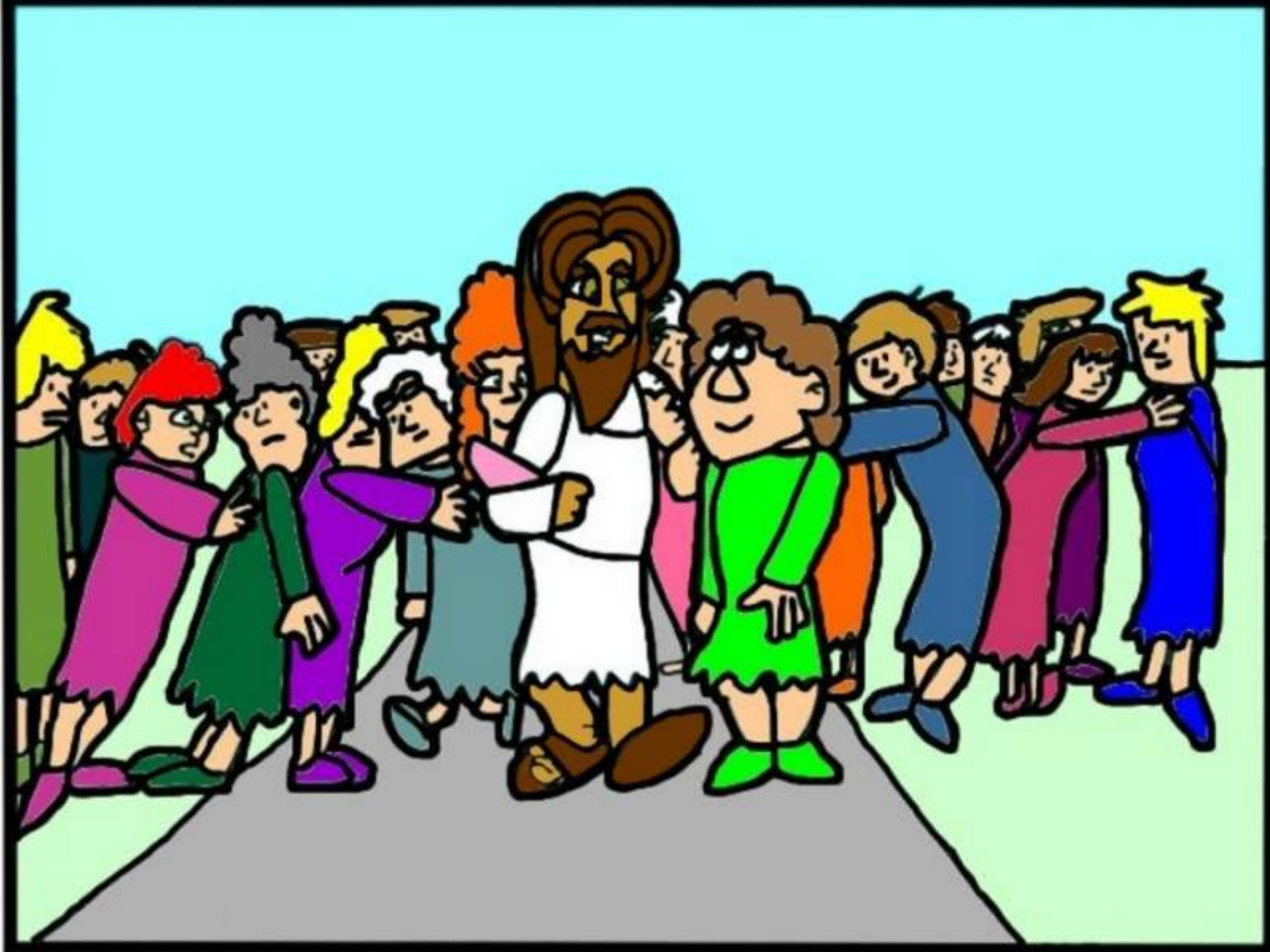


# Jesus Stills the Storm

(Based on Mark 4:35-41, Matthew 8:18, 23-27, Luke 8:22-25)

