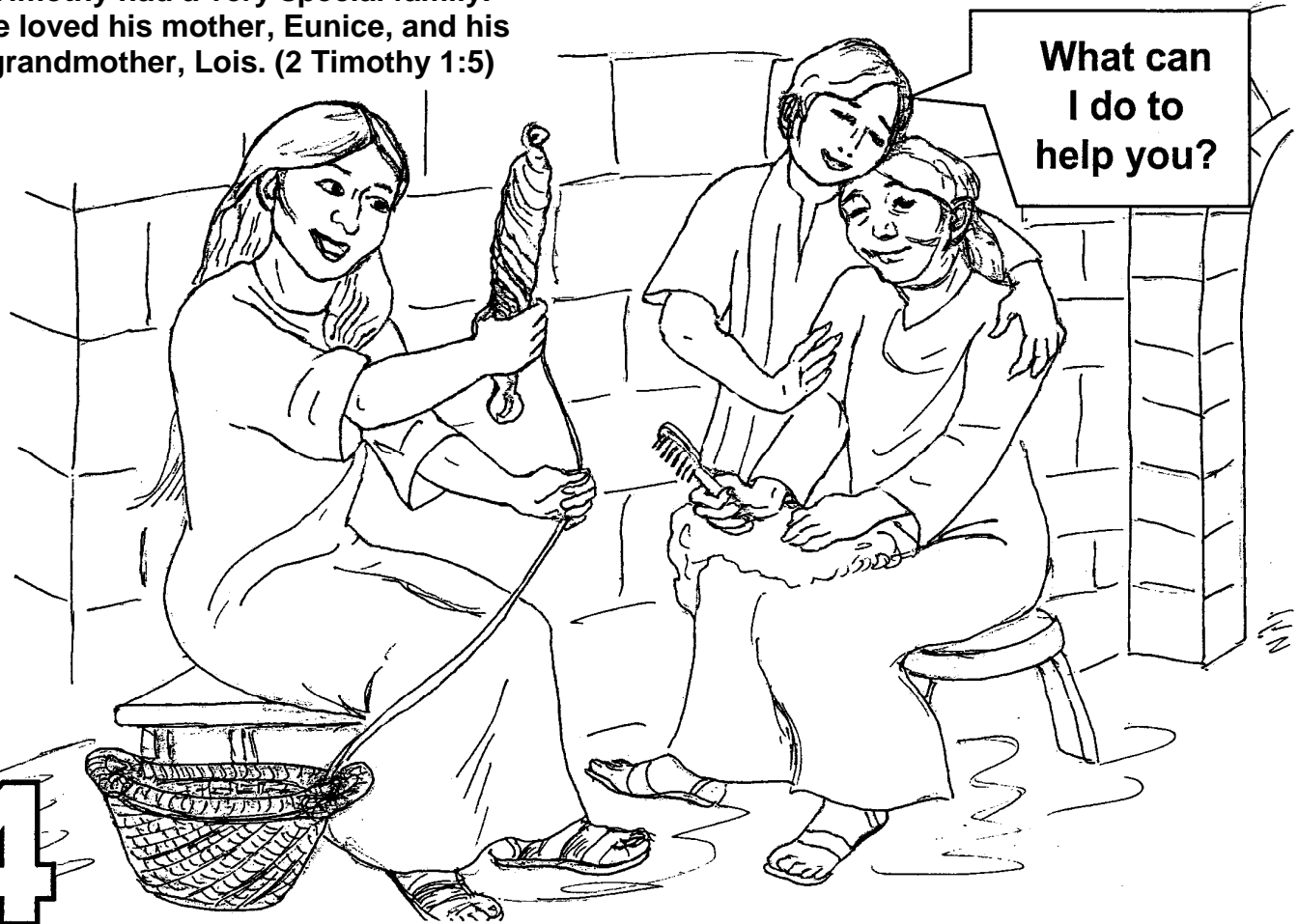
All I have done is preach about Jesus. I have done nothing wrong.

