



Milk and Honey Club



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Theme 1: -‘In the Beginning’ Part 1 – God the Creator



- Explore reasons to believe why God exists.
- Explain to the child(ren) that you’ll be spending some time (each week) with them learning things about God and having fun making and drawing things.

Material Needed

- ☐ Bible(s) suitable for children
- ☐ Child Safe Scissors
- ☐ Colour Pens/Pencils
- ☐ Glue Stick
- ☐ Paper Clips

- ☐ Bible Booklet - When God Made Everything – Options to print as A5 or A4 booklet to colour or already coloured
- ☐ Bang or Build pictures
- ☐ Creation Days Cards Sheet
- ☐ Creation Day 1 Question Sheet and Handwriting Sheet
- ☐ God Created Everything Picture to colour/name
- ☐ Creation song Day 1 and Day 2
- ☐ Candle making Sheets
- ☐ Magnet and string to make ‘fishing rod’ (optional)

Topics:- God is the maker / creator of everything. Light and Dark, Day and Night, Sky. Order comes from a builder not a ‘Bang’!



Prayer:- Invite child(ren) to think of something to thank God for, and something to ask God for... (Suggestion – thank God for making everything good from the beginning, and to help us to get to know Him).

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Bible Verses –

Genesis chapter 1 verse 1,
Genesis chapter 2 verses 1-3,
Hebrews chapter 11 verse 3

Story: When God made everything.

Activities



1. ‘Bang or Build?’ (Compare picture of explosion and of a builder)
Talk about what follows a bang / explosion and how it is different from a mind that can make a plan and build something.
There needs to be a God with a heart and mind to make people who can think and feel. (see discussion questions)
2. ‘God made everything’ – Show creation pictures and explain the order in which things were made by God. Then mix them up and ask the child(ren) to put them in order.
3. Show verse one of creation song (To the tune of ‘Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star’).
Practise writing verse.
4. Ask questions about light and dark. See Day 1 Question Sheet
Make ‘candle’ picture – colour and cut out pieces to stick on large candle.

Discussion Questions

- Do you think God is real?
- Why? / Why not? (- who made the sun, the trees, etc?)
- Ask someone you know why they think God is real...
- Do you know what people who don’t think God is real say about where everything came from? (- from a ‘bang’ when 2 pieces of rock hit each other in space!)
- Do you think something living can come from something that’s not alive?
- What happens when things go ‘bang’? – Mess or tidiness / order?

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Extra Activities for Theme 1

Suggested Activities:



- Read Genesis chapter one from the children’s bible – a little at a time, with questions for recall.
- Give the child(ren) the ‘When God Make Everything’ bible story to read and colour.
- Show the child(ren) days 1-7 creation pictures / blocks. See if they can place them in order. (Use magnetic ‘fishing’ game - optional)
- Practice verses one and two of creation song (To the tune of ‘Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star’).
- Discuss / ask why light is important? Why was it made first?
- Explain about ‘light’ for the mind:
The sun or a lamp gives light for the eyes, but do you know a different kind of light that comes from helping someone to understand something? (It comes by words and it’s called... (knowledge) – it is ‘light’ for thinking – when people teach things they are giving this light.) Read Psalm 119 verse 105.

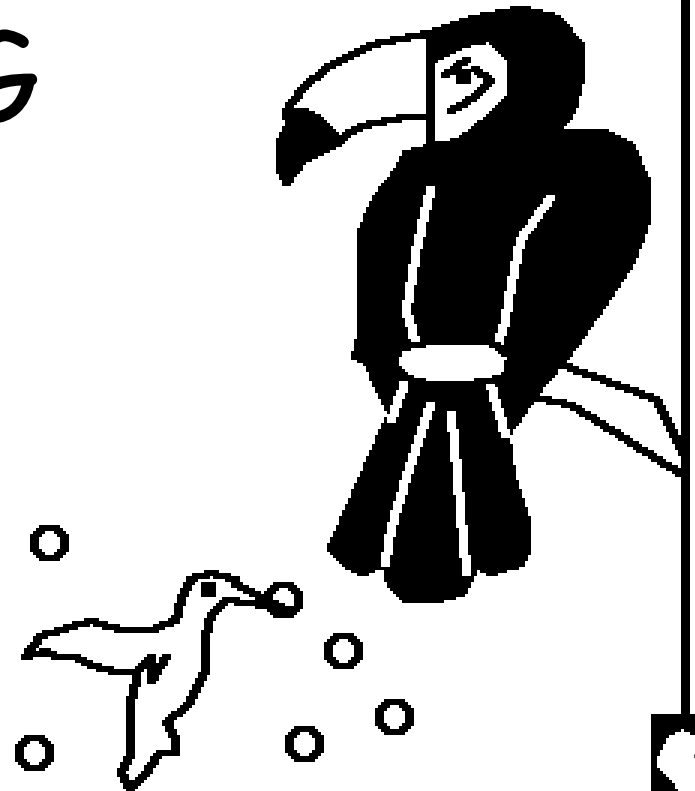
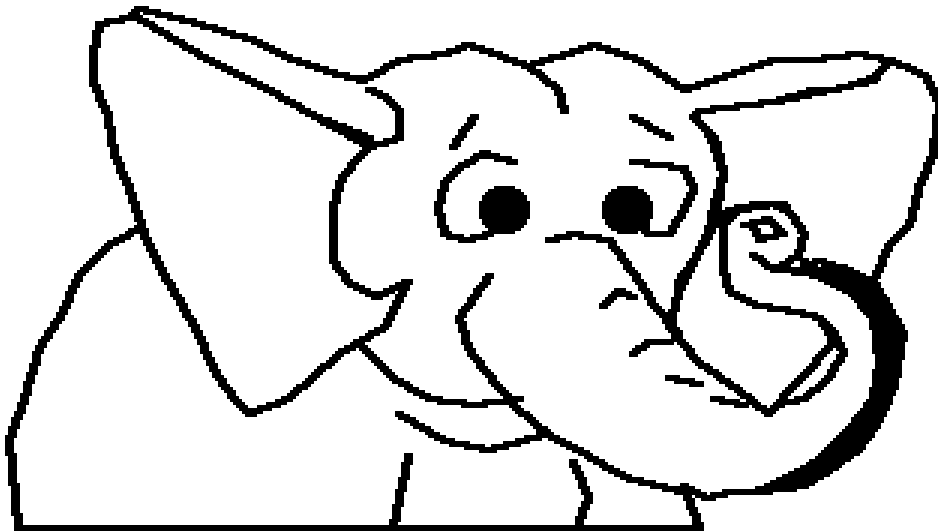
Prayer Points



- Thank God for making everything so we can know that He loves us.
- Thank God for the people who love us and all the things we can enjoy in nature eg. Sun, flowers, food, animals.
- Ask God to help us see how we can care for the people and things around us.

