

Bible Stories for Young Children

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***THE BOOK AND THE LAMB /
A NEW HEAVEN, NEW EARTH, NEW CITY***

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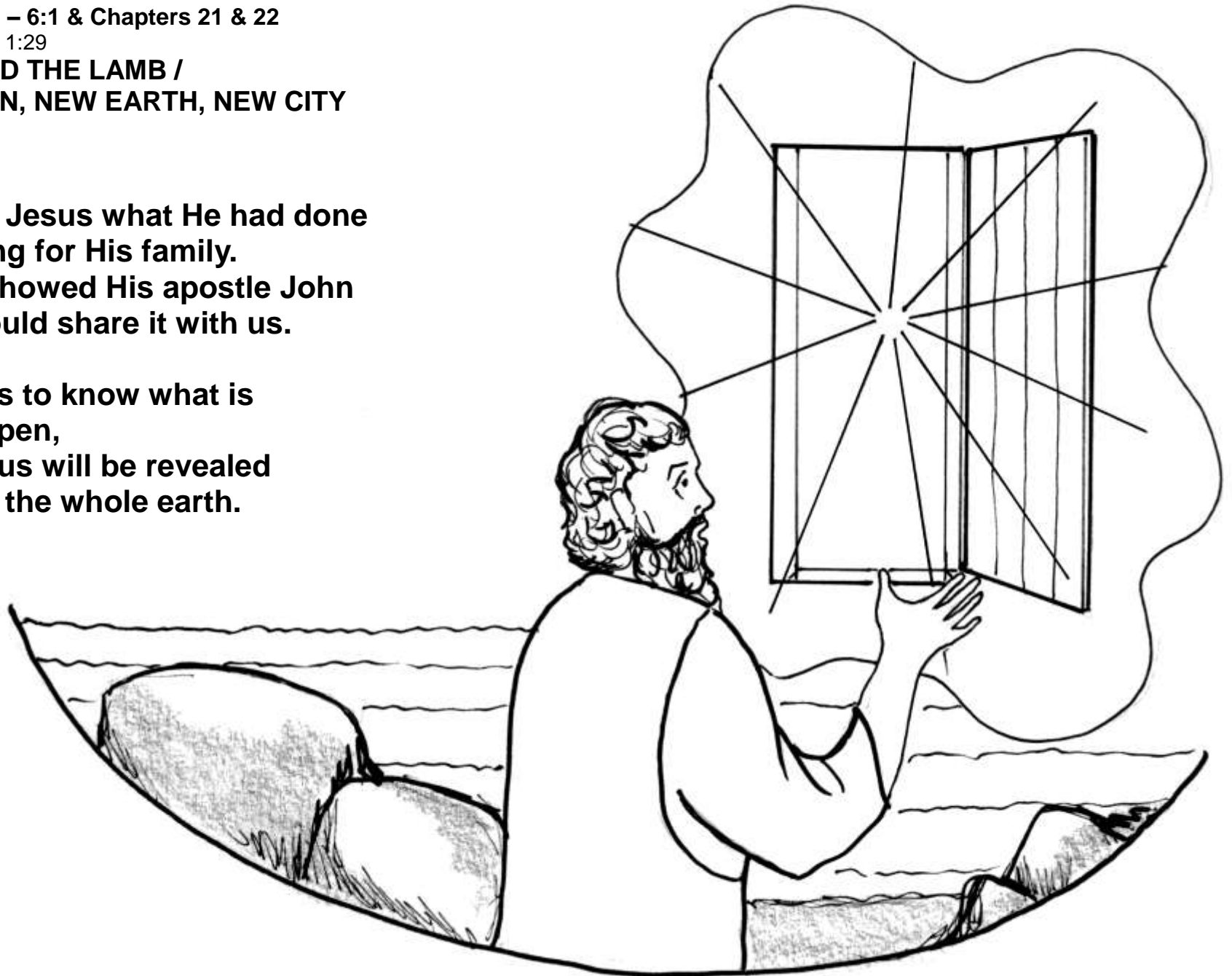