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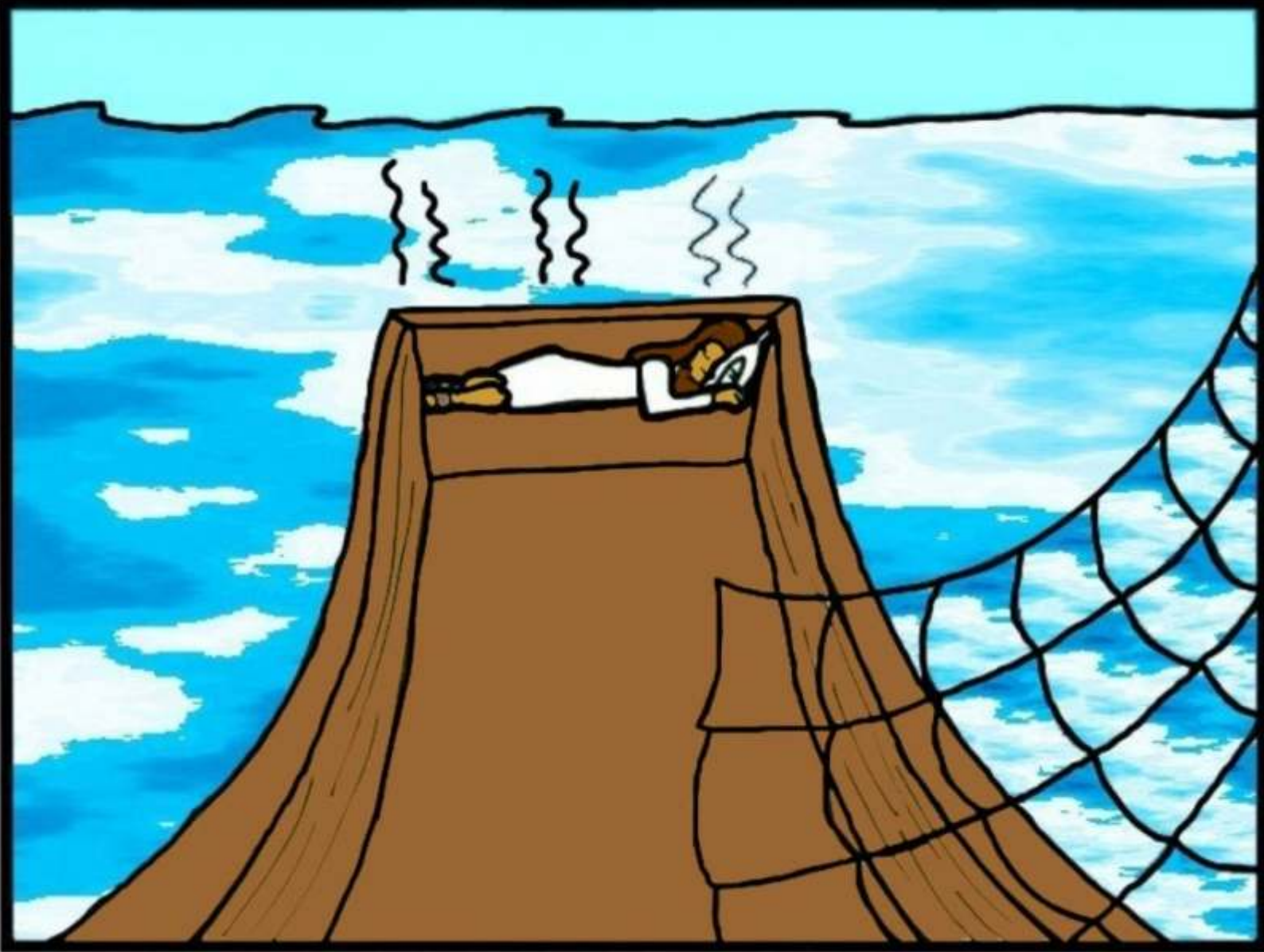


One day when crowds of people were around him, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let's go to the other side of the Sea of Galilee."