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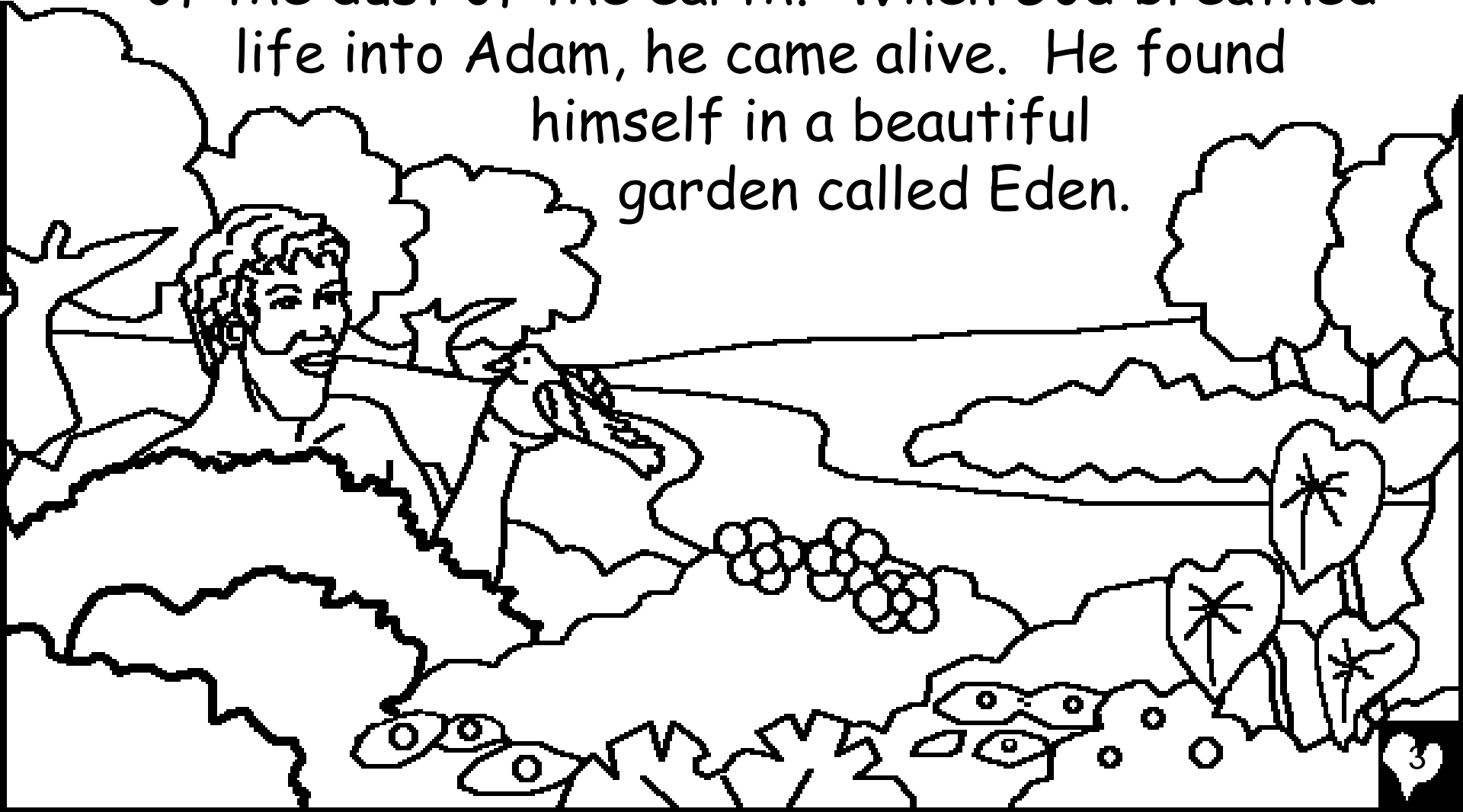
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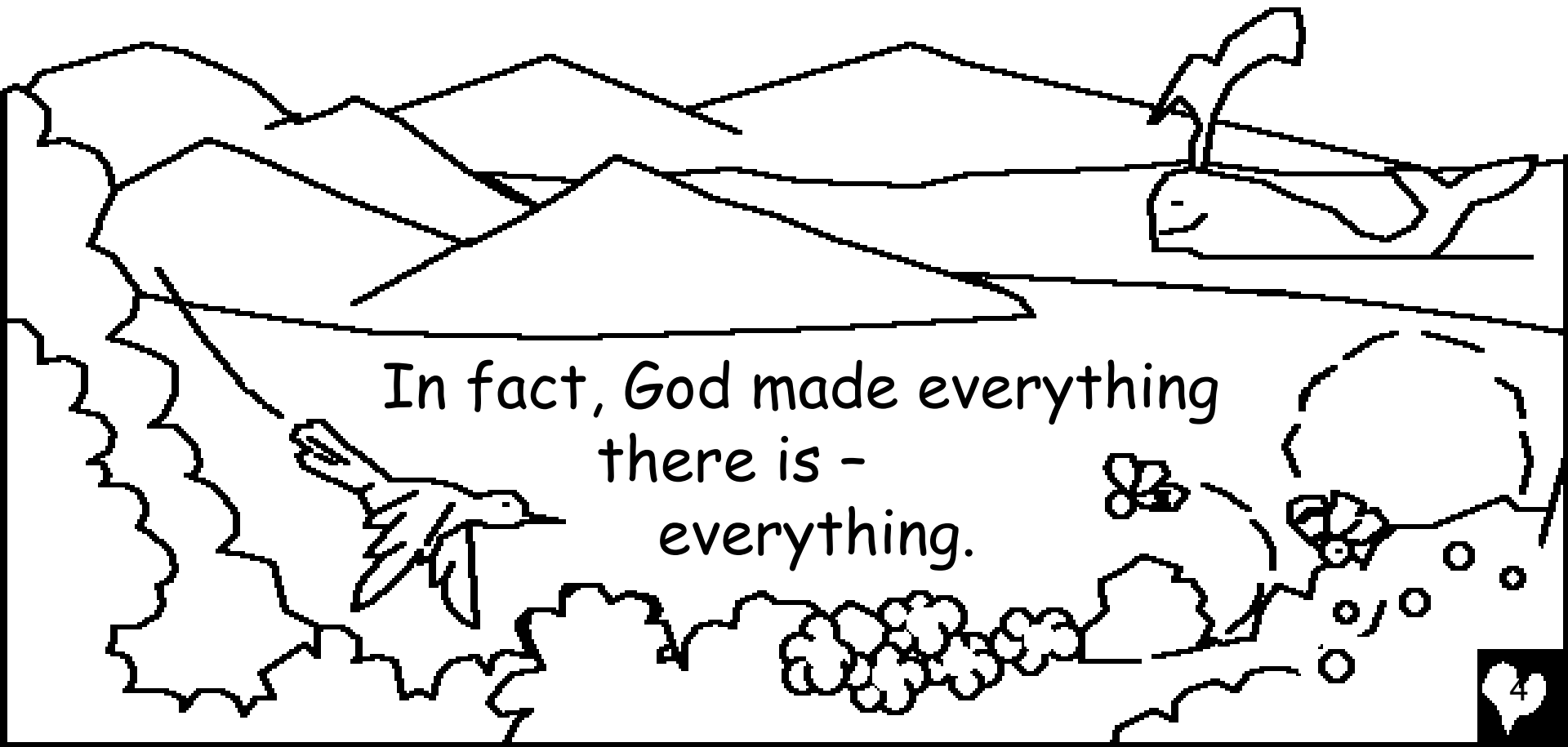
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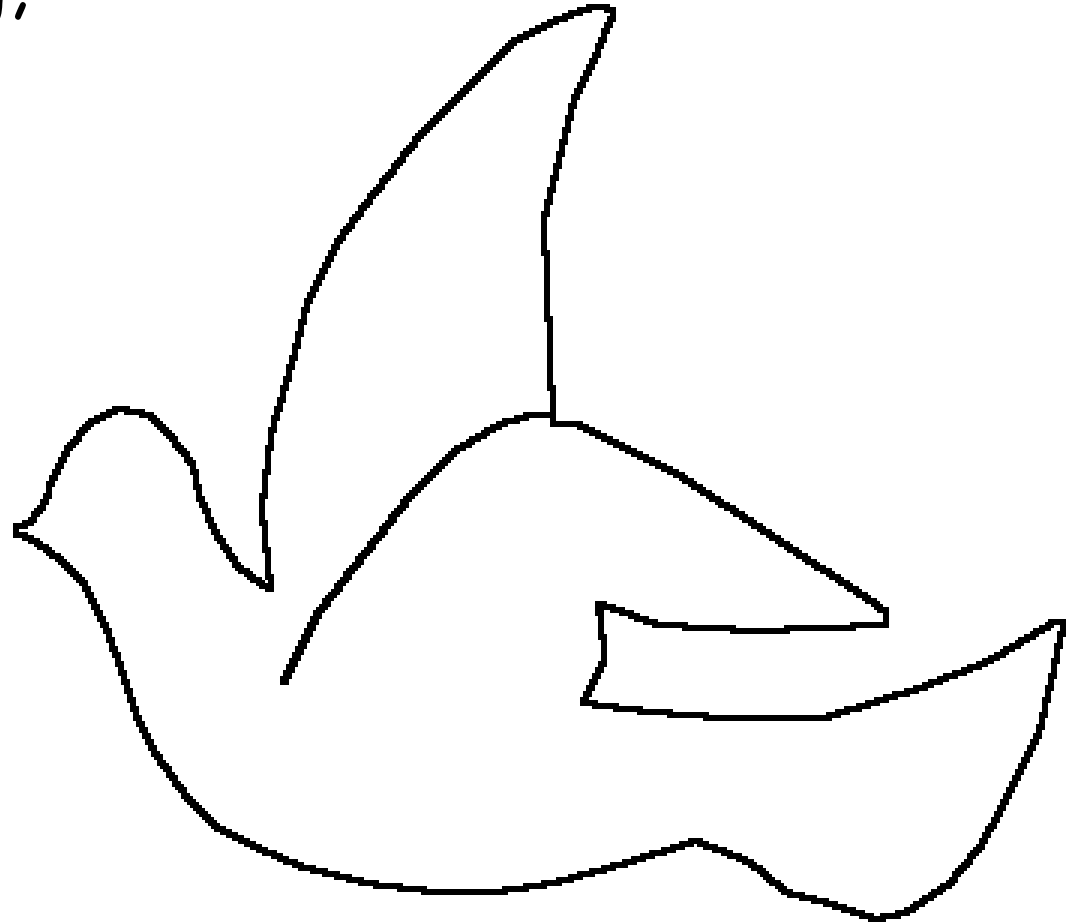
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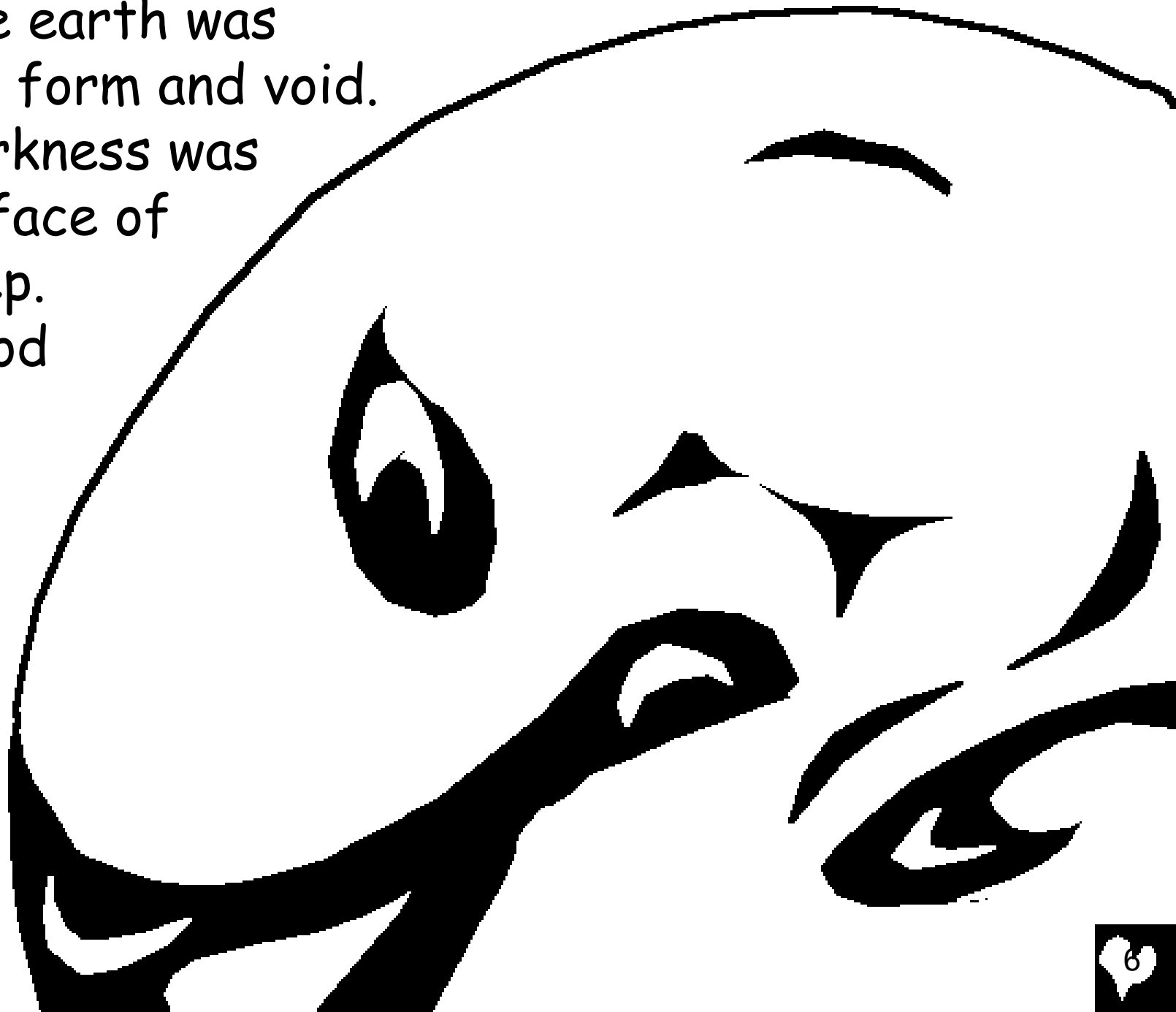
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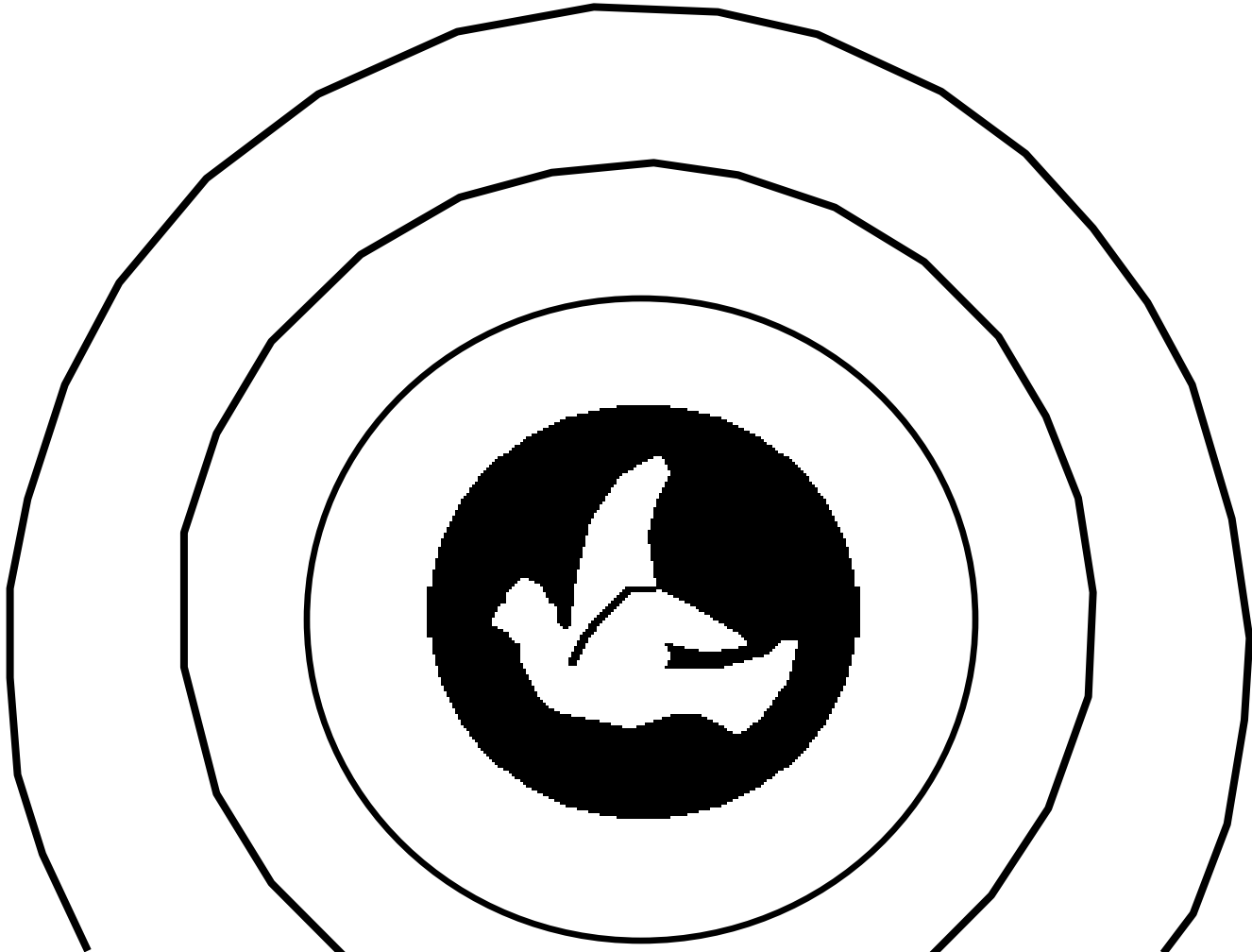


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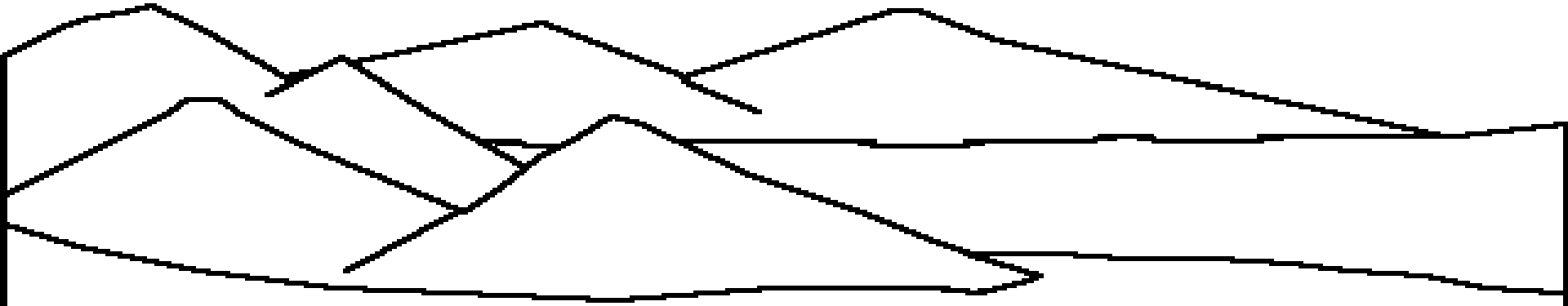


