

Story Time - Read the story to the children
Lesson 146: NEW HEAVENS AND A NEW EARTH
ISAIAH 65:17-25

For see, I am making a new heaven and a new earth: and the past things will be gone completely out of mind. But men will be glad and have joy forever in what I am making; for I am making Jerusalem a delight, and her people a joy. And I will be glad over Jerusalem, and have joy in my people: and the voice of weeping and crying will no longer be heard in Jerusalem, or the voice of grief. No longer will there be there a child dies at a young age, or an old man who doesn't live a long time: for the young man will be a hundred years old when he dies, and whoever's life is shorter than one hundred years will seem as if they are cursed. And they will be building houses and living in them; planting vine-gardens and getting the fruit of them. They will no longer be building for other people to live in them, or planting for others to have the fruit: for the my people will live to be as old as trees, and my loved ones will have a lot of joy in the work of their hands. Their work will not be for nothing, and they will not give birth to children just so they can die; for they are a seed that the Lord has given His blessing to, and their children will be with them. And before they finish saying their prayer I will answer them, and while they are still saying their prayer to me, I will hear. The wolf and the lamb will eat together, and the lion will make a meal of grass just like the ox: but dust will be the snake's food. There will be no cause of pain or destruction in all my holy mountain, says the Lord.

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MEMORY VERSE:

"For behold, I create new heavens and a new earth." ISAIAH 65:17

TRUE OR FALSE

1. The LORD said, "Behold, I create new cities and a new sea." TRUE or FALSE
2. The past things will be remembered and will come to mind. TRUE or FALSE
3. Men will be glad and have joy forever in what I am creating. TRUE or FALSE
4. My people will live as long as trees. TRUE or FALSE
5. My people will build houses for other people to live in. TRUE or FALSE

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

1. Does the LORD say that His people will be happy?
2. When that day comes, will weeping and crying be heard in Jerusalem any longer?
3. Will there be any children that die at a young age?
4. How old will people live to be (at least this old)?
5. What will the LORD do before His people finish saying their prayer to Him?
6. What will the Lion eat? How about the snake?

Lesson 146 Craft

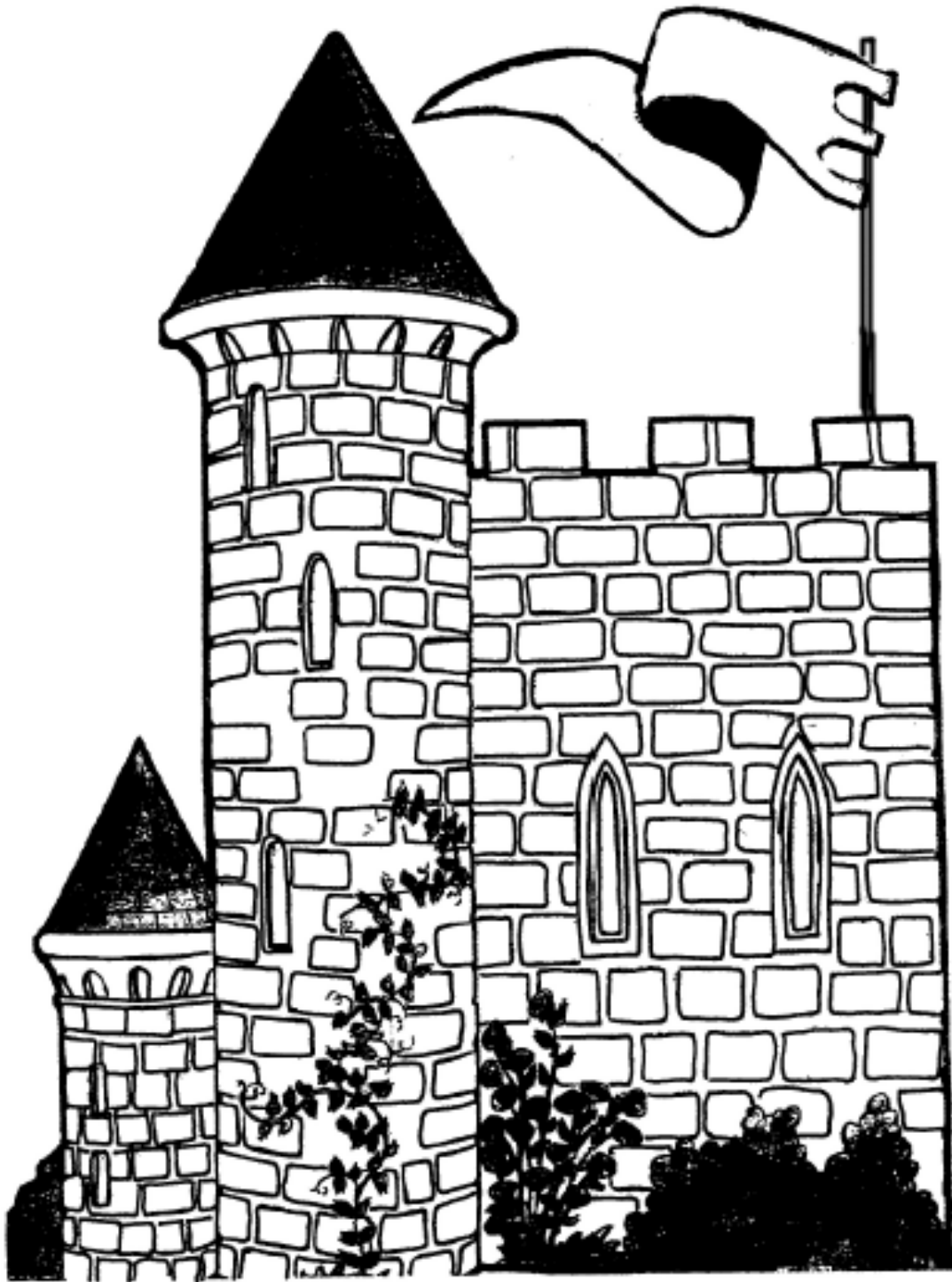
Heavenly Mansion

This craft will help the children to remember their memory verse. You will need as many copies of the template as the number of children in your class. For best results, copy the template on white card stock. You will also need markers or crayons, cotton balls and sheets of light blue construction paper for each child in your class.

Help younger children cut out their mansions, and glue them to the light blue construction paper. Help them glue cotton balls around the bottom like heavenly clouds. Cut out and glue the memory verse to the bottom, and color the flag.

Discuss with the children what they think God's new heavens and new earth will be like, after what they heard from today's lesson.

PRAYER Lead the children in a prayer of thanksgiving to the Lord for all He has prepared for them. If there are any children who have not yet responded to the Gospel, give them opportunity.



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