

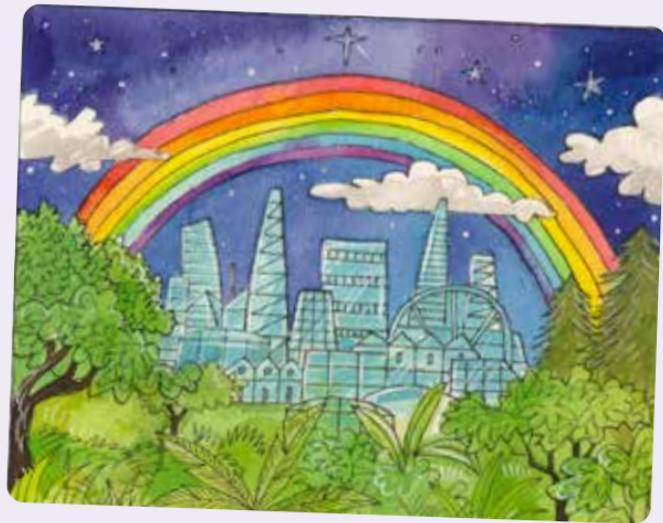
In his vision, John sees the city of God coming from heaven to earth, so that God can live with human beings.

In my vision, the first earth, where we live now, had gone. The first heaven had gone. The sea had gone too.

I saw a new heaven and a new earth. Coming out of the new heaven was a city; it was the new Jerusalem, coming from God down to the new earth, looking as beautiful as a woman coming to meet her husband on her wedding day. *

As the new Jerusalem came down, a loud voice from the throne in heaven said, 'See! God's home is with human beings. He will live among them and they will be his people.

'God will be with his people, wiping away all the tears from their eyes. There will be no more death or pain; there will be no more mourning or crying, because the first earth and the first heaven have passed away.' *



'See!' said the one sitting on the throne in heaven, 'I am making everything new.' Then he said to me, 'It is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. *

'I will give a gift to everyone who is thirsty and the gift will be the water of life.'

Revelation 21.1-6

* See *Share the Word*.