

English for Life

Meet Jesus

Ten Bible-based English lessons

Volume 2 High Beginner

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Lesson 11

PART 1 (APPROX 1 HOUR):

Asking for help

PART 2 (APPROX 1/2 HOUR):

**Jesus heals an officer's servant
Luke 7:1–10**

 **Prepare lesson**

Part 1. Asking for help

Print resources

- RESOURCE 11.1.1 – Matching images**
Print one copy and cut up.
- RESOURCE 11.1.2 – Matching words**
Print one copy and cut up.
- RESOURCE 11.2 – Problems worksheet**
Print one copy per student.
- RESOURCE 11.3 – People who help worksheet**
Print one copy per student.

Part 2. Jesus heals an officer's servant

Read scripture

- Luke 7:1–10 in Nlrv Bible
(or another easy-to-read translation)

Print resources (on the next page)

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- Heart language Bible text**
Print one text per student in relevant languages from bible.com or biblegateway.com
- RESOURCE 11.4 – Large sketches**
Print one set of A4 sketches to display.
- RESOURCE 11.5 – Large sentences**
Print one set of A4 sentences to display.
- RESOURCE 11.6 – Small sketches**
Print one copy per pair and cut up.
- RESOURCE 11.7 – Small sentence strips**
Print one copy per pair and cut up.
- RESOURCE 11.8 – Gap-fill worksheet**
Print one copy per student.

Select Variations to activities

(see pages 4–5)

Part 1. Asking for help

Activate knowledge

Write *I need help* on the board.

Display **RESOURCE 11.1.1 – Matching images** on a table.

Say 'I'm sick.'

Invite a student to find the image of the sick person on the table.

Say 'I can't swim.'

Invite a student to find the image of the drowning person on the table.

Repeat for the following statements:

- The tap's broken.
- The house is on fire.
- My dog's sick.
- My hair's long.
- The floor's wet.
- There's a problem with the electricity.
- I crashed my car.
- I can't do my homework.

Focus on language

Activity 1: What is the problem?

Distribute a copy of **RESOURCE 11.2 – Problems worksheet** to each student.

Invite students to work together to complete the worksheet.

Check answers together.

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Matching images**

Print one copy and
cut up.

**RESOURCE 11.2 –
Problems worksheet**

Print one copy per
student.

**RESOURCE 11.1.2 –
Matching words**

Print one copy and
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Activity 2: Who can help?

Write *Who can help?* on the board.

Display images from **RESOURCE 11.1.1 – Matching images** on the table again.

Display cards with the words from **RESOURCE 11.1.2 – Matching words** on a different table.

Say 'I'm sick; who can help?'

Invite a volunteer to locate the 'doctor' word card and match it with the correct image on the table.

Write *A doctor can help.* on the board.

Say 'I'm drowning; who can help?'

Invite a volunteer to locate the 'lifeguard' word card and match it with the correct image on the table.

Activity 3: Solving problems

Distribute a copy of **RESOURCE 11.3 – People who help worksheet** to each student.

Invite students to work together to complete the worksheet.

Check answers together.

Activity 4: Speaking practice

Write the following on the board:

- Student A: _____, who can help?
- Student B: Ask the _____ for help.

**RESOURCE 11.3 –
People who help
worksheet**

Print one copy per
student.

Model the following question and answer with a confident volunteer or helper:

- Student A: I'm sick, who can help?
- Student B: Ask the doctor for help.

Divide students into pairs.

Nominate Student A and Student B in each pair.

Invite Student A to look at **RESOURCE 11.2 – Problems worksheet** and practise stating each of the problems (as in the example on the board).

Invite Student B to answer (as in the example on the board) without looking at the worksheet if possible.

Swap student roles and repeat.

Part 2 – Jesus heals an officer's servant

Luke 7:1–10

Read for gist

Hold up a hard copy of the Bible.

Say 'In the Bible story, a man asks Jesus to help.'

Distribute copies of Luke 7:1–10 in your students' heart languages and allow time for students to read silently for context, then ask them to put the text away for the rest of the lesson.

Read for detail

Display **RESOURCE 11.4 – Large sketches** in order.

Read the sentences below slowly, pointing to the corresponding sketches as you read.