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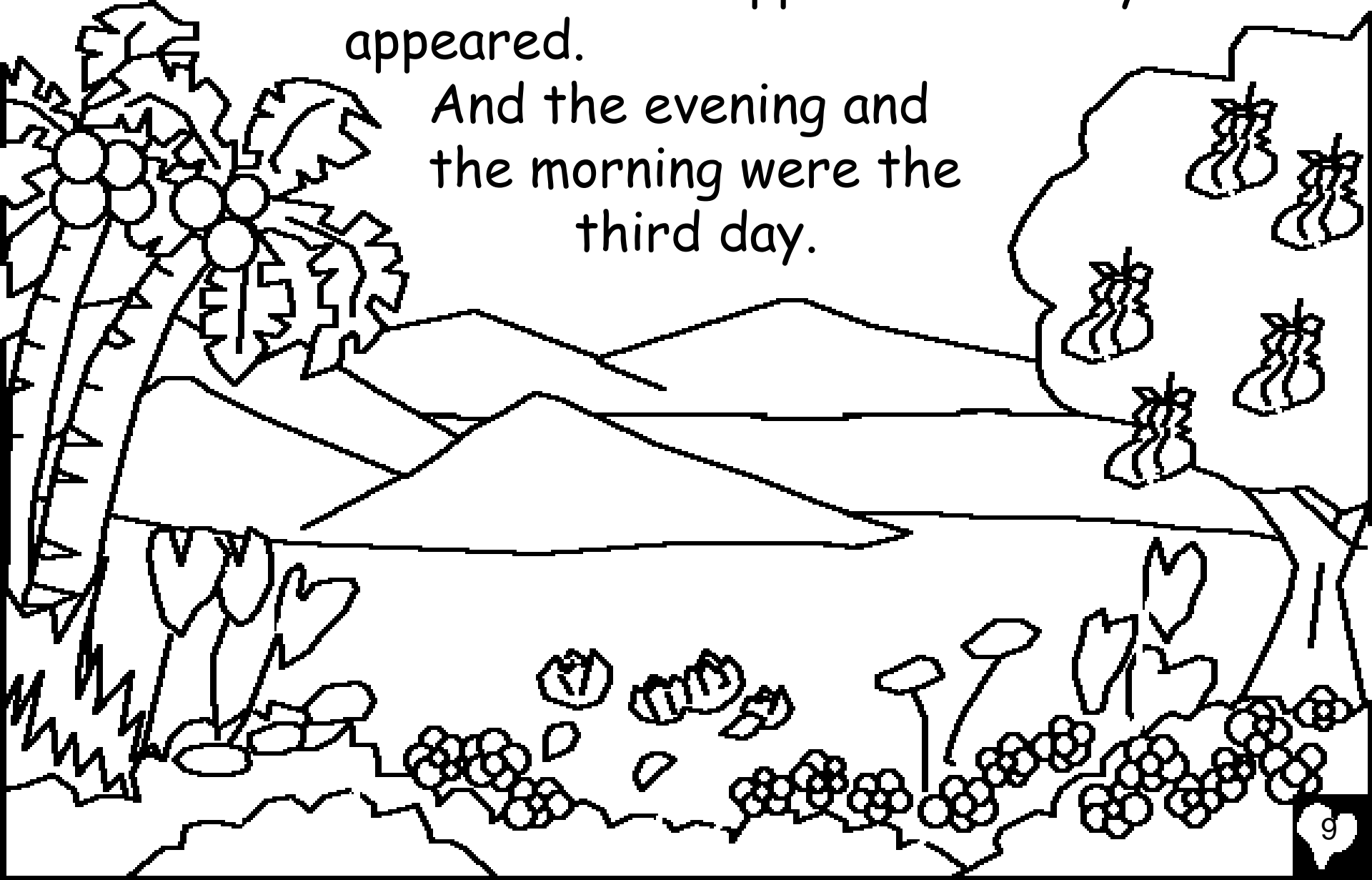


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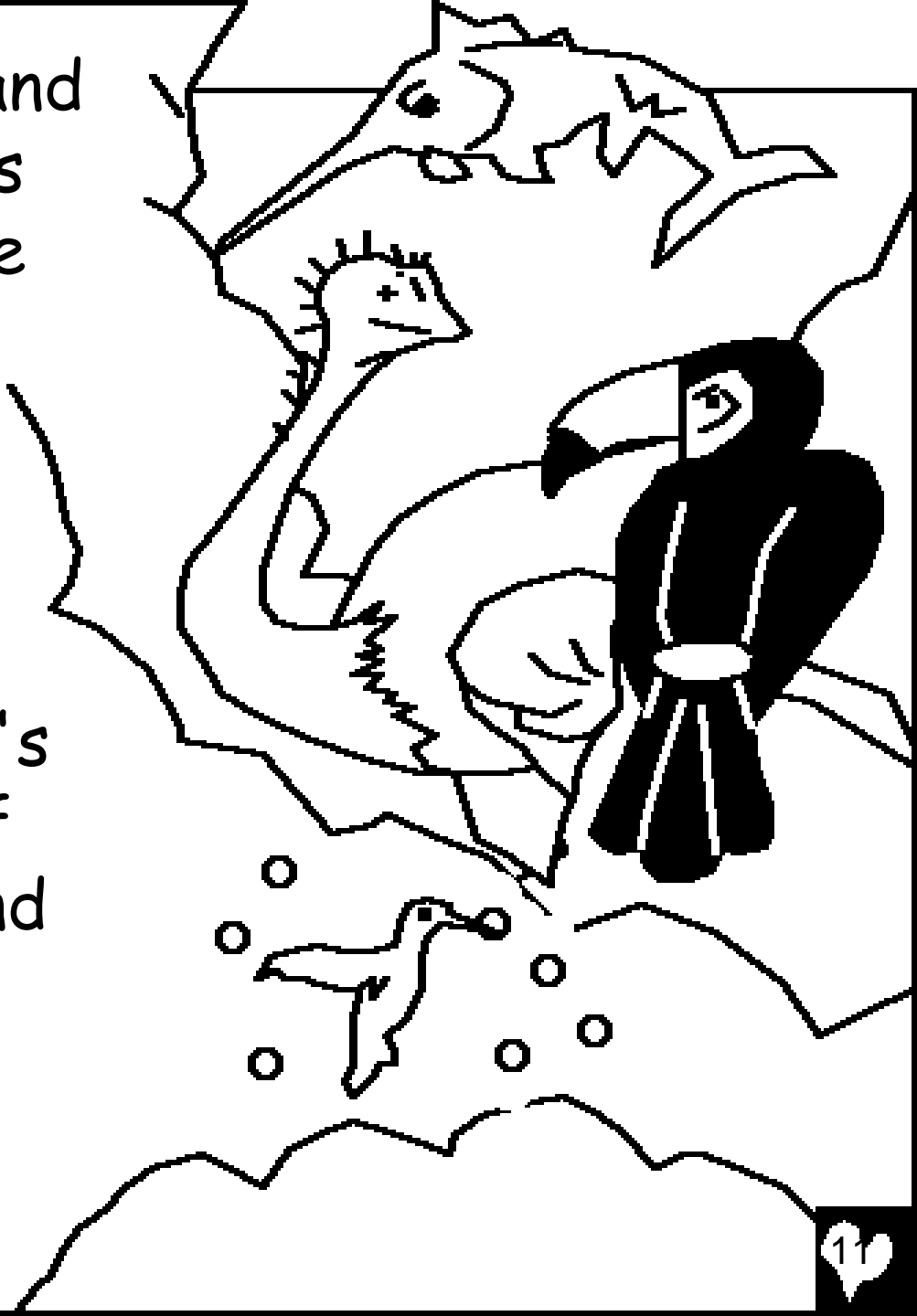
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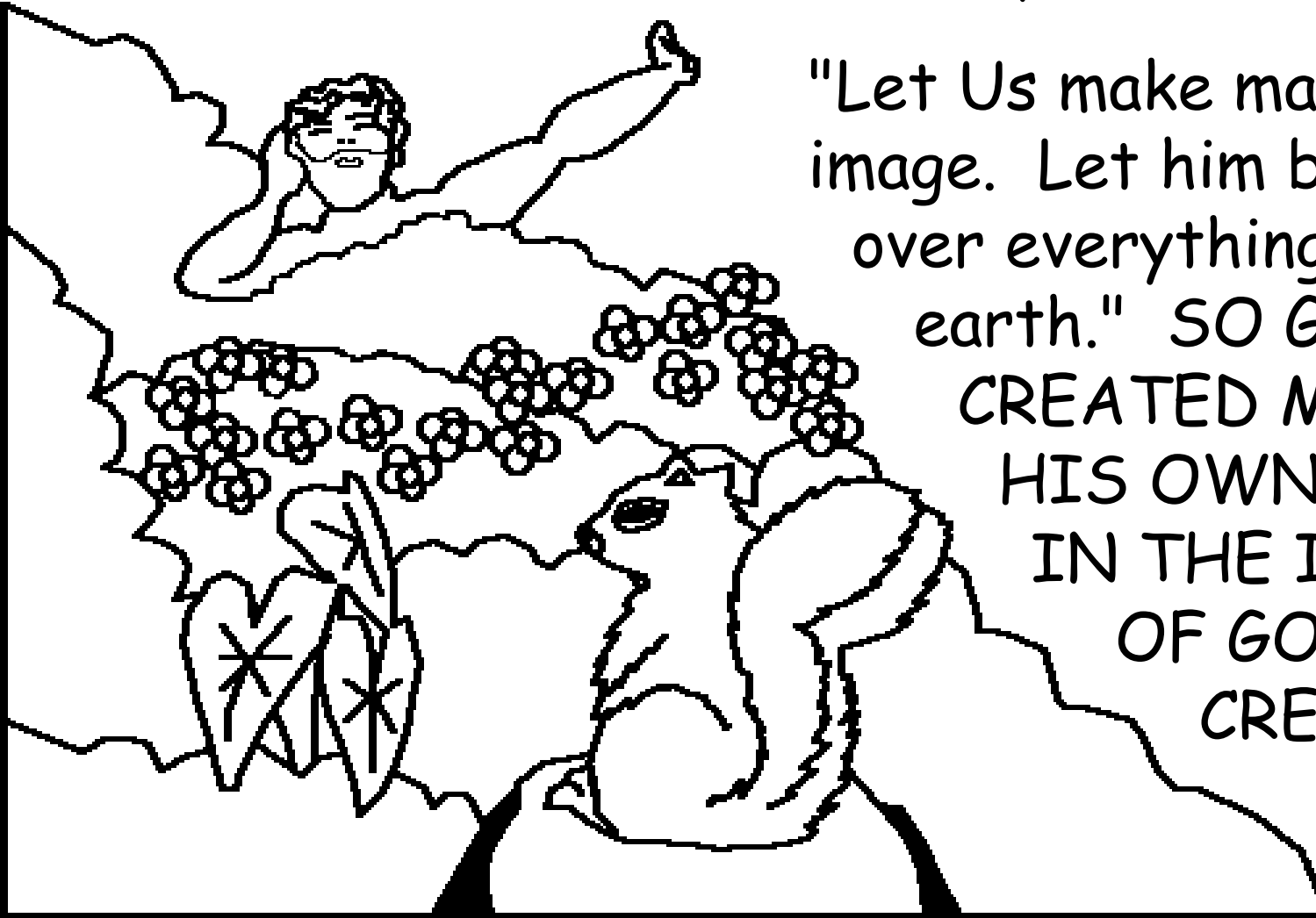
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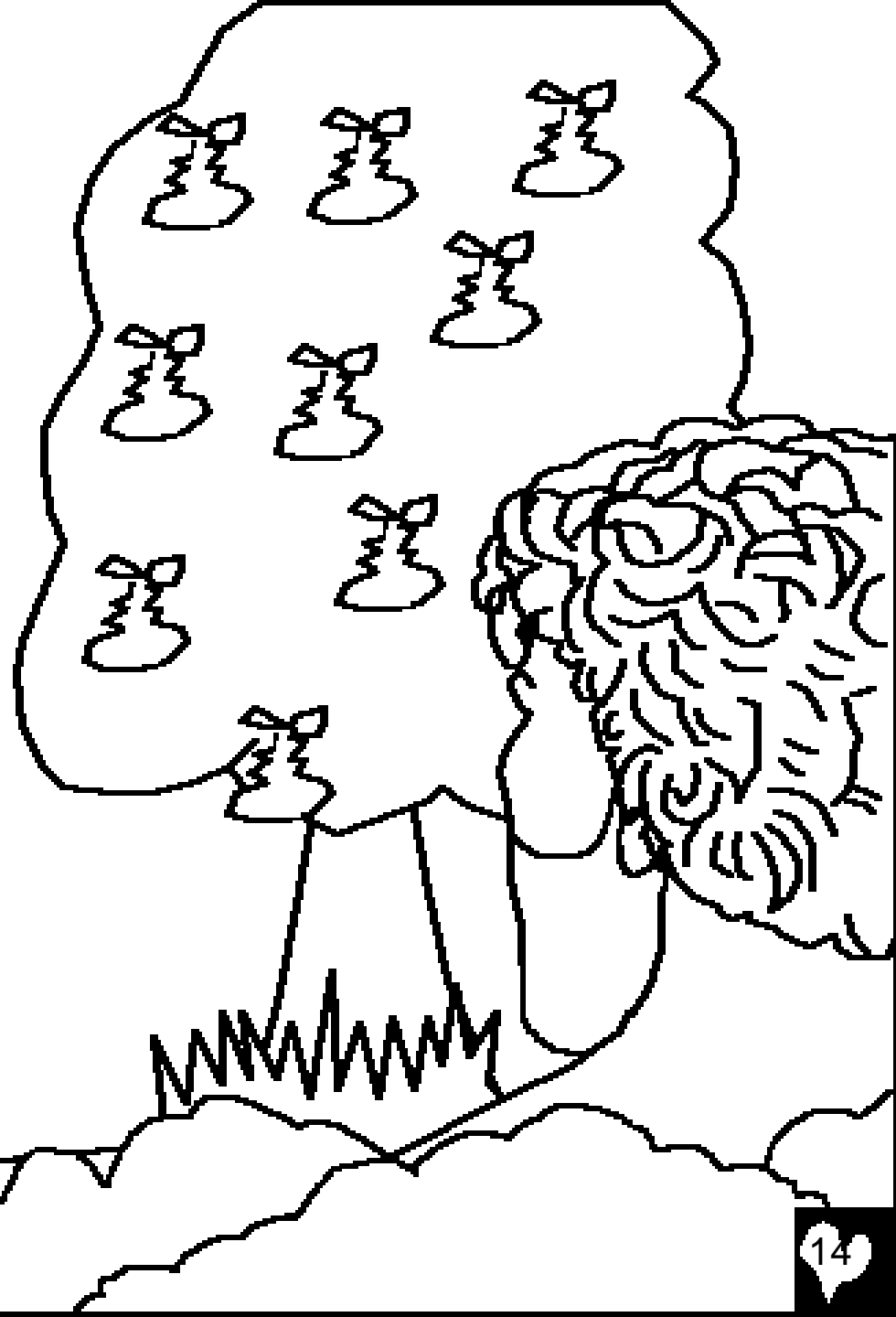


