

# LETTERS FOR SOME CHURCHES

## REVELATION 1-3

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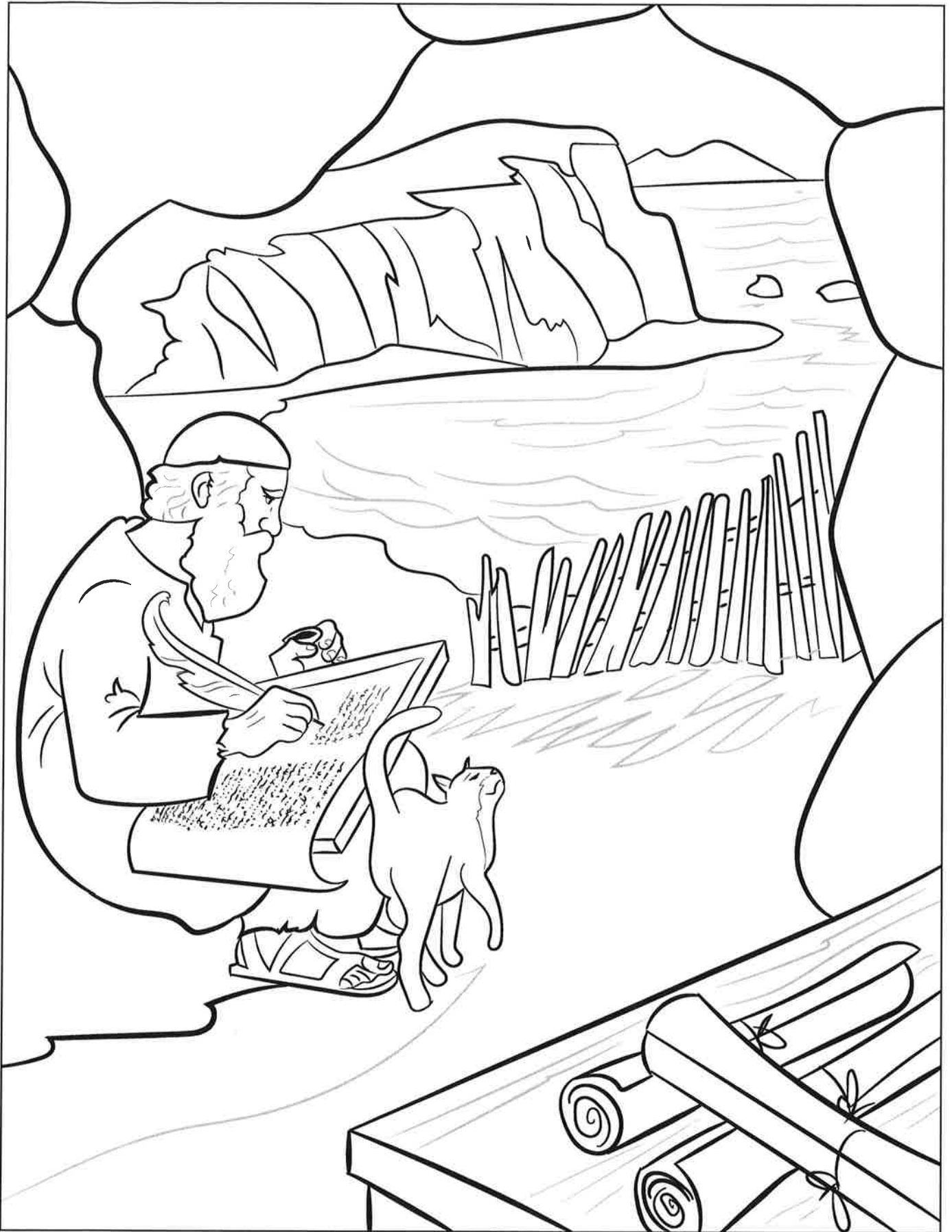
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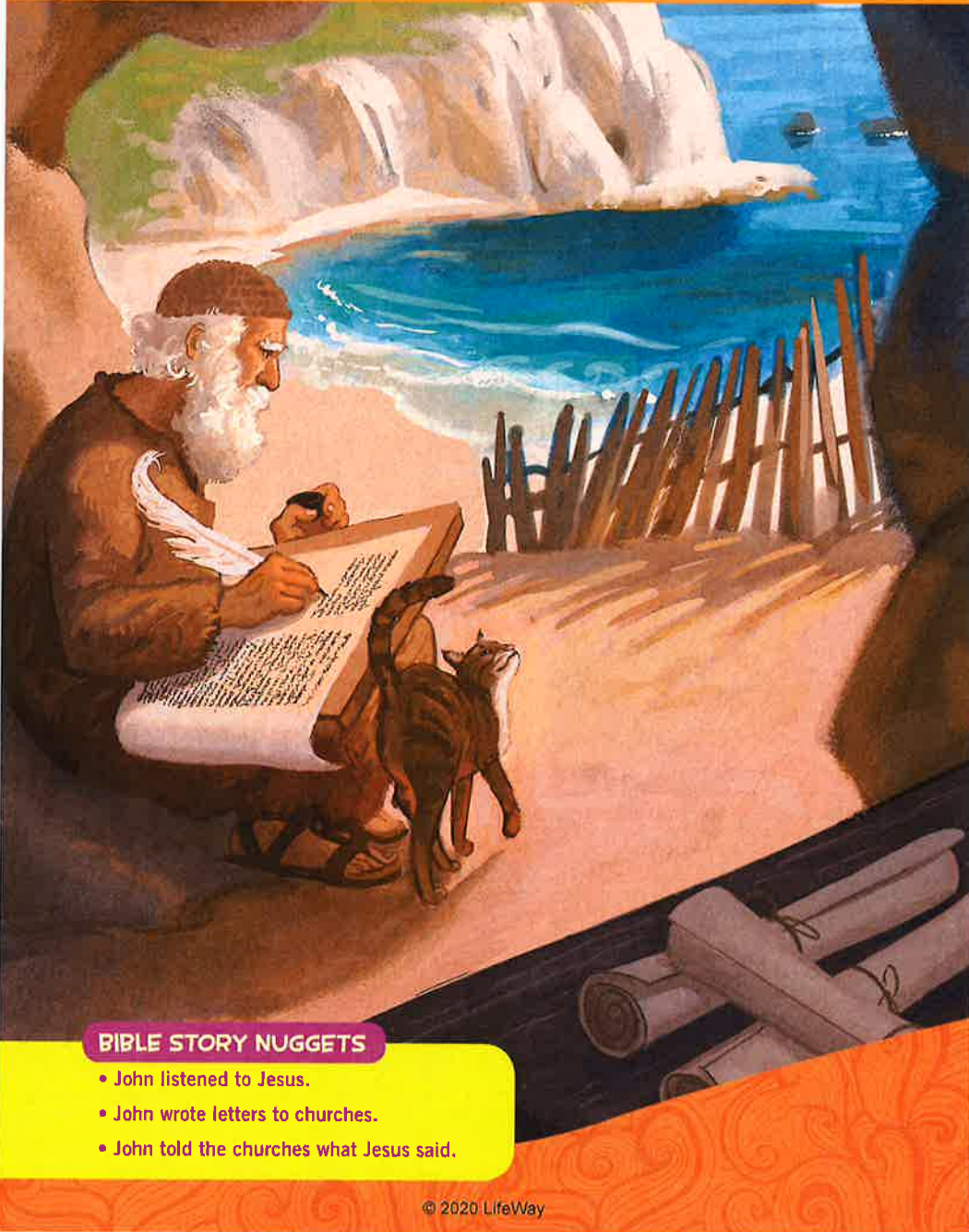


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Text Truth: John told people what Jesus said.



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## PARENTS,

From beginning to end, the Bible helps us know about Jesus. Your child has opportunities at church to explore the Bible and learn about Jesus. This week teachers told a story about John writing letters to the seven churches (see Revelation 1–3). Your child heard a verse of assurance spoken by Jesus: “I am always with you.” Whether your child is happy, tired, lonely, sad, or scared, remind him, “Jesus is always with you.”

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### FAMILY ADVENTURE PLAY WITH RATTLES

Gather several baby rattles with different colors, shapes, or sounds. Put the rattles just out of reach of your baby. Put this card next to the rattles.

Encourage your baby to move to the rattles. Help her shake a rattle.

Say: “You can hear the rattle. Thank You, God, for ears to hear about Jesus. John wrote to churches and told them what Jesus said.”

### FAMILY ADVENTURE MAKE A SCROLL

Show the picture on this card to your preschooler. Point to John writing on the scroll. Say: “John wrote letters to churches and told them what Jesus said. John wrote on a scroll.”

Give your toddler a piece of paper and crayons to “write” words or draw a picture. Help him roll the paper and tie it with a ribbon to make a scroll.