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TIMOTHY

Read-and-Color – "Timothy"

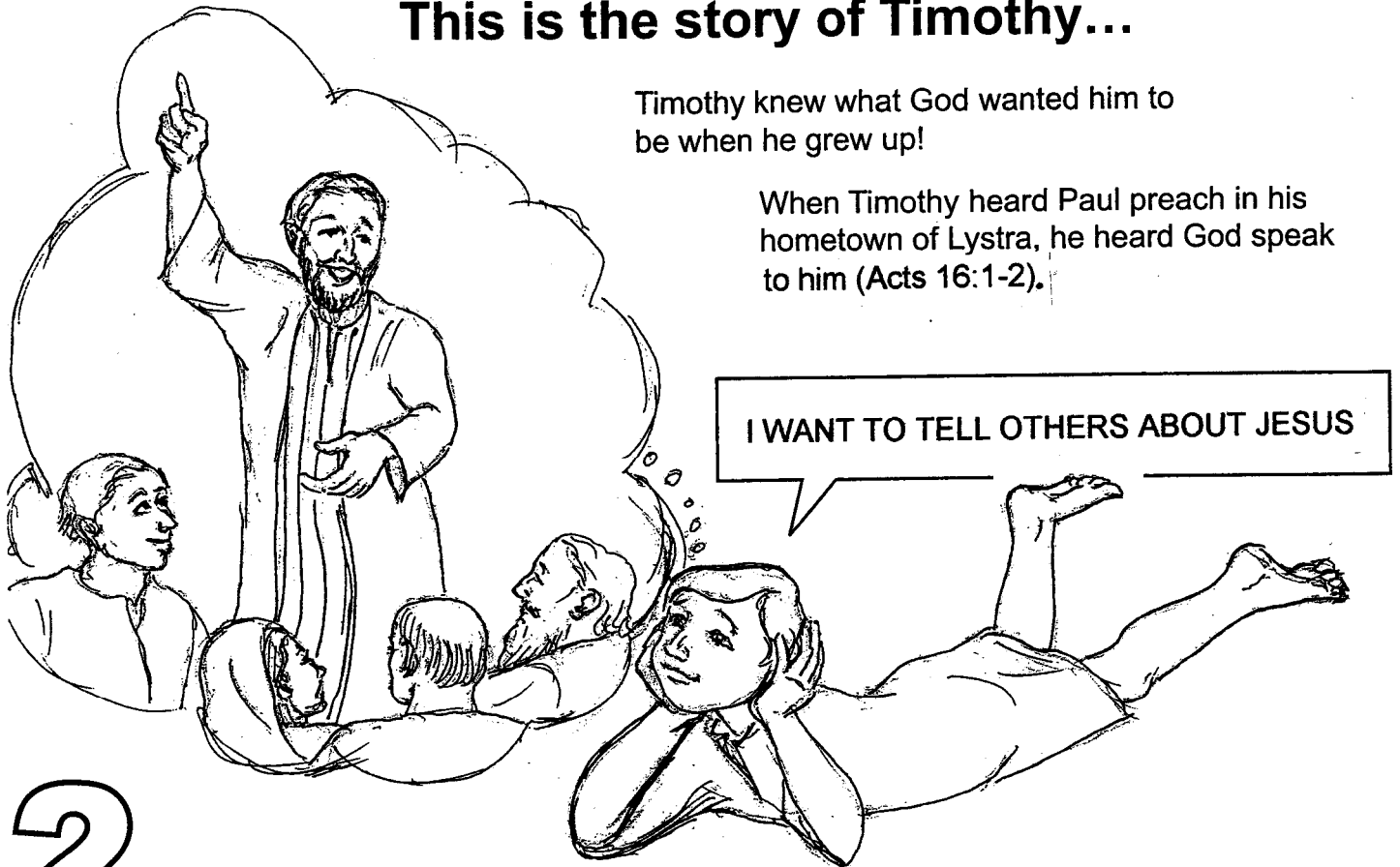


This is my book

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).



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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.