Sentences:

1. An officer had a servant.
2. The servant was dying.
3. The officer heard about Jesus.
4. The officer asked Jesus for help.
5. The officer didn't want Jesus to enter his house.
6. The officer asked Jesus to heal his servant.
7. The servant was healed.

Re-read the sentences, placing the correct sentence from **RESOURCE 11.5 – Large sentences** near each sketch as you go.

Read the sentences again and invite students to point to the corresponding sketches as you read.

RESOURCE 11.4 – Large sketches
Print one set of A4 sketches to display.

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 **Reinforce the language**

Divide students into pairs.

Distribute **RESOURCE 11.6 – Small sketches** to pairs.

Invite pairs to sequence the sketches in the correct order.

Distribute **RESOURCE 11.7 – Small sentence strips** to pairs.

Invite pairs to match the sentence strips to the corresponding sketches. (More advanced students can sequence the sentence strips without looking at the sketches.)

Invite students to retell the story to their partners.

Invite confident students to retell the story to the whole class using only the sketches.

Reinforce the text using some of the six **Variations to activities** on pages 4–5.

Distribute **RESOURCE 11.8 – Gap-fill worksheet** to each student.

Encourage students to work together to complete the worksheet.

Check answers together by reading slowly through the worksheet and writing the missing words on the board.

**RESOURCE 11.6 –
Small sketches**

Print one copy per pair
and cut up.

**RESOURCE 11.7 –
Small sentence strips**

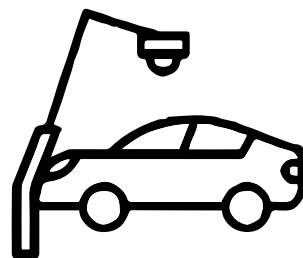
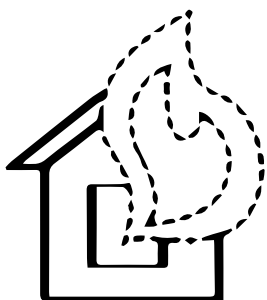
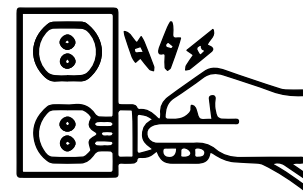
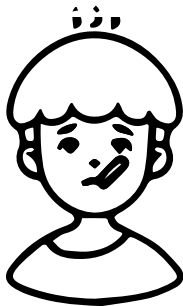
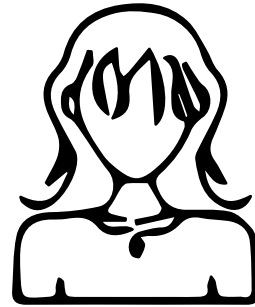
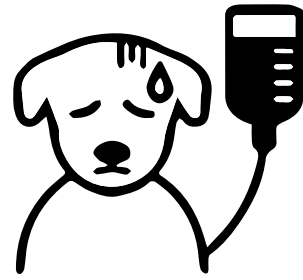
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**RESOURCE 11.8 –
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11.1.1 RESOURCE – Matching images

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lifeguard

hairstylist

plumber

cleaner

doctor

electrician

firefighter

police
officer

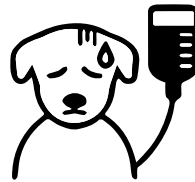
11.2 RESOURCE – Problems worksheet

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Write the description of the problem from the box on the line near the matching image.

The floor's wet.	I feel sick.	The tap's broken.
I can't do my homework.	My dog's sick.	There's a problem with the electricity.
The house is on fire.	I crashed my car.	
I can't swim.	My hair's long.	





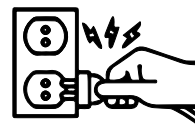


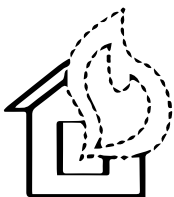


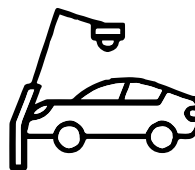












11.3 RESOURCE – People who help worksheet

Write the name of the person to ask for help on the lines below.

teacher	vet	electrician
lifeguard	hairdresser	police officer
doctor	cleaner	plumber
firefighter		

