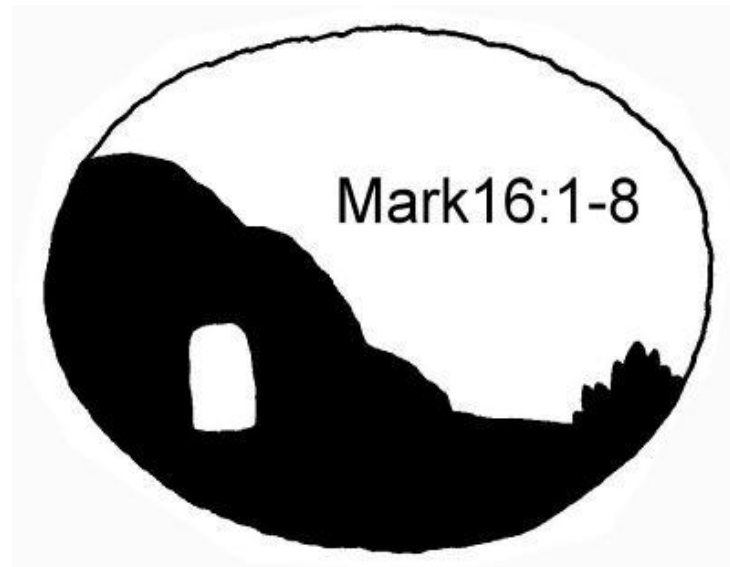
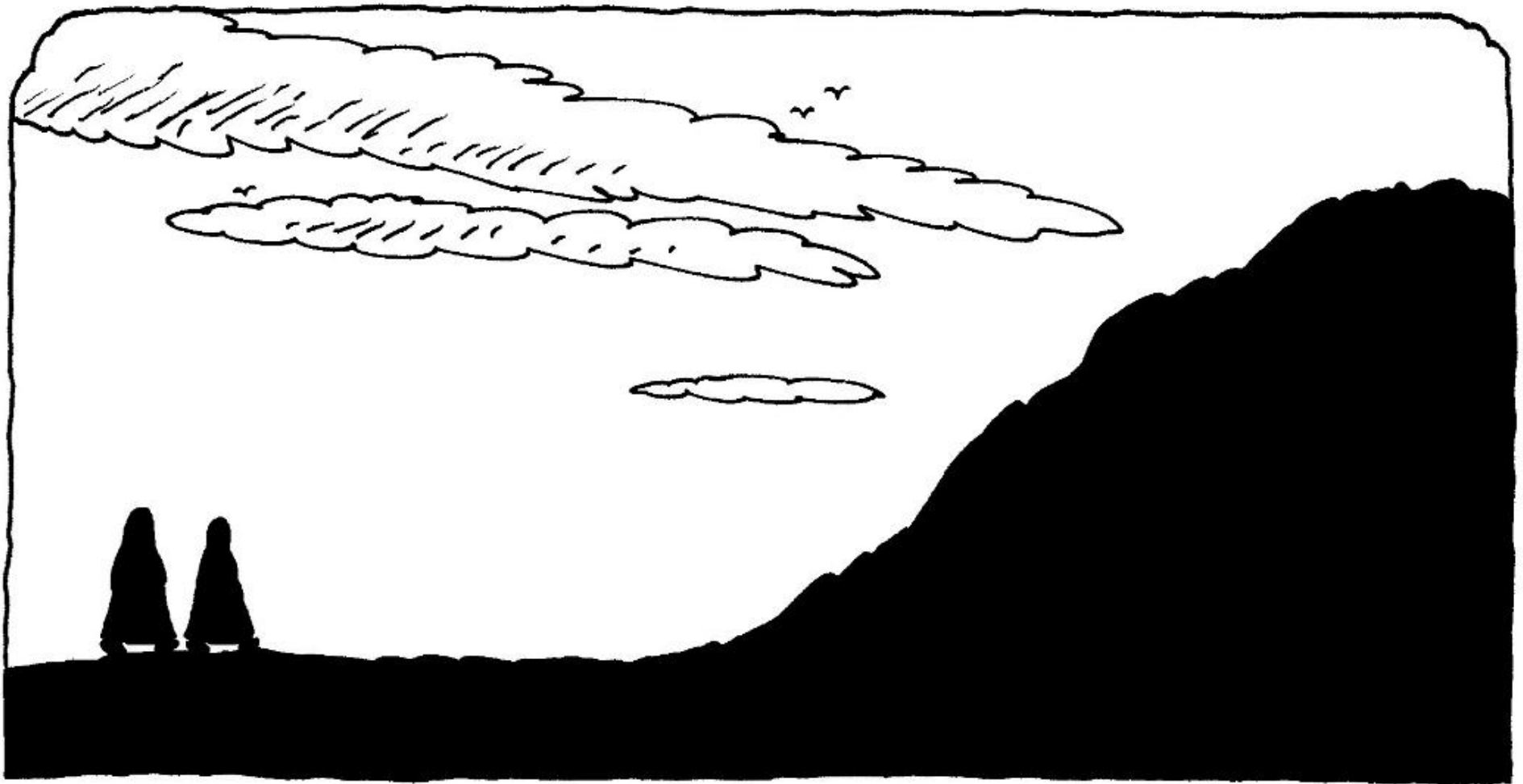


