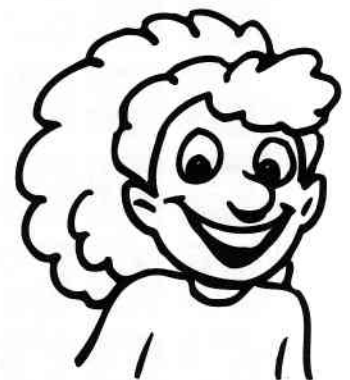
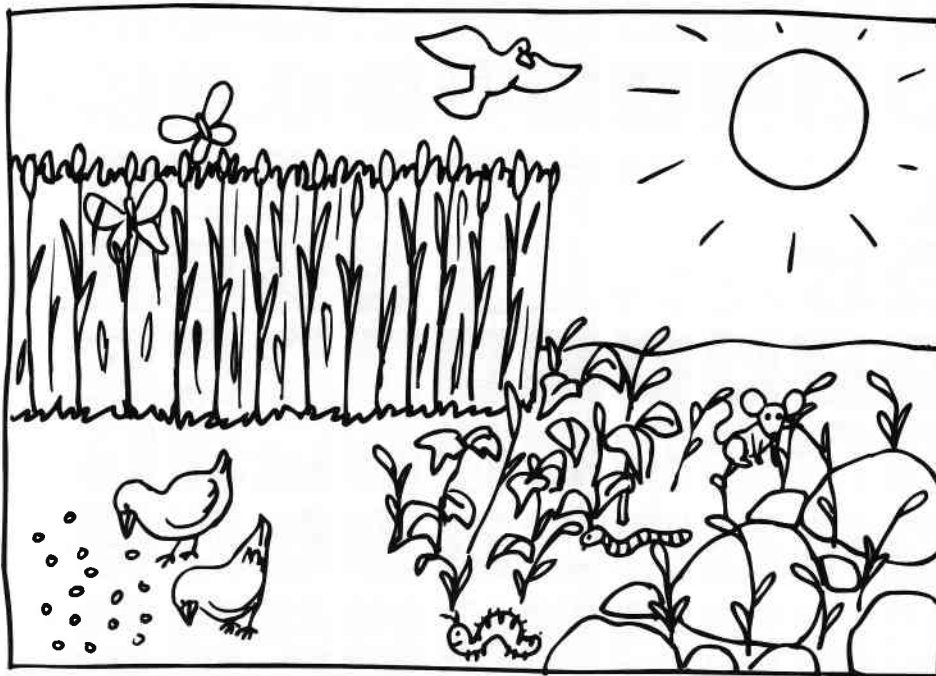
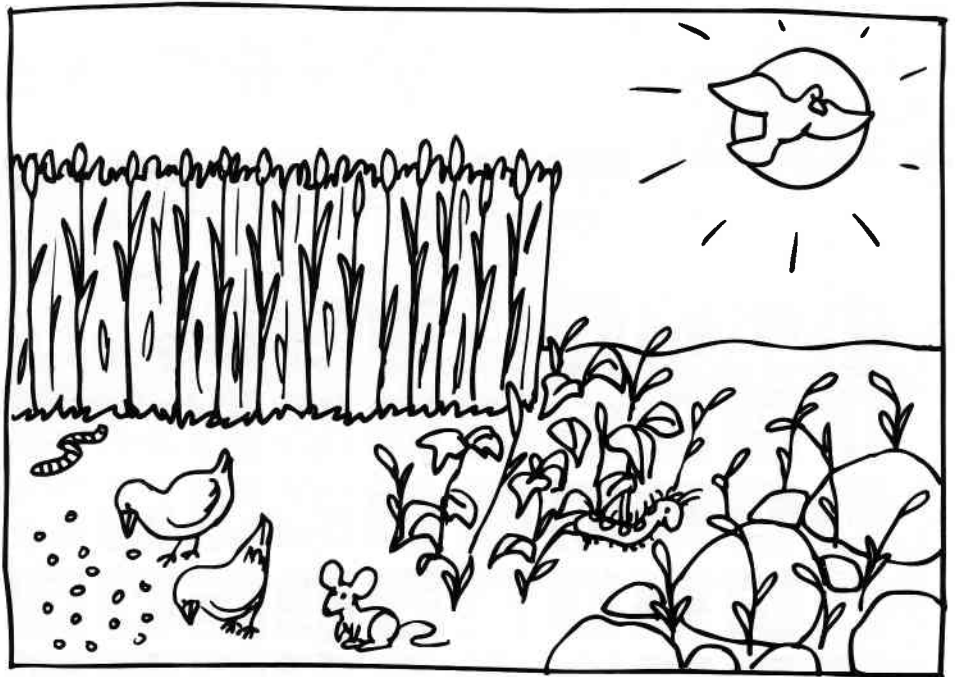
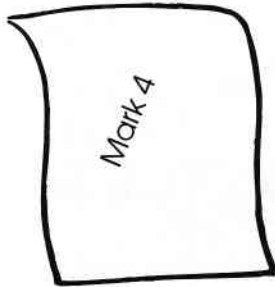


