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The Bible tells us the story of God's people. It tells us how God made the world, and made people to know and love God, but instead they disobeyed him. Then it tells how God chose the people of Israel, and set them free from slavery in Egypt, and gave them a Law to live by and a land to be their home. But they still disobeyed God, and hurt and cheated and robbed each other. Finally, their enemies came and destroyed their city. They asked, "Has God given up on us?"

## GOD AND HIS PEOPLE

Psalm 79:1-9

THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL  
CRIED TO GOD WHEN  
THEIR CITY WAS DESTROYED!



O GOD, OUR ENEMIES HAVE COME INTO  
YOUR HOLY PLACE—THEY HAVE DESTROYED  
YOUR HOLY TEMPLE AND KILLED YOUR PEOPLE!

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HOW  
LONG  
WILL  
YOU  
BE  
ANGRY  
WITH  
US,  
O  
LORD?



EVERYBODY MAKES FUN OF US  
BECAUSE OF THE TERRIBLE THINGS  
THAT HAVE HAPPENED TO US!

DO NOT REMEMBER (PSALM 79:8)!  
REMEMBER THAT WE ARE YOUR PEOPLE—  
BE QUICK TO SAVE US, O LORD!

God never gave up on his people. He saved them again and again. He even came to live with us and die for us. He wants us to change our ways, and be his faithful people!

### JEREMIAH 8:19

"Is the Lord no longer in Zion?  
Is her King no longer with her?"



### 1 TIMOTHY 2:6

"Jesus Christ paid for the sins of  
all of us, by giving up his life  
for us all"



### LUKE 16:13

(Jesus says, "No one can serve  
two masters. You can't love both  
God and money")



HEY KIDS! ASK  
MOM AND DAD TO  
BUY YOU...