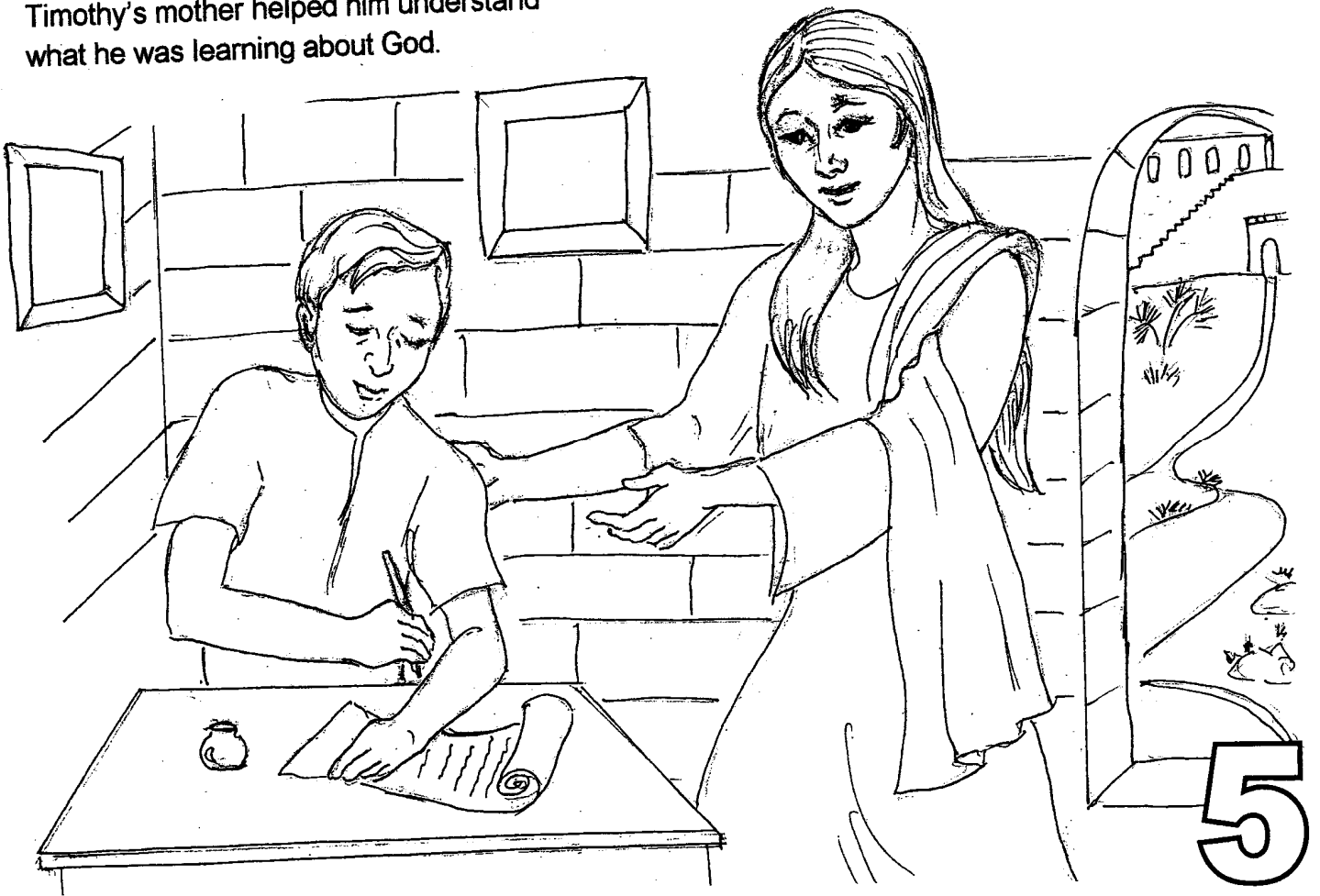
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Timothy had a very special family. He loved his mother, Eunice, and his Grandmother, Lois. (1 Tim 1:5)