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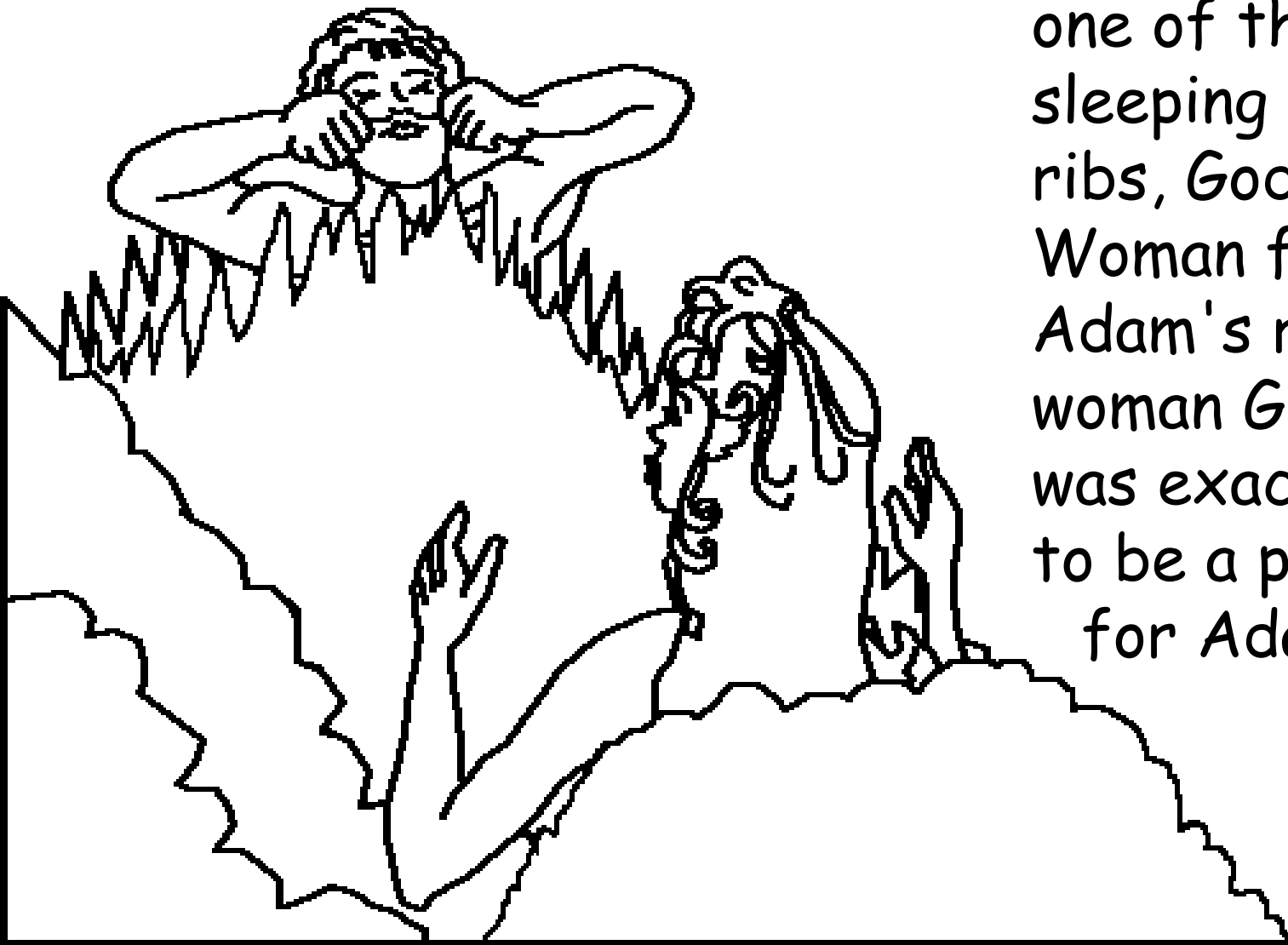
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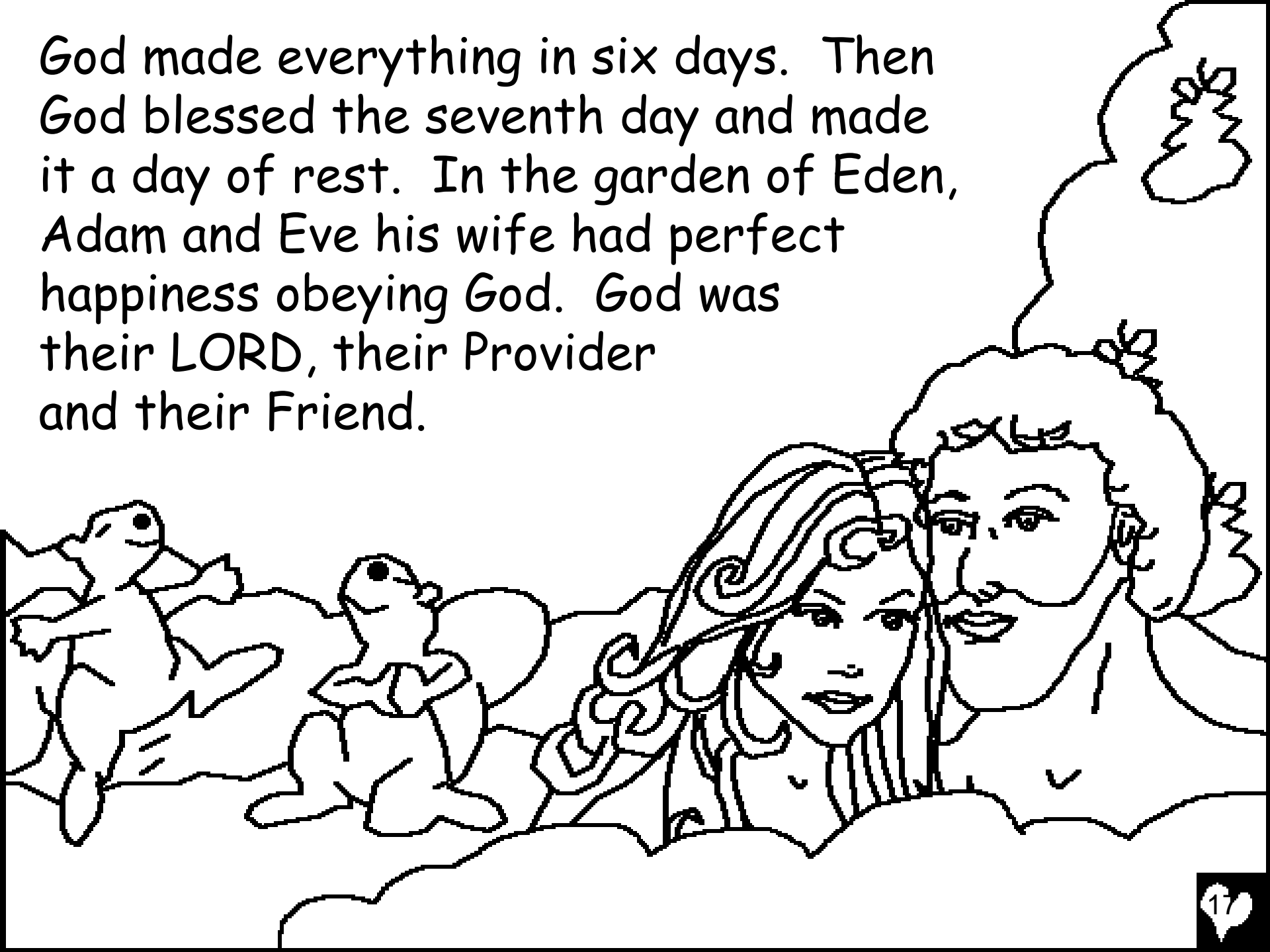
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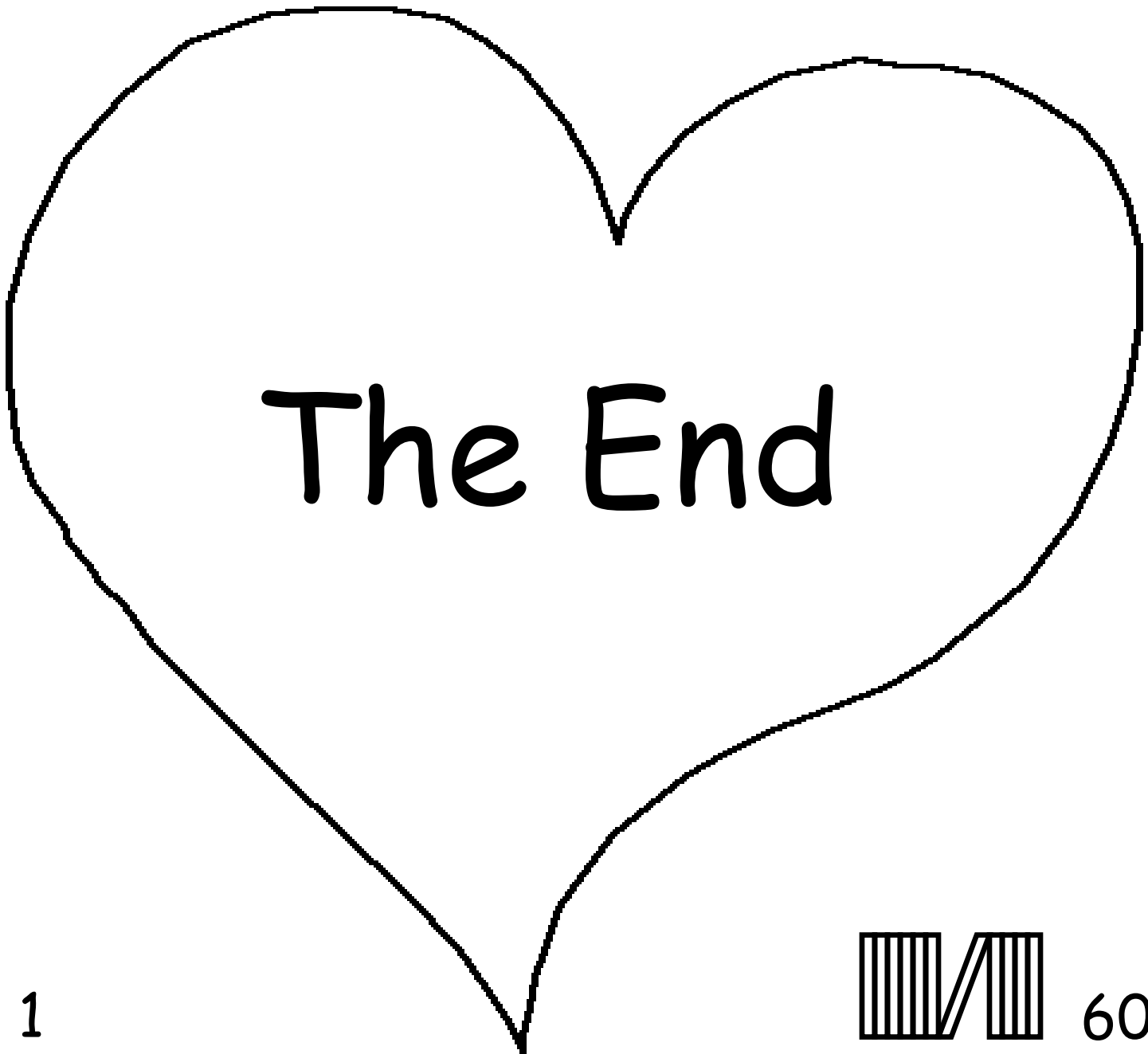
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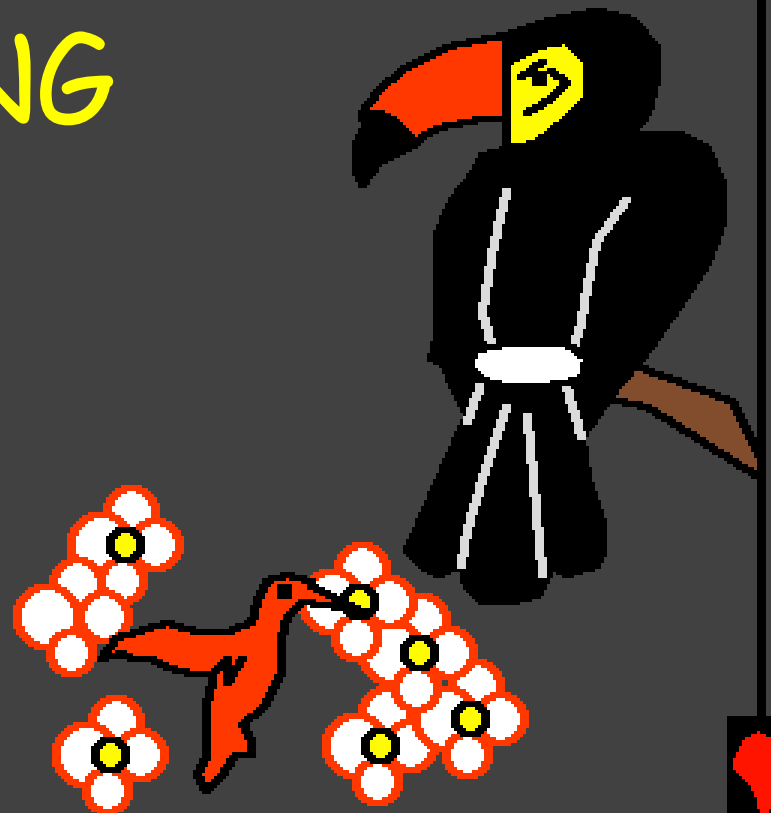
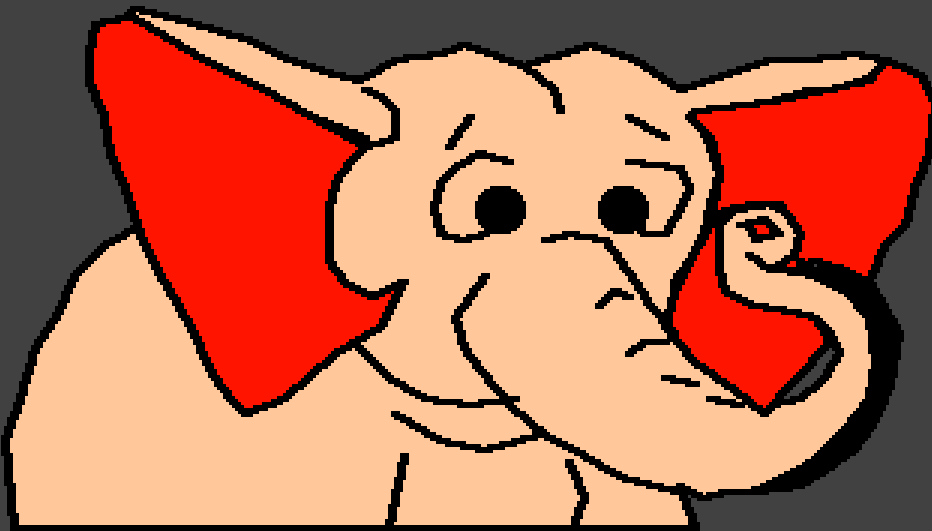
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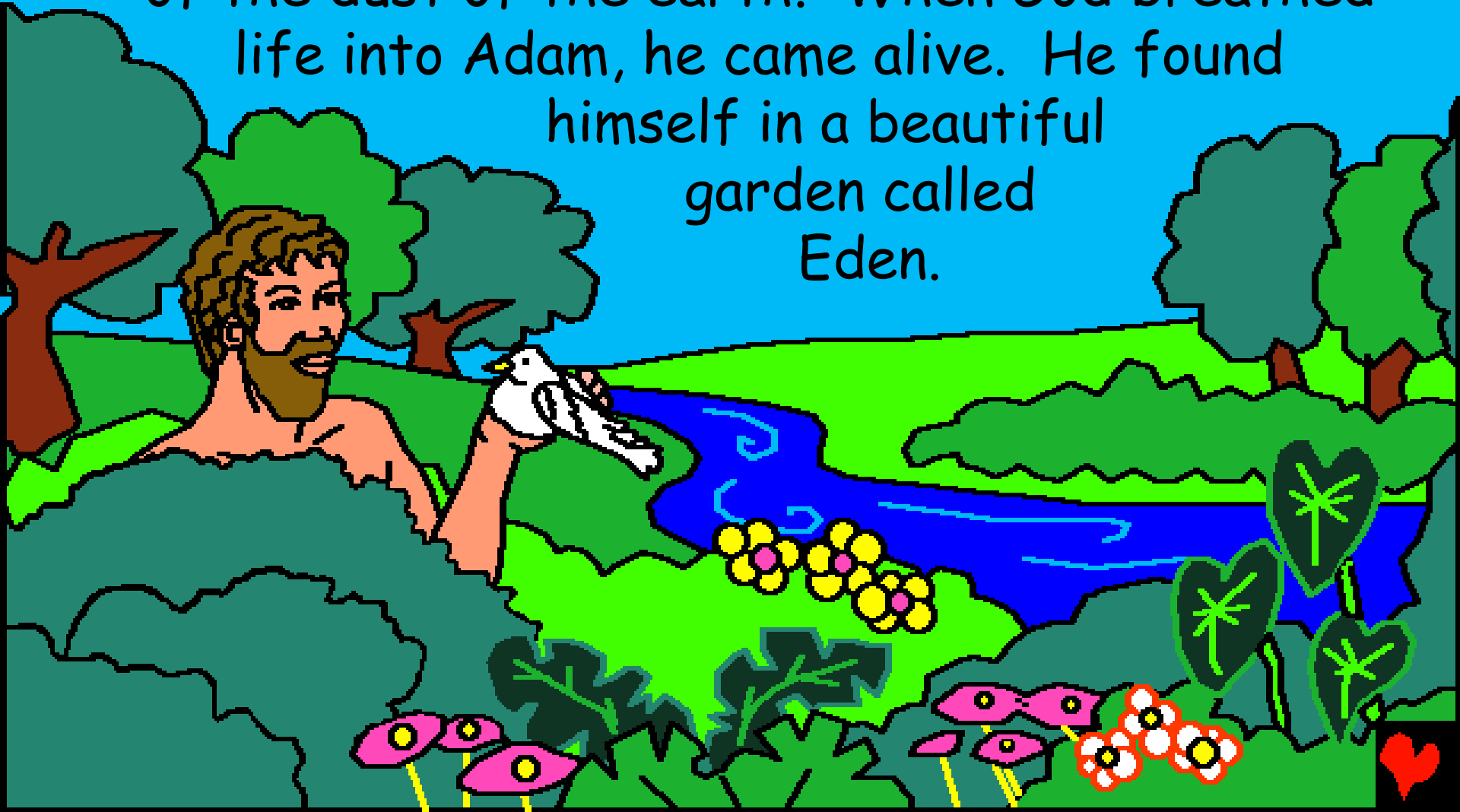
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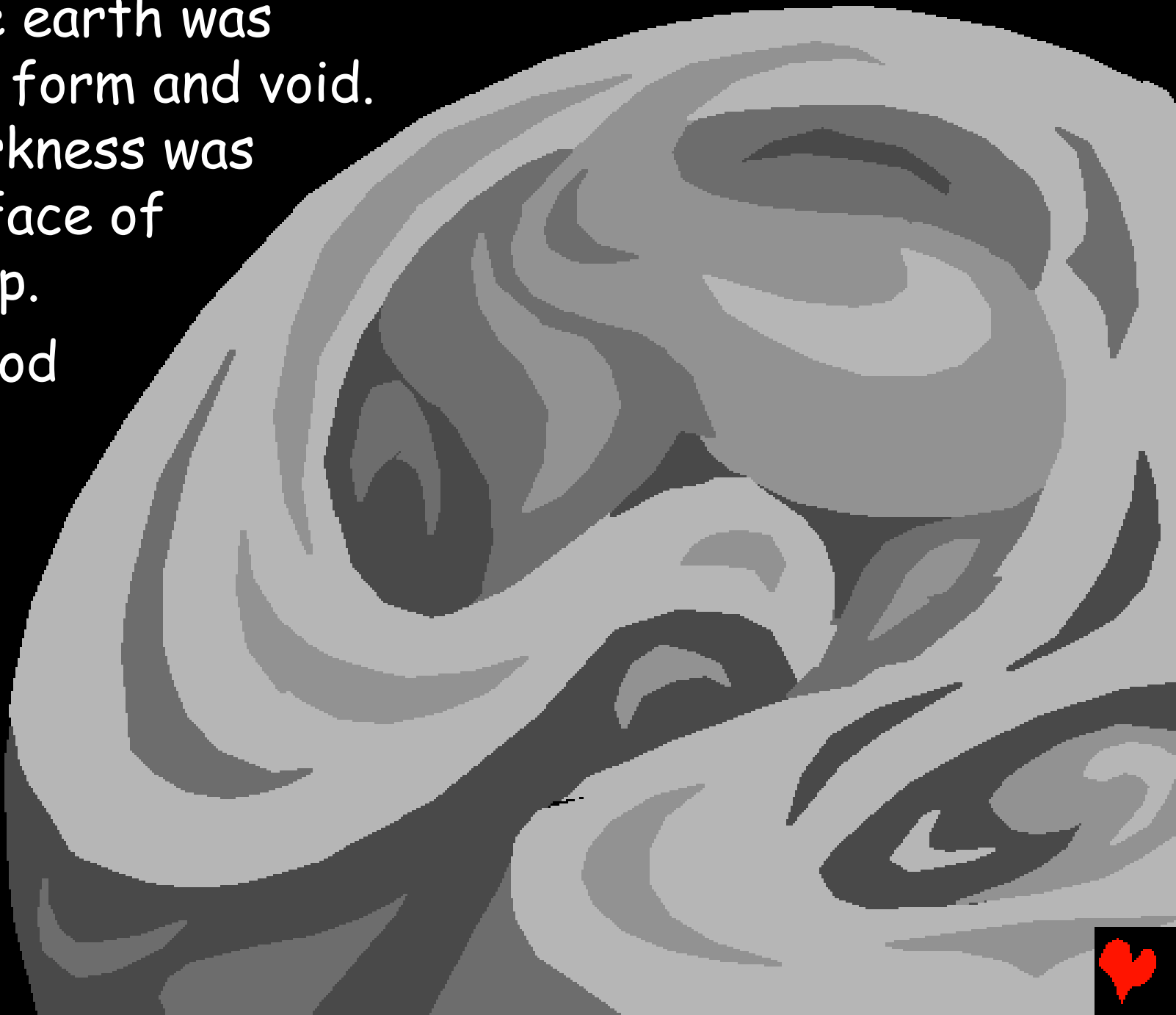