I will talk with you again, Paul.

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Timothy had a very special family.
He loved his mother, Eunice, and his
grandmother, Lois. (2 Timothy 1:5)

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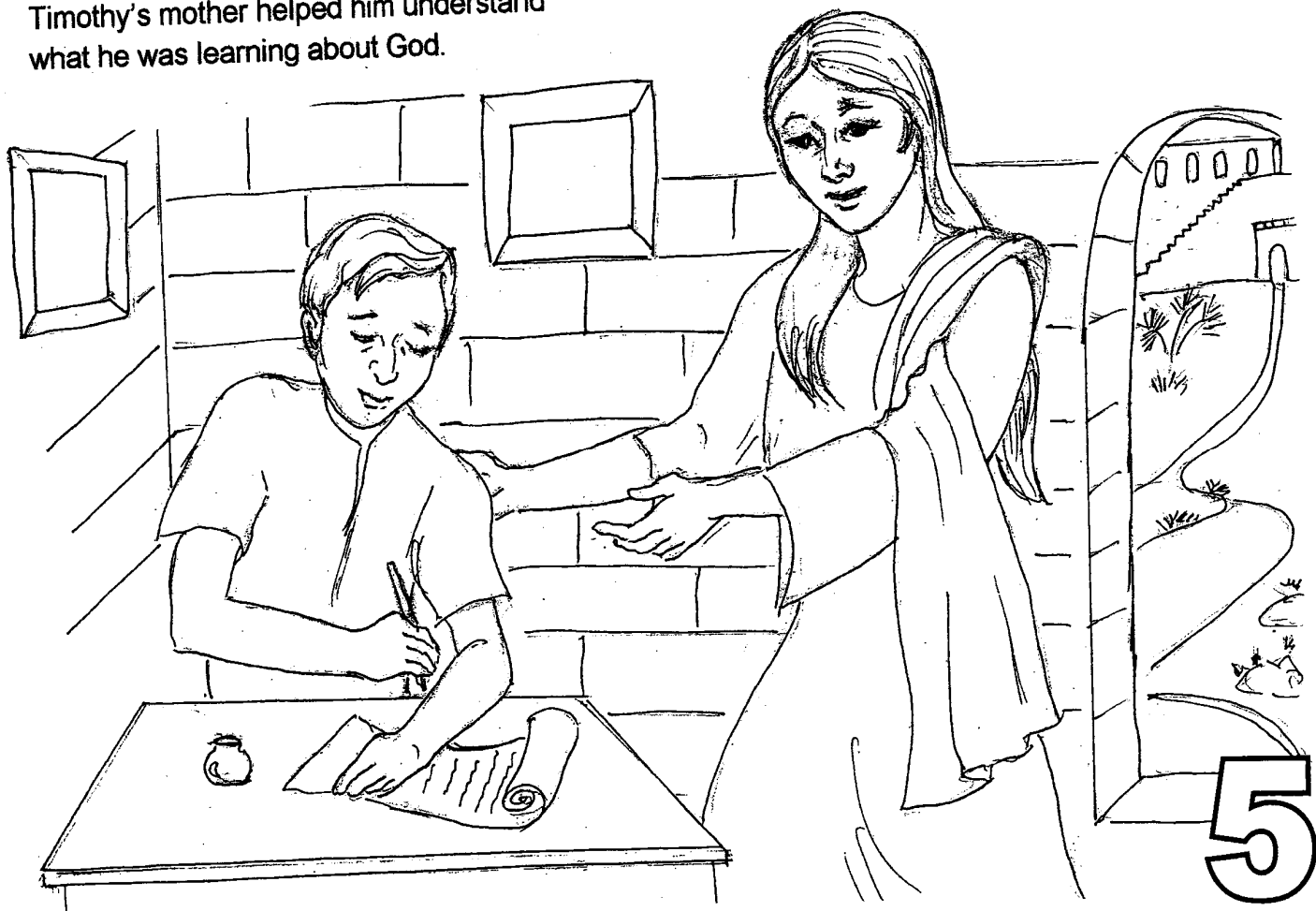


Paul and Timothy preached and the people listened.
Jesus kept them safe. There were no angry
mobs. No one chased them out of town.



