I Will Say Kind Things!

From Power Up Jr. Lesson 6

LEADERSHIP TRAIT - GOOD SPEECH
Strong leaders understand the importance of using considerate words when leading others.

LEADERSHIP LESSON
Your children will learn that they should say kind things to the people in their lives.

LEADERSHIP STORY
Jesus' triumphant entry. *(John 12:12 - 18, Matthew 21:8 - 9)*

MEMORY VERSE
Help your children memorize this verse.

"Do what is right and good in the LORD's sight, so all will go well with you." Deuteronomy 6:18a (NLT)

Materials Needed:

- A Bible
- The Leadership Video - *I Will Say Kind Things*
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First:
Read the Leadership Story to your children. The Leadership Story for this lesson is about the people saying kind things to Jesus as He rode into the city and is found in John 12:12 - 18 and Matthew 21:8 - 9.

Next:
Watch the Leadership Video, *I Will Say Kind Things,* with your family.

Then:
Complete the Child Leadership Questions, and lead your family through the Optional Family Activity.

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Child Leadership Questions:

Jesus passed through a city on the way to Jerusalem. What did the people in the city do?
(Put palm branches on the road. Shouted out kind things as Jesus rode by them.)

What were some of the kind things people said?
(Praise God! Blessings on the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hail to the King of Israel!)

What are some kind things you can say to people?
(I like your shoes. You did a good job! Thanks for the food, Mom. Can I help you?)

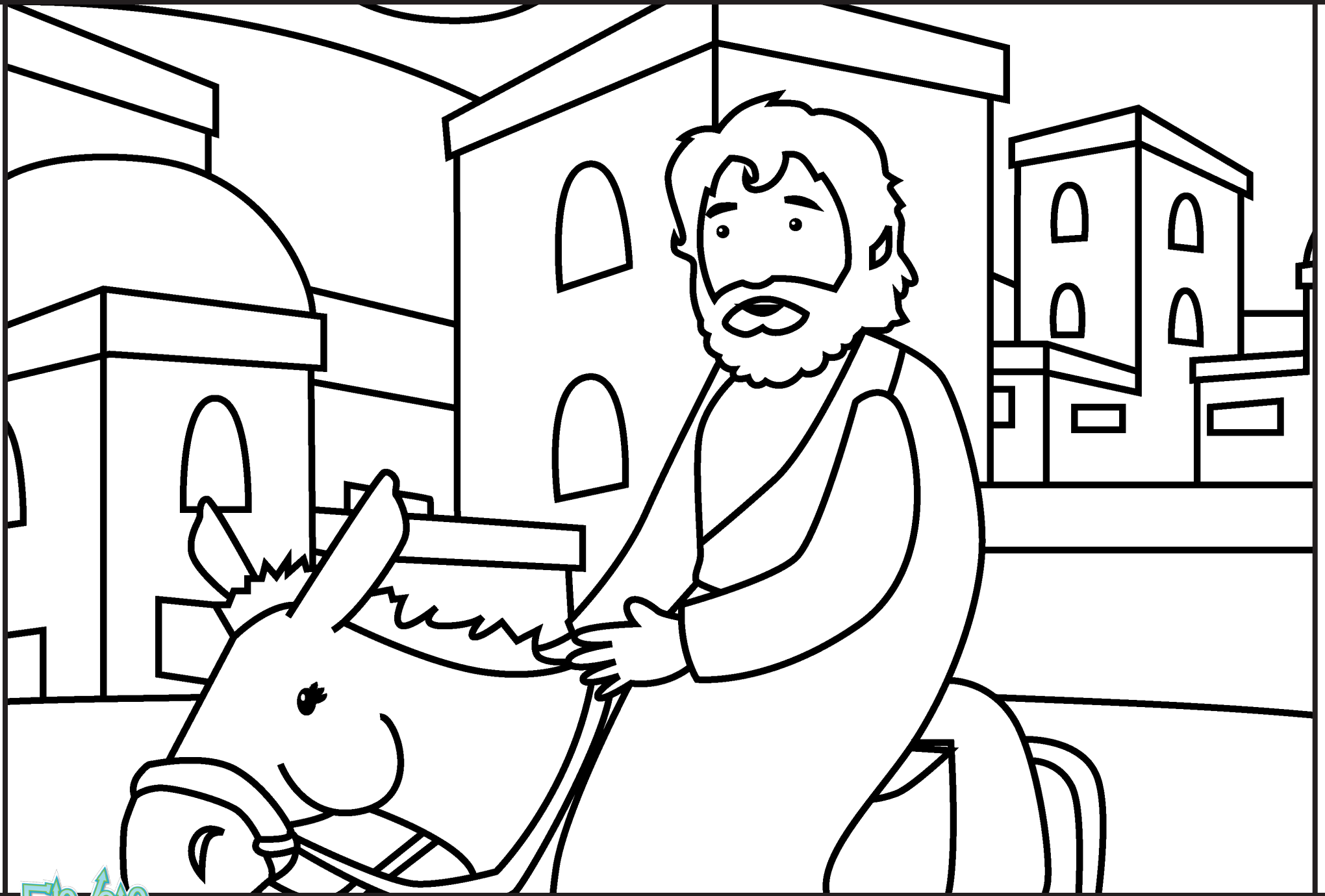
We can be like the people in the city who said kind things to Jesus. Practice saying kind things to people around you this week.

OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: SAY IT NICELY

This week, your children learned it is important to say nice things. Play a game together as a family. Choose one person in advance to be the Meanie and mess up the game on purpose. For instance, if you choose to play Candy Land together, then the Meanie might decide to make his or her piece go backwards when it's his or her turn. Each time the Meanie makes a mistake, have one family member say something nice to him or her. After every family member has made a nice comment to that person, switch the person who does things wrong and make nice comments to the new Meanie. God wants us to say nice things to others. This week, encourage your family to say nice things to each other.

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Jesus rode through a city on a donkey. (John 12:12-18, Matthew 21:8-9)

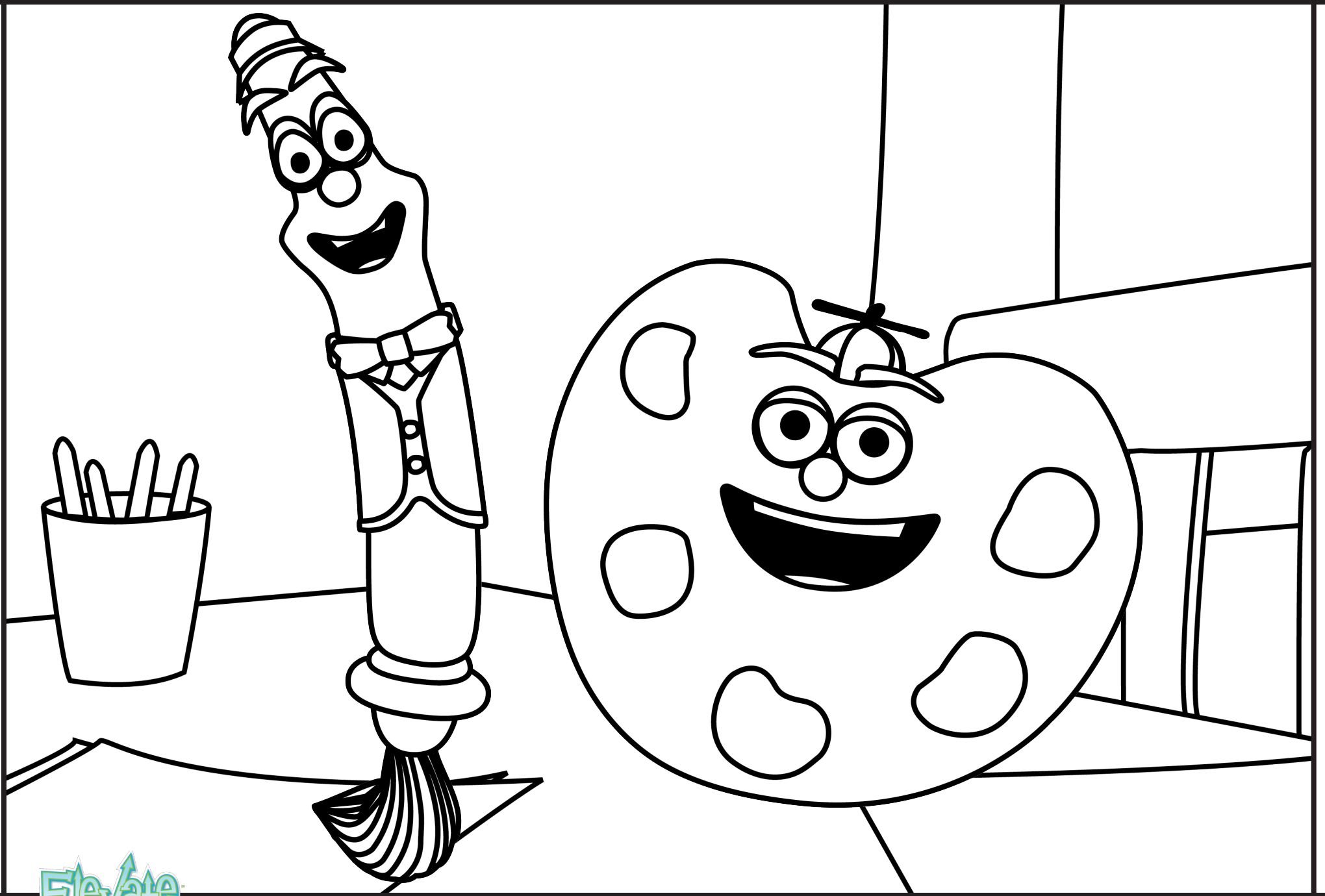
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People came to see Jesus and say nice things to Him. (John 12:12-18, Matthew 21:8-9)

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