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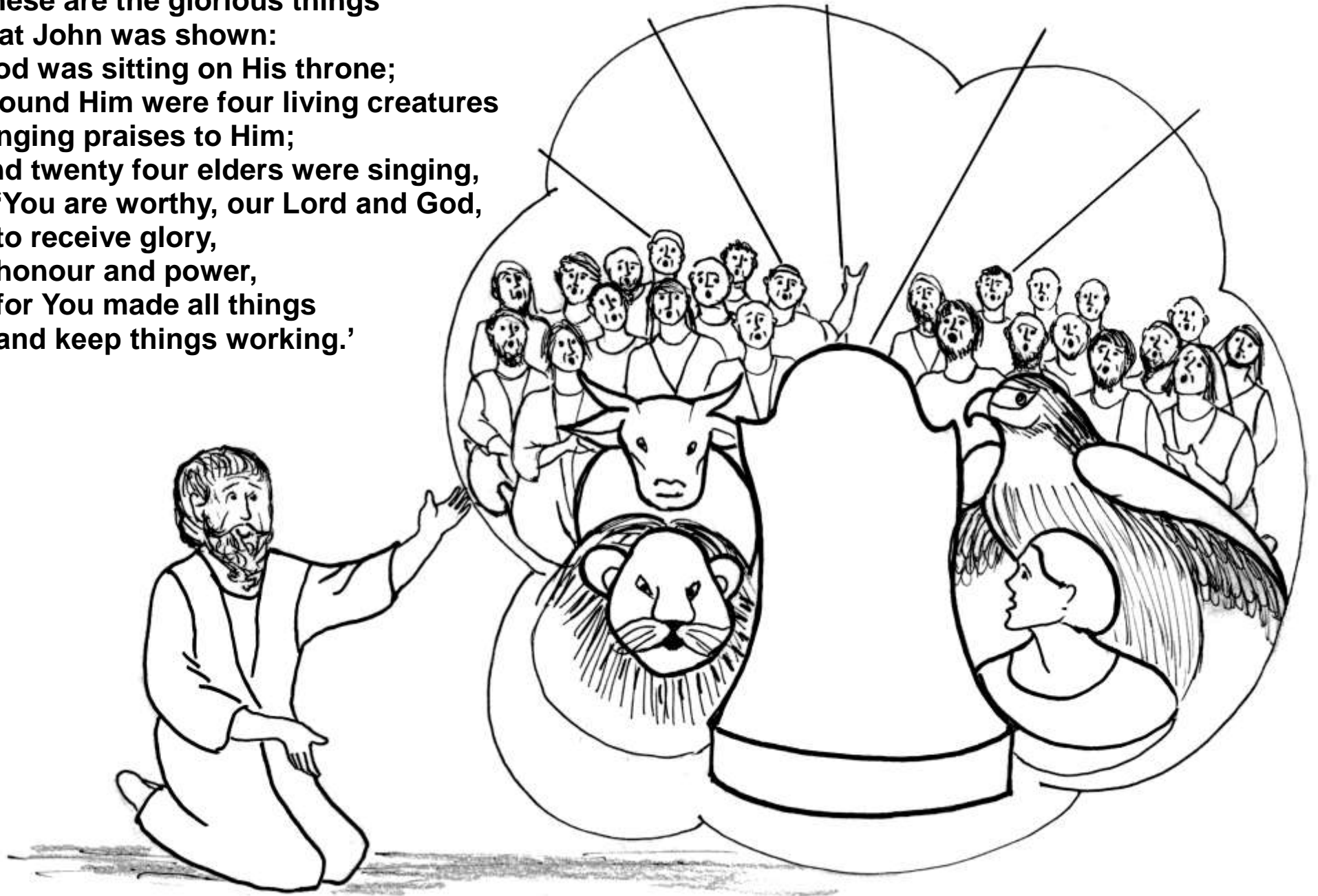
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**God showed Jesus what He had done
and was doing for His family.
Jesus then showed His apostle John
so that he could share it with us.**