1. I can't do my homework.

2. I can't swim.

3. The tap's broken.

4. I feel sick.

5. The house is on fire.

6. My dog's sick.

7. My hair's long.

8. The floor's wet.

9. There's a problem with the electricity.

10. I crashed my car.

Extension:

1. The maths is difficult.

2. I'm drowning.

3. The toilet's blocked.

4. I have a fever.

5. There are flames coming out of the window.

6. My dog won't eat his food.

7. My hair's in my eyes.

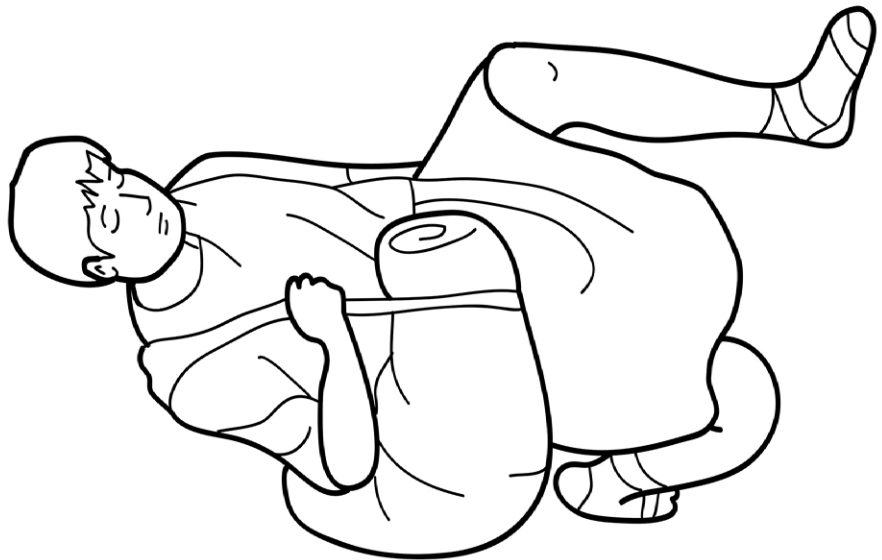
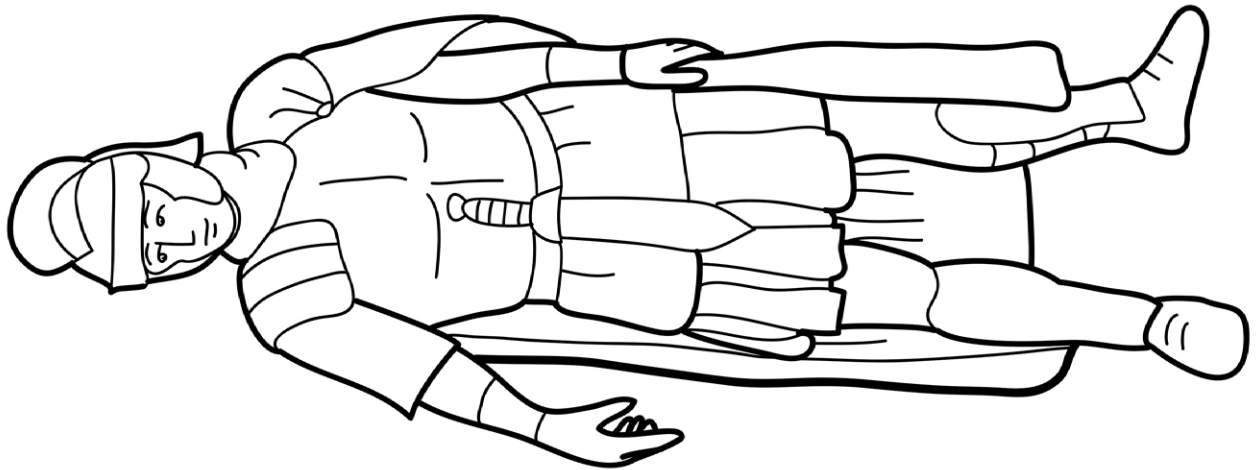
8. The building is in a mess.