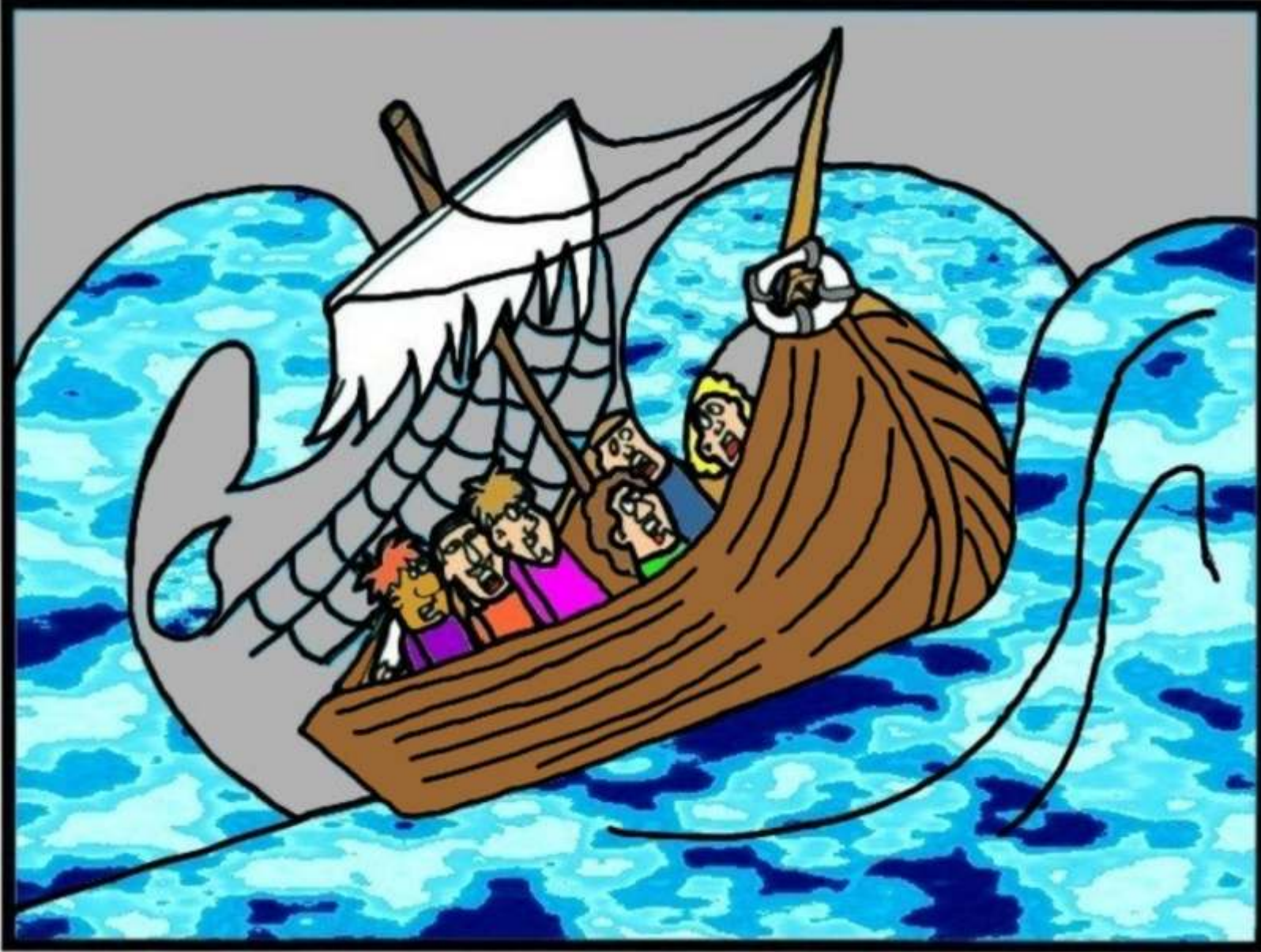


The disciples took Jesus in a boat and they launched out from the shore.