**God wants us to know what is
going to happen,
and how Jesus will be revealed
as King over the whole earth.**



**These are the glorious things
that John was shown:
God was sitting on His throne;
around Him were four living creatures
singing praises to Him;
and twenty four elders were singing,
'You are worthy, our Lord and God,
to receive glory,
honour and power,
for You made all things
and keep things working.'**



Then John saw in God's right hand a scroll.

**He heard an angel call out,
'Who is worthy to open the scroll?'**

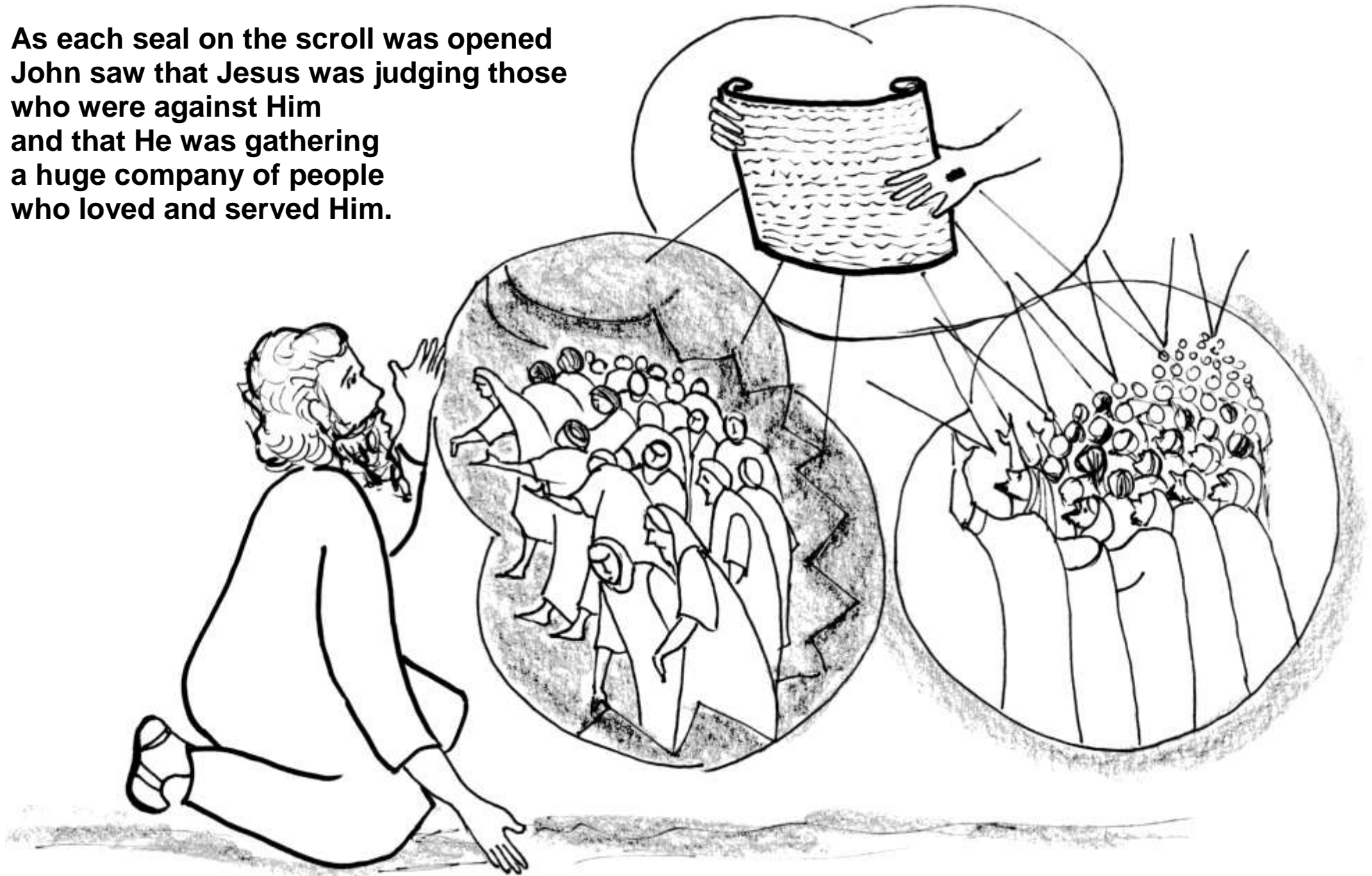
**One of the elders said,
'Jesus, the Lamb of God,
who died to take away our sins.
He is worthy
to break the seals of the scroll.'**