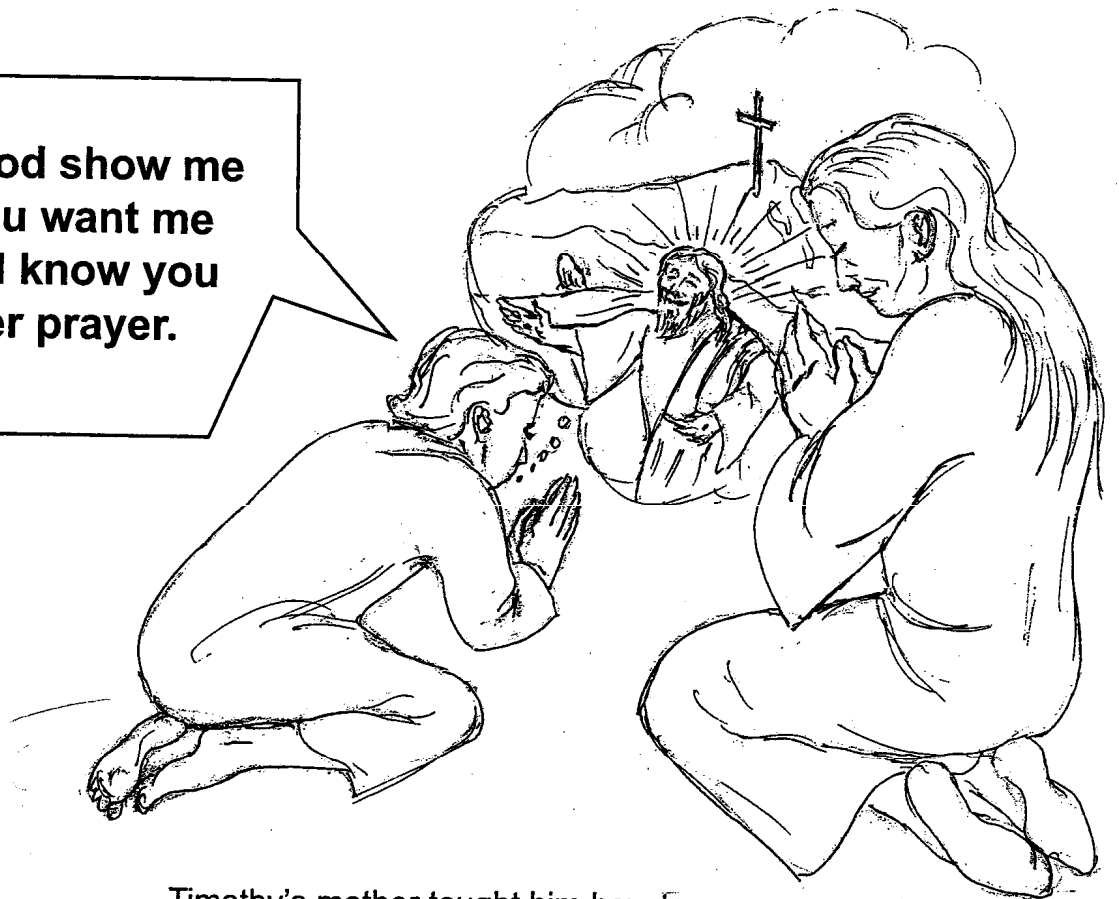


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Timothy's mother helped him understand what he was learning about God.



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



Timothy's mother taught him how to pray.

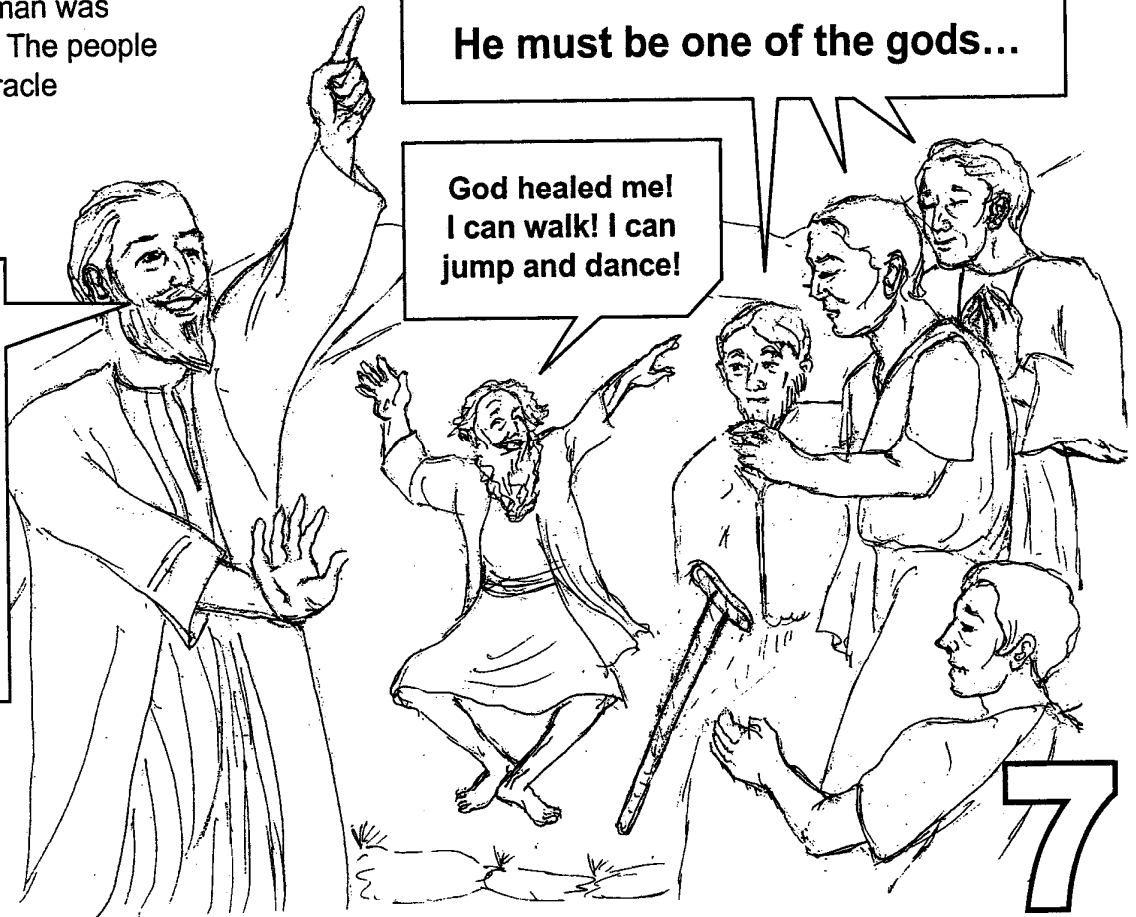
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While Paul preached Jesus at Lystra, a crippled man was healed (Acts 14:1-5). The people had never seen a miracle like this.

