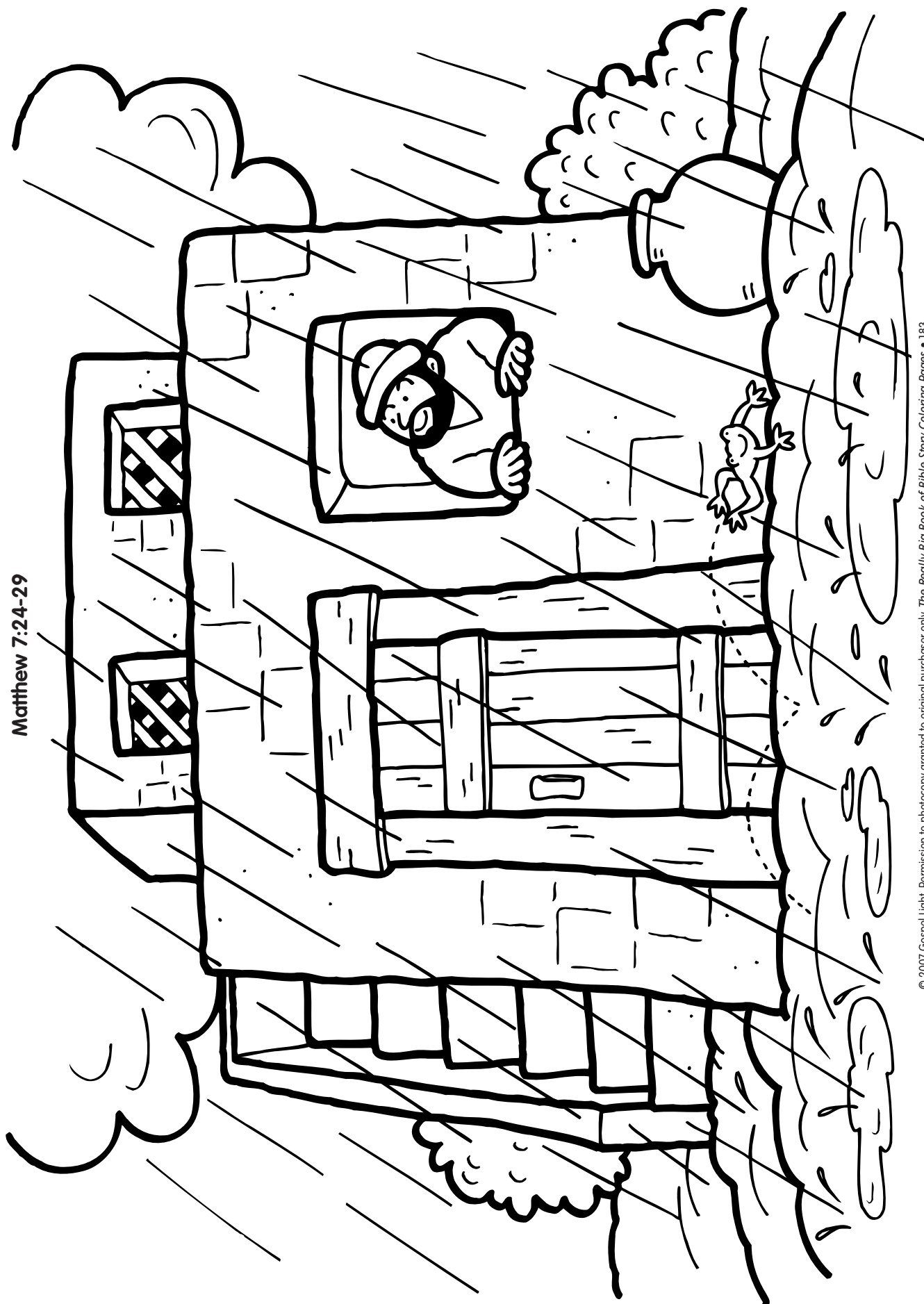


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One day Jesus told a story about building a house. He said, "A wise man built his house on a strong rock. Then the rain came, the river rose, and the winds blew! But the house did not fall down. It was built on strong rock. This wise man is like a person who listens to Me and obeys My words."

"But," said Jesus, "a foolish man built his house on the sand. When the rain and winds came, the

house on the sand fell down. It wasn't built on something strong. A person who hears My words but won't follow them is like this foolish man."

Jesus told this story about the wise and foolish men to help people learn how important it is to obey Jesus' words. Jesus' words are true and help people know the best way to live.