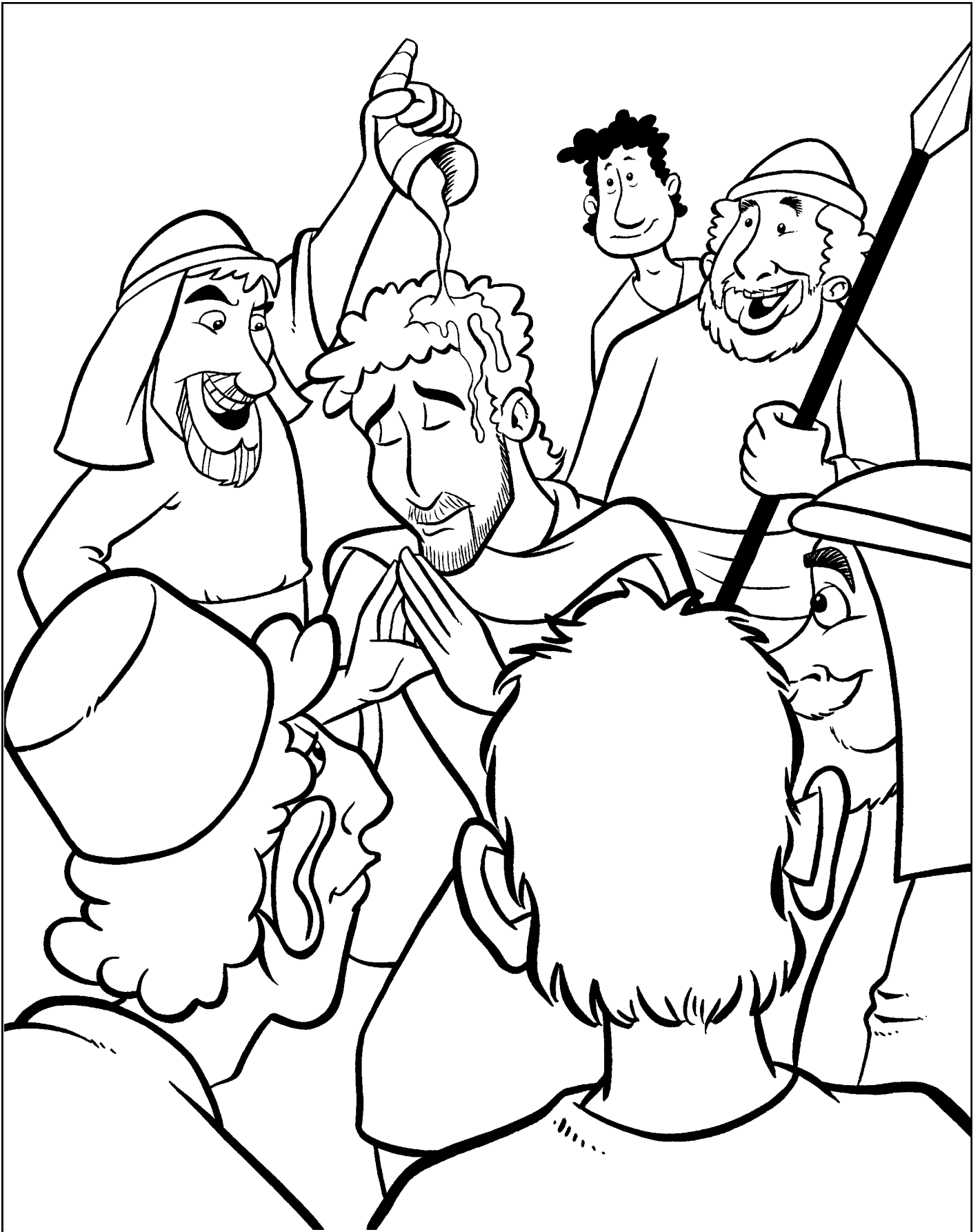




David expressed great sorrow when he heard that Jonathan and Saul were dead (2 Sam. 2:1–15).



“Then the men of Judah came, and there they anointed David king over the house of Judah” (2 Samuel 2:4a).



"Thus says the LORD: 'Would you build a house for Me to dwell in?...The LORD tells you that He will make you a house'" (2 Sam. 7:6, 11b).



**“Then King David went in and sat before the LORD; and he said...‘For Your word’s sake, and according to Your own heart, You have done all these great things’”
(2 Samuel 7:18, 21).**