# PARABLE OF THE SOWER

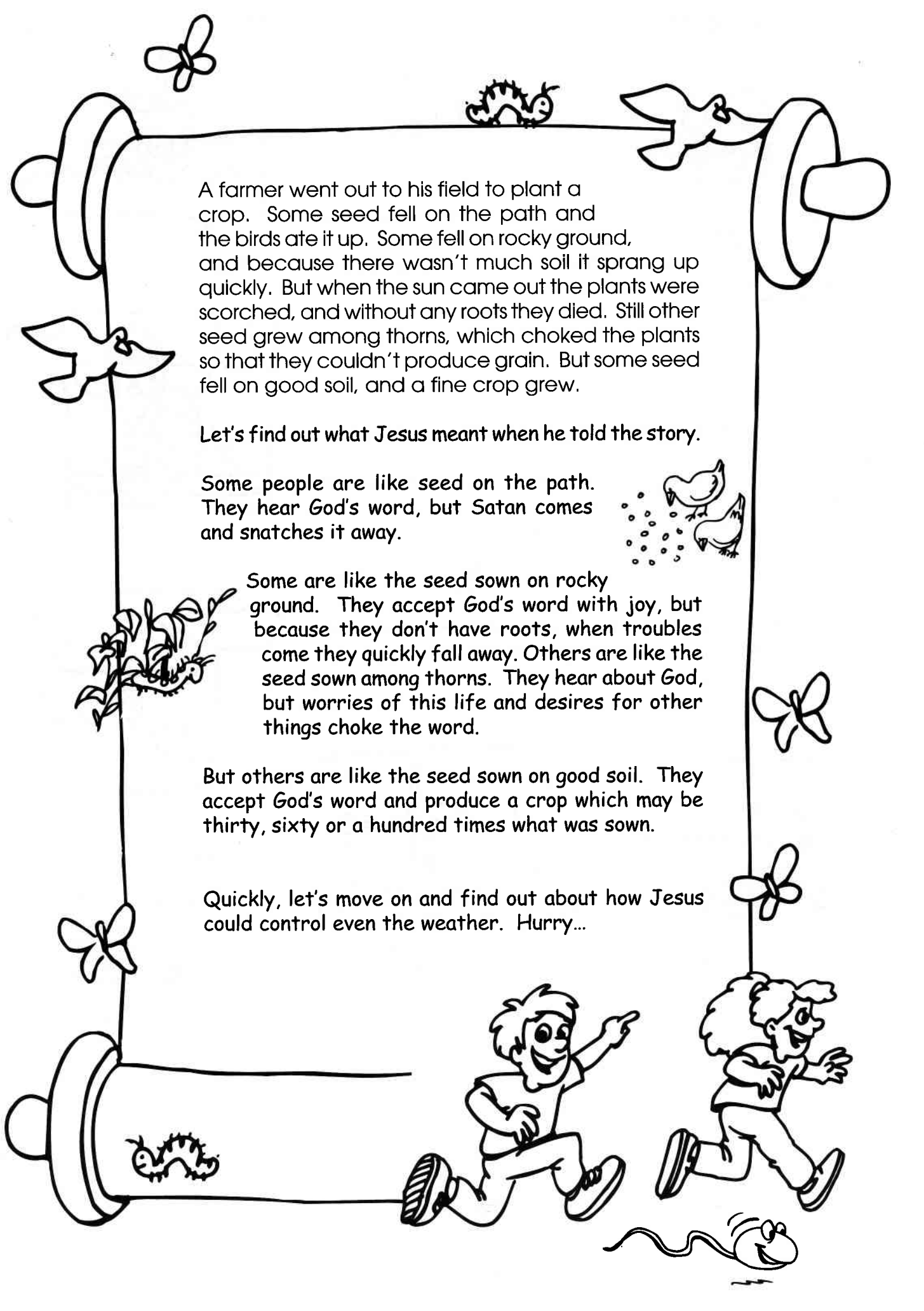
Wherever Jesus went, lots of people came to hear him speak. And one day, it got so crowded that he had to get into a boat on a lake.



Jesus told people stories to help them understand more about God, and one of them was about a sower. Before you read the story - check out these pictures. There are several differences for you to spot....




Go to the next page to read the story!



A farmer went out to his field to plant a crop. Some seed fell on the path and the birds ate it up. Some fell on rocky ground, and because there wasn't much soil it sprang up quickly. But when the sun came out the plants were scorched, and without any roots they died. Still other seed grew among thorns, which choked the plants so that they couldn't produce grain. But some seed fell on good soil, and a fine crop grew.

Let's find out what Jesus meant when he told the story.

Some people are like seed on the path. They hear God's word, but Satan comes and snatches it away.



Some are like the seed sown on rocky ground. They accept God's word with joy, but because they don't have roots, when troubles come they quickly fall away. Others are like the seed sown among thorns. They hear about God, but worries of this life and desires for other things choke the word.

But others are like the seed sown on good soil. They accept God's word and produce a crop which may be thirty, sixty or a hundred times what was sown.

Quickly, let's move on and find out about how Jesus could control even the weather. Hurry...