9. The power's out.

10. My handbag was stolen.

11.4 RESOURCE – Large sketches

Lesson 11: Part 2. Jesus heals an officer's servant – Luke 7:1-10
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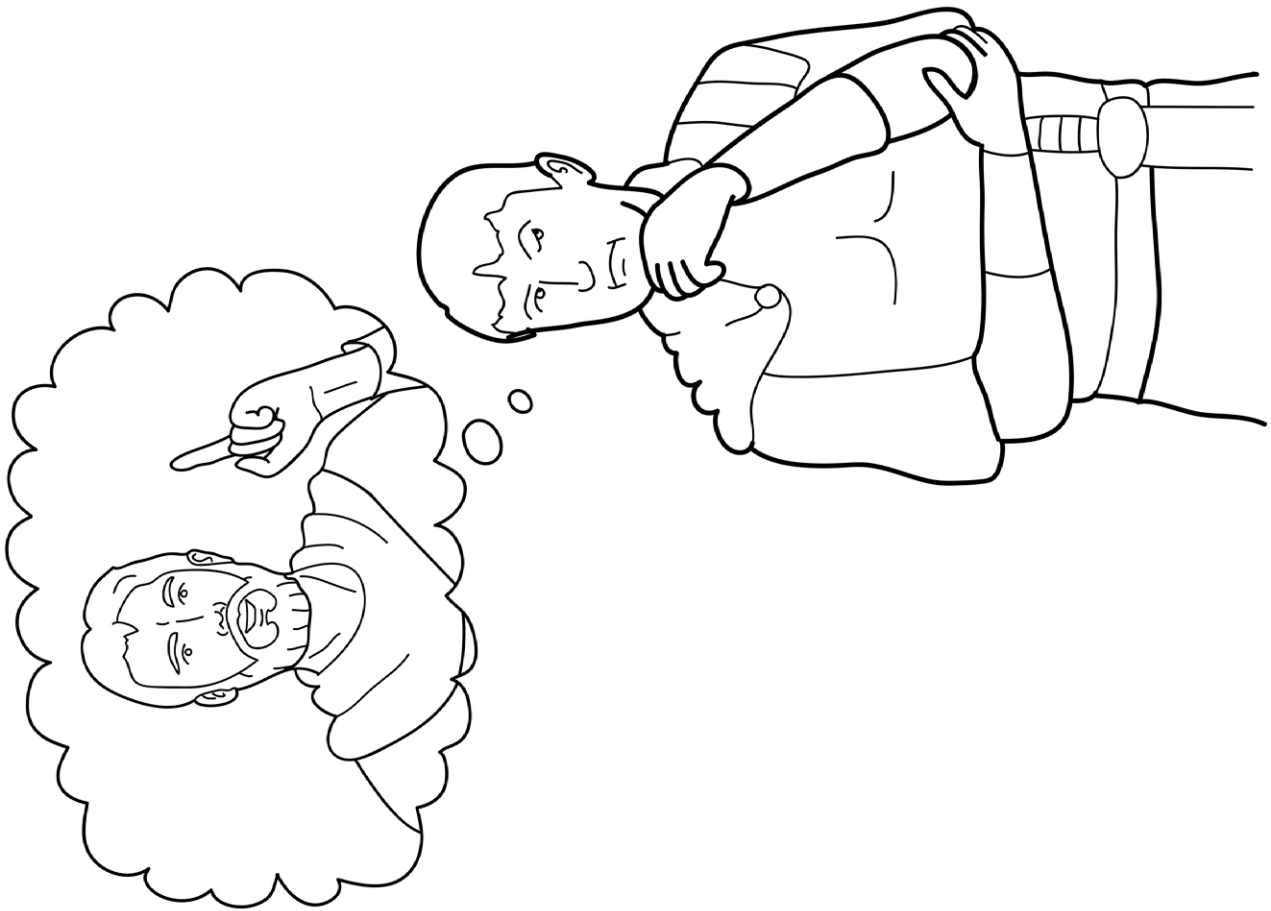