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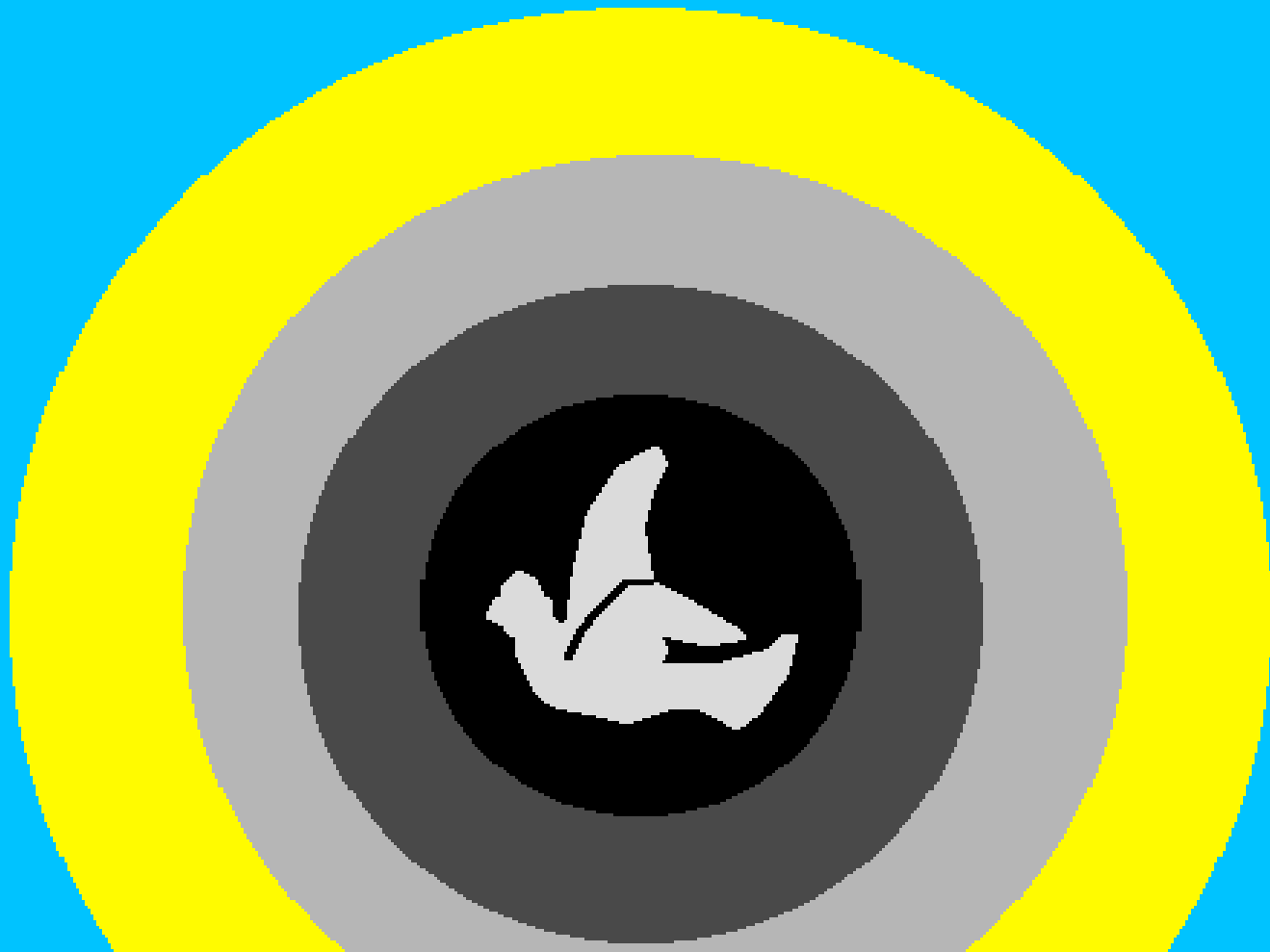
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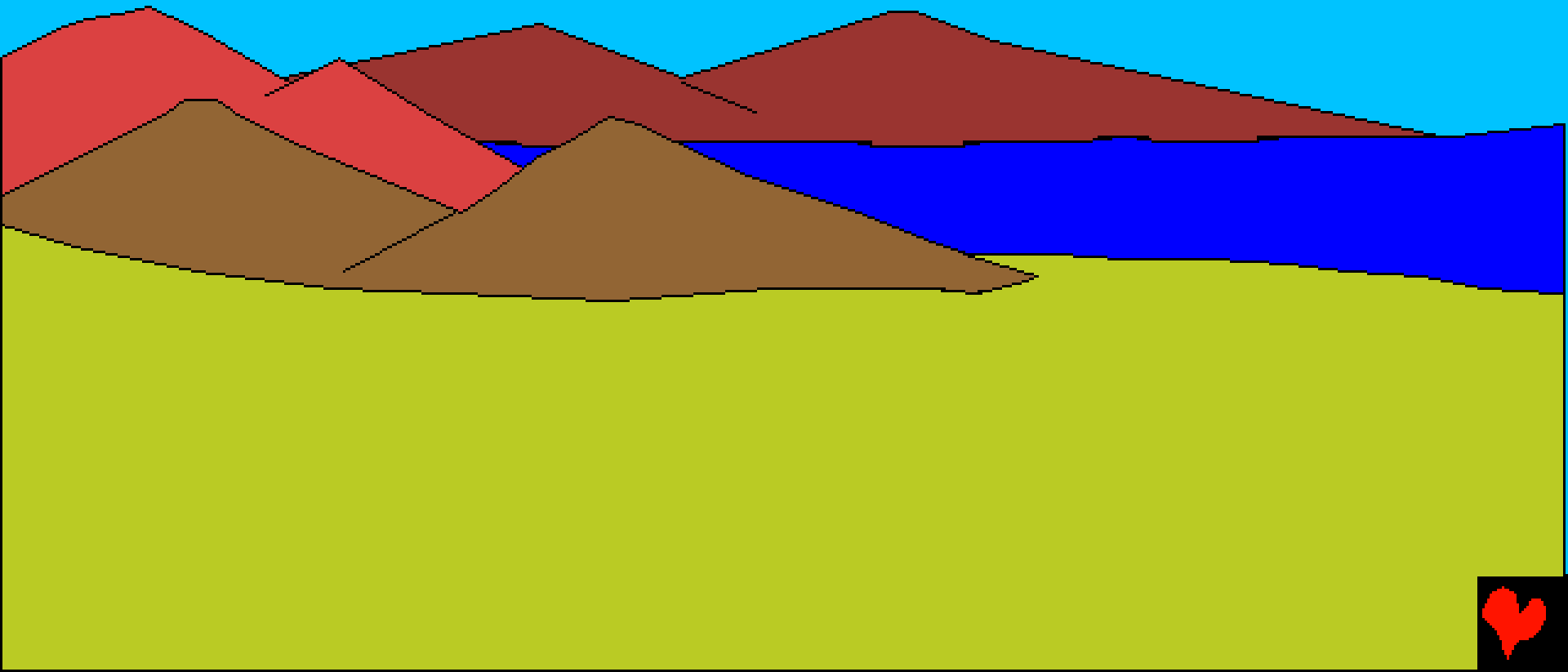


