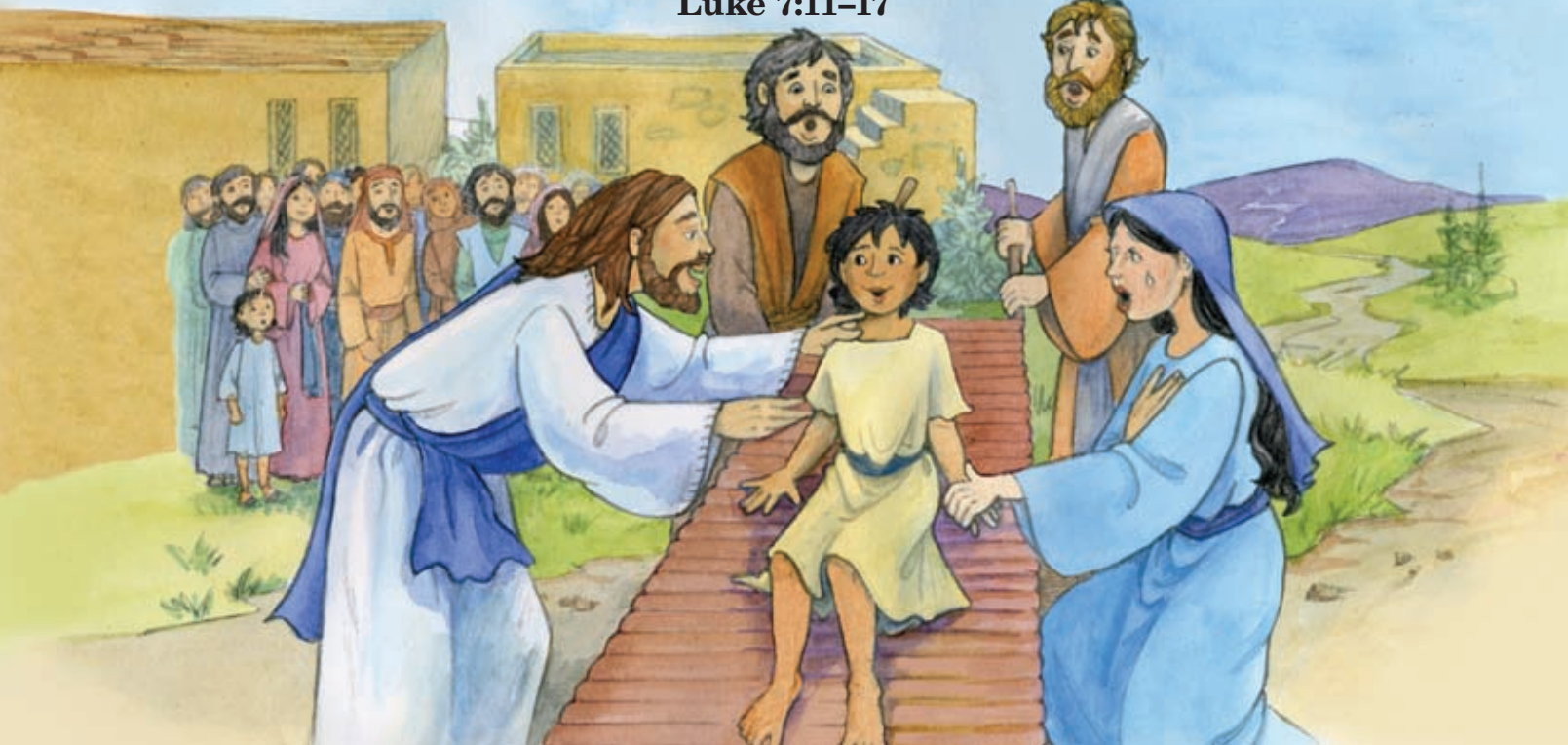


Jesus Brings a Widow's Son to Life

Luke 7:11-17



Jesus went to a town called **Nain**. His disciples and a big crowd of people came with Him. They wanted to know more about Jesus and learn from Him.

As they entered the town, a **boy who had died** was being carried out. The boy's mother was there, weeping. The boy was her only child, and she was a **widow**. Lots of people from the town were with her. Everyone was crying and filled with sadness.

When Jesus saw the mother, his heart went out to her. He wanted to help her. Jesus said, "Don't **cry**."

He went over and touched the coffin. The people carrying it stood still. They were probably wondering what Jesus was going to do.

Jesus said, "Young man, I tell you: **Get up!**" The boy sat up and began talking. Jesus helped him get up and walk back to his mother.

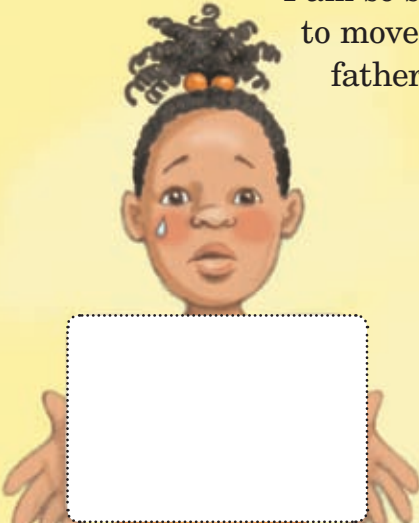
His mother was filled with joy! She was so happy that her only son was alive again. All of the people were excited too. They thanked God and were amazed at what happened.

The people knew Jesus was no ordinary person. They said, "A great **prophet** is with us." Then they said, "**God** has come to help His people." They praised Jesus and told their friends and family about Him. The news of Jesus' miracle spread through the country.


Jesus' Gift of Life

Directions: Listen to your teacher read the story. Decide which Bible verse would help each person understand Jesus' victory over death. Place a gift-shaped sticker in each person's hands.

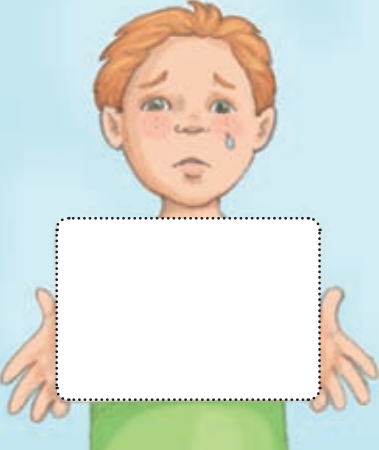
I am so sad. We have to move because my father lost his job.



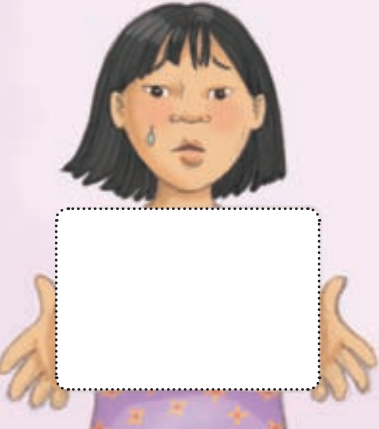
I am so sad. My dog, Axel, was run over by a car.



I am so sad. My grandmother died.



I am so sad. A hurricane ruined our town.



Bible Words to Remember

I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in Me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die. John 11:25-26