**John watched
as Jesus, the Lamb of God,
took the scroll from God's hand
and began to open it.**

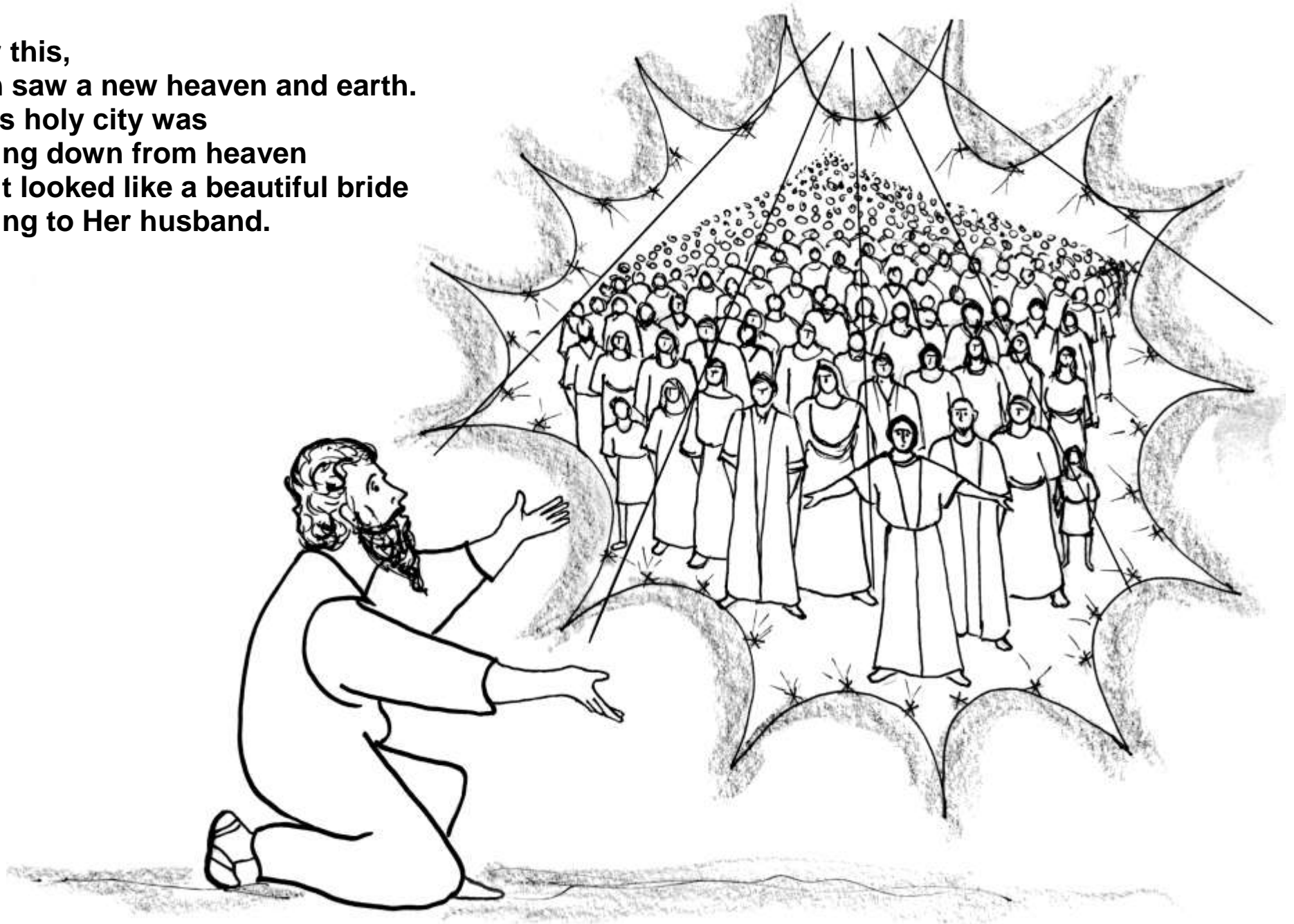
**Everyone in heaven and on earth
praised God and the Lamb saying,
'All praise, honour, glory and power
be theirs forever.'**



**As each seal on the scroll was opened
John saw that Jesus was judging those
who were against Him
and that He was gathering
a huge company of people
who loved and served Him.**



