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JESUS  
STILLS THE  
STORMY  
SEA



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Jesus and His disciples were in a boat when a huge storm arose. It whipped the Sea of Galilee into a fury.





This kind  
of storm  
could cause  
shipwreck  
and drowning.



The storm terrified the disciples.  
Waves covered the boat, filling  
it with  
water.



But Jesus was sound asleep on a pillow, asleep in the storm.



The disciples woke Jesus, crying,  
"Master, Master, we are perishing!"



"Why are you fearful, O you of little faith?" Jesus asked His disciples.

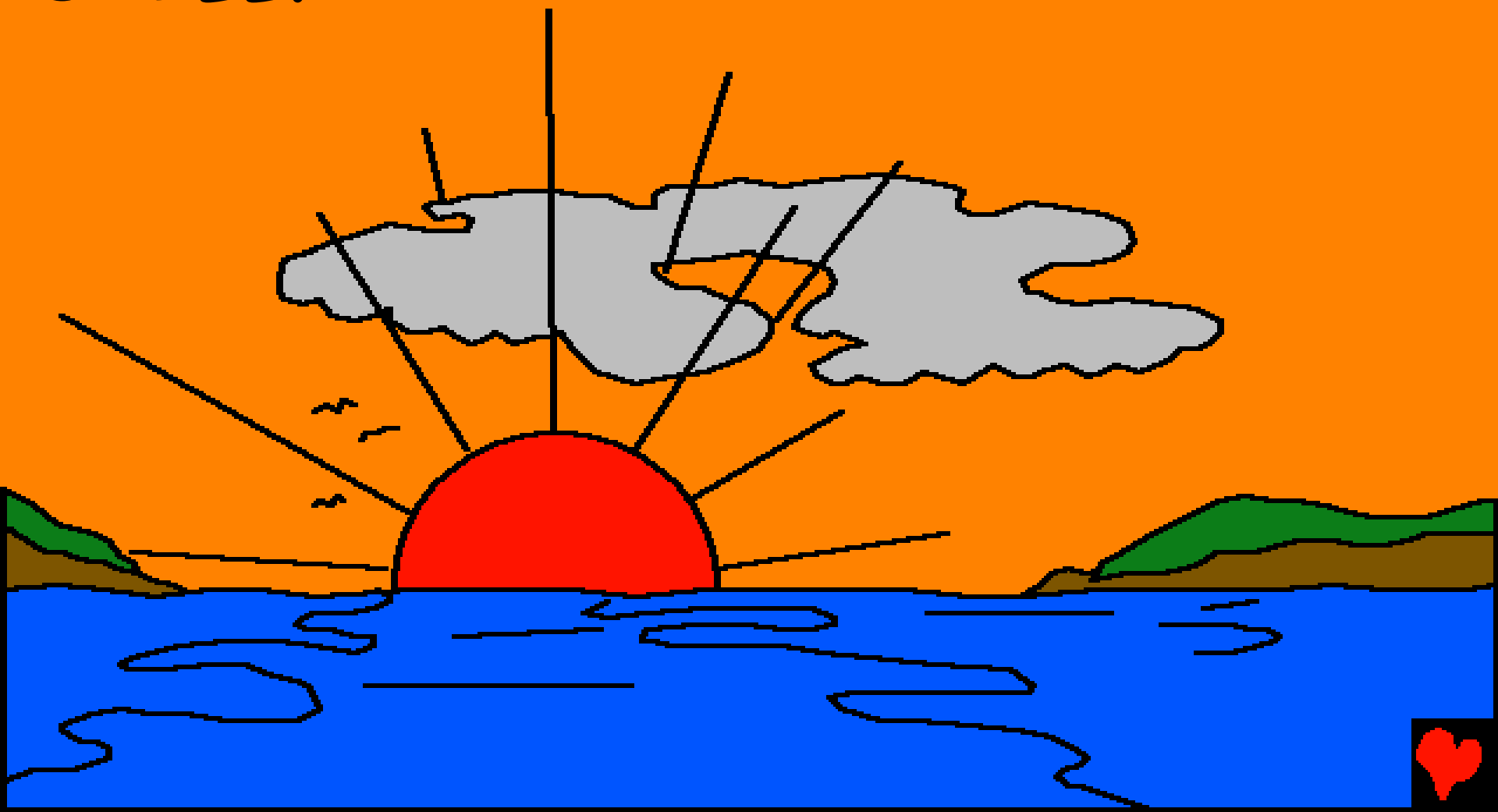




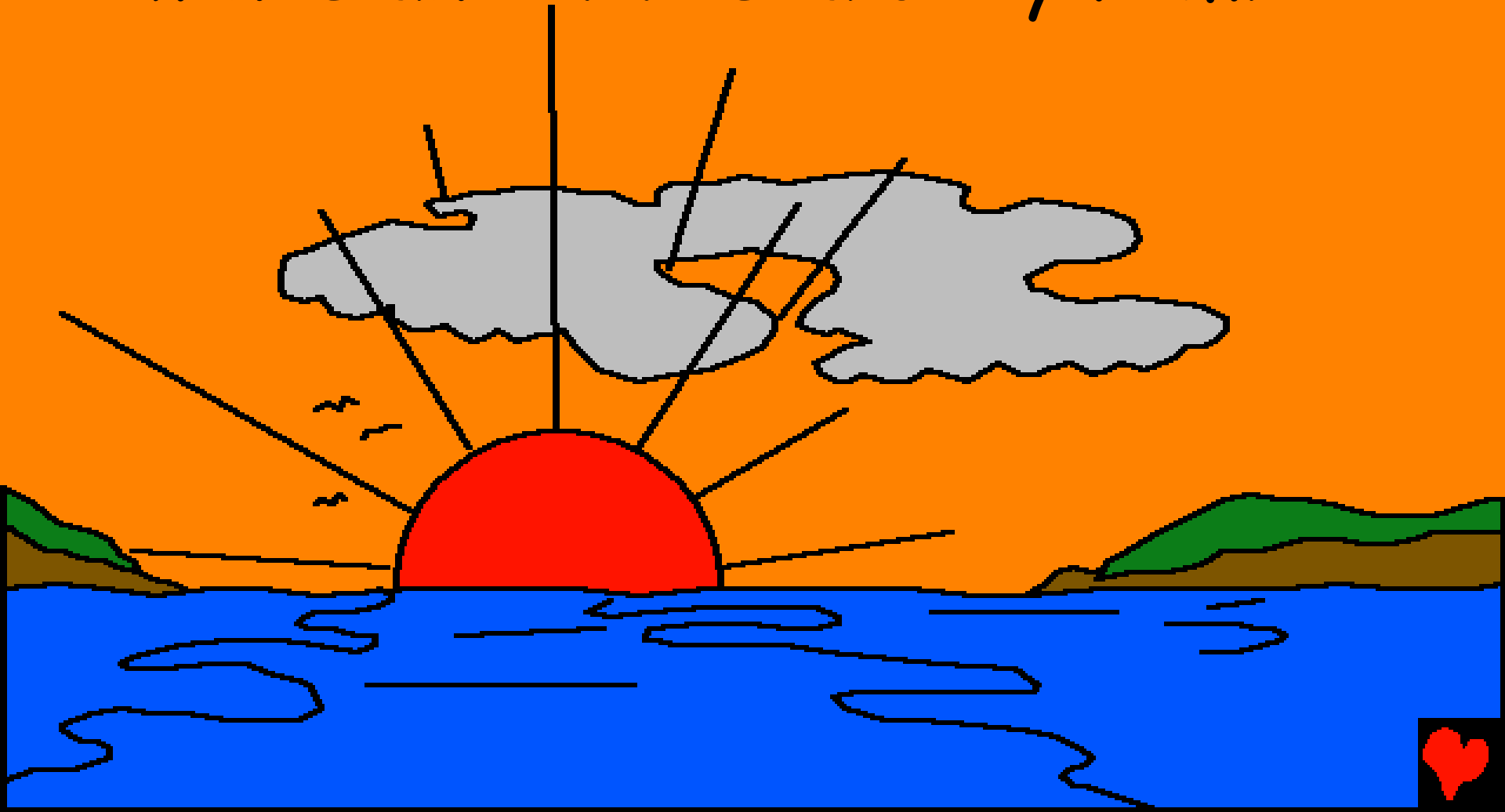
Then Jesus commanded the wind to  
stop blowing . . . And . . . Jesus  
commanded the crashing waves to  
lie down and be still . . .



