

Bible Stories for Young Children

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‘SIGHT FOR THE BLIND, GOOD NEWS FOR THE POOR’

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LUKE 7:11-30
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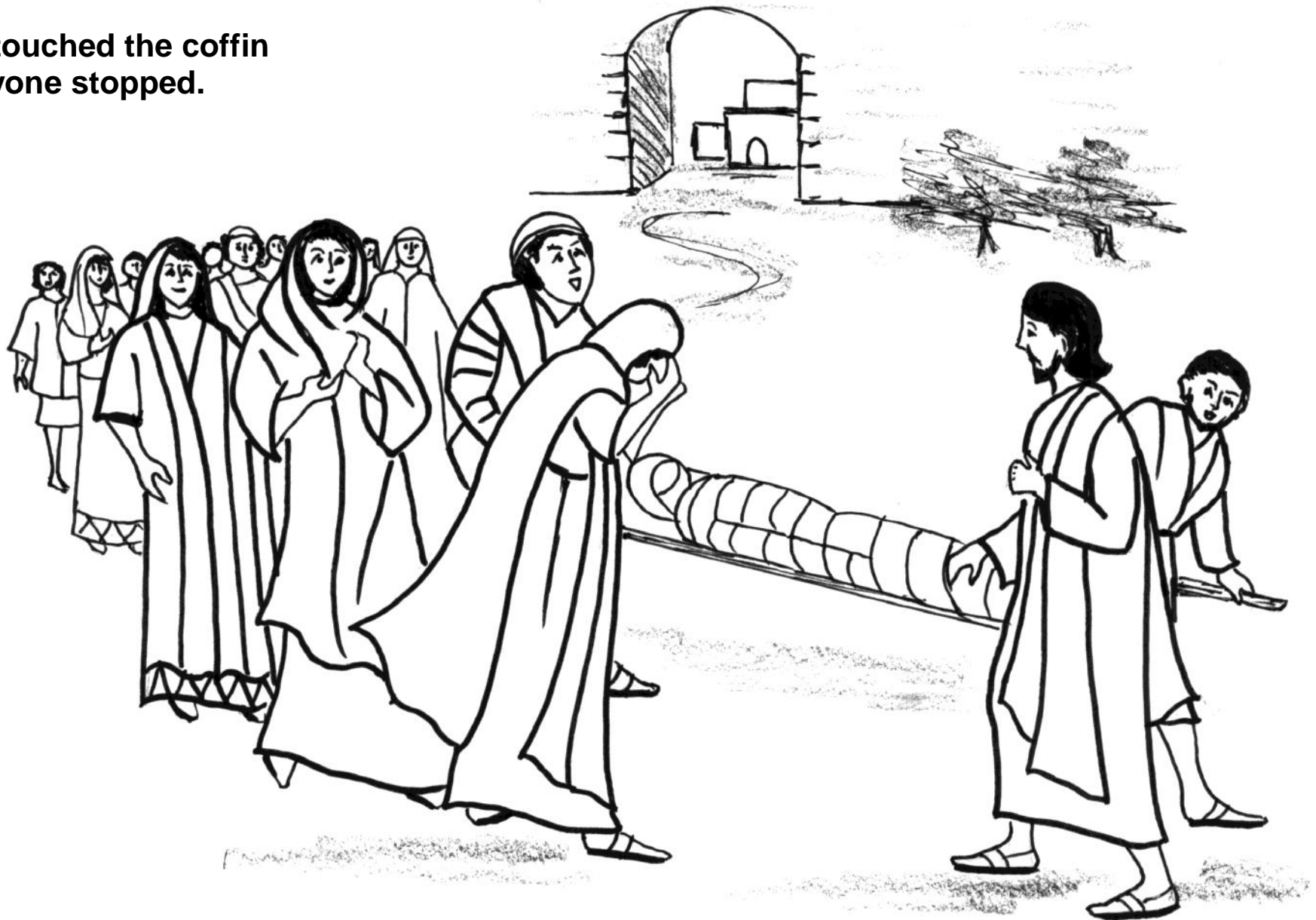
**A crowd was following Jesus.
As they came into the town
Jesus saw a mother who was very sad.**

**The mother was crying.
Her only son had died.
She and her friends were following the coffin.**



**Jesus said to the sad lady,
'Don't cry.'**

**Then He touched the coffin
and everyone stopped.**



**Speaking to the dead man
Jesus said,
'Young man, get up!'**

**The young man sat up
and started talking.
Jesus gave him back
to his mother.**

Everyone was amazed.