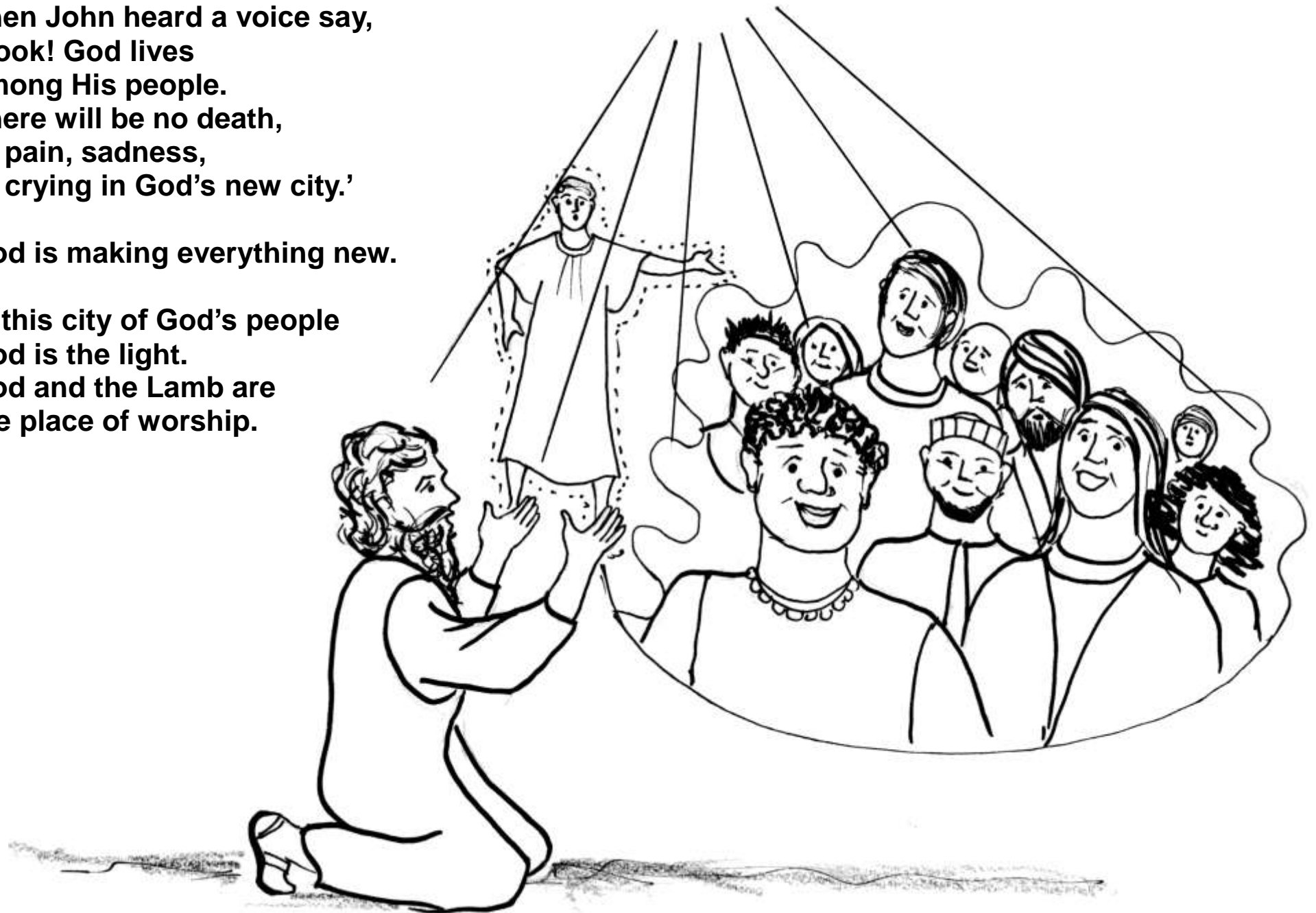
**After this,
John saw a new heaven and earth.
God's holy city was
coming down from heaven
and it looked like a beautiful bride
coming to Her husband.**