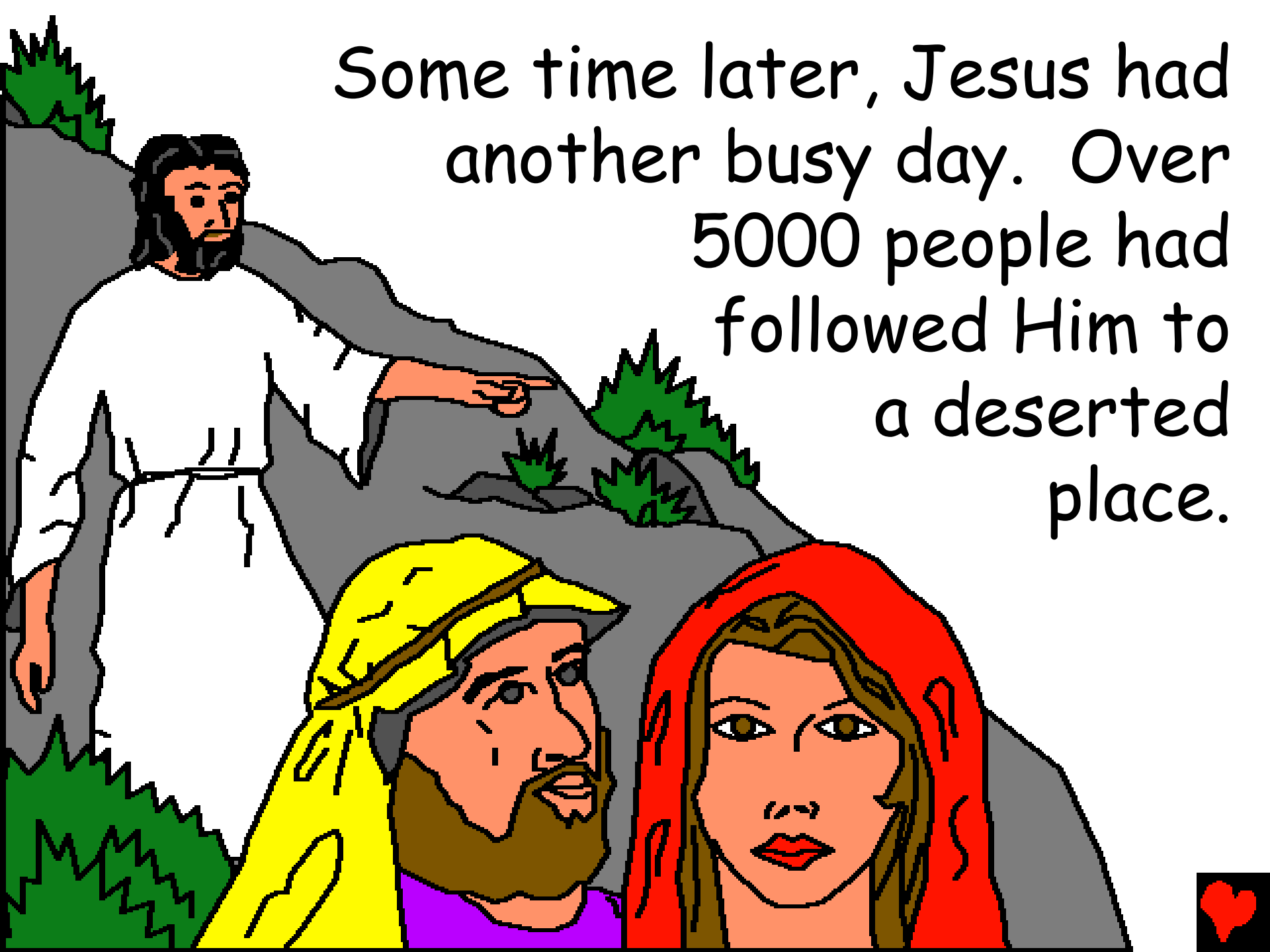
AND THE WIND CALMED ... THE  
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