He must be one of the gods...

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

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

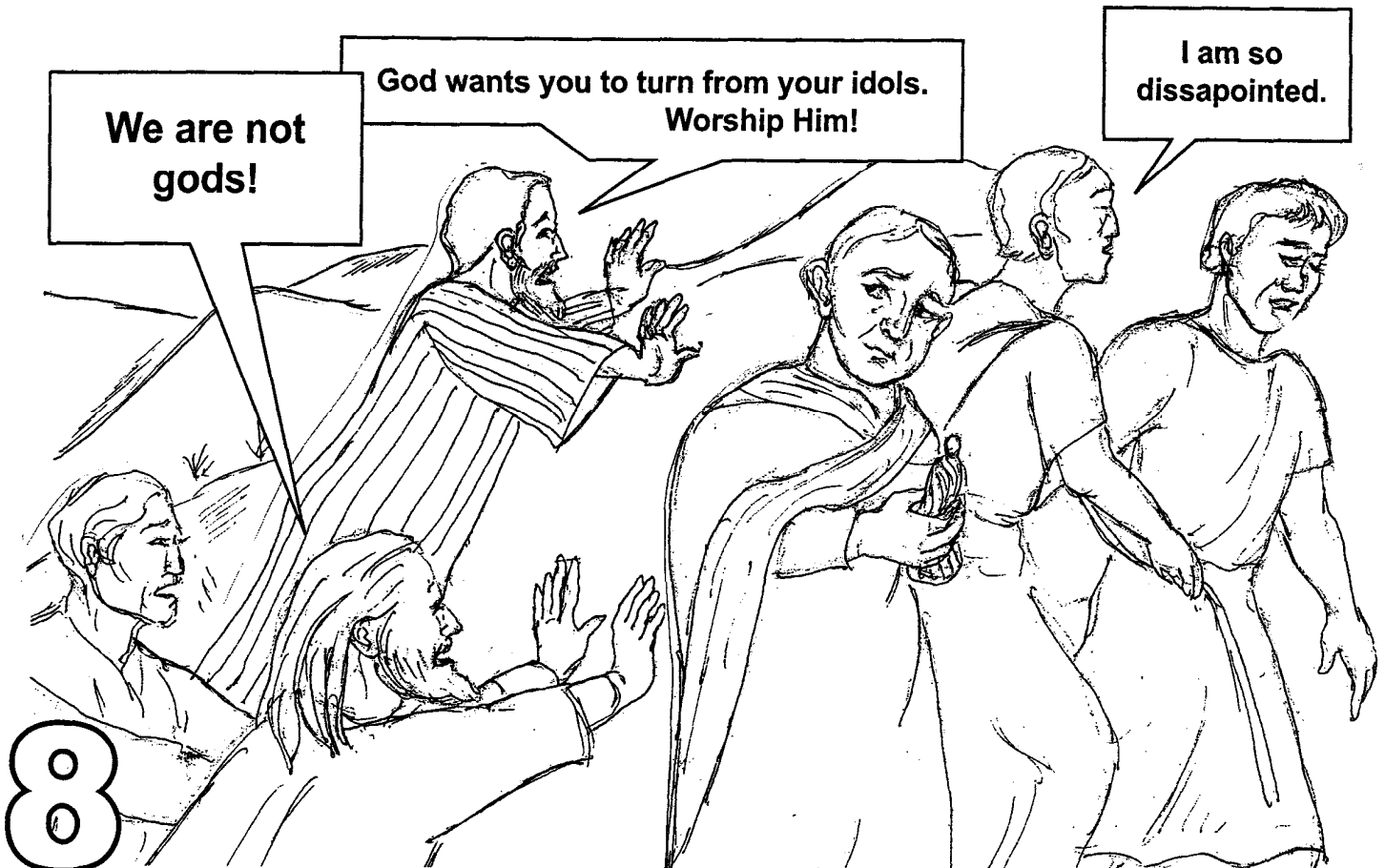


Paul and his friend Barnabas could not allow the people to worship them as gods.

