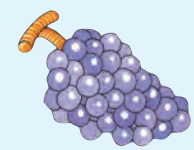




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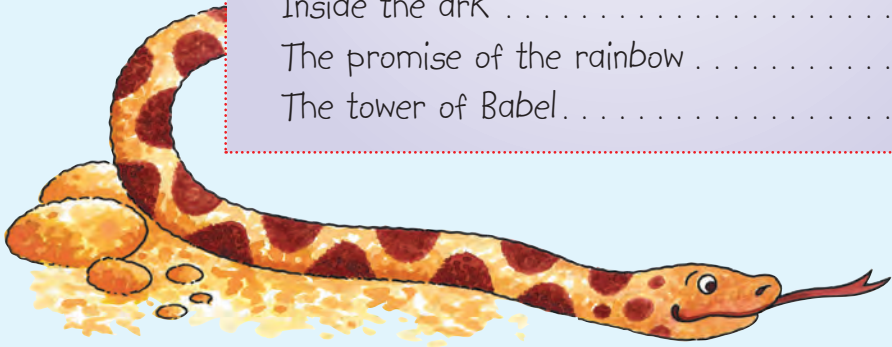




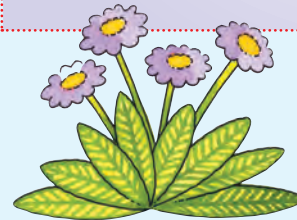
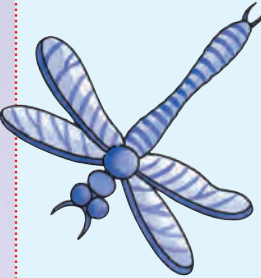
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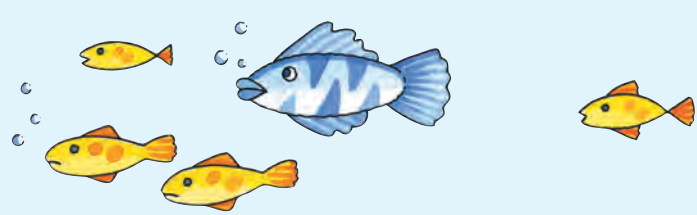
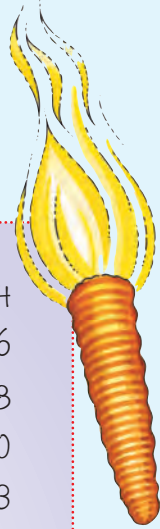
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