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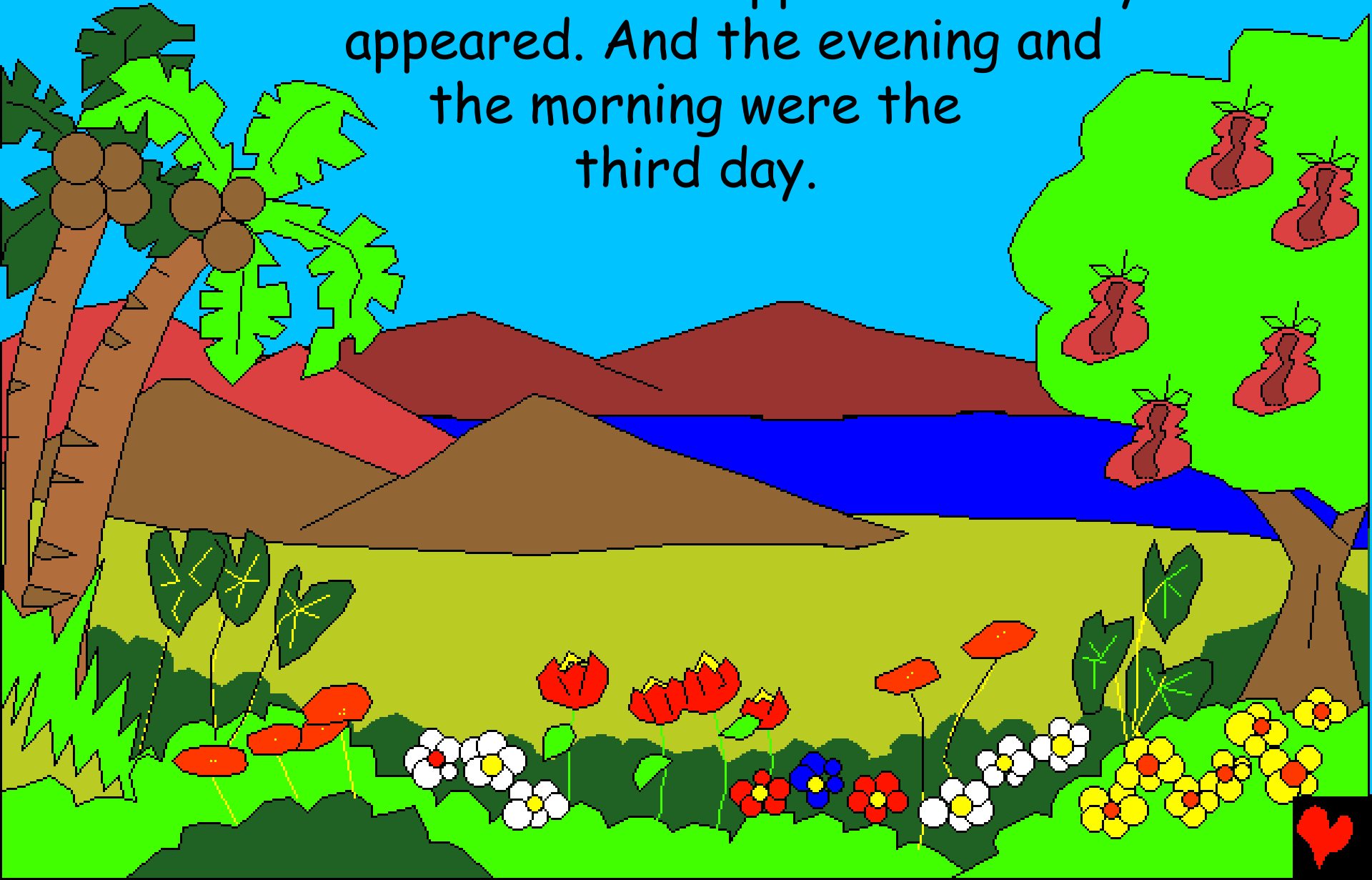
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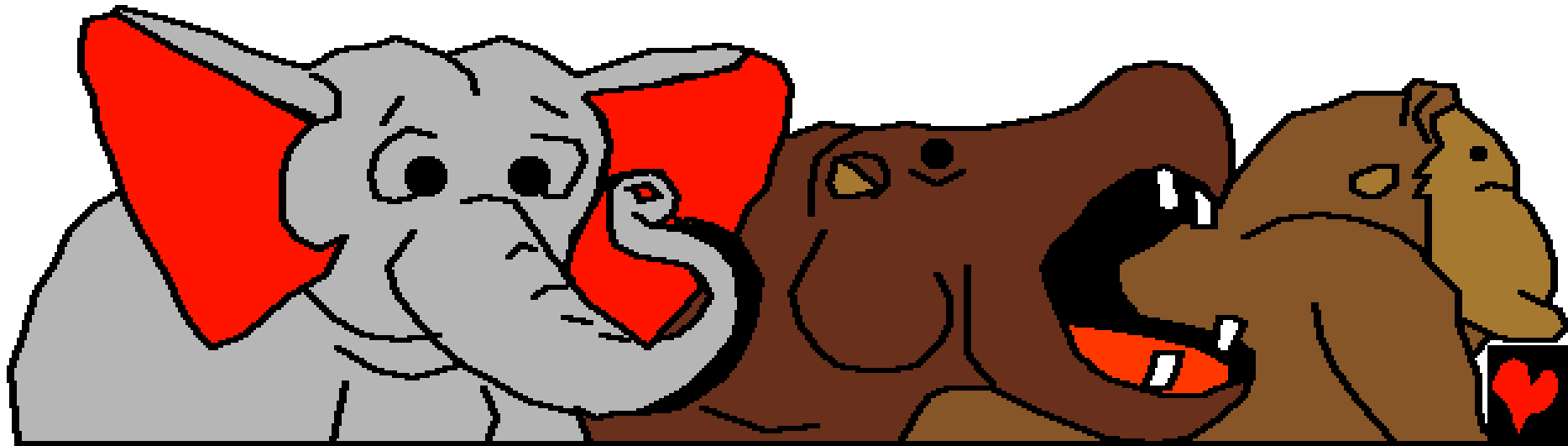
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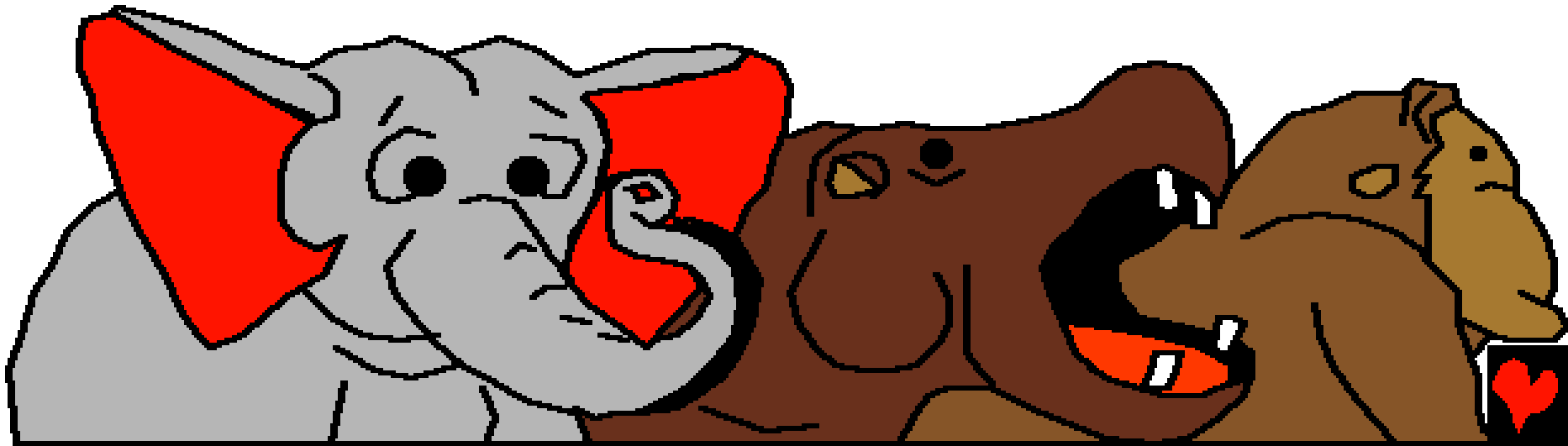
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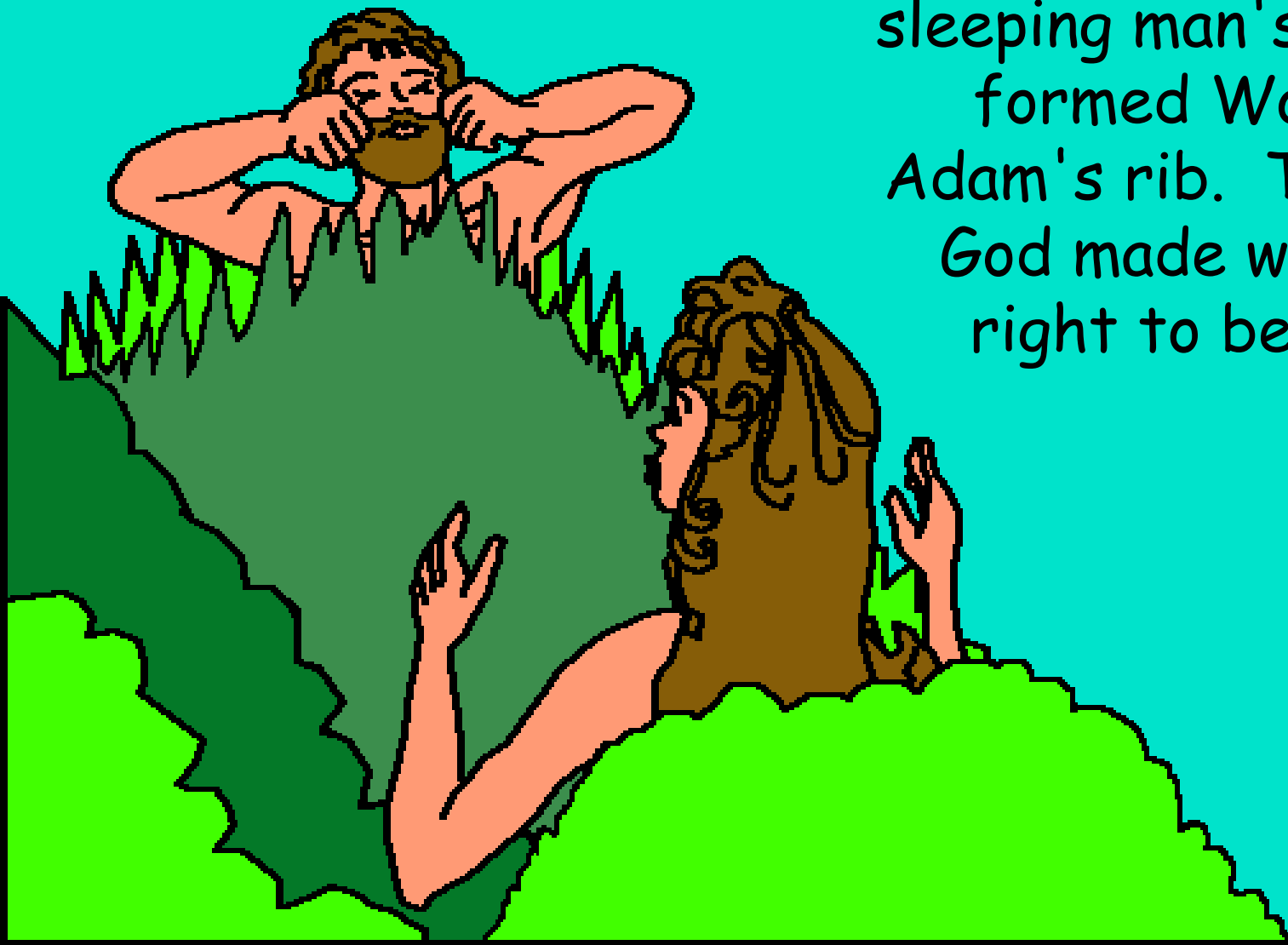
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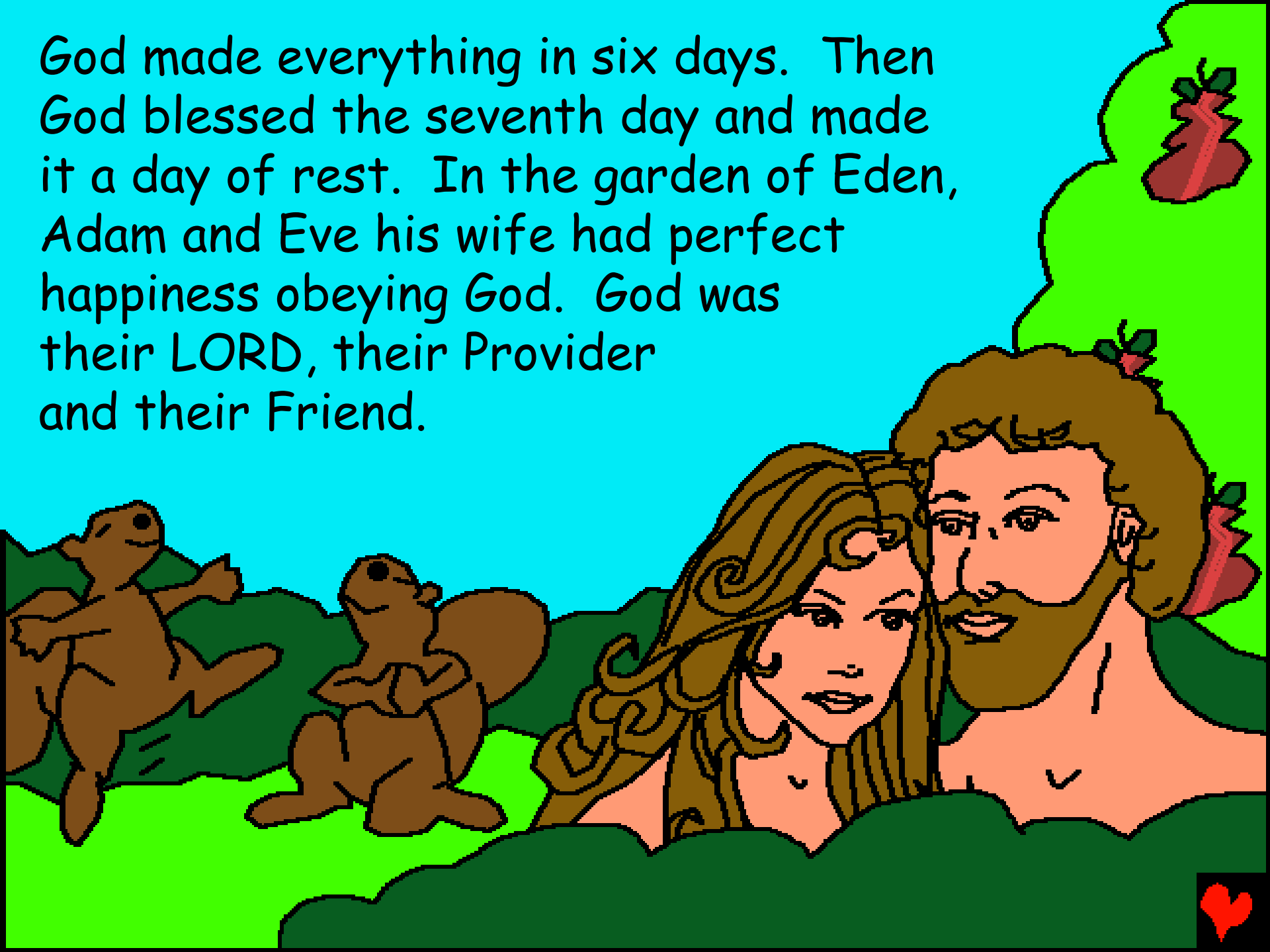
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This Bible story tells us about our wonderful God who made us and who wants us to know Him.

