



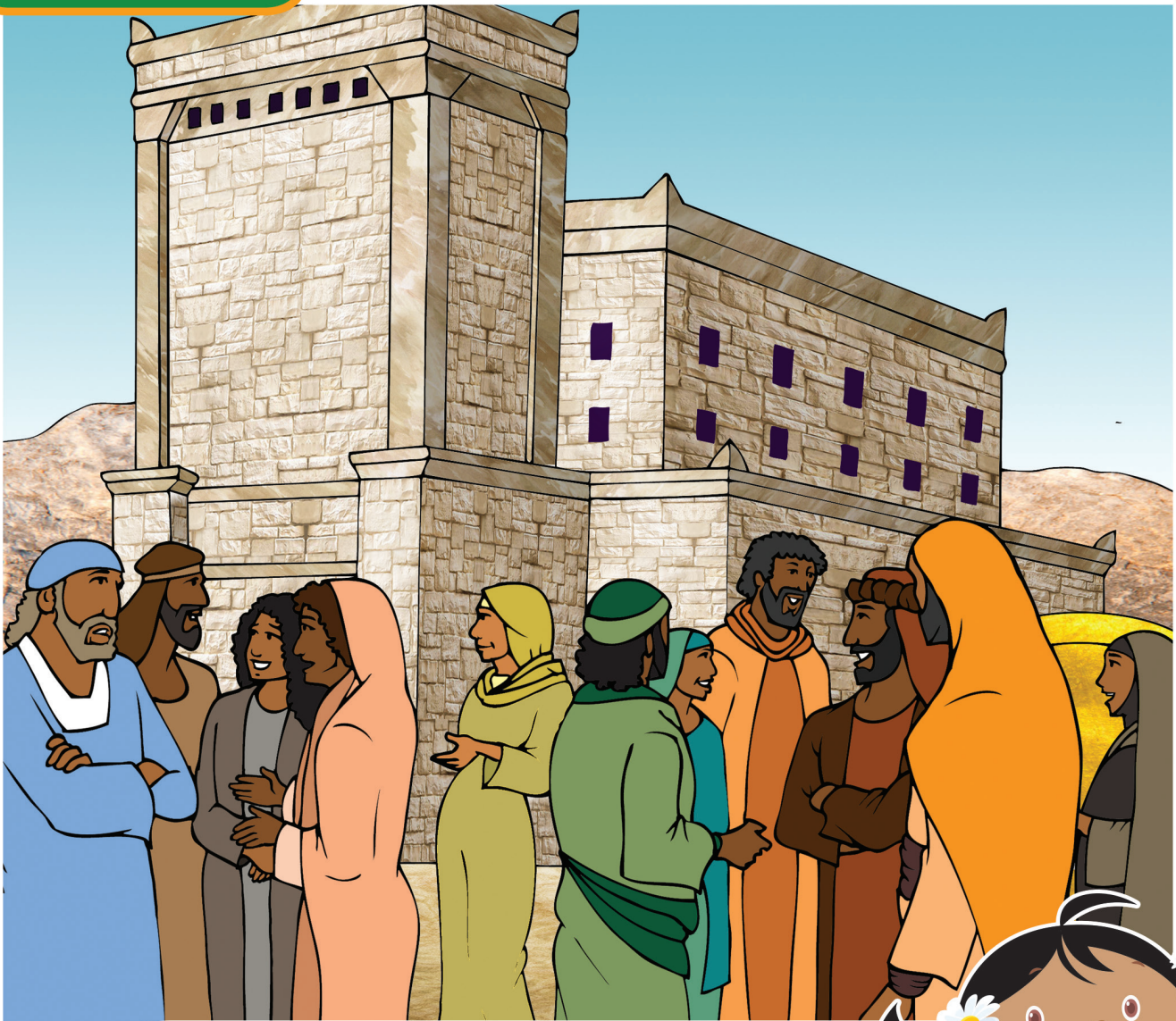
LESSON

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# Better Days Are Coming

Lesson Scripture: Zechariah 8:1-8, 11-17



## Key Verses:

[God said,] "I will save my people . . . I will bring them back to live in Jerusalem; they will be my people, and I will be . . . their God." (Zechariah 8:7, 8a)





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The prophet Zechariah shared a message from God. Enemies had harmed the people of Jerusalem. So, God was returning to make things right. Then Jerusalem would be called the *Faithful City* and the *Holy Mountain*.

God would bring peace and blessings. God would bring His people back to Jerusalem. The streets would be filled with older people and children playing.

God is faithful. He would make it rain. Then seeds would grow, and vines would make lots of fruit. Yes! Better days were coming!

But the people must do some things: They must tell the truth, be fair, be peaceful, and not harm others.

## For the Parents

Dear Parents/Guardians,

In today's lesson, your child heard from Zechariah that God was concerned about the people of Jerusalem. They were being mistreated by their enemies. And God promised to bring peace and blessings to His people. As you review the lesson, talk about the reality of unkind people in the world. Then encourage your child and model how to please God by being kind and fair and living peaceably with everyone.

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Your Child's Teacher



**Faith Block**

**God makes  
things better!**



# A “Happy Day” Drawing

In this lesson, we hear about how God will make things better. When this happens, people will be happy. In the space below, draw a picture of you having a happy day with your friends or family.



# A Brighter Future for God's People

Color the Bible picture from today's lesson.

