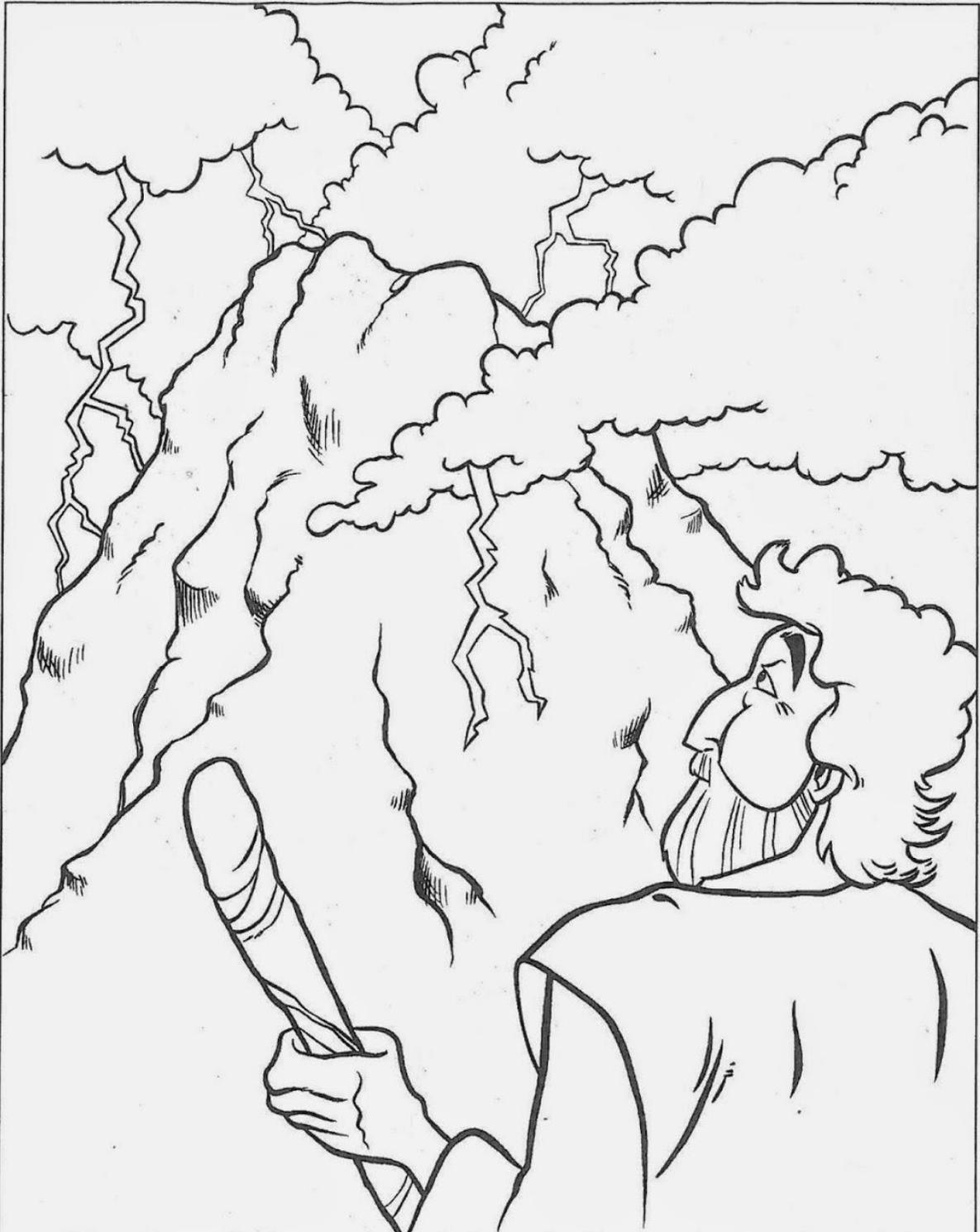


Carried on Wings of Love

Lesson 7 - Exodus 19

Lesson Aim	To help kids recognize that throughout their lives, God has lovingly brought us to Him.
Memory Verse	Galatians 19:5a - "Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples... "
This week's story	Exodus 19 - On Eagles' Wings (vv. 3-6)
Main takeaways	<p>Although God is the maker of the moon and stars (the whole universe!), He chose a special people at a special time and brought them to Him - just like a mother eagle would carry her chicks. God carries us to be with Him too!</p> <p>The Israelites had been in the desert for a couple months when they came to Mt. Sinai. God led them as a pillar of cloud by day and as a pillar of fire by night. They knew he was always there watching over them.</p> <p>Mt. Sinai is where God spoke to Moses through the burning bush. The Bible tells us God was there and that the mountain would shake and you could see fire. It might have been kind of scary.</p> <p>Only Moses could go up the mountain to see God. He had an encouraging message for the Israelites (Ex. 19:3-6), like a love note from a caring, wonderful father. His message let the Israelites know that of all the people in the world, He'd chosen them to be holy and special!</p>
Potential questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• What stands out to you in that message from God?• Why do you think an awesome, powerful God sent such a beautiful, loving message to His people and to us?

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you were there in the desert and saw Moses go up the mountain to listen to God and heard him come down with this message, what would you think?
Suggested Activity (Toddlers/Preschool)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handprint Eagle Craft - click here for instructions • Coloring Page - Mt. Sinai (<i>see attached</i>)
Suggested Activity (K-2nd grades)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handprint Eagle Craft - click here for instructions • Coloring Page - Mt. Sinai (<i>see attached</i>)
Suggested Activity (3rd-5th grades)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Really Cool Letter From God" (<i>see attached PDF</i>)



“Now Mount Sinai was completely in smoke, because the LORD descended upon it in fire. Its smoke ascended like the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mountain quaked greatly” (Exodus 19:18).