God knows we have done bad things, which He calls sin.

The punishment for sin is death, but God loves us so much He sent His Son, Jesus, to die on a Cross and be punished for our sins. Then Jesus came back to life and went home to Heaven! If you believe in Jesus and ask Him to forgive your sins, He will do it! He will come and live in you now, and you will live with Him forever.

If you want to turn from your sins, say this to God:

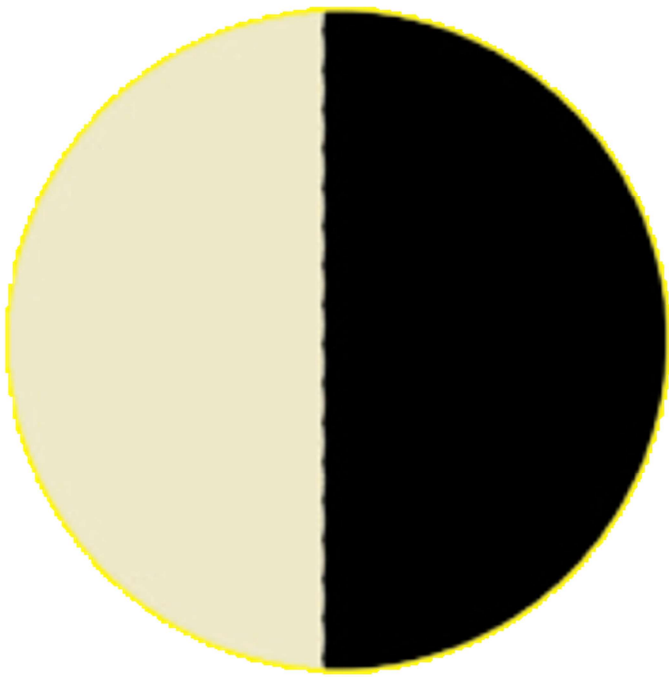
Dear God, I believe that Jesus died for me and now lives again. Please come into my life and forgive my sins, so that I can have new life now, and one day go to be with You forever. Help me to live for You as Your child. Amen.

Read the Bible and talk with God every day! John 3:16

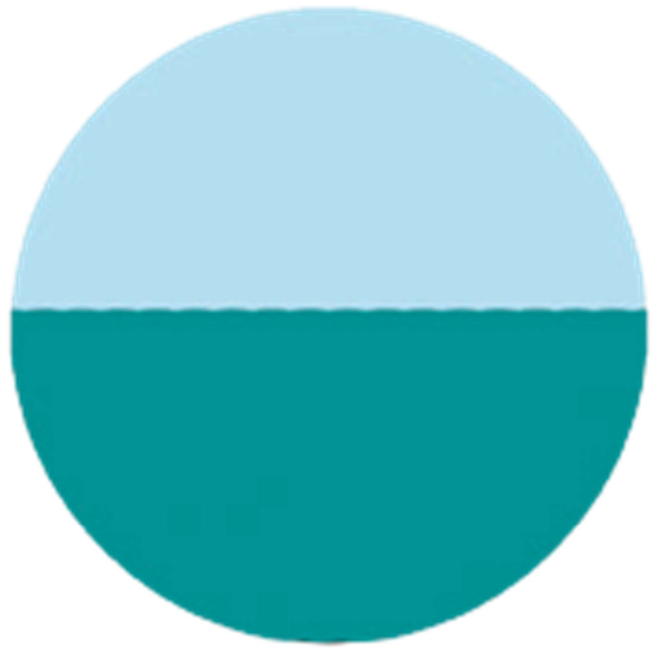








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A Candle and a lamp



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A black crayon and a shadow



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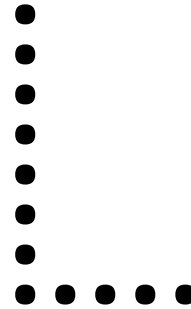
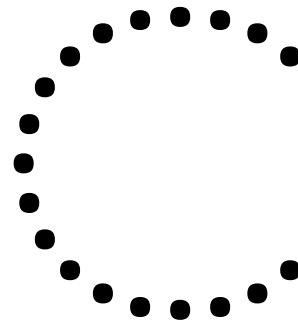
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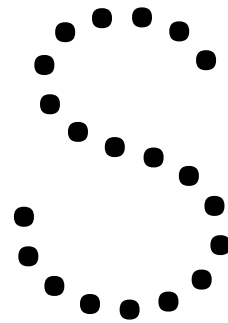
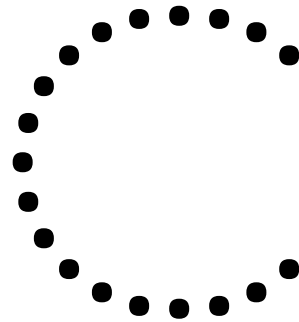
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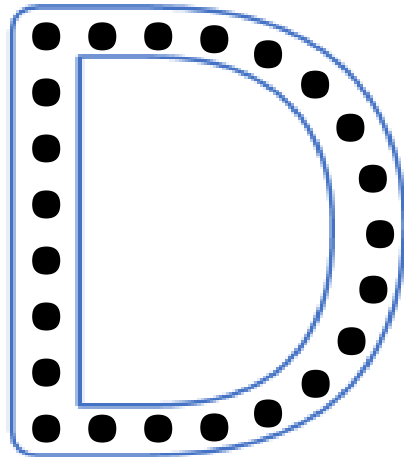
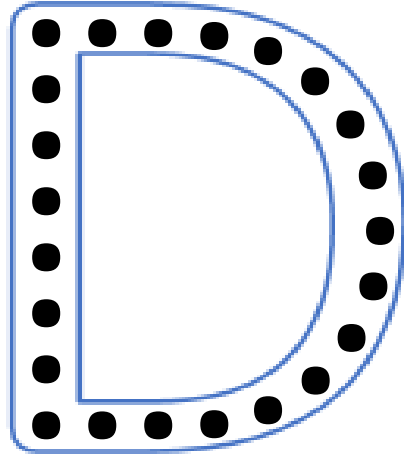
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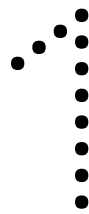
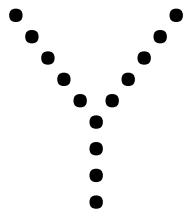
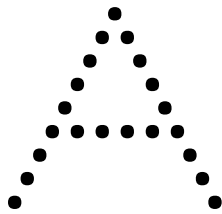
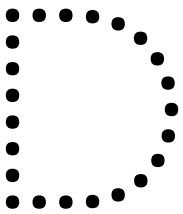
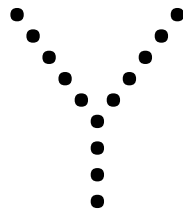
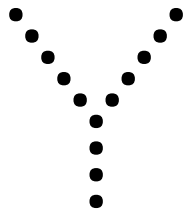
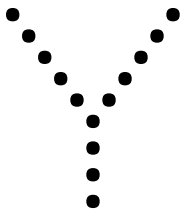
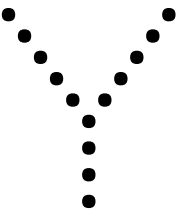
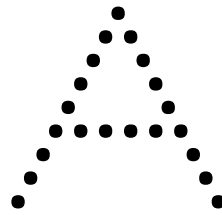
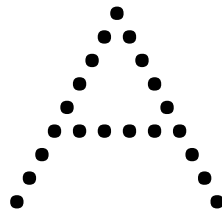
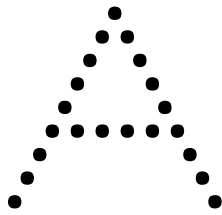
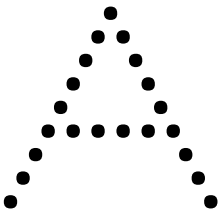
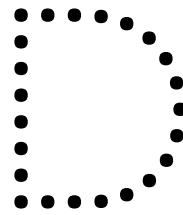
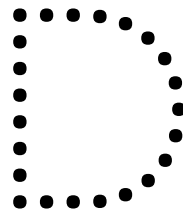
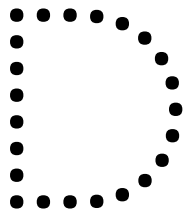
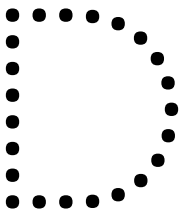
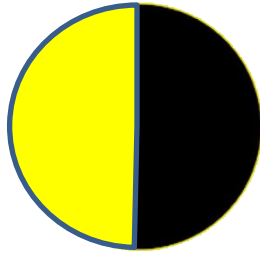
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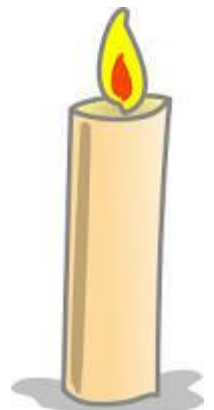
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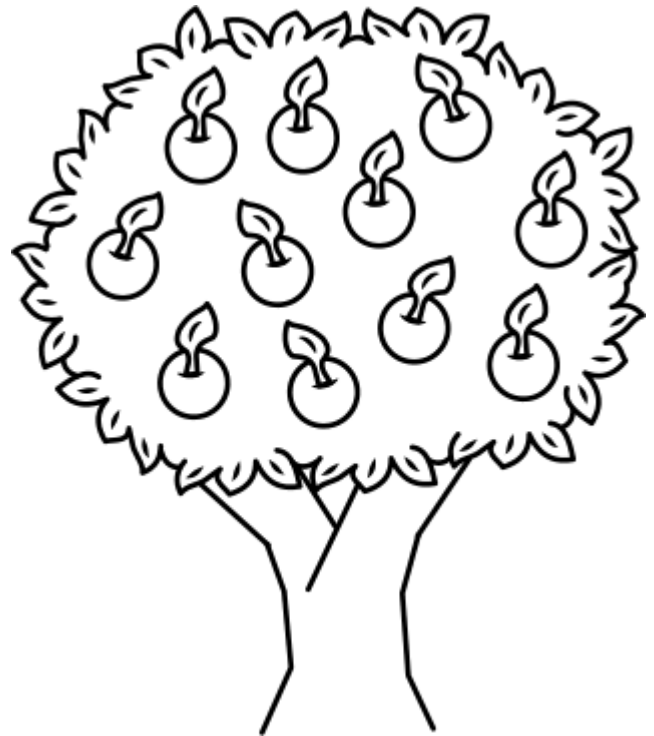
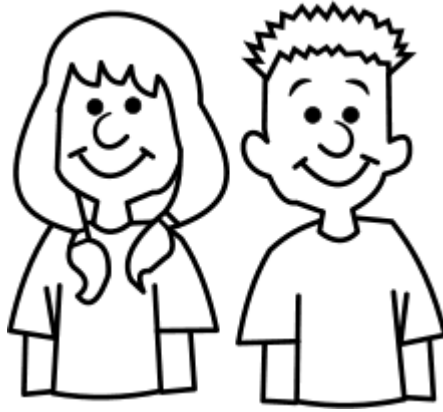
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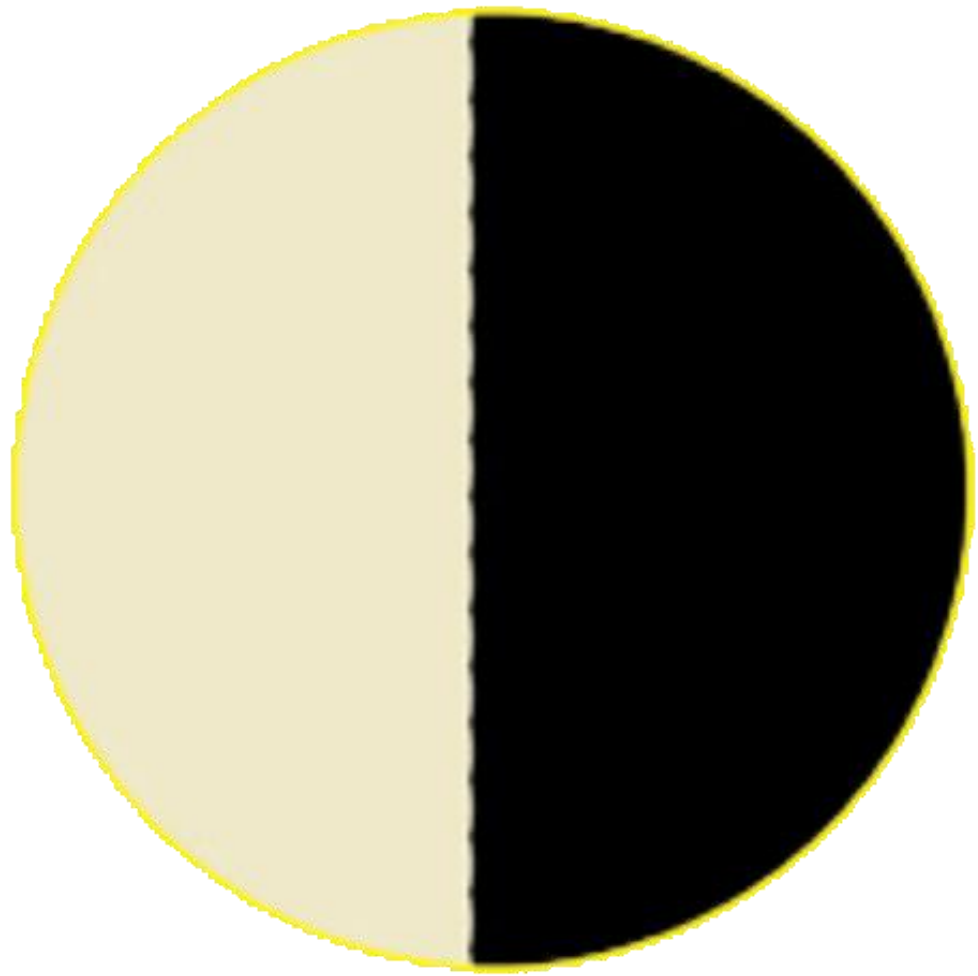
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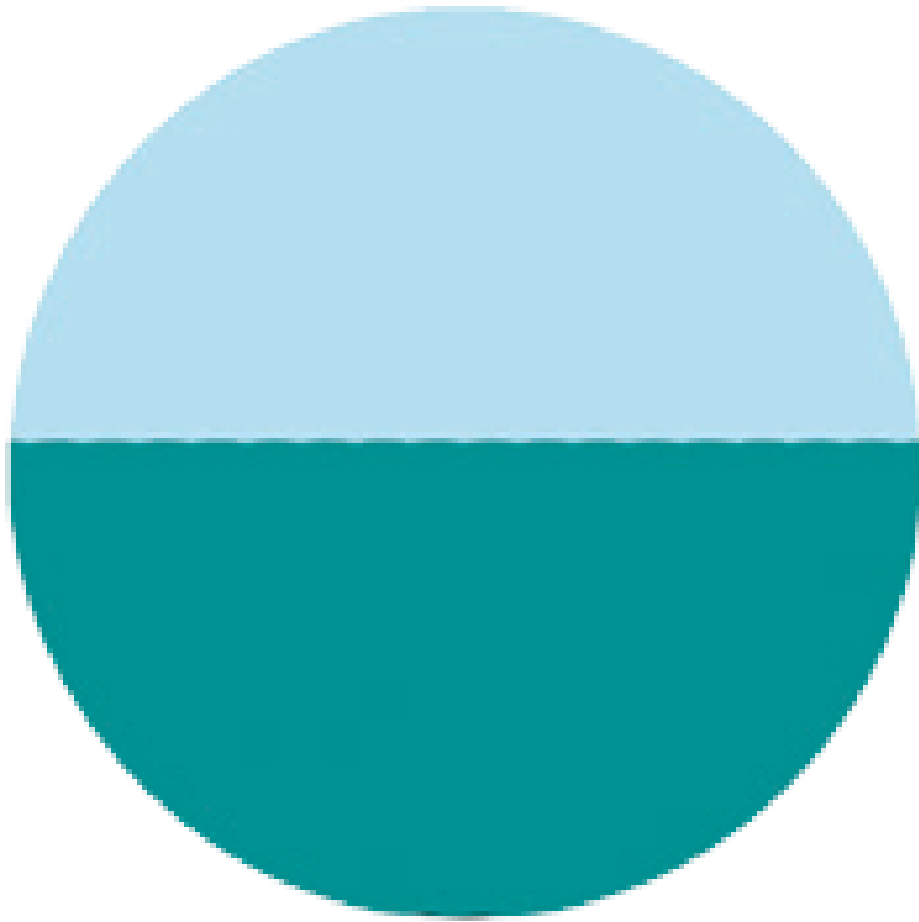


