



The Story of Jesus

⑤ The Faith of the Paralyzed man and his friends

Narration One day, lots of people came to a house.
They wanted to listen to Jesus' words.
A paralyzed man and his friends heard that Jesus came to their town.

Friend 1 Hey guys! Jesus can heal every sickness. Let's just trust him. Come on!

Friend 2 Well, I am not (so) sure.

Narration However, there were sooooooooooooo many people in that house. They could not get into the house. Oh no!

Friend 1 We should have booked our seats.

Friend 3 We're not giving up now! Jesus is the only one who can heal our friend. We must get in and see Jesus.

Friend 2 Well, I am not (so) sure.

Friend 3 Hey, guys! What about this? Why don't we go up on the roof, make a hole there, and just lower our friend with a rope. It would be like an action movie.

Narration So, they carried their sick friend up to the roof. Then, they started to make a hole on it.

Friend 1 Agh!

Friend 2 Ha! Do we have to? I am not sure.

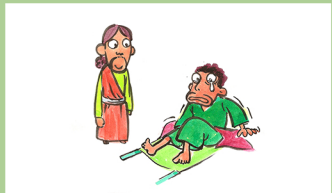
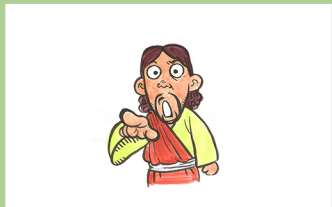
Friend 3 Agh! It is almost done! Let's work on it a little bit more.

Man 1 Huh? What's going on? A hole is being made on the (roof?)

Man 2 (Yes.) What's happening? Jesus, it might be the very day that the door of heaven is open.

Jesus Strange! The time is not yet. My father does not make mistakes.

Narration The friends lowered their friend down in to the house from the roof.



Friend 1 Jesus, I am sorry to lower him like this. My friend is really sick so he can't walk.
ask you, please heal my friend. Please. You are the only hope we have.

Narration Jesus saw their faith and he was glad.

Jesus Friend, your sins are forgiven.

Narration At that time, rabbis and Pharisees were mad.

Pharisee1 Huh? Did Jesus say 'Your sins were forgiven?'

Pharisee2 I think so.

Pharisee3 How dare he! How could he insult God in that way?

Pharisee2 He is not (good.) God alone can forgive sins.

Narration Jesus already knew their thoughts.

Jesus Why are you thinking these things in your hearts? You are mad because I said "Your sins are forgiven." From now on, I want you to know that the son of man has power to forgive sins on earth. I tell you. "Get up. Take your mat and go home."

Paralyzed man Oh! Oh? I can walk! Wow!

Narration Then the paralyzed man stood up, took his mat and went home praising God.

Friend 3 You see? I told you. Jesus can heal every sickness.

Friend 2 Now I know it's true.

Narration From that time on, the rabbis and Pharisees began to fear Jesus.

Pharisee1 Jesus! Who are you?

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