

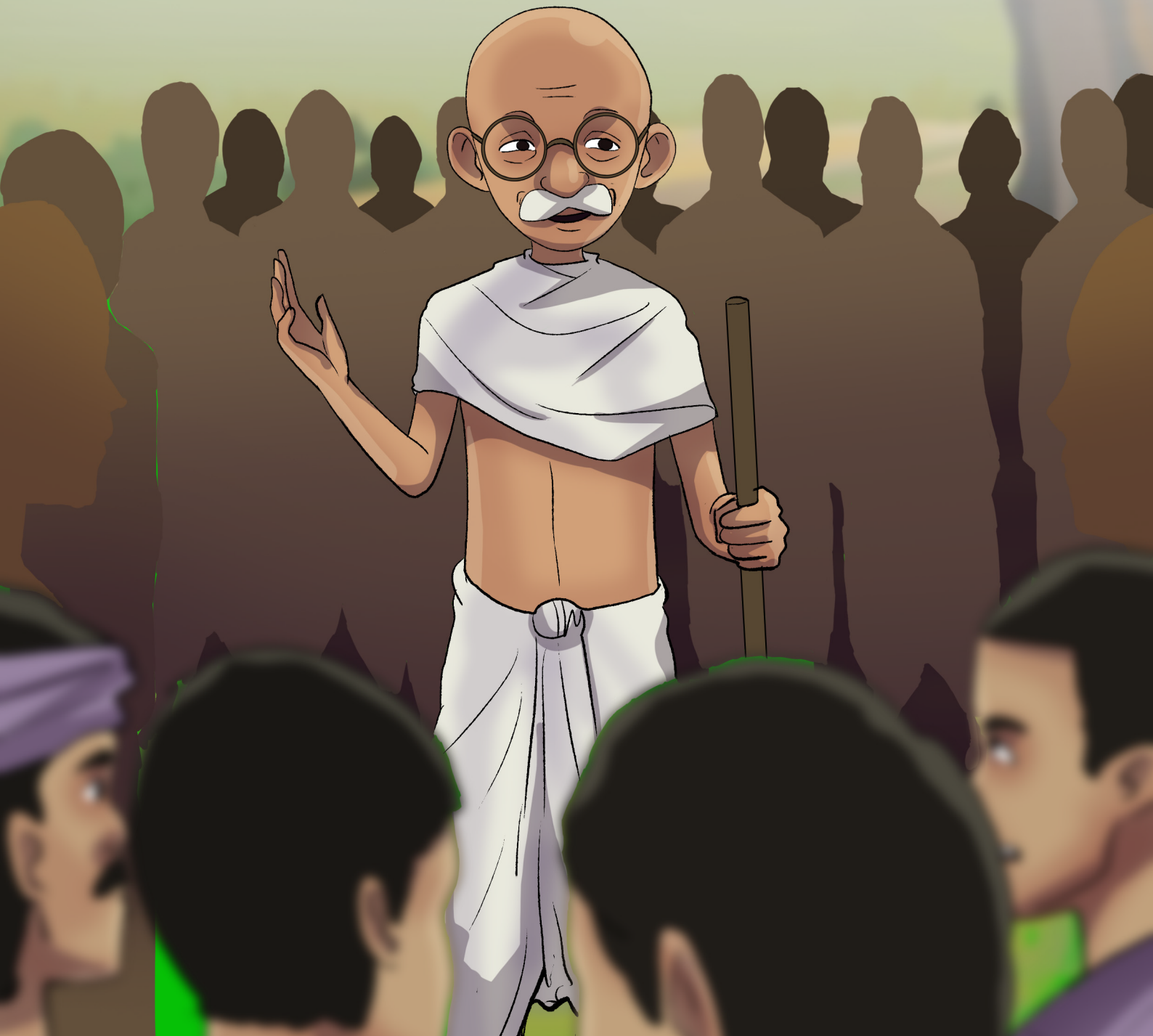
Gandhiji Goes
to a Meeting



While traveling around India, Gandhiji arrived in a small village. Everybody wanted to meet him. The village headman asked Gandhiji for permission to organize a meeting with the villagers. He told Gandhiji the time of the meeting and promised to pick him up.



In the morning, no one came to pick up Gandhiji. Time was going by, and Gandhiji did not like wasting his time, so he walked to the place where the meeting was supposed to be held. None of the organizers had arrived yet, though many villagers had come to listen to the great man. Gandhiji did not want to waste people's time, so he began talking to them.



When the organizers came, they were very embarrassed. Gandhiji explained the value of time to them,

"It is wrong to waste the time of others."



We often waste
precious time, but
we must
make sure that we
do not waste the
time of
others.

