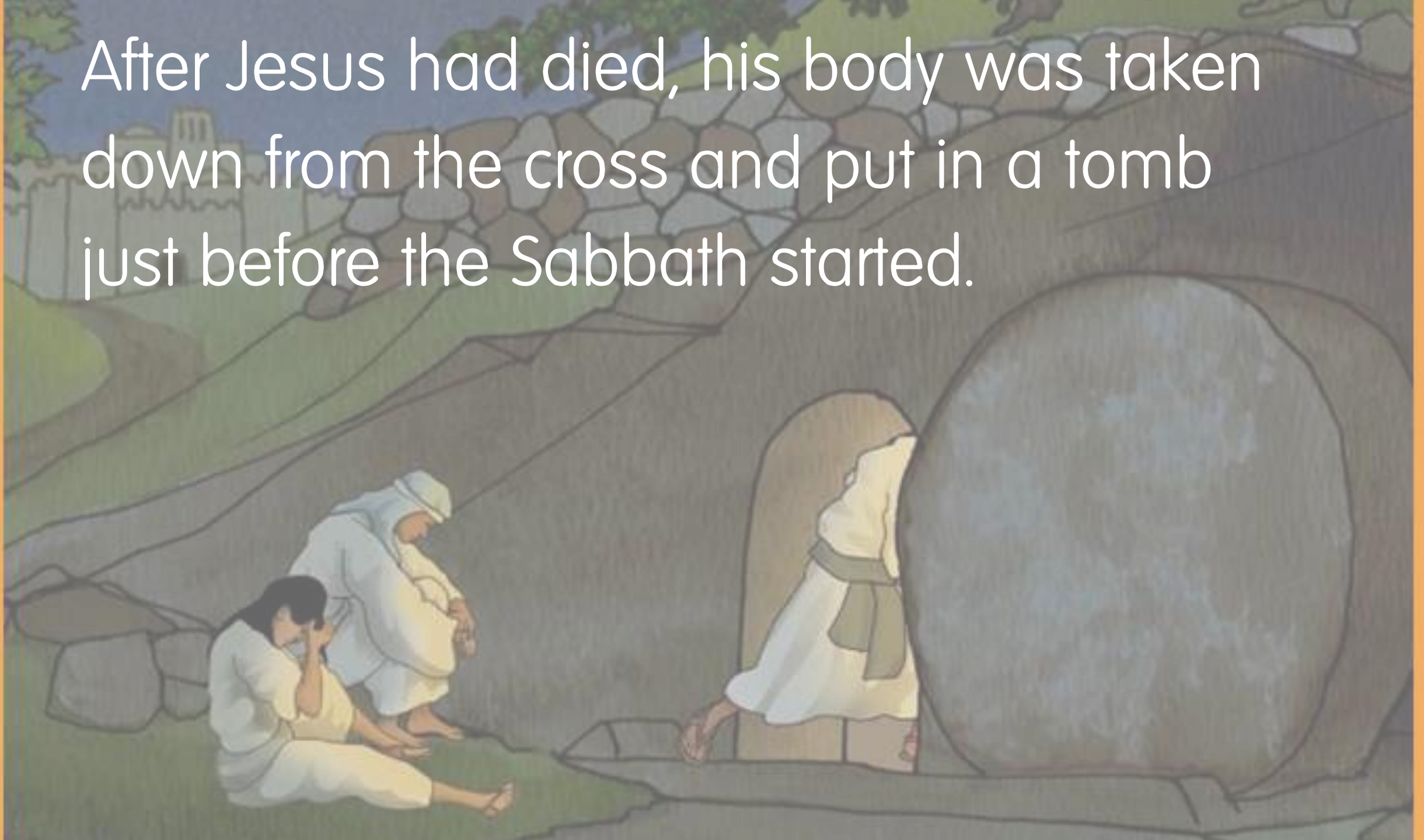


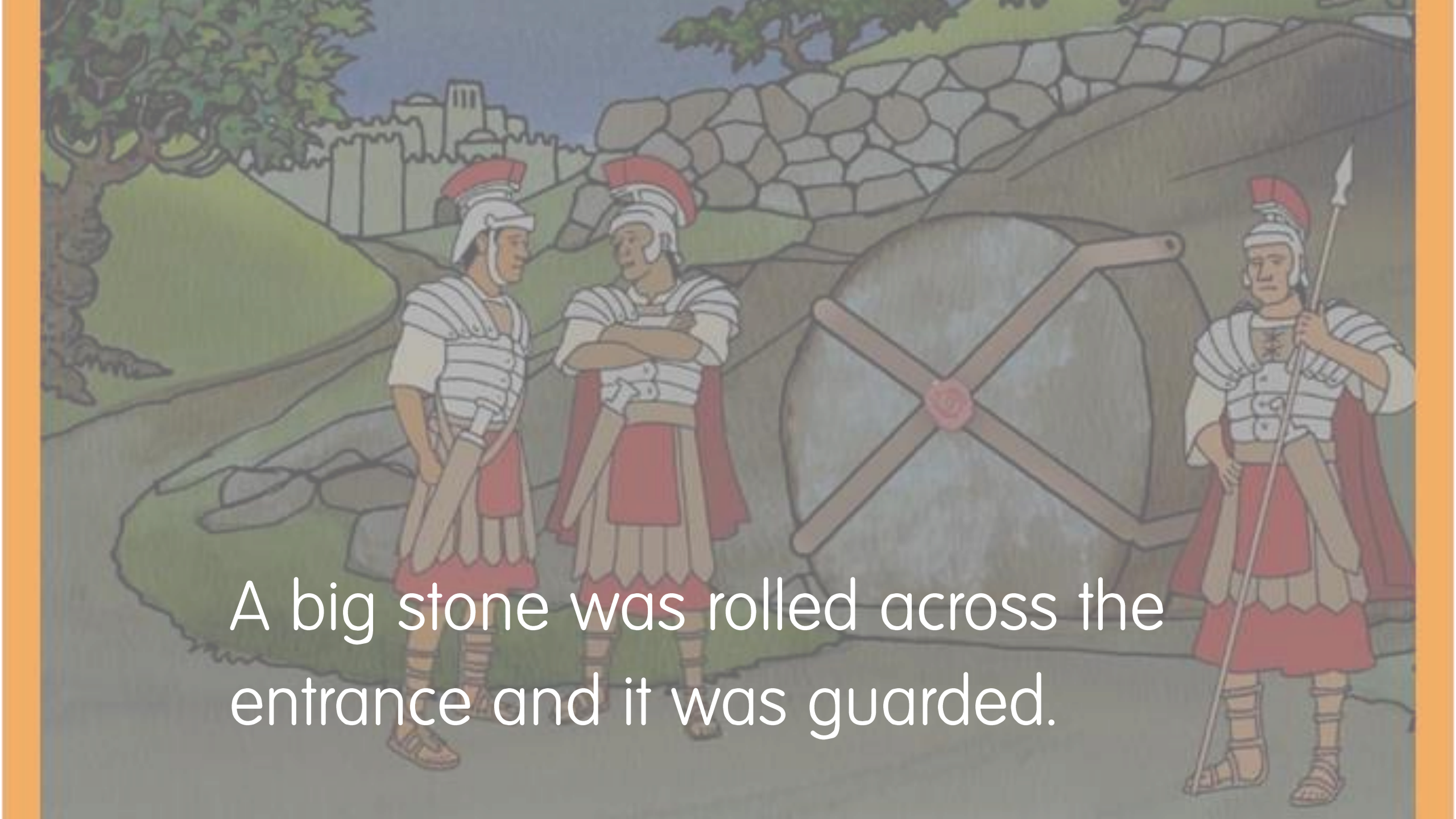
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**Jesus dies on the cross**