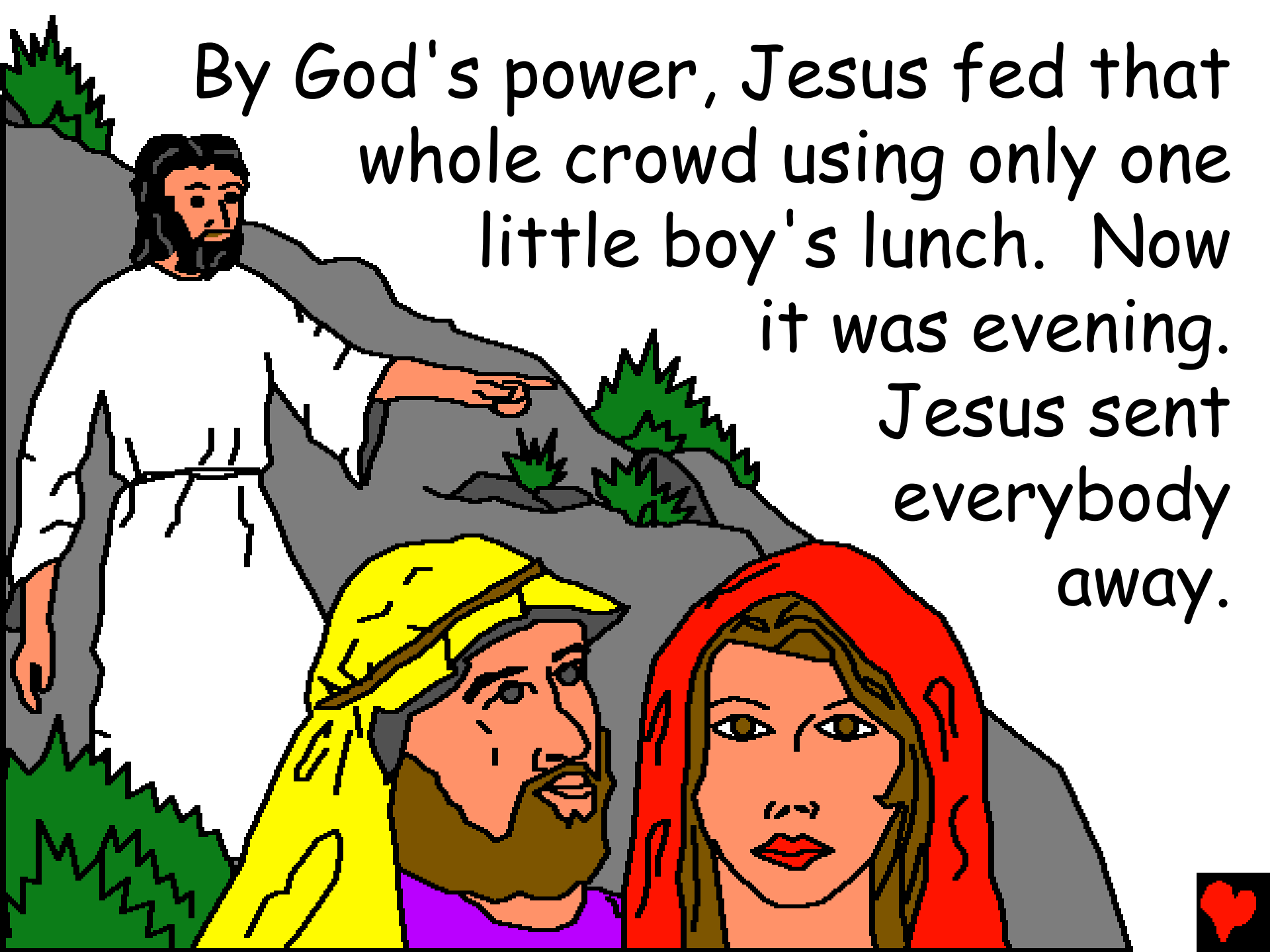
The disciples marveled, saying,  
"Who can this be, that even the  
winds and the sea obey Him!"