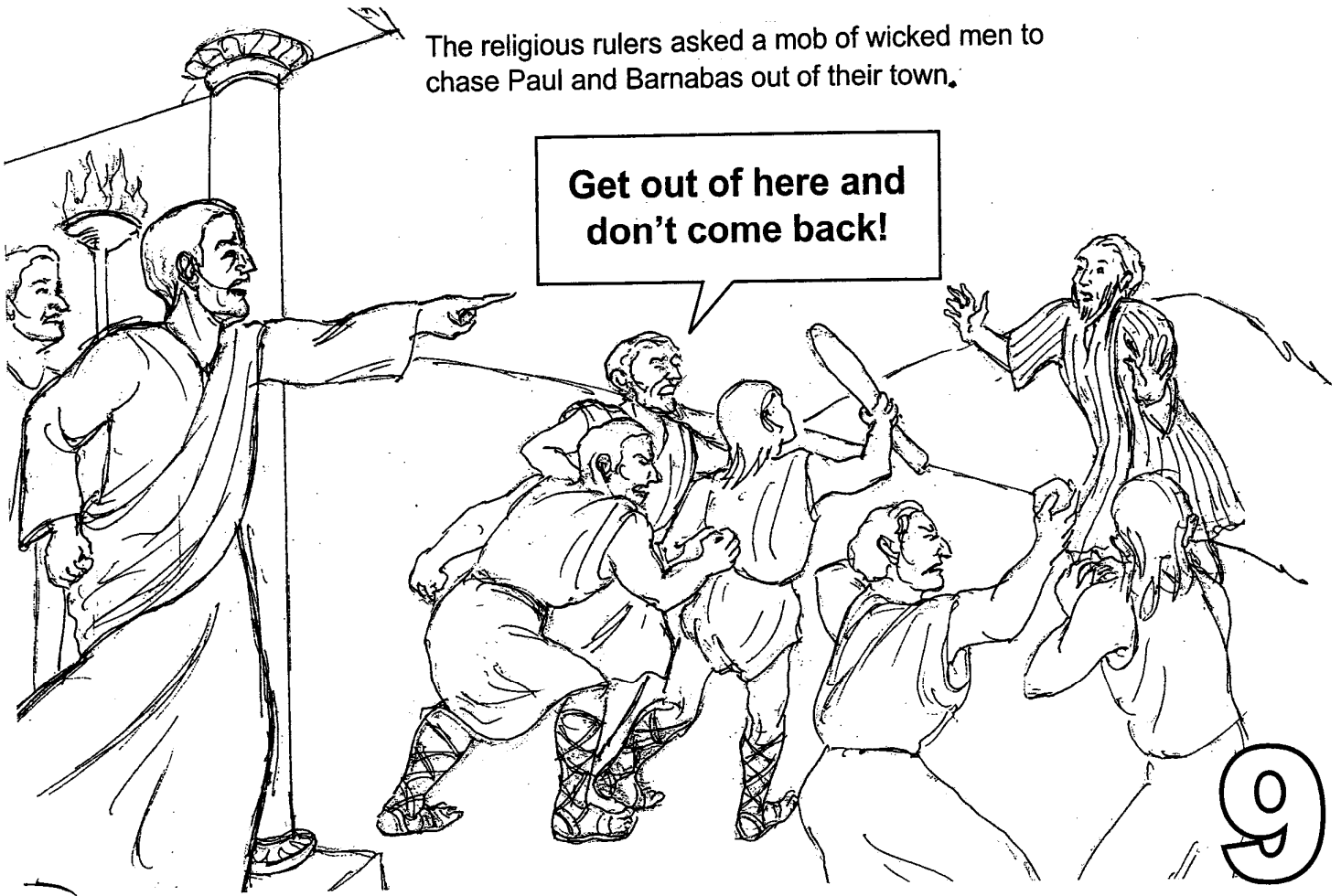
We are not
gods!

God wants you to turn from your idols.
Worship Him!

I am so
disappointed.



