

Lesson #2-14 COMFORT MY PEOPLE Isaiah 40:1-11



Key Verse:

"Then the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all people shall see it together, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken." Isaiah 40:5

The Point:

We can trust that God will bring us home to God's kingdom.

Unit Theme (December 3—December 25)

Promises Made, Promises Kept

ISAIAH, OUR STYLE

Interpret Isaiah 40 through art.

Supplies:

- **†** Internet-connected devices
- **†** Paper
- **†** Markers

Preparation:

 Research various artistic portrayals of Isaiah 40 (visual art, music, dance, poetry, etc.).

Instructions:

- 1. Today's story includes Scripture verses that are familiar to many people. There are also a lot of different interpretations of this passage in music and art.
- 2. Ask the youth to look up images, music, or

other artistic representations of the Isaiah 40 passage. You may wish to share with them a few results of your research.

- 3. Allow time for research and then invite the youth to share their findings.
- 4. Think about today's passage. If you were to represent this text through a drawing, poem, dance, video, or some other form of art, what would it look like? Take a few minutes to create your own artistic interpretation of Isaiah 40.
- 5. Invite the youth to use paper, markers, and other resources to create their own interpretation of the text.
- 6. As time allows, invite the youth to share their creative interpretations.