GOD CREATED EVERYTHING





On Day Number 1
God Made The **Light**.
He Called The **Light** Day And
He Called The **Dark** Night.



On Day Number 2

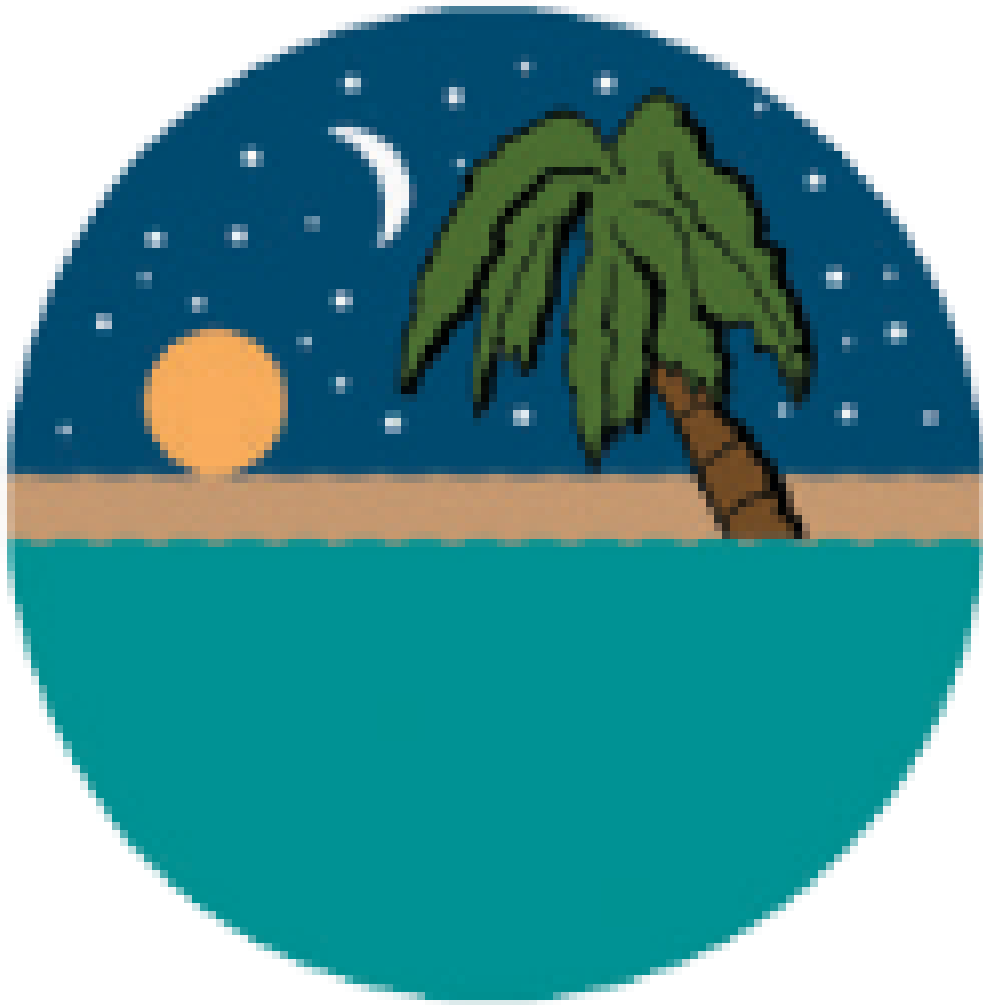
God Made The **Sky**.

He Put Some Water **Low** And

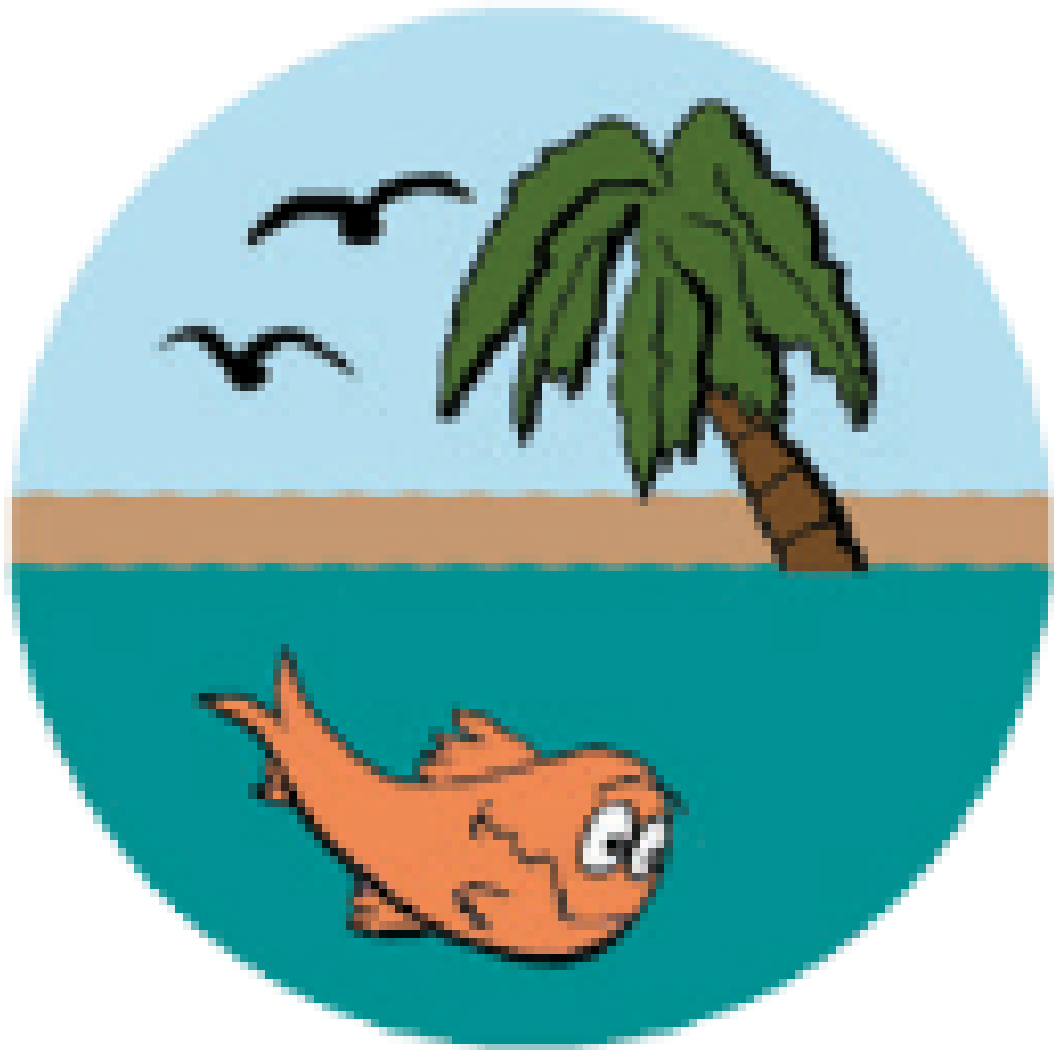
He Put Some Water **High**.



On Day Number 3,
God made the **Seas**,
He made the **Land** come out,
And He covered it with **Trees**.



On Day Number 4,
God made the **Sun**,
And the **Moon** and the **Stars**,
To set times for **Everyone**.



On Day Number 5,
God filled the **Seas** and **Sky**,
With **Fish** and **Whales** that swim,
And with many **Birds** that fly.



On Day Number 6,
God brought **Animals** from the ground.
He made **Man** in **His Image**
And gave him charge of all around.



On Day Number 7

God's family bond would start.

He **rested** from creative work

To shape good in **man's heart**

