



GROUP ACTIVITY

A New Heaven and New Earth

BIG IDEA: Jesus will return to make all things new.

BIBLE BASIS: Revelation 19-22

KEY VERSE: "I will come back. And I will take you to be with me. Then you will also be where I am." John 14:3 (NirV)

Dough Design

Supplies: Play dough

Say: Today we learned that Jesus is preparing for His followers a place that is going to be absolutely amazing. And the best part is that He wants for *us all* to live there with Him. Sin separates us from God, but Jesus died for our sins, so now when we follow Jesus, we can live with Him forever. Let's do an activity that will help us remember this.

Directions: Give everyone in your group a small handful of play dough. Give them a few minutes to create a sculpture that represents sin to them. After they have created it, ask if anyone would like to share with the group what they created. Once everyone has shared, remind them that Jesus came and died for our sins on the cross. Now have them take their sin sculpture and smash it. Next have them create something they would like to see in the new Heaven and new Earth. Ask if anyone would like to share with the group what they created.

Question: If you could create heaven on your own, what would it be like? What kind of things would be there? What would people do?



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Lesson 10.5



DRAW IT!

Draw a picture of what you think the "New Jerusalem" will look like. Draw a picture of yourself in the city saying, "Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!"



JOURNAL IT!

Write a short story called, "My Day in the New Jerusalem." Write about what you think it would be like to spend a day there. What would you do? What would be your favorite part?



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Revelation 21. Write to God your favorite part of the story. Tell Him why you liked it.



PRAY IT!

Write a prayer thanking God for preparing a special place for you.



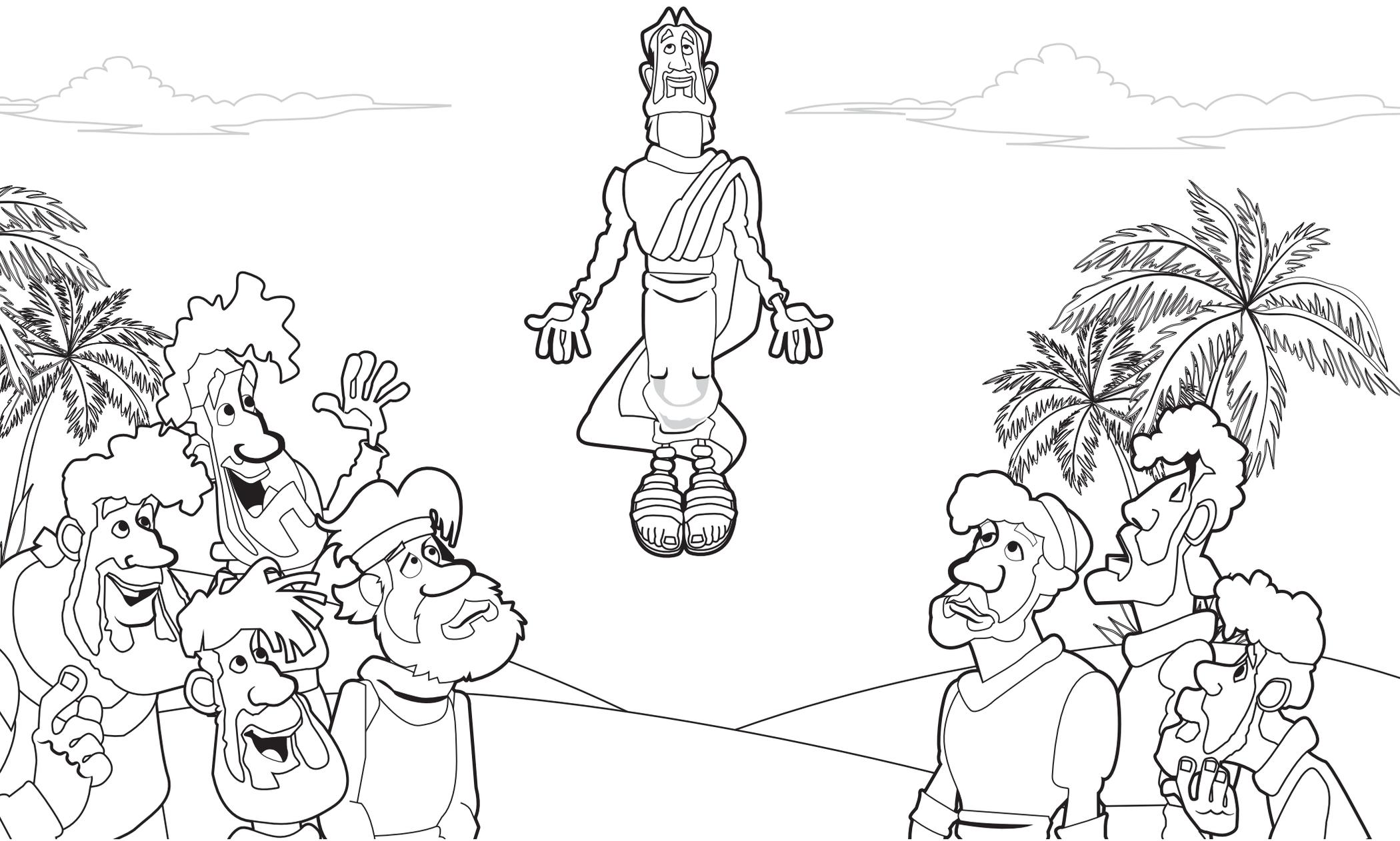
GOD'S STORY IN OUR LIFE

BIG IDEA: God's story of love and redemption continues today in the lives of His children.

BIBLE BASIS: 1 John 3:1-3

KEY VERSE: "Some people did accept him and did believe in his name. He gave them the right to become children of God." John 1:12 (NirV)





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