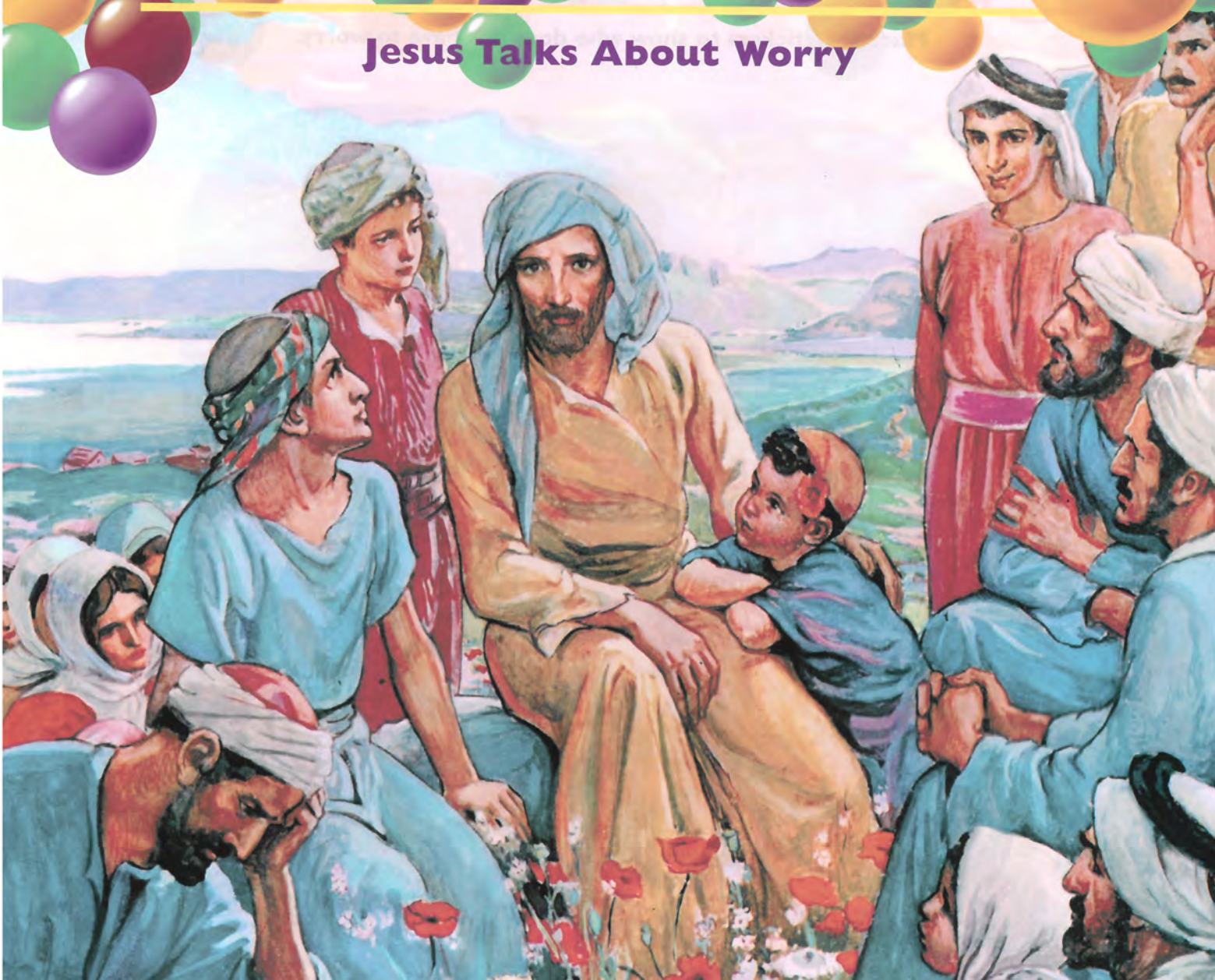


God Cares

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Jesus Talks About Worry



Jesus told the people on the mountainside, "Look at the birds in the sky.
God will make sure there is enough food for them to eat.
Birds don't worry about food!

People who trust God to take care of them don't have to worry either.

"Look at the beautiful flowers in the field.
God will take care of everything they need.

Flowers don't worry about the way they look or what they wear.
People who trust God to care for them don't have to worry, either.

God likes to take care of His children—just like He takes care of birds and flowers.
He knows what people need. God will take care of people because He loves people
even more than He loves birds and flowers!



Place the stickers to show who does not have to worry.



Parent Partners

Lesson Focus: People who trust God in prayer do not have to worry. (Matthew 6:25-34)

Ways to reinforce this truth with your child:

Ask:

- “How does God take care of the birds?”
- “When you look at the flowers, what colors do you see?”
- “Why don’t the birds and flowers worry about food or about what to wear?”
- “Who takes care of your needs?”

