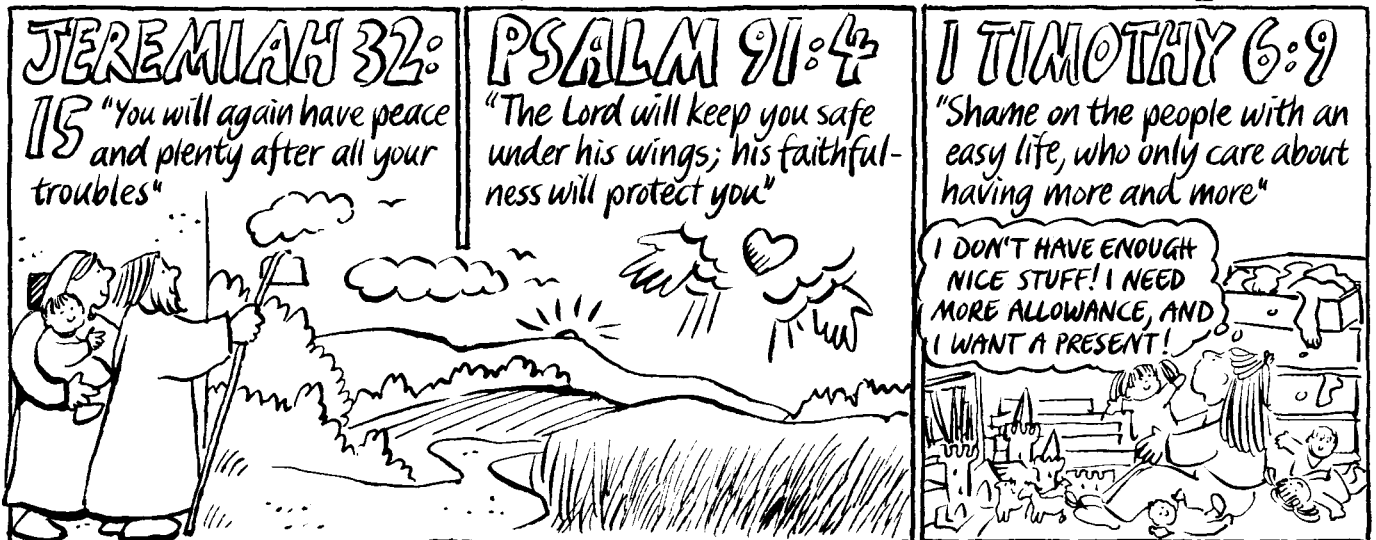


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One of the things that the PROPHETS did for God's people was to remind them of the mighty works that God had done long ago. Whenever his people were in trouble, he saved them. But when they disobeyed him, they would be punished. The prophets told the people that God was still doing these things. They said that when the people had hard times, it was because God was teaching them a lesson. And when they learned to live in his ways, he would save them once again!



Other parts of the Bible show that things are not always as simple as the prophets said. Sometimes people disobey God and seem to do fine. Meanwhile, a good person may have a very hard life. Jesus talked about this when he told this story.

THE RICH MAN AND THE BEGGAR

Luke 16:19-31
JESUS TOLD THIS STORY!