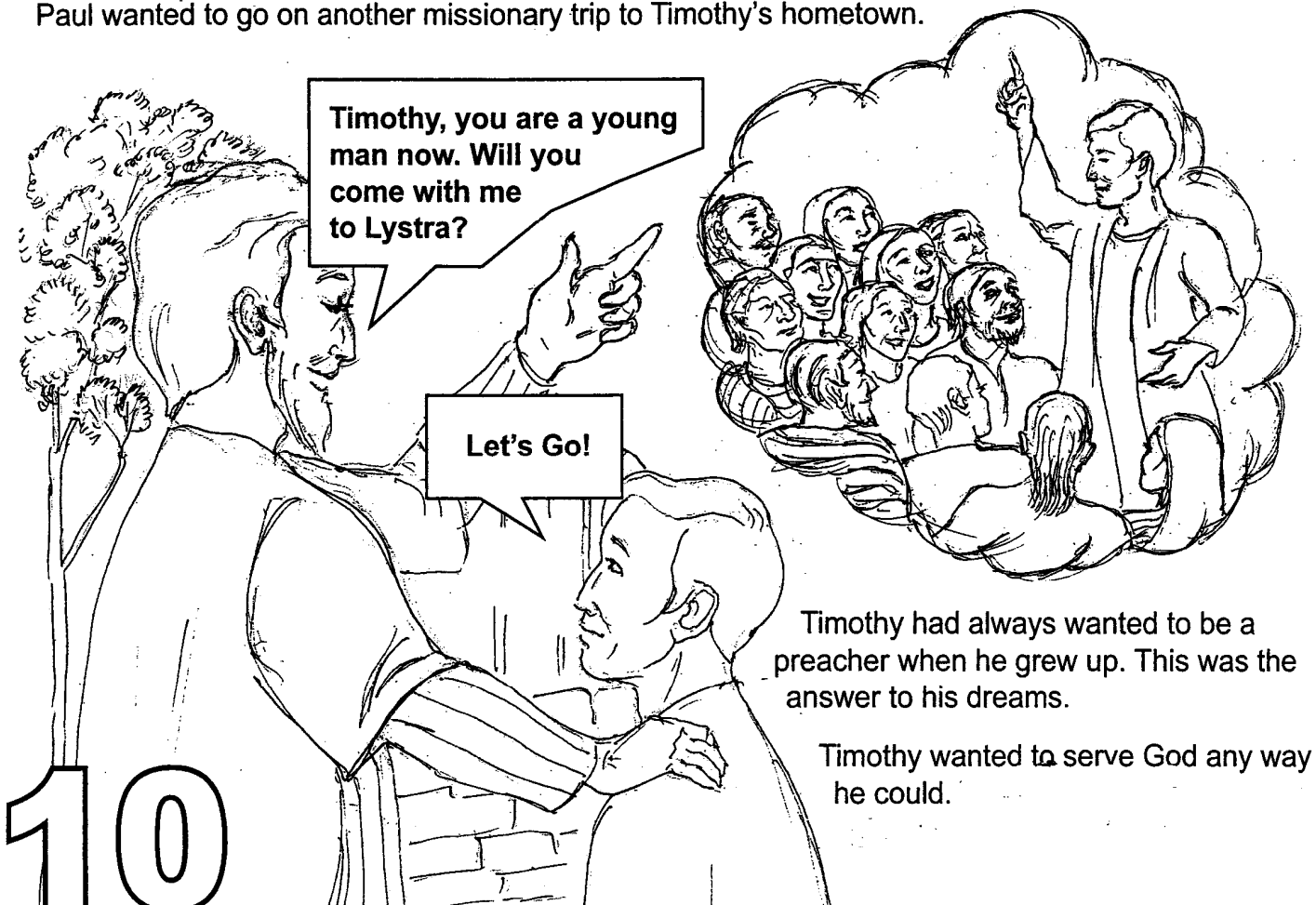
The religious rulers asked a mob of wicked men to chase Paul and Barnabas out of their town.



Get out of here and don't come back!

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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?

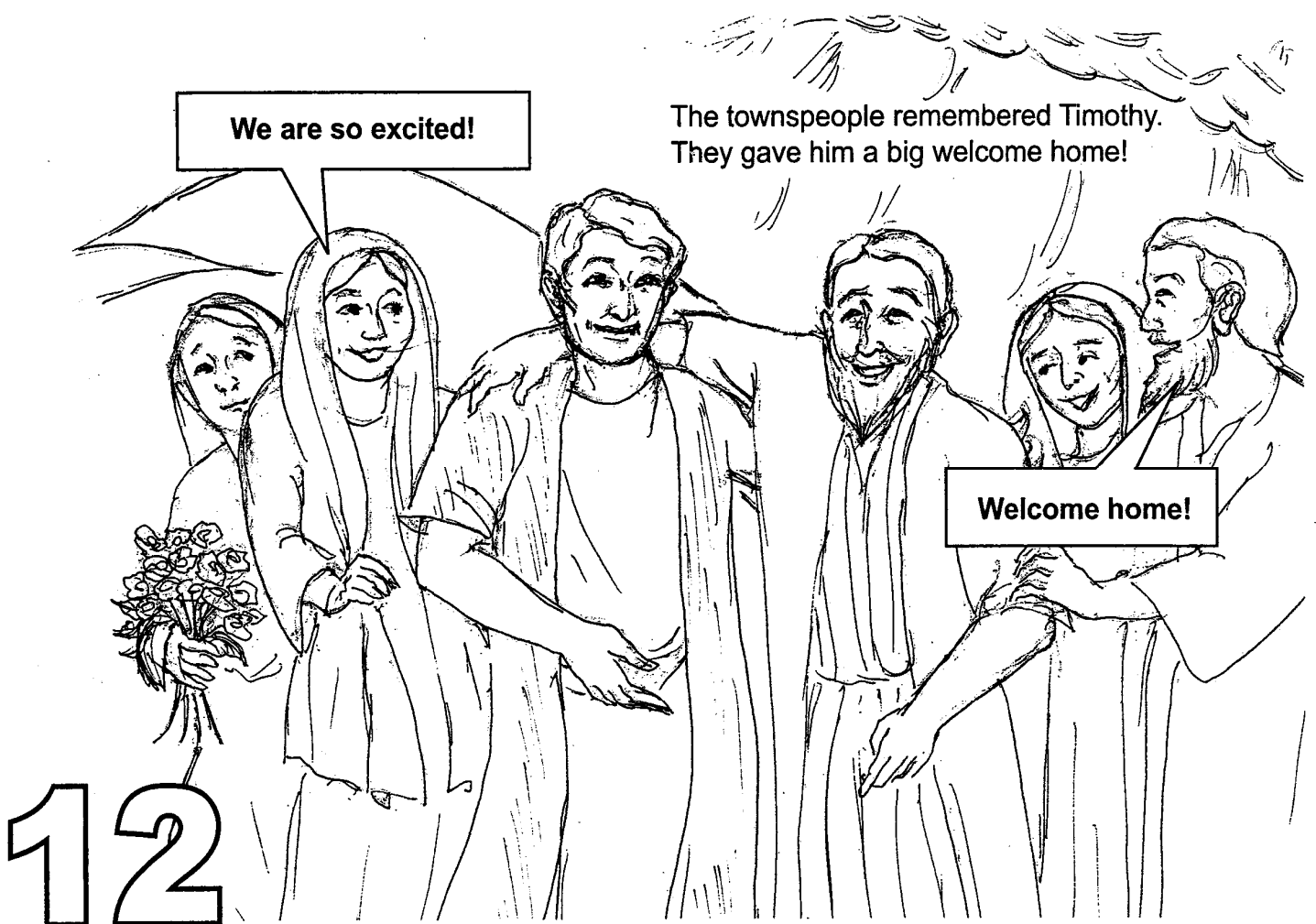
Let's Go!