Act:

- Read the Bible story together (or read the summary on the front of this page).
- Learn the Bible verse: Matthew 6:34.
“Do not worry. God takes care of you.”
- Make or buy a birdhouse or bird feeder to hang outside your window, or plant a flower garden together.

God Takes Care of Us

Find and color the birds and flowers in this picture.



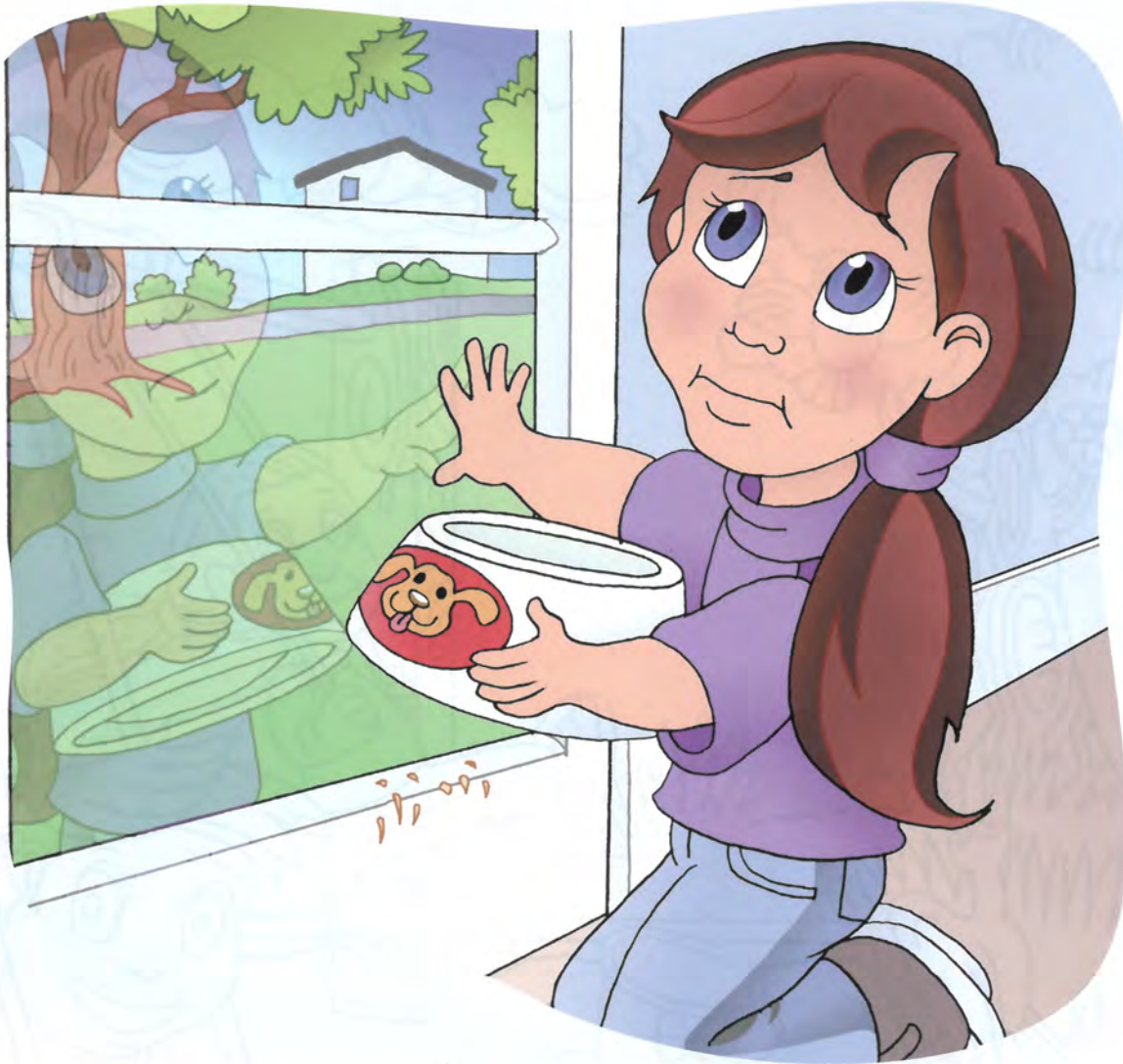
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4's & 5's



God is in Control

Dee discovers that she can trust God to take care of everything.



- Dee was very worried because she couldn't find her dog, Chip. *(Tell about a your pet or one of your friends' pets.)*
- Dee's mom wasn't worried because she knew God would take care of Chip, wherever he was. *(What ways could God take care of a lost puppy?)*
- When Dee went to bed, she prayed and reminded herself that God was in charge. *(What do you do when you are worried?)*
- The next morning, Dee woke up to a big lick from her lost dog, Chip! *(How can you remember to trust God when you are worried or afraid?)*