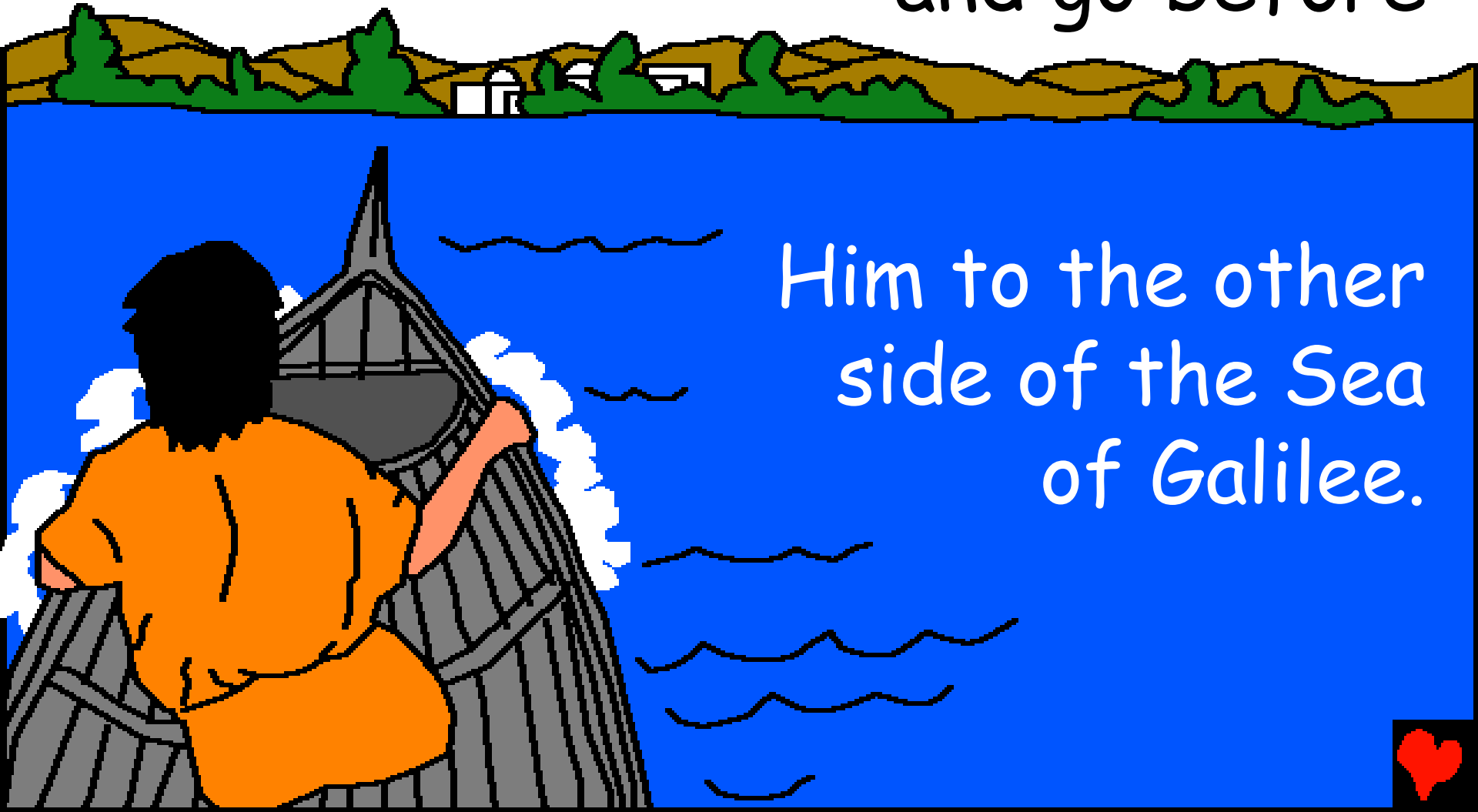
Some time later, Jesus had another busy day. Over 5000 people had followed Him to a deserted place.