**They praised God and said,
'God has come
to help His people.'**

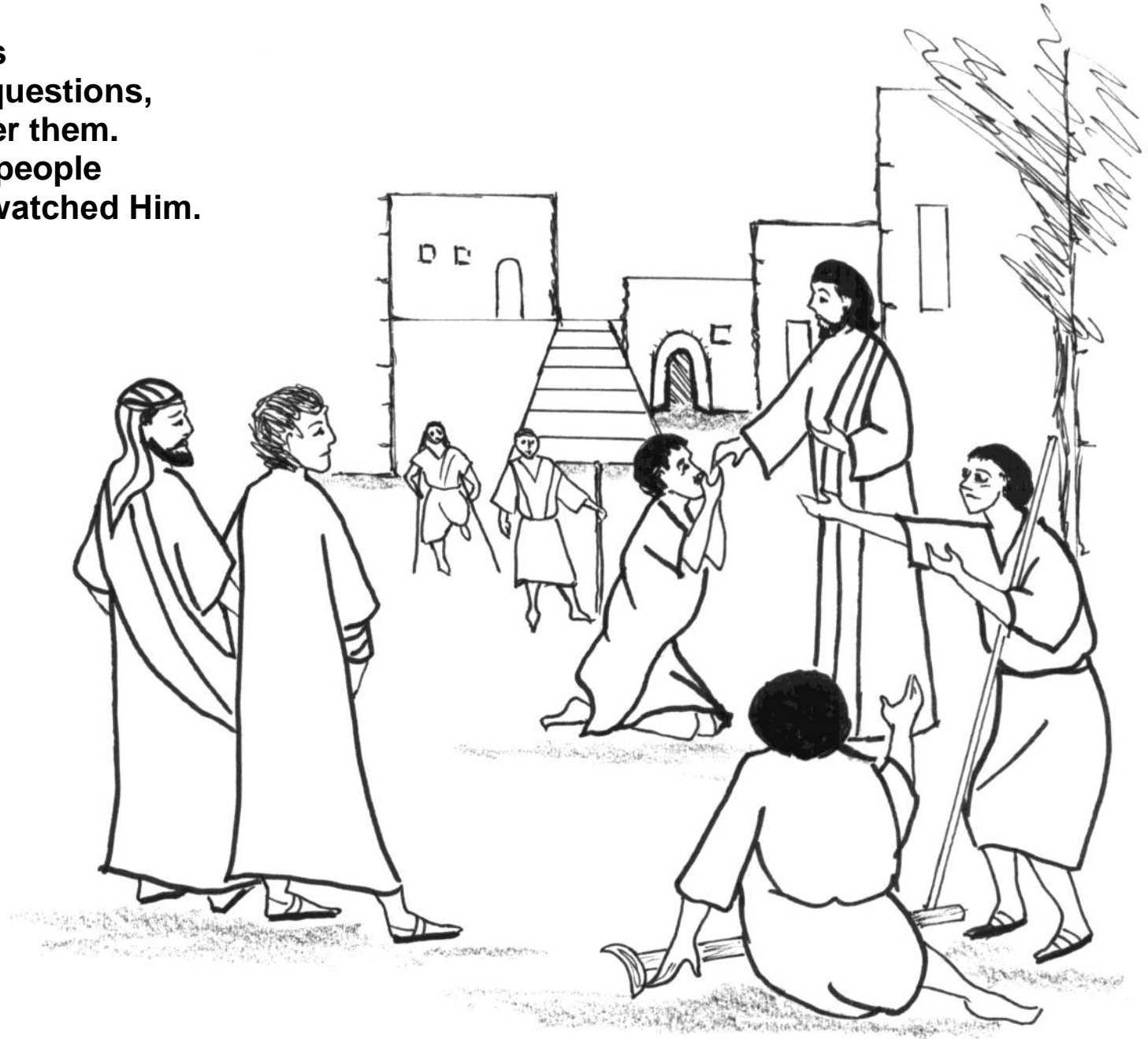


**John the Baptist was in prison
when he heard about the things
Jesus was doing.**

**He sent his friends to Jesus
and they asked,
'Are you the One
God promised to send?
Or is God going to send
someone else?'**



