

October 3, 2021
The Upward Challenge: Haggai:
Haggai 2:20-23
The Challenge of Trusting God

Trusting God Means Actually Trusting God (2:20–22)

“The word of the LORD came a second time to Haggai on the twenty-fourth day of the month, ‘Speak to Zerubbabel, governor of Judah, saying, I am about to shake the heavens and the earth, and to overthrow the throne of kingdoms. I am about to destroy the strength of the kingdoms of the nations, and overthrow the chariots and their riders. And the horses and their riders shall go down, every one by the sword of his brother’” (Haggai 2:20-22).

“But Jesus looked at them and said, ‘With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible’” (Matthew 19:26).

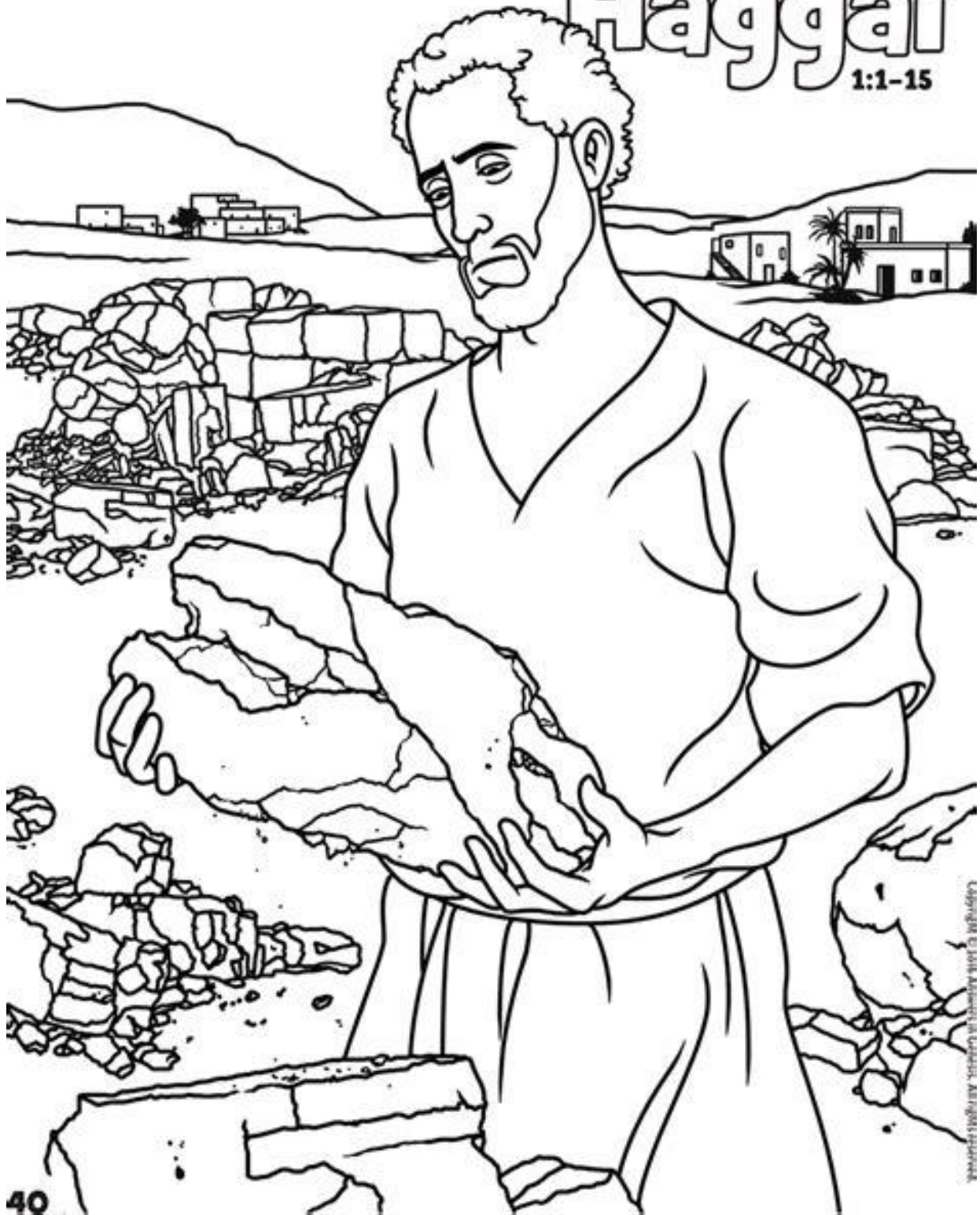
On the hardest day, trusting God always provides hope (2:23)

“On that day, declares the LORD of hosts, I will take you, O Zerubbabel my servant, the son of Shealtiel, declares the LORD, and make you like a signet ring, for I have chosen you, declares the LORD of hosts” (Haggai 2:23).

*“And after the deportation to Babylon: Jechoniah was the father of Shealtiel, and Shealtiel the father of Zerubbabel...and Jacob the father of Joseph the husband of Mary, of whom Jesus was born, who is called Christ”
(Matthew 1:12, 16).*

Haggai

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