# He's Alive!

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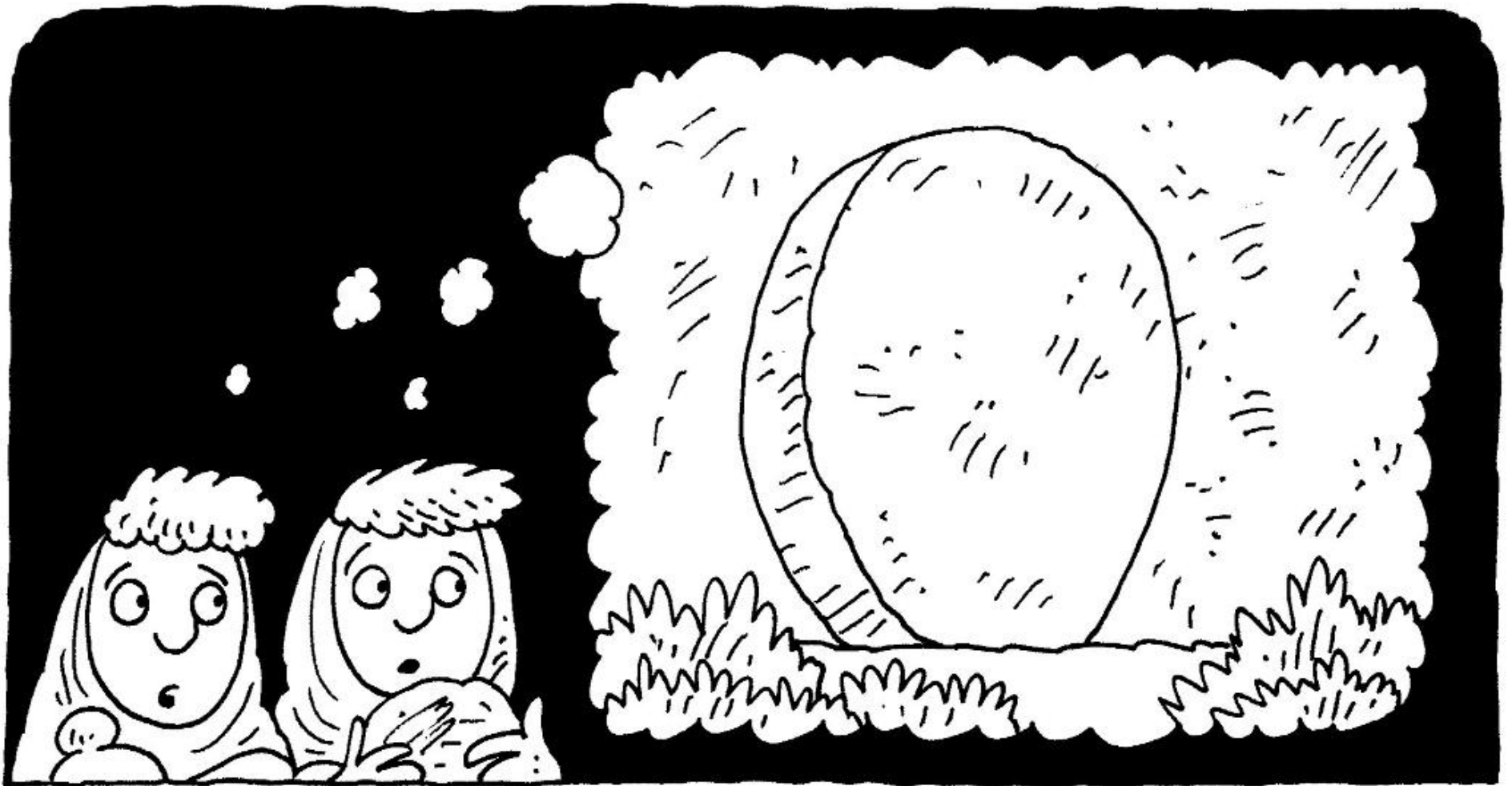
Very early on Sunday morning,  
three days after Jesus died on the cross,  
two of His friends, both called Mary,  
went to the tomb.