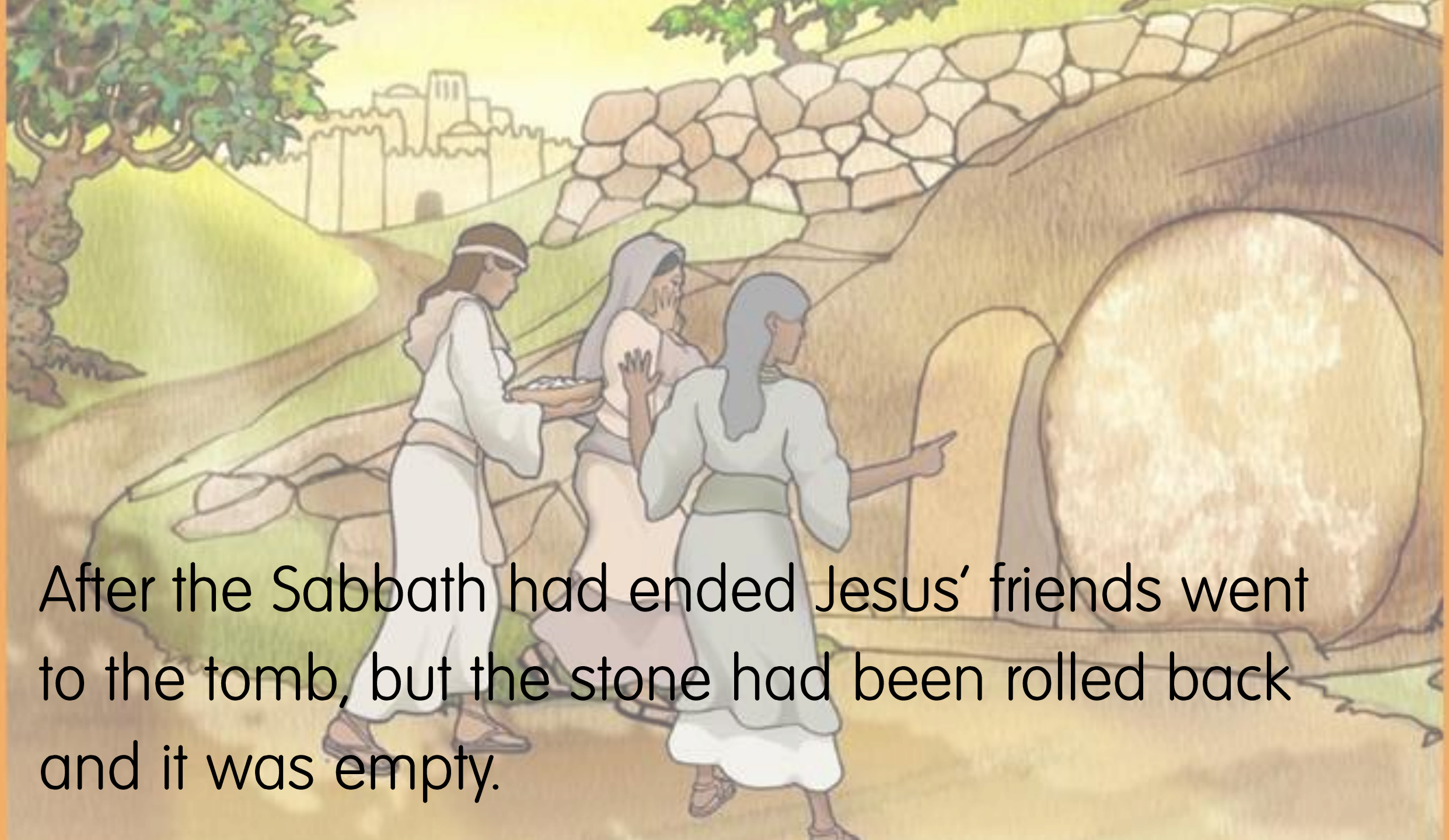


After Jesus had died, his body was taken down from the cross and put in a tomb just before the Sabbath started.

