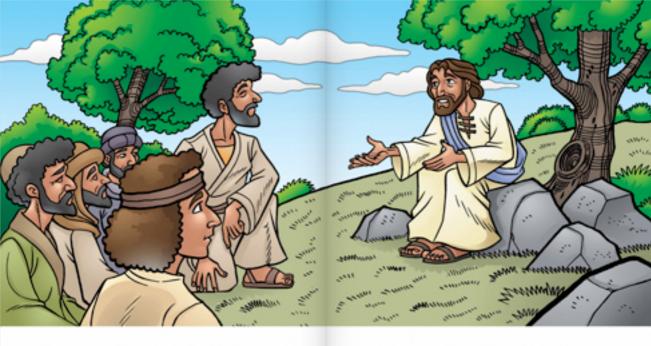






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It was a sad, sad night

and Jesus was talking to his friends.



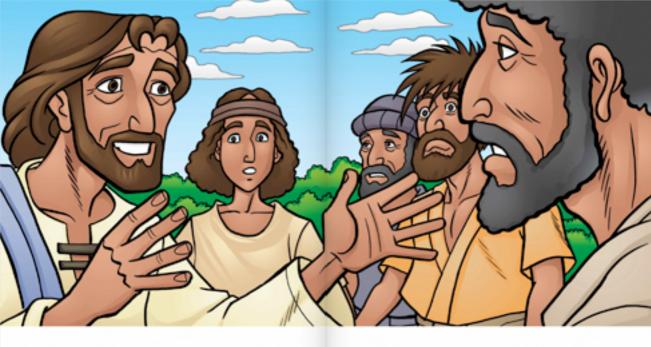
Jesus said, "I love you very much,

but I am going away from you."



"Can we come with you?" they asked.

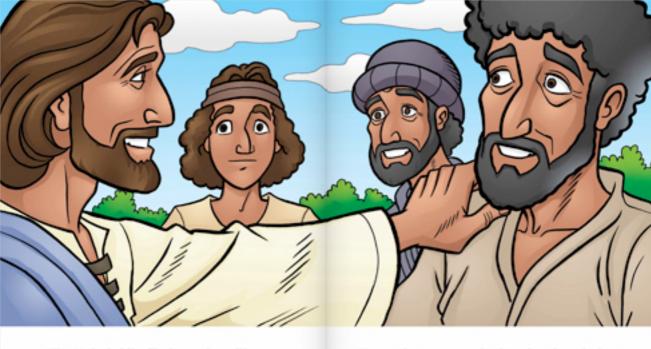
"Where I am going you cannot go," Jesus said. Jesus' friends were very, very sad.



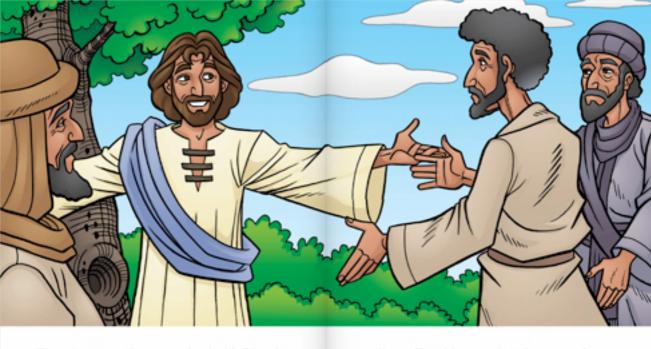
Then Jesus smiled. "I will send you a helper," he said.

"The helper will be the Holy Spirit."

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"The Holy Spirit will always be with you. He will be your friend and comforter." "Even when you are hurt and sad my helper will be with you!"



Then Jesus made a promise to his friends. "I will come again," Jesus said. "You will not know when I am coming, but I will come again.



I will come to take you home with me."

"We will be together forever," said Jesus.
"Wait for me! Watch for me!"



"For I will come again!"