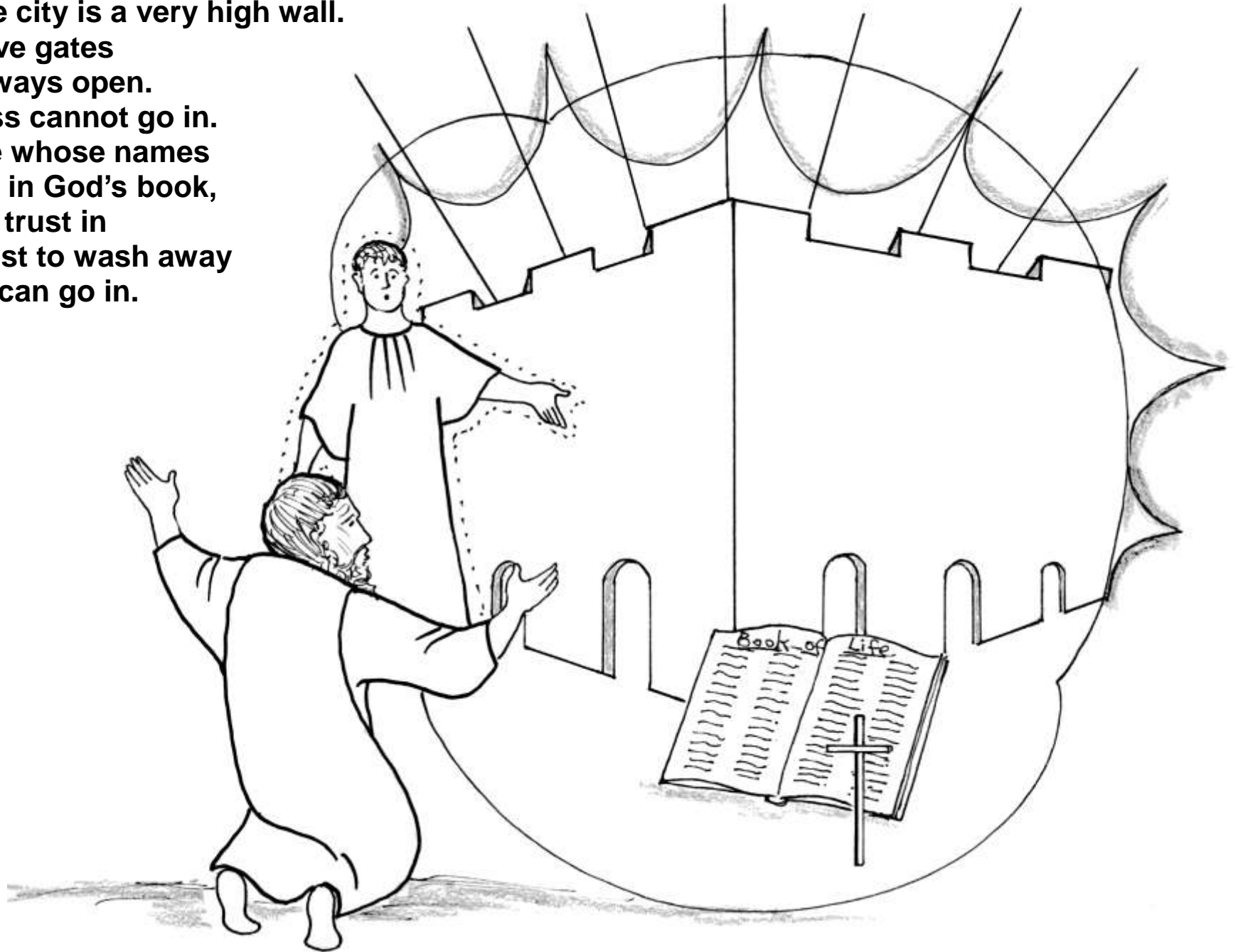
**Then John heard a voice say,
'Look! God lives
among His people.
There will be no death,
or pain, sadness,
or crying in God's new city.'**

God is making everything new.

