The Words of Isaiah

2 Kings 19

This activity is about Isaiah, an important and powerful prophet of the Lord. In 2 Kings 19 Isaiah speaks the Lord's words, telling of the evils of Assyria and prophesying a better time for Judah. Parts of this speech are given in the chart below. In your own words, describe what you think the Lord was talking about in each verse.

"By your messengers you have reproached the Lord." verse 23	
"Did you not hear long ago how I made it, from ancient times that I formed it?" verse 25	
"But I know your dwelling place, your going out and your coming in." verse 27	
"I will put My hook in your nose and My bridle in your lips, and I will turn you back by the way which you came. verse. 28	
"He shall not come into this city, nor shoot an arrow there." verse 32	
"I will defend this city to save it for My own sake and for My servant David's sake." verse 34	

What did Hezekiah do to deserve the Lord's protection from the Assyrians?

You can learn more about Hezekiah and the history of Judah and Israel from the book of Isaiah. Isaiah describes many events that took place. He also prophesies that Judah and Israel will fall and that the Lord will be born on earth. He often uses a poetic style.