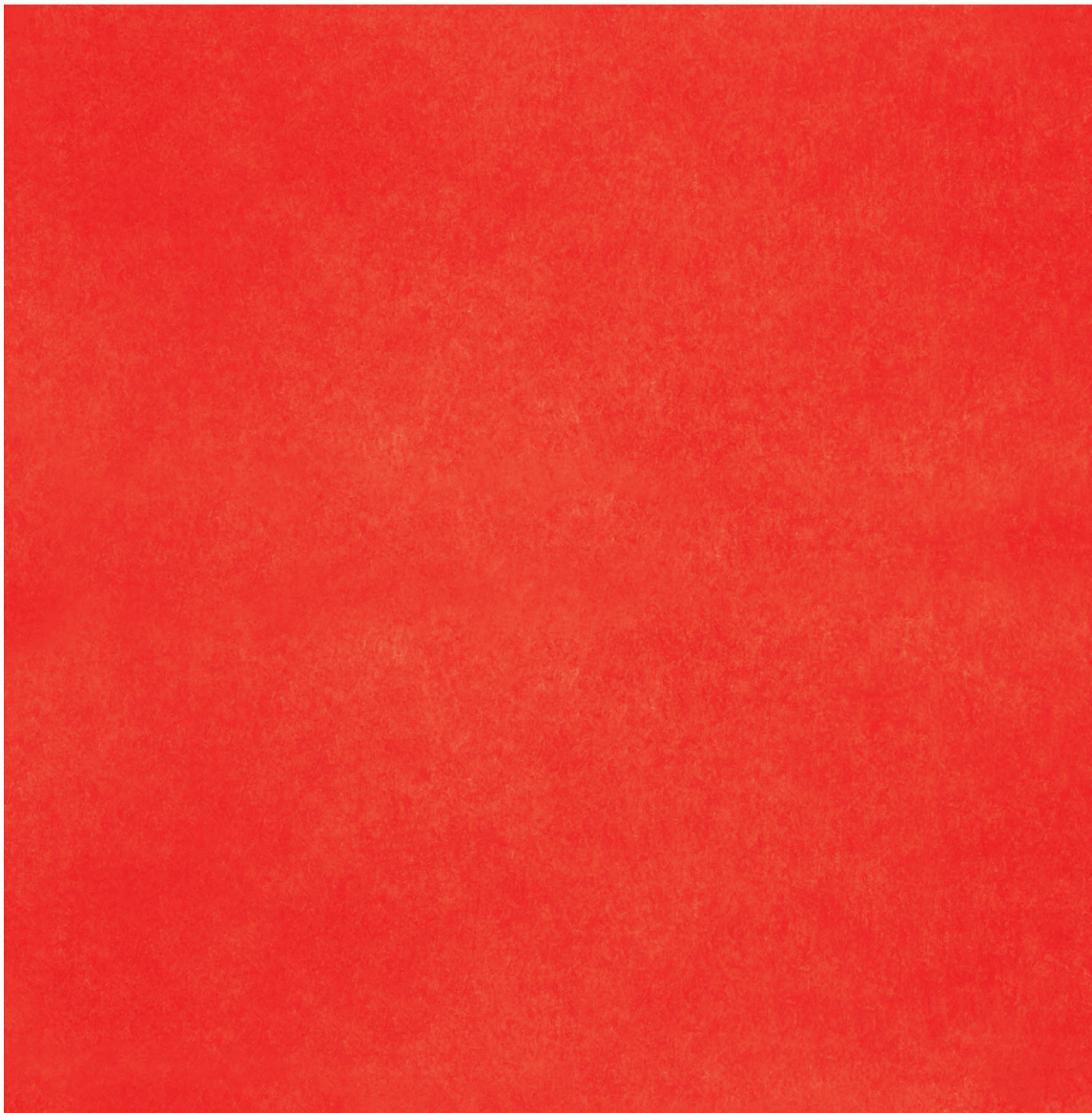


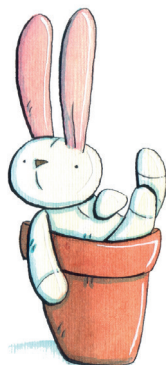
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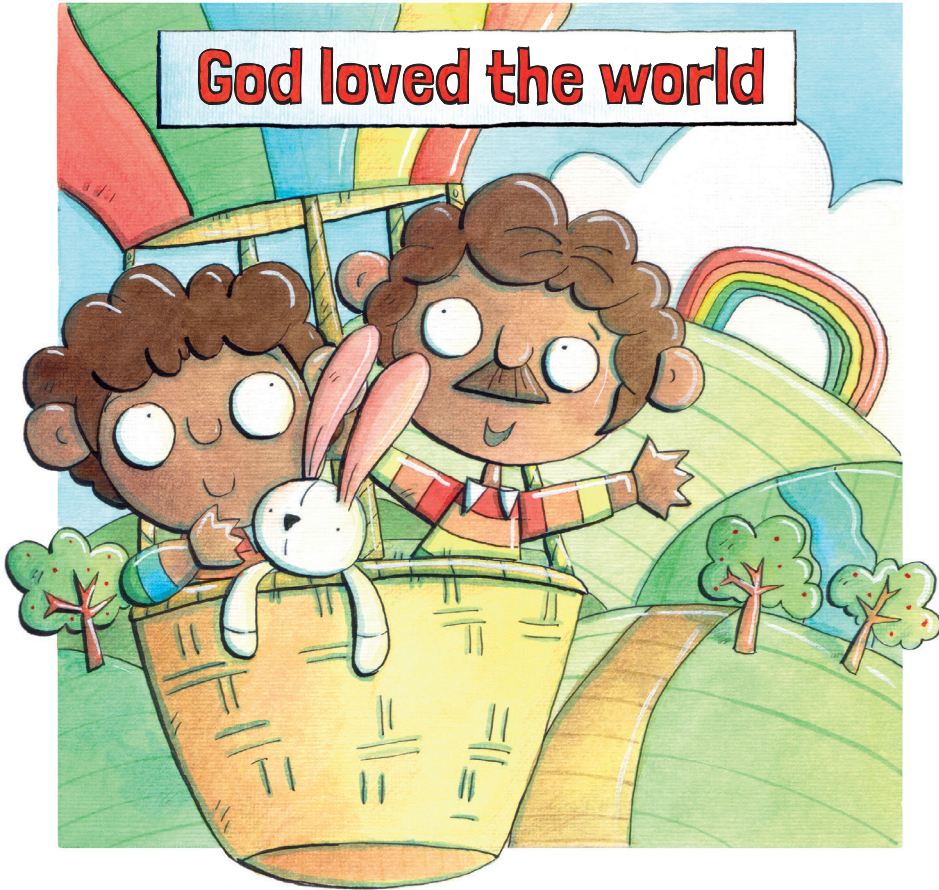


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God loved the world



God made the world, God loved the world, all that you can see,
from mountains high to oceans deep, and rivers running free.



He made the plants of all designs, from flowers to mighty trees,
bearing fruit, or nuts, or seeds, and nectar for the bees.



Animals of every kind: fish and birds and mammals,
frogs and lizards, slugs and bugs, crocodiles and camels.



God made people last of all to be His special friends.
He loved them, saying, "Very good!" But that was not the end.

The people did not listen to the things that God had said, ignoring Him and doing things that made Him sad instead.



These bad things (we call them sin)
were getting in the way,
but people couldn't fix them,
and there was a price to pay.



God sent His Son



So God sent His only Son to Earth, a special baby boy.
Jesus, born in Bethlehem, to bring the world true joy.