



God promises to rescue his people and restore them to a great land. He promised it to the Israelites and he promises it to us in an even better way. Is 49, Jer 30

[Colouring page](#)- Rebuilding the Temple after the Israelites returned from exile.

Rescue and Restoration Game- Cut out some squares of paper and write one letter from each word on them. Get someone to hide the paper in the house or garden (Don't look while they are doing that !!!) . Time yourself and see how quickly you can find all the pieces of paper and put them in the right order to say "Rescue Restoration"

Now you hide them for someone else and see who can get the fastest time.

Family Discussion

1. The Israelites were judged for their sin and were taken into exile by the Babylonians. Did they stay in exile forever? What incredible thing happened to make their return possible?
2. What rescues do we read about in the Old Testament part of the Bible? In the New Testament we read about the greatest rescue. What is it?
3. What does the word restore mean? How did God restore the Israelites? How will he restore those who have been rescued by Jesus?