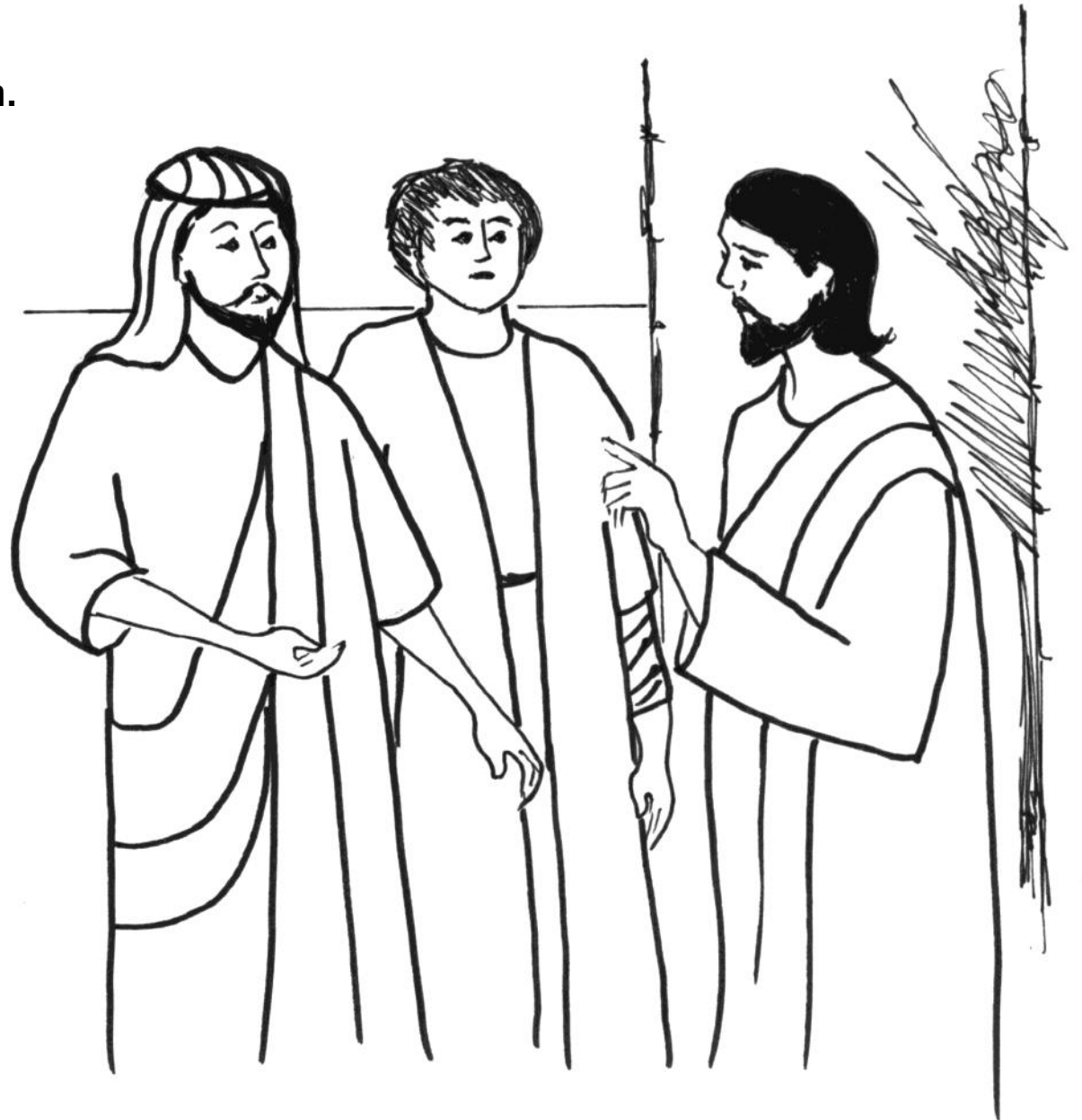
**When John's friends
asked Jesus these questions,
Jesus did not answer them.
He went on healing people
and John's friends watched Him.**



**Then Jesus said,
'Go and tell John what you have seen.
The blind people see again,
the deaf people hear,
lame men walk,
sick people are made well,
the dead are raised up,
and the poor people
hear Jesus' good news.'**

**Jesus was doing what the prophet,
Isaiah, said would happen,
when God's Son came to earth.**

**Jesus said to John's friends,
'Go and tell John that
whoever believes in Me is blessed.'**



**John's friends hurried back to him,
and told him everything.**

**They told him that
whoever believes in Jesus,
God's Son, is blessed.**