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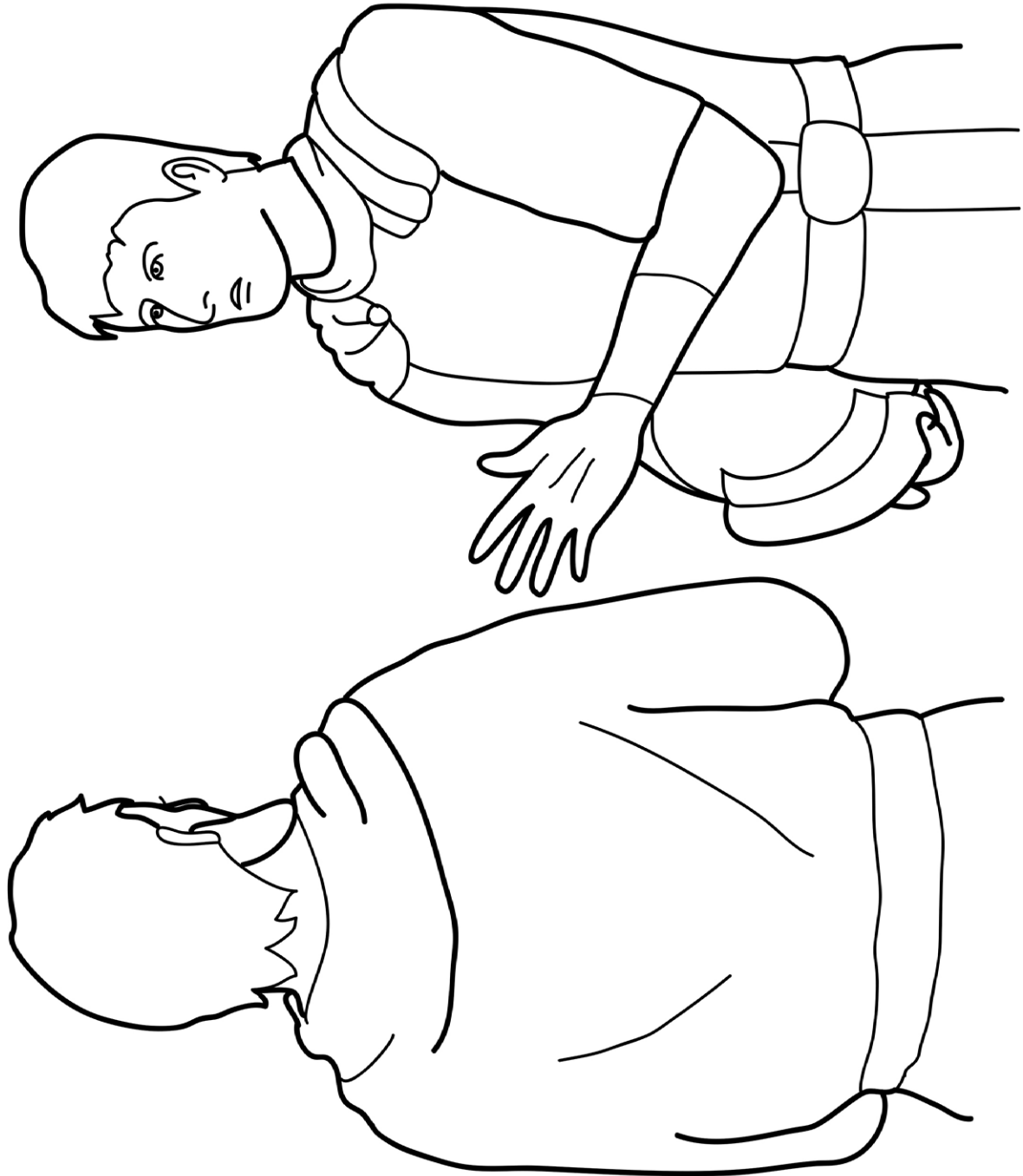
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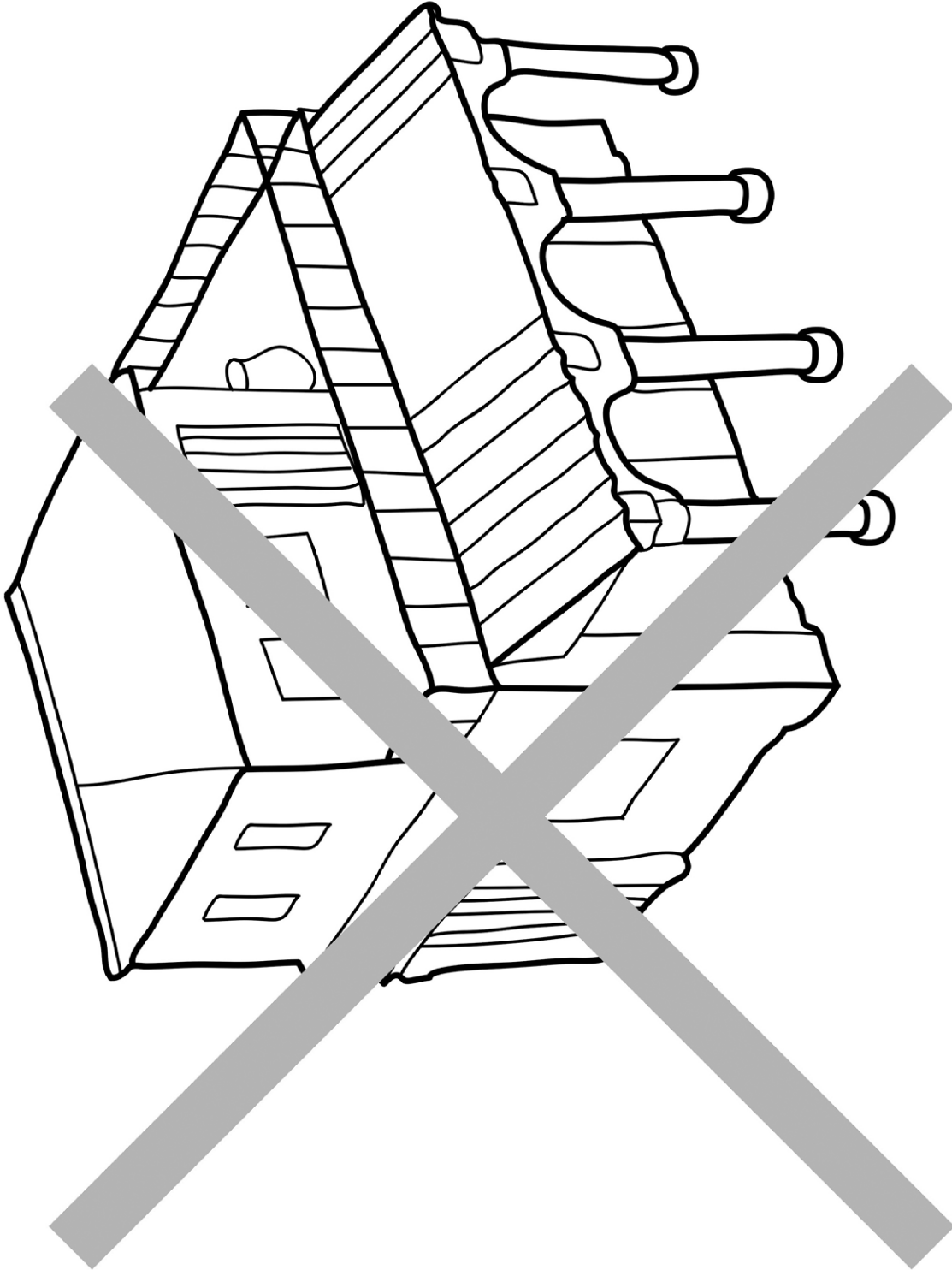