Jesus was very tired so he went to the back of the boat and laid his head on a pillow. Soon he was fast asleep.



Suddenly a big storm came and the waves were crashing over the boat. The boat was filling with water!





But Jesus was fast asleep on the pillow.

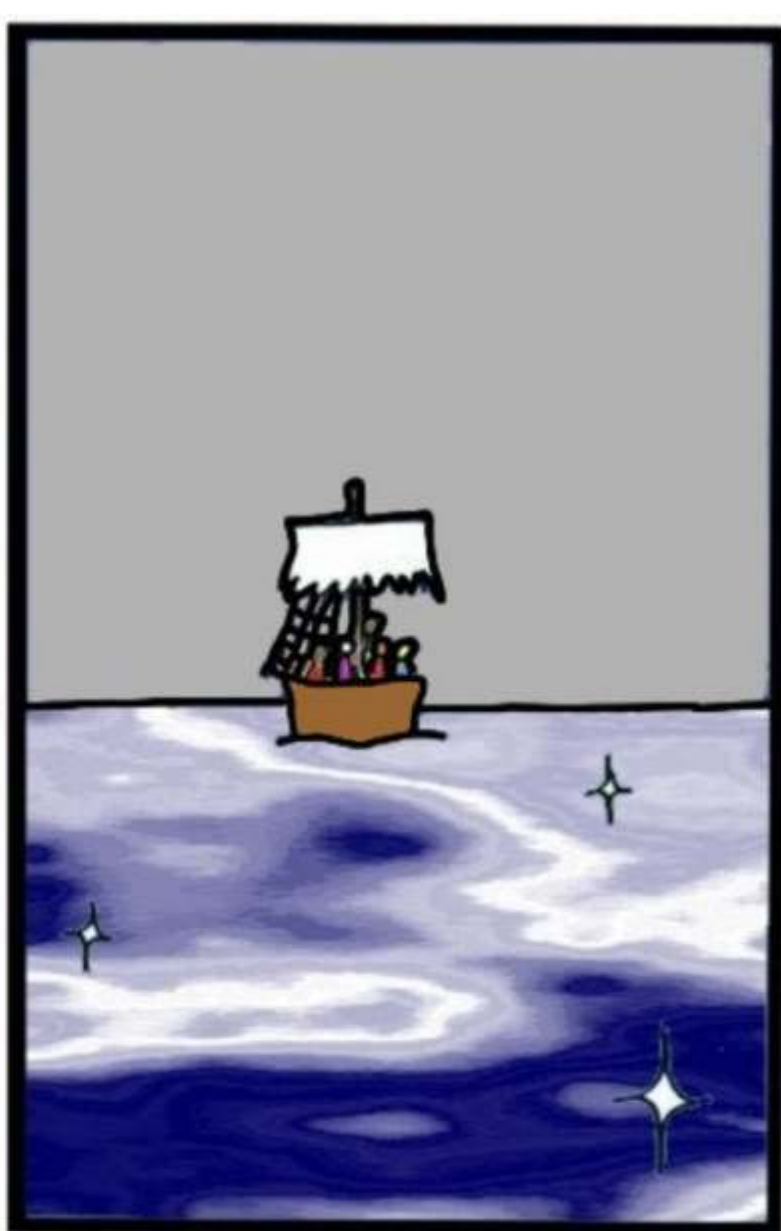


"Don't you even care that we are dying out here!" shouted his disciples as they shook him awake.



"Why are you full of fear?" asked Jesus. "Don't you have any faith?"





Then Jesus turned to the wind and sea and said, "Wind stop! Waves, peace! Be still!" The wind immediately stopped blowing. The waves settled down and the water was calm.



The disciples were amazed. They said to each other, "Who is this man that even the winds and water obey him?"



Lord, help me to keep my heart in peace and faith when I face storms of life.