**In this city of God's people
God is the light.
God and the Lamb are
the place of worship.**

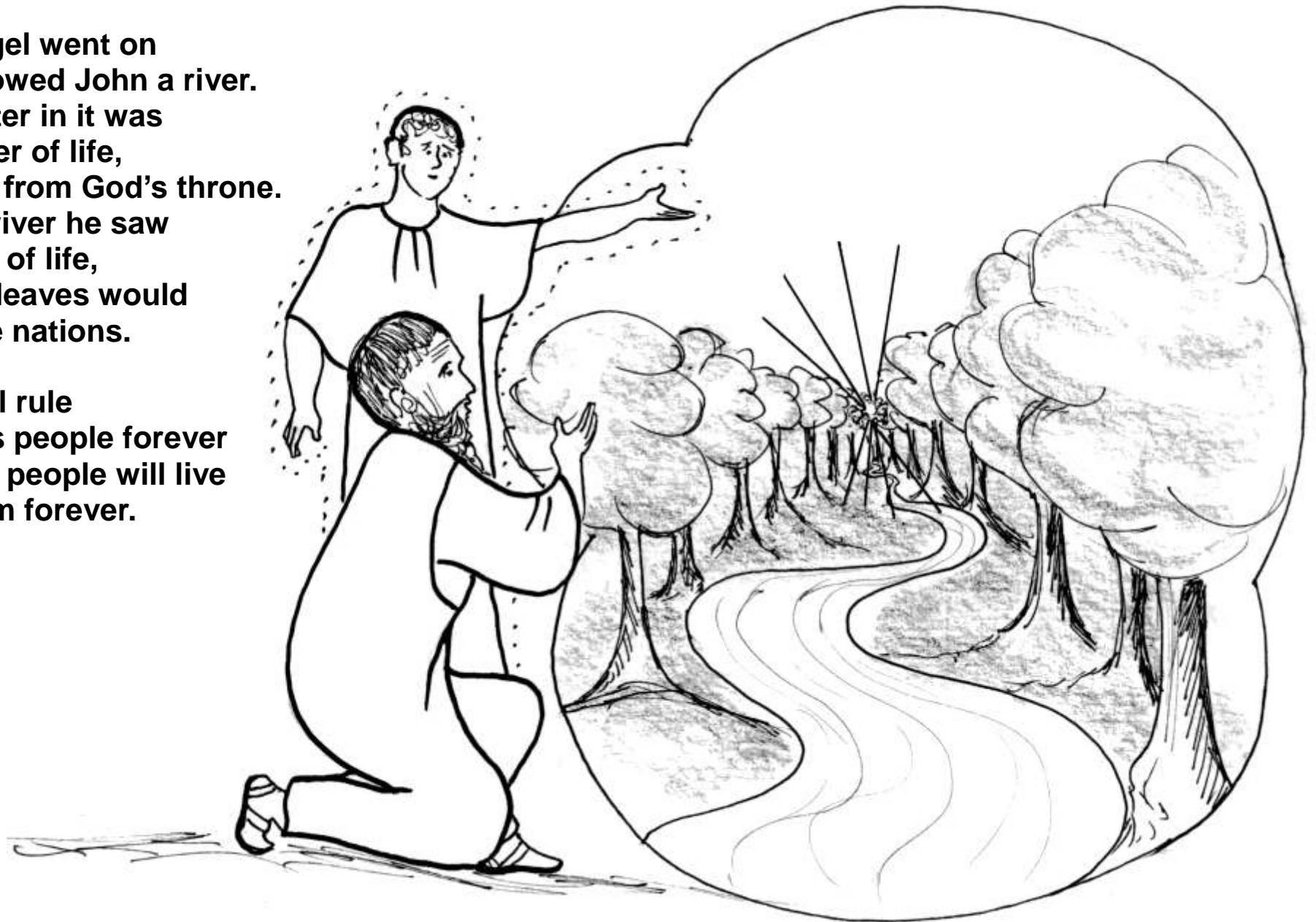


**Around the city is a very high wall.
It has twelve gates
that are always open.
Wickedness cannot go in.
Only those whose names
are written in God's book,
those who trust in
Jesus Christ to wash away
their sins, can go in.**



**The angel went on
and showed John a river.
The water in it was
the water of life,
flowing from God's throne.
By the river he saw
the tree of life,
and its leaves would
heal the nations.**

**God will rule
with His people forever
and His people will live
with Him forever.**



**After this, John worshipped
God and the Lamb.**

**Then he heard Jesus say,
'I am coming soon
to reward everyone
for what they have done on earth.
Those who obey God's word
may come into God's city.
They will be allowed to eat the
fruit from the tree of life.'**

**Again Jesus said,
'I am coming soon.'**

**John answered,
'Yes, Lord Jesus, come!'**