They took special perfumes and spices  
to wash Jesus with.  
They were feeling sad.  
They loved Jesus.



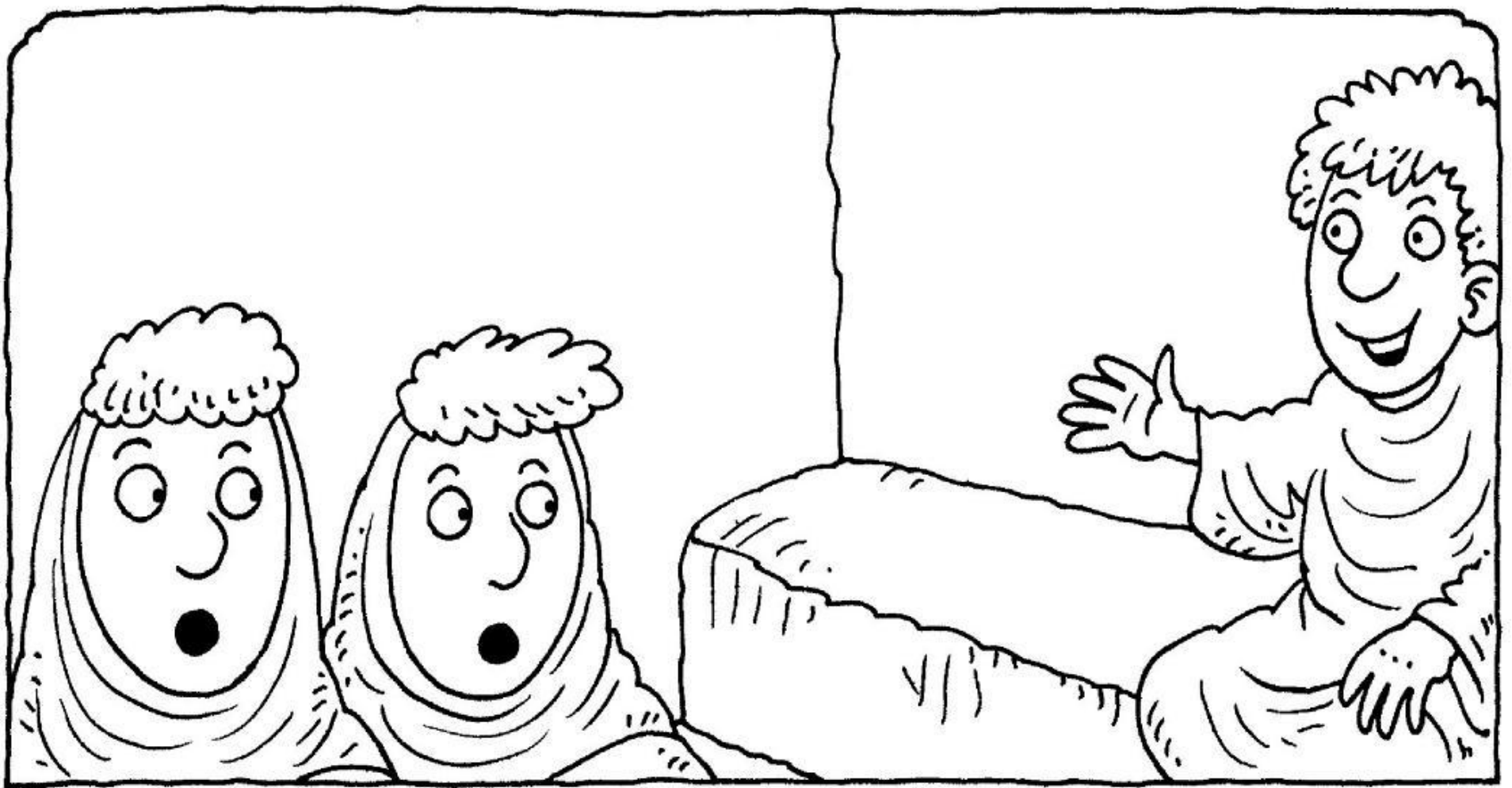
They had seen where Jesus  
had been put in a tomb,  
like a cave,  
and they knew where it was.



But how could they  
move the BIG, heavy stone  
the soldiers had  
put over the door?



They got a surprise  
when they got there.  
The stone had been rolled away  
and the soldiers had all gone!



They went inside  
and saw an angel!  
But where was Jesus?  
“Don't be frightened,” said the angel.



Jesus isn't here.  
He is alive!" he said.  
"Go and tell everyone  
the wonderful news."