By God's power, Jesus fed that whole crowd using only one little boy's lunch. Now it was evening. Jesus sent everybody away.



Even the disciples had to leave.  
Jesus made them get into the boat  
and go before



Him to the other  
side of the Sea  
of Galilee.





When He  
had sent  
everybody  
away,  
Jesus  
went  
up on a  
mountain  
by Himself  
to pray.





When evening had come, He was alone there.







Out  
on the  
lake, the  
disciples  
were  
caught  
in a  
windstorm.





The storm  
stopped them  
from getting  
across the  
water,  
even  
though  
they rowed  
for hours.





The disciples  
didn't know it,  
but they were  
in for a big  
surprise!





Somewhere  
between three  
and six o'clock  
in the morning,  
in the middle  
of the wind-  
tossed sea, ...





... the disciples saw something which filled them with fear. "It's a ghost!" they cried.





But it was  
Jesus, their  
Lord and  
Master,  
coming  
toward them,  
**WALKING ON  
THE WATER.**



"Be of good cheer!" Jesus called to them. "It is I; do not be afraid." Peter answered, "Lord, if it is You, command me to come to You on the water."



So Jesus said,  
"Come." Bravely,  
Peter stepped  
out of the boat  
onto the water,  
and walked  
toward Jesus.



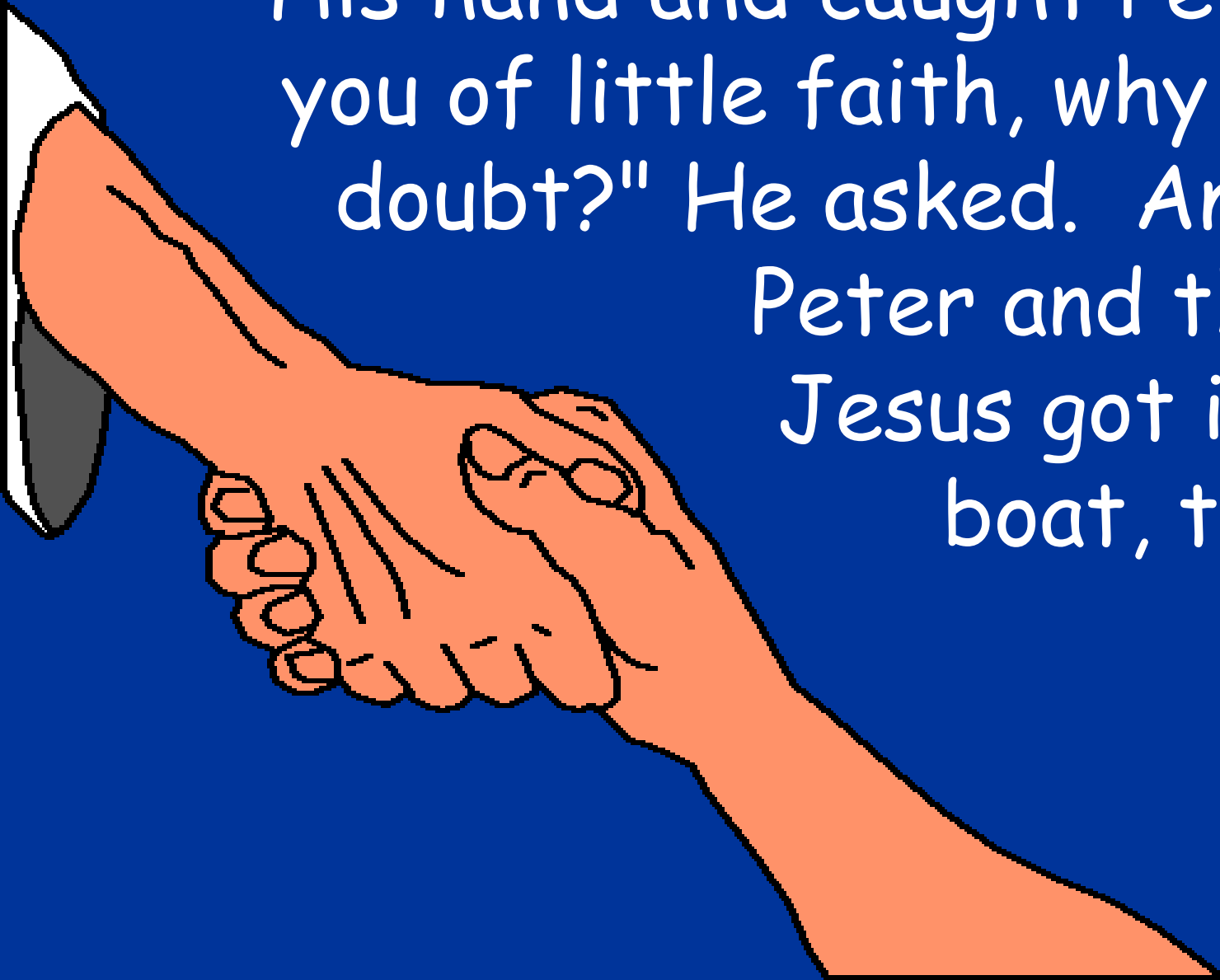




But when he saw the wind swirling, Peter was afraid, and began to sink. He cried, "Lord, save me!"



Immediately, Jesus stretched out His hand and caught Peter. "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" He asked. And when Peter and the Lord Jesus got into the boat, the wind ceased.



Then those who were in the boat came and worshiped Jesus, saying, "Truly You are the Son of God."



# Jesus Stills the Stormy Sea

A story from God's Word, the Bible,

is found in

Matthew 8 and 14; Mark 4; Luke 8

"The entrance of Your Words gives light."  
Psalm 119:130



The End



This Bible story tells us about our wonderful God who made us and who wants us to know Him.

God knows we have done bad things, which He calls sin. The punishment for sin is death, but God loves us so much He sent His Son, Jesus, to die on a Cross and be punished for our sins. Then Jesus came back to life and went home to Heaven! If you believe in Jesus and ask Him to forgive your sins, He will do it! He will come and live in you now, and you will live with Him forever.



If you want to turn from your sins,  
say this to God:

Dear God, I believe that Jesus died for me  
and now lives again. Please come into my  
life and forgive my sins, so that I can have  
new life now, and one day go to be with You  
forever. Help me to live for You as Your  
child. Amen.

Read the Bible and talk with God every  
day! John 3:16