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.

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



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



Jesus loves you!

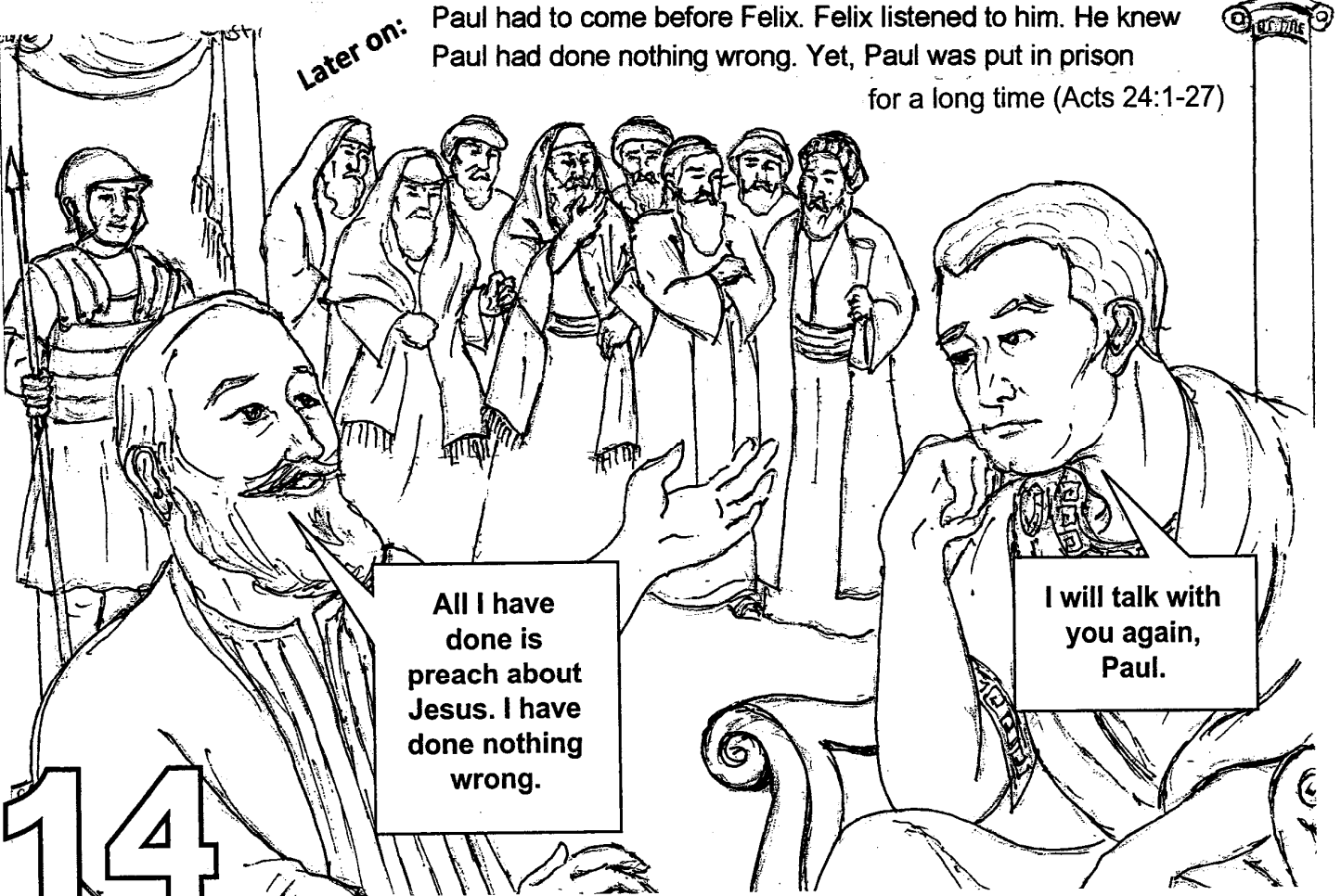
I love you, Lord!