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Timothy's mother helped him understand what he was learning about God.



We are so excited!

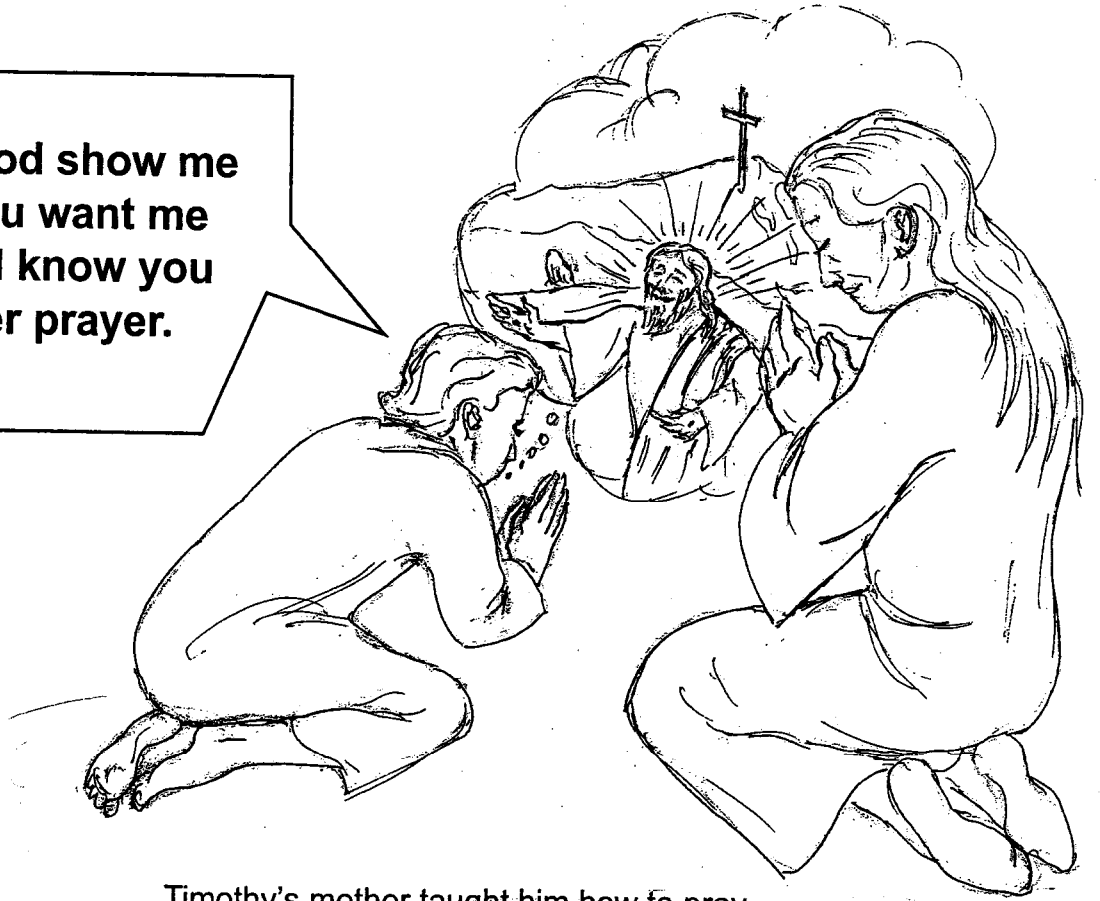
The townspeople remembered Timothy. They gave him a big welcome home!

Welcome home!

