



# HomeGuide

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Lesson 1.2

## draw it!

Draw a picture of God giving Noah the covenant to never flood the earth again. Don't forget the rainbow!



## journal it!

Write a list of all of God's promises that you can think of. You may want to show your list to your parents or your small group leader to make sure that God really promises all of those things!

## This week we learned

God's Covenant with Noah

**BIG IDEA:** God is a promise keeper, so we can trust that His promises will last forever.

**BIBLE BASIS:** Genesis 7:1-9:17

**KEY VERSE:** "The grass dries up. The flowers fall to the ground. But what our God says will stand forever." Isaiah 40:8 (NIV)

DO NOT PEEK!



# read it!

Genesis 8. Write to God what your favorite part of that story was.

Tell Him why you liked it.



# pray it!

Say a prayer to God thanking Him for being a promise keeper.



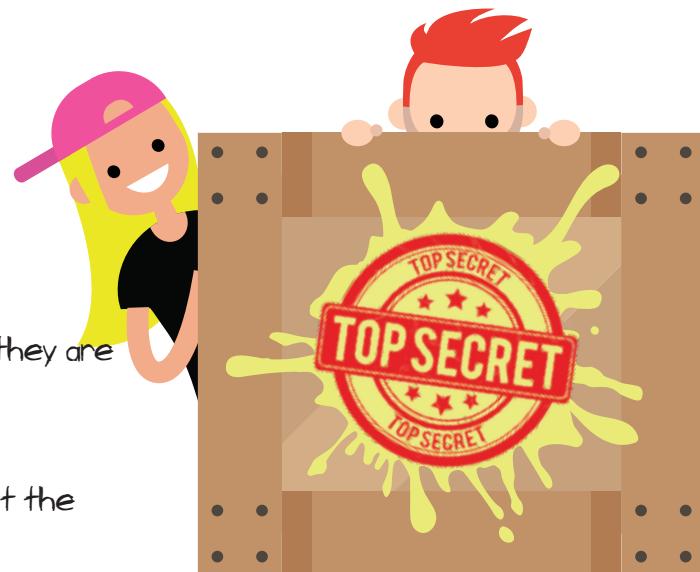
## Next week's lesson

Tower of Babel

**BIG IDEA:** God's plans are unstoppable and I can trust that they are good for my life.

**BIBLE BASIS:** Genesis 11:1-9

**KEY VERSE:** "A person may have many plans in their heart. But the LORD's purpose wins out in the end." Proverbs 19:21 (NIV)





