

Jesus Blesses the Children

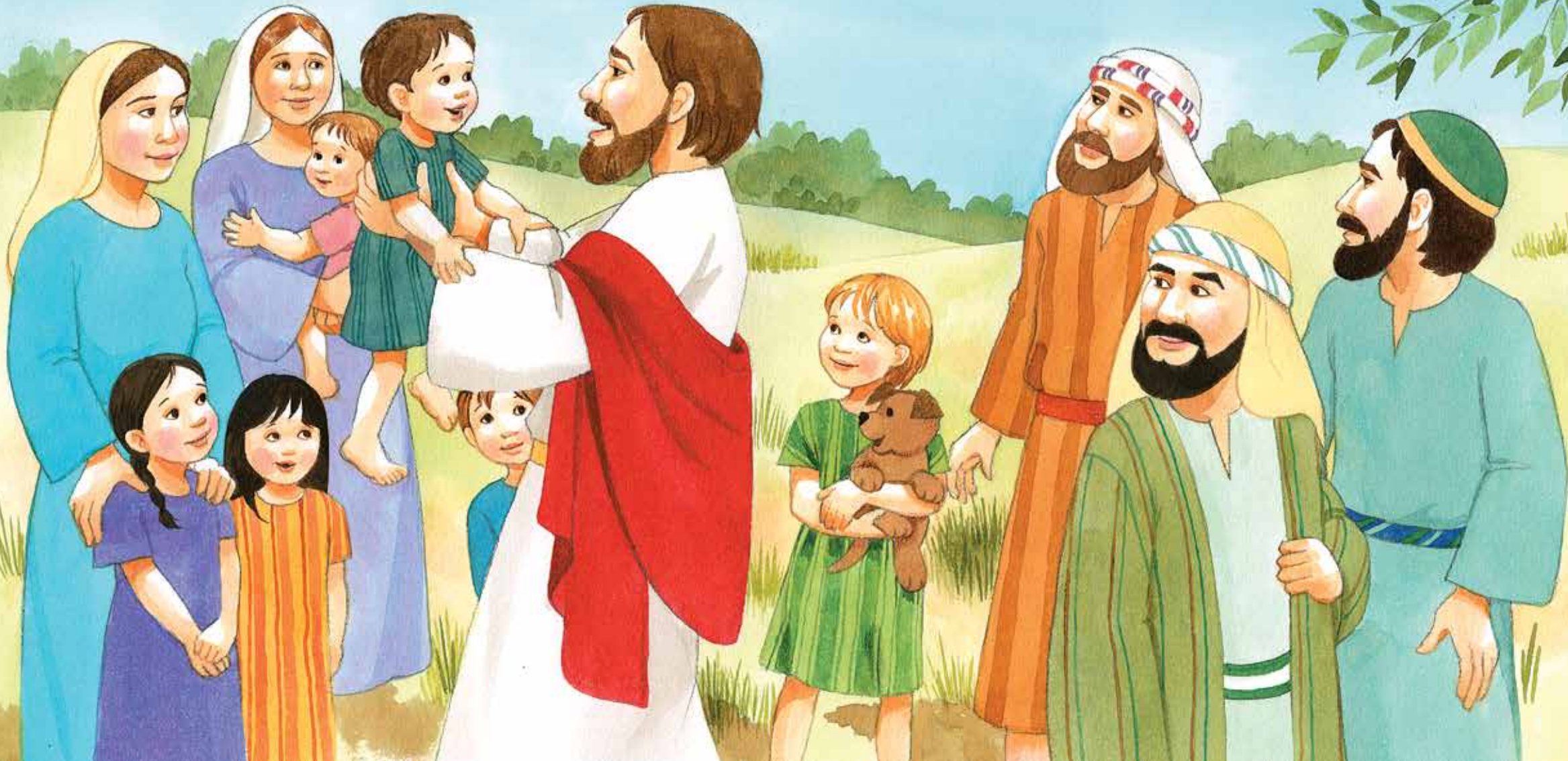
Mark 10:13–16 for children

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To His disciples Jesus said,
“Do not get in their way.
Let the children come to Me.
I tell you, let them stay.

“Believe Me, God loves *every* child—
To God they *all* belong.
If you think differently, My friends,
Then you are very wrong.



What would you say to Jesus if
He came to visit you?
Would you smile and welcome Him
And say, "How do you do?"

Now if you really knew He was
The Lord to whom you pray,
I'm sure you'd thank Him for the things
He gives you every day—

Like sun and rain to make plants grow,
And loving folks who care;
For food and clothes and cuddly pets
And friends who say, "Let's share!"