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**Please God show me
what you want me
to do... I know you
answer prayer.**



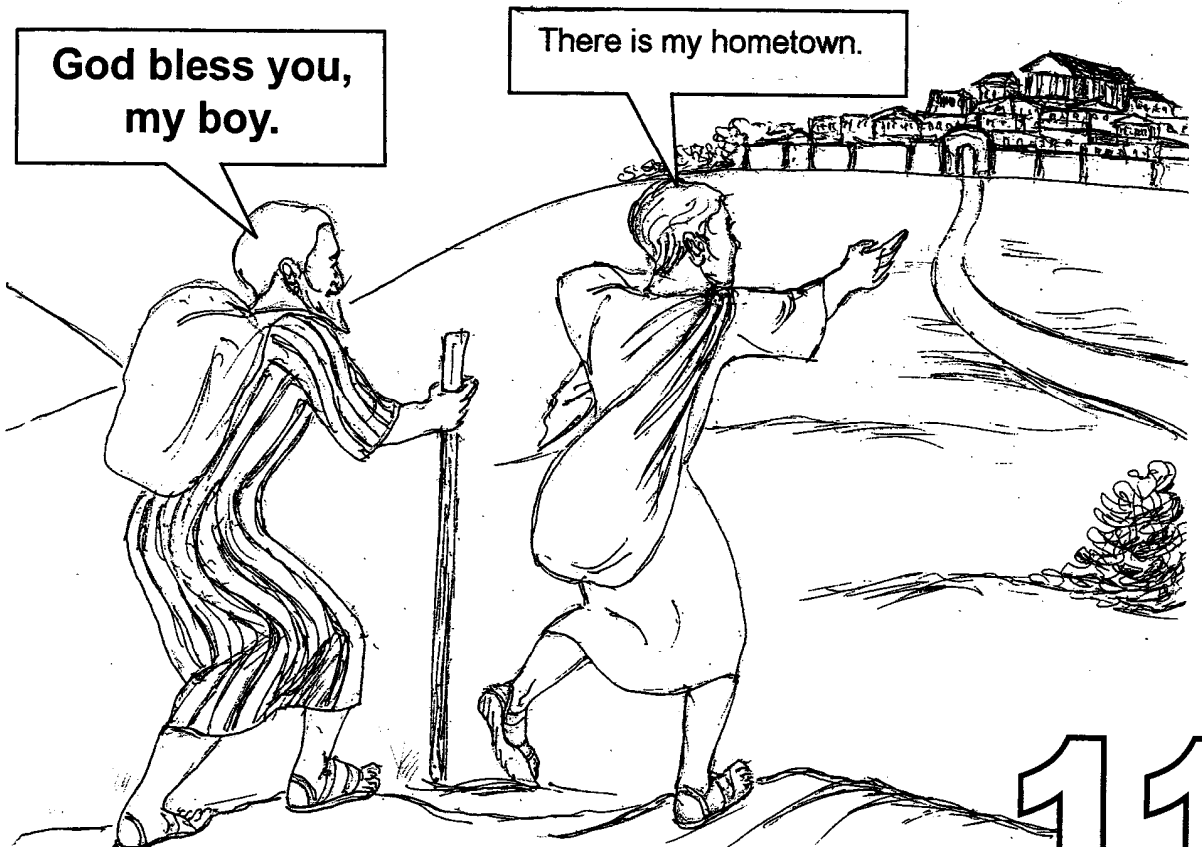
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Timothy's mother taught him how to pray.

Paul and Timothy climb up the big hill to Lystra. He is excited to be going back to tell the people about Jesus.

