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God Delivered His People

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- God's people had been living in Babylon, but Babylon was not their home.
- God had promised that He would bring His people back to Judah. It was time for God's people to go home.
- King Cyrus gave God's people gifts like gold, silver, and animals. After 70 years, the exile was over!

CHRIST CONNECTION:

God always keeps His promises. God chose to use King Cyrus in His plan to graciously deliver His people from exile. King Cyrus' action to free the people reminds us of Jesus, whom God chose to rescue sinners and bring us to our true home in His kingdom of grace.

KEY PASSAGE:

Blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose trust is the LORD.
Jeremiah 17:7

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

Can God be trusted? Yes, God cannot lie or ever be wrong, so we can trust whatever He has said.