



GROUP ACTIVITY

Paul's Great Escape

BIG IDEA: The Holy Spirit gives us the power to boldly tell others about the good news of Jesus.

BIBLE BASIS: Acts 9:19–31

KEY VERSE: “But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you. Then you will tell people about me...from one end of the earth to the other.” Acts 1:8 (NIV)

Basket Helper

Supplies: Basket (1), stuffed animal (1), tape (1 roll)

Directions: Place the basket by a wall. On the floor, place a short tape line 6 feet from the basket, then another tape line 2 feet further back, and so on until you have 4 tape lines that get progressively farther from the basket. The farthest line should be very far away and hard for someone to make the toss into the basket. Give the stuffed animal to a kid and have them stand at the line closest to the basket. Have the kid toss the animal into the basket. Once they succeed, have everyone cheer and then have them move back a line and repeat. When they have a hard time making the basking, have them say, “Basket Helper please!” Then have someone stand next to the basket and help guide the stuffed animal into it or pick it up off the ground and put it into the basket. Have everyone cheer loudly.

Say: How was our “Basket Helper” like the Holy Spirit in today’s story? (They helped us.) Just like they helped us make the basket, the Holy Spirit helps us share the good news of Jesus with others.

Question: Have you ever been scared to tell someone about Jesus? Why? What did you do?

Question: Who could you tell about Jesus? What would you tell them?



Home Guide

Lesson 10.2

Name _____

Date _____



Think of someone who doesn't go to church or know about Jesus. Draw a picture of yourself telling that person about Jesus.



Write down the name of someone you would like to tell about Jesus. Write down what you would say to them.



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Acts 9:20-31. Draw a picture of the story or write to God your favorite part of the story. Tell Him why you like it.



PRAY IT!

Ask God to give you the power and courage to tell others the good news about Jesus.



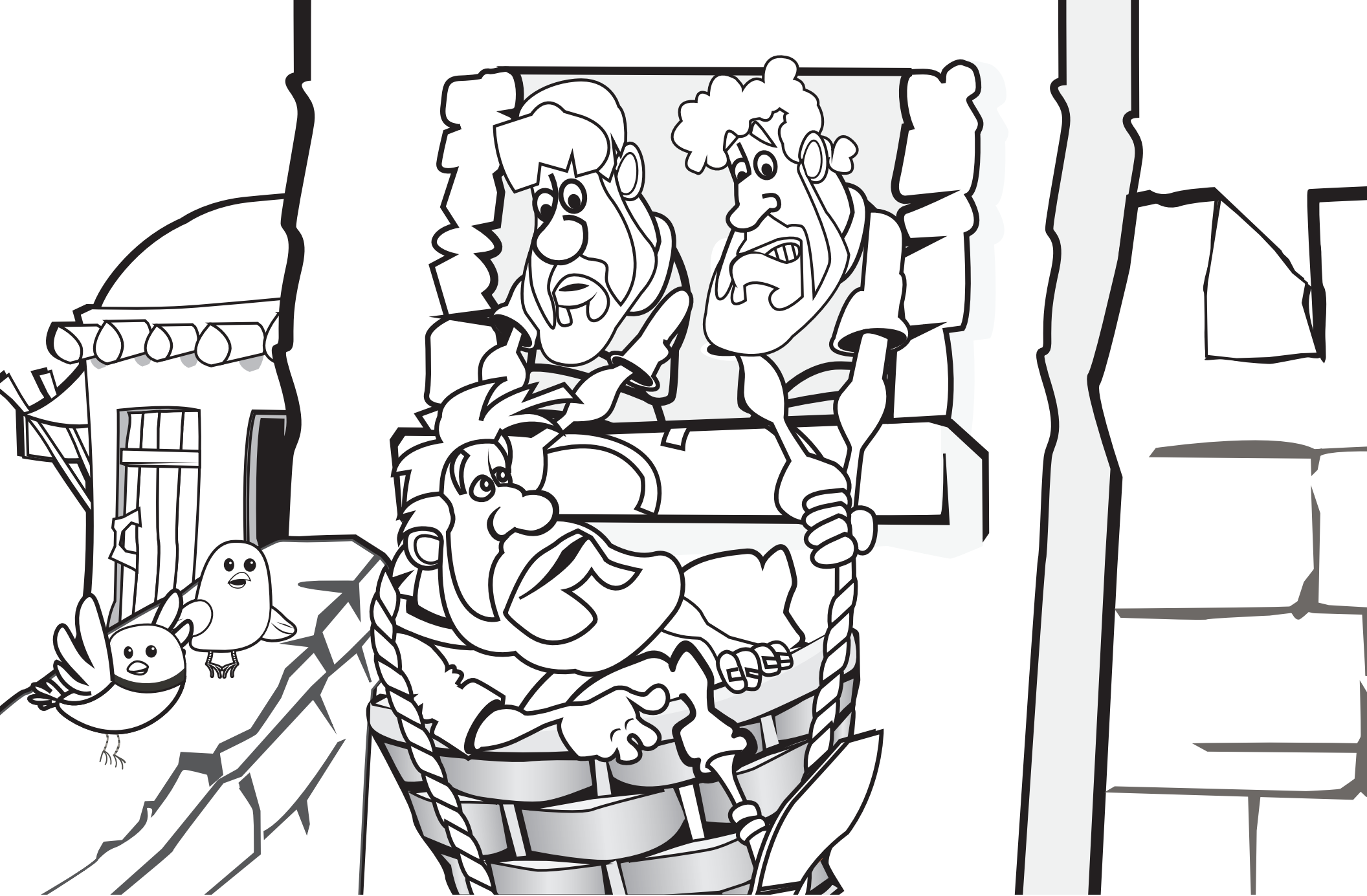
PAUL AND SILAS IN PRISON

BIG IDEA: The good news of Jesus is for all people, so we should always be ready to share why we believe.

BIBLE BASIS: Acts 16:16-40

KEY VERSE: "Always be ready to give an answer to anyone who asks you about the hope you have." 1 Peter 3:15 (NirV)





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