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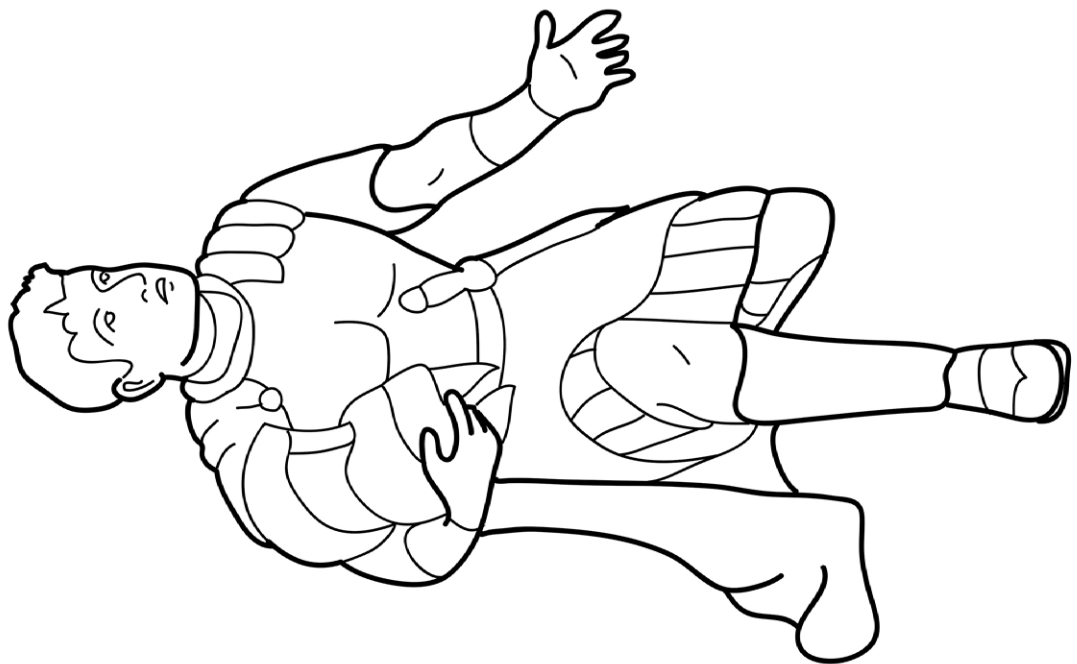
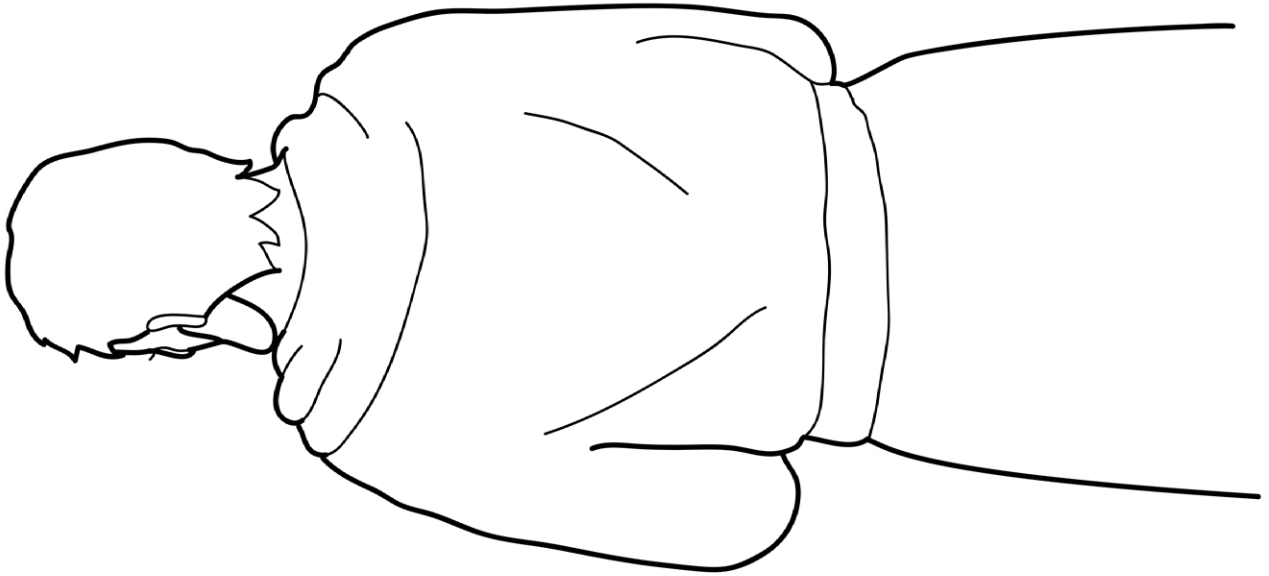
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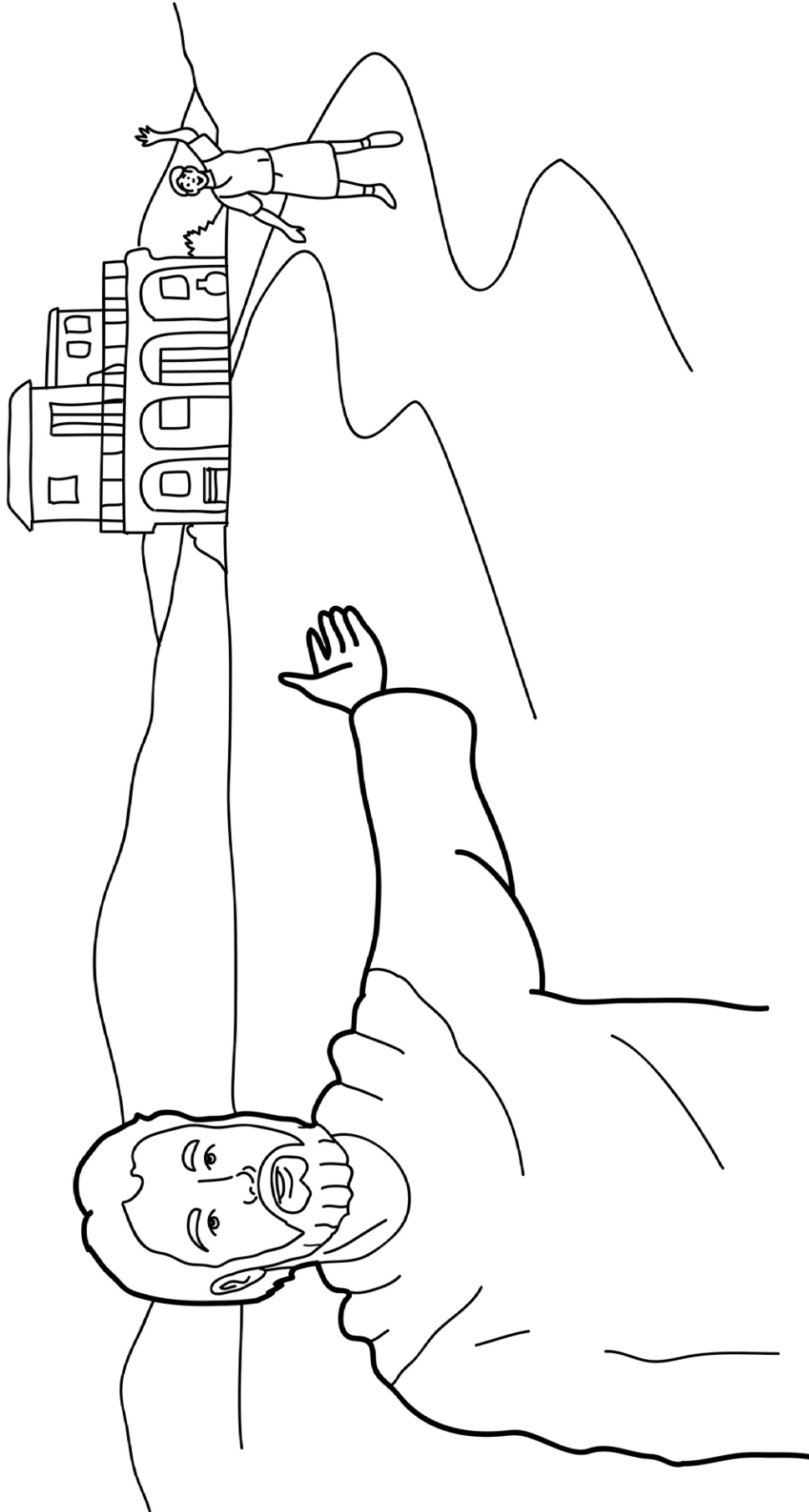
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11.6 RESOURCE – Small sketches

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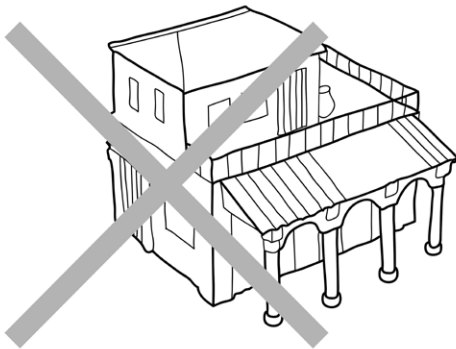
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11.7 RESOURCE – Small sentence strips



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11.8 RESOURCE – Gap-fill worksheet

Fill in the missing words.

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