**God bless you,
my boy.**

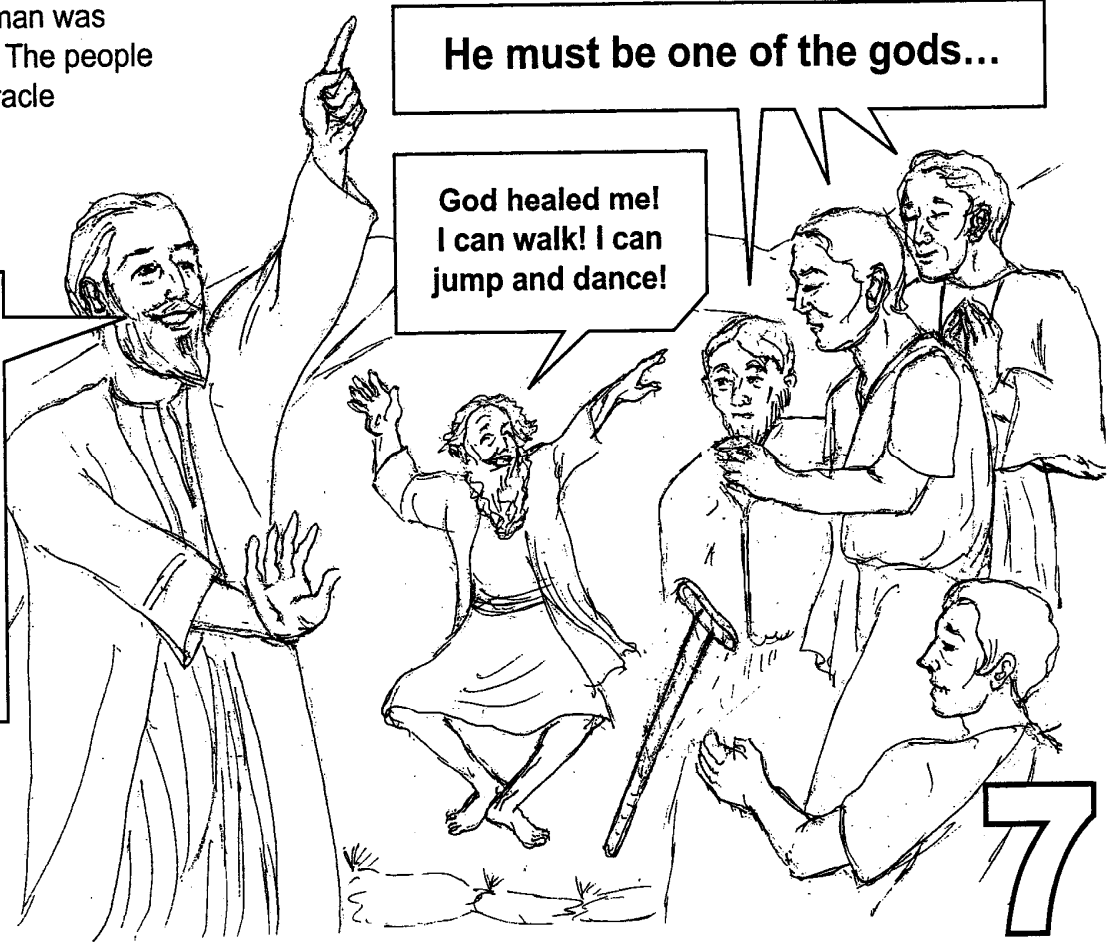
There is my hometown.



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While Paul preached Jesus at Lystra, a crippled man was healed (Acts 14:1-5). The people had never seen a miracle like this.