Lord, forgive me from all my sin.

Lord Jesus we believe you are the only way to the Father in heaven.

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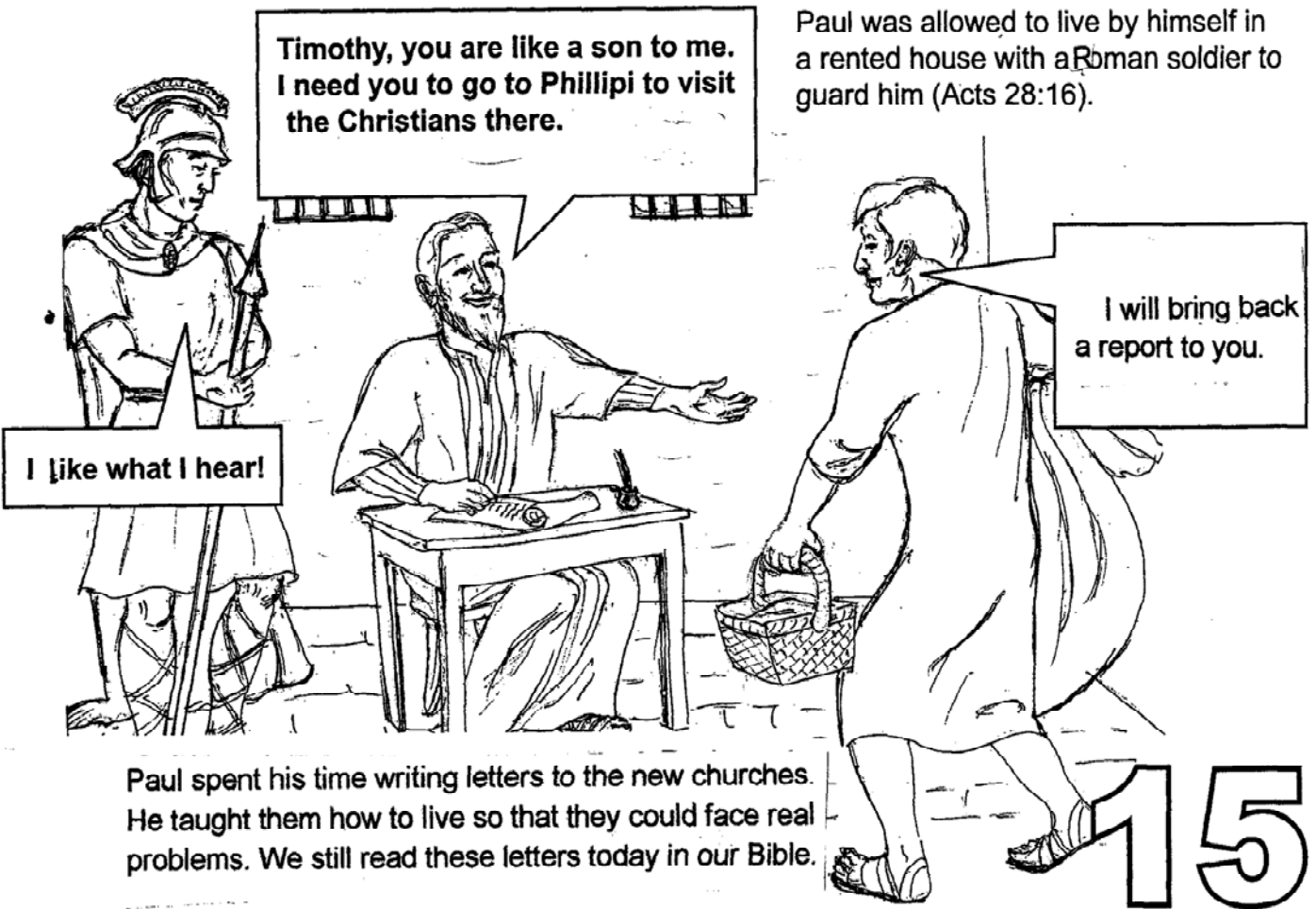
Later on: Paul had to come before Felix. Felix listened to him. He knew Paul had done nothing wrong. Yet, Paul was put in prison for a long time (Acts 24:1-27)



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

I will talk with you again, Paul.

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