# GROUP ACTIVITY

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### Promise Keeper

**Supplies:** None

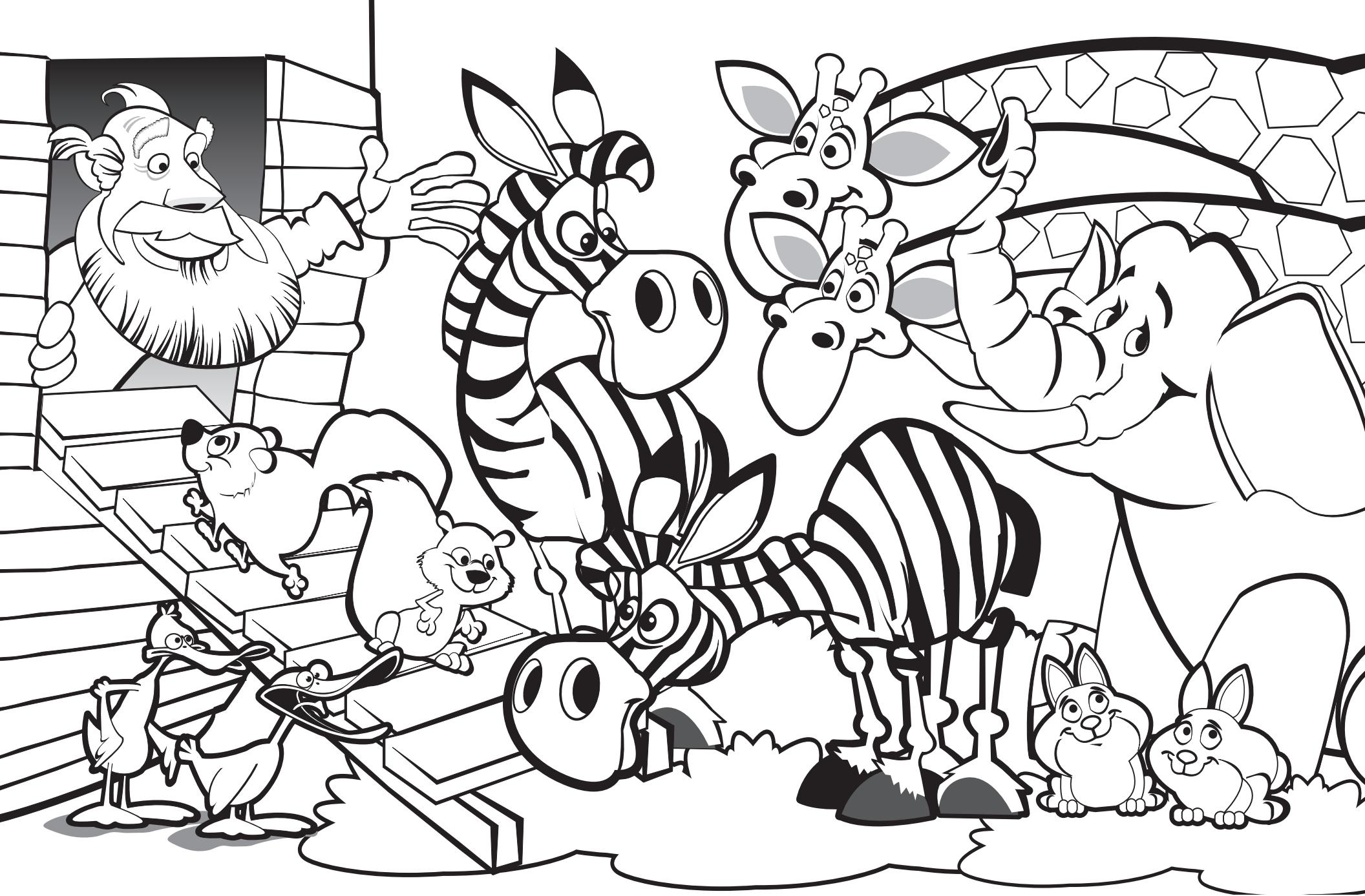
**Say:** In today's story, God made a promise to Noah. What did God promise? (Never to flood the whole Earth again) Do you think that promise is still true today? (Yes!) And we're reminded of that promise every time we see a rainbow in the sky. God is a promise keeper, and His promises last forever.

**Say:** God made promises to Noah and He makes promises to us, too. We can find God's promises to us in the Bible. We're going to play a game right now that will help us learn about some of the promises that God gives us.

**Directions:** Read the sentences below one at a time. Tell the kids that they have to decide if each sentence is a promise from God in the Bible or if it's NOT a promise from God. If they think it's a promise from God, they should stand up, and act like an animal. If they think it's not a promise from God, they should remain seated, cover their mouth, and stay absolutely silent. After each sentence, tell the children the correct answer.

- When you pray to God, He will always hear what you say. PROMISE (Psalm 116:1)
- God will give everyone who loves Him a puppy. NOT A PROMISE
- God will always give you everything you need. PROMISE (Philippians 4:19)
- God will help you when you are sad. PROMISE (Jeremiah 49:13)
- If you are good, God will make it rain candy in your room. NOT A PROMISE
- If someone is mean to you, God will make their nose fall off. NOT A PROMISE
- God will always love you, no matter what you do wrong. PROMISE (Romans 8:39)
- God will give you as many popsicles as there are stars in the sky. NOT A PROMISE
- God will always be with you, no matter where you go. PROMISE (Joshua 1:9)
- If you believe that Jesus has died for you, you will live with Him forever in heaven. PROMISE (Romans 6:23)

**Question:** Which of those true promises from God was your favorite? Why?



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**ISAIAH 40:8**

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