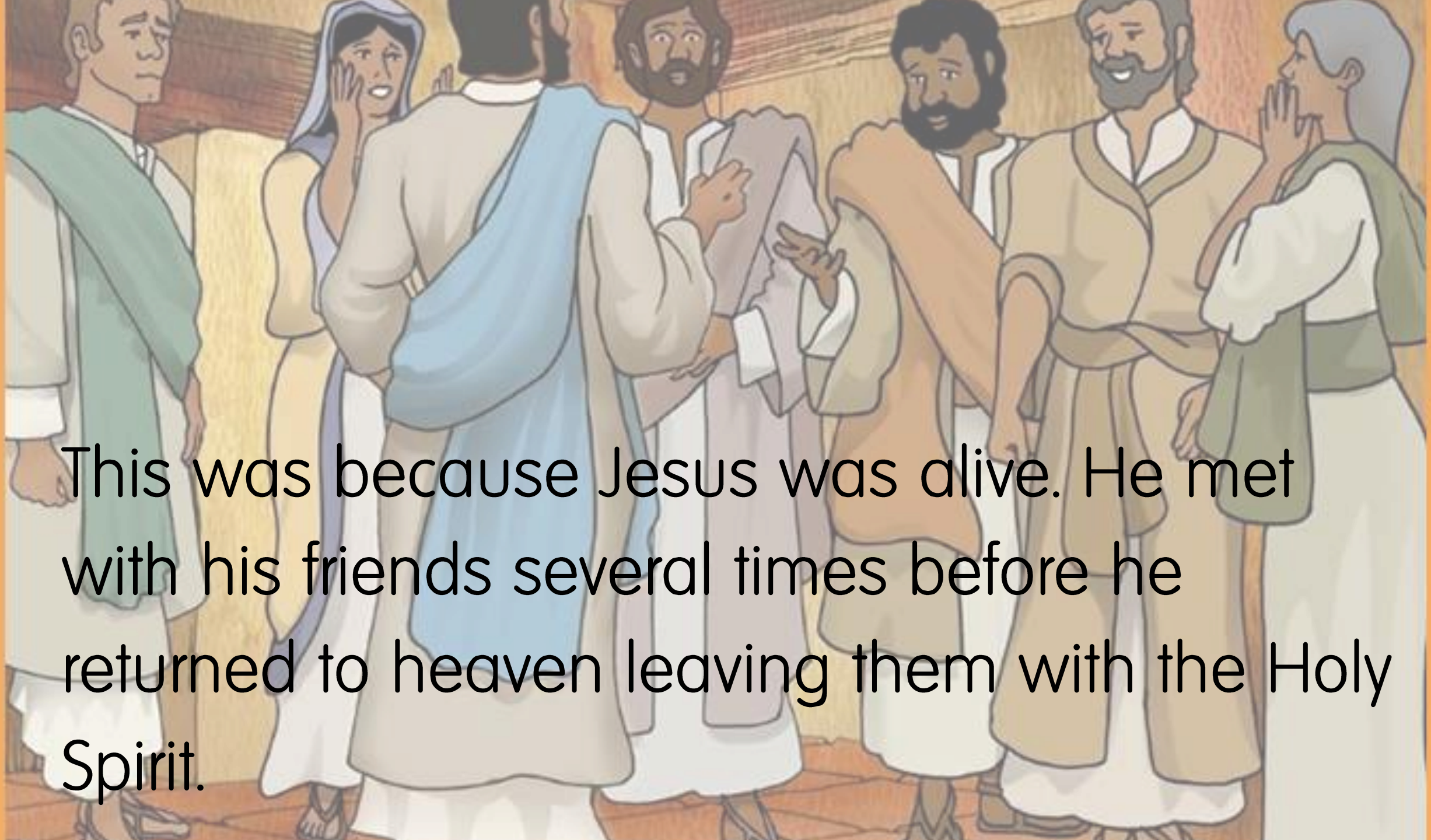


An illustration of three Roman soldiers in traditional armor, including helmets with red plumes and breastplates. They are standing in front of a large, grey stone rolled across a stone-walled entrance. The soldier on the right holds a spear. In the background, a stone wall and a distant city with a tower are visible under a blue sky. The scene is set in a green, hilly landscape.

A big stone was rolled across the entrance and it was guarded.



After the Sabbath had ended Jesus' friends went to the tomb, but the stone had been rolled back and it was empty.



This was because Jesus was alive. He met with his friends several times before he returned to heaven leaving them with the Holy Spirit.