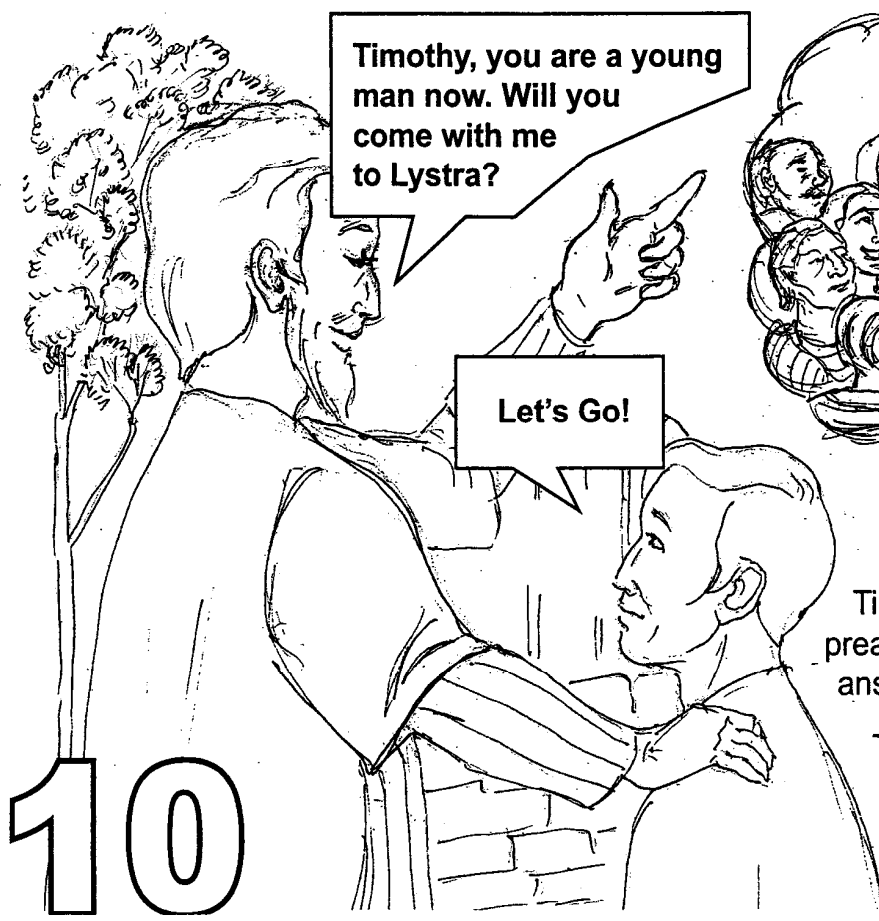
**Jesus said,
I AM
the WAY,
the TRUTH,
and the LIFE.**



He must be one of the gods...

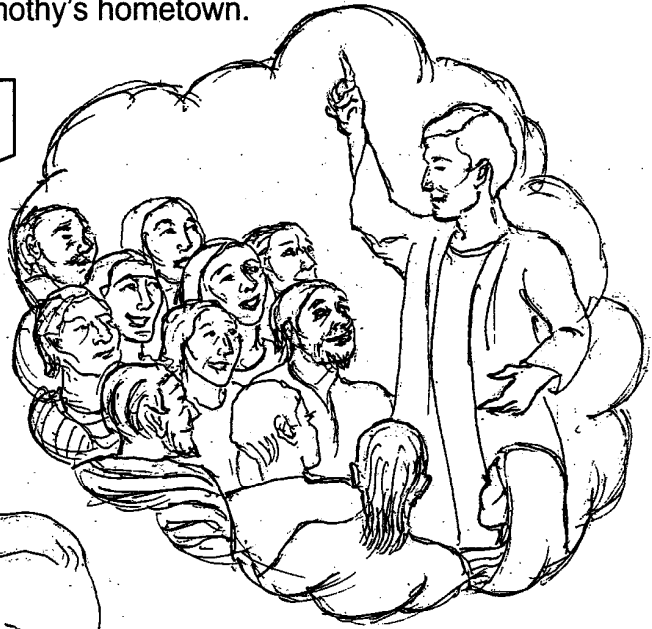
**God healed me!
I can walk! I can
jump and dance!**

Paul wanted to go on another missionary trip to Timothy's hometown.



**Timothy, you are a young
man now. Will you
come with me
to Lystra?**

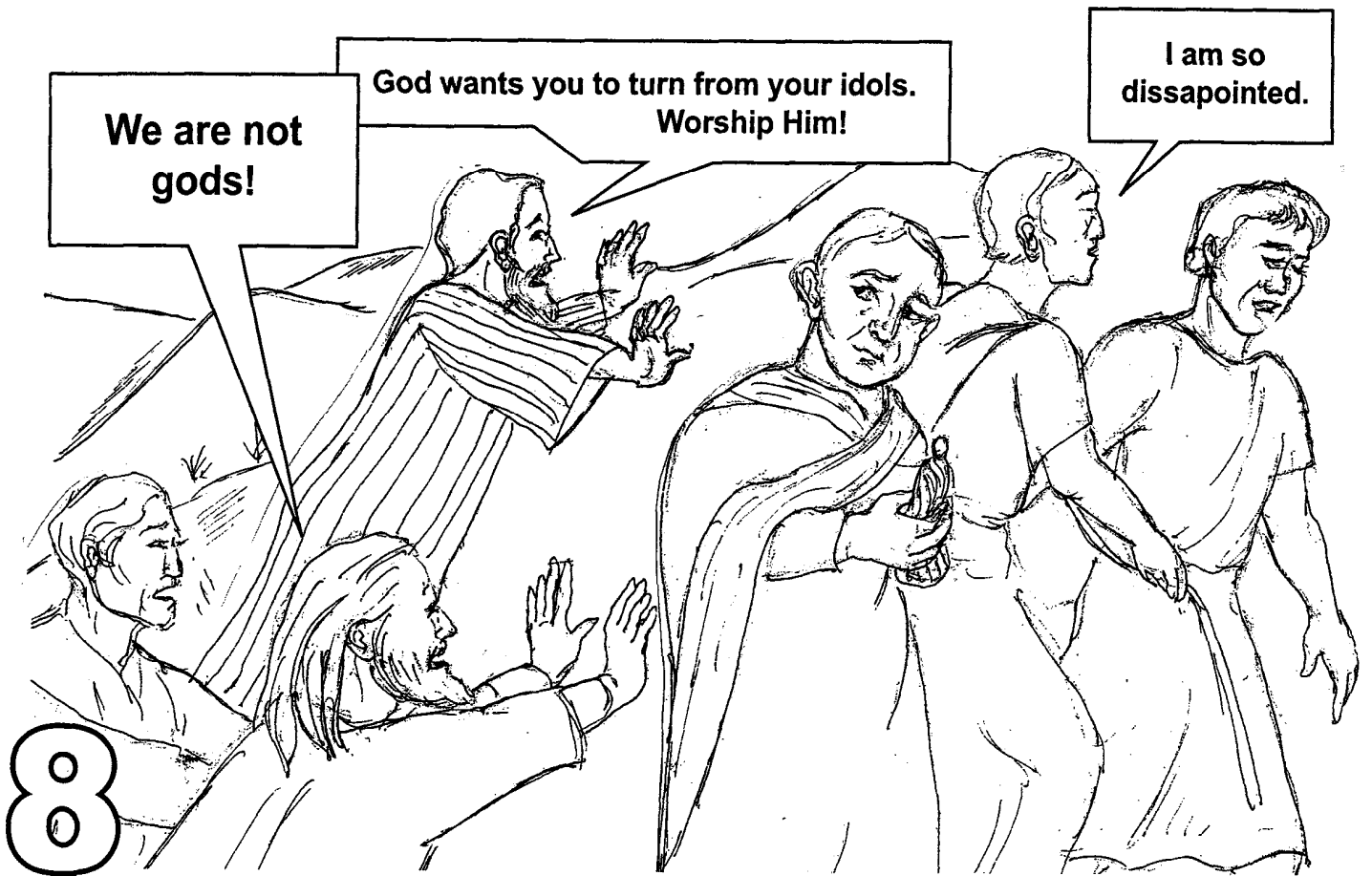
Let's Go!



Timothy had always wanted to be a preacher when he grew up. This was the answer to his dreams.

Timothy wanted to serve God any way he could.

Paul and his friend Barnabas could not allow the people to worship them as gods.



The religious rulers asked a mob of wicked men to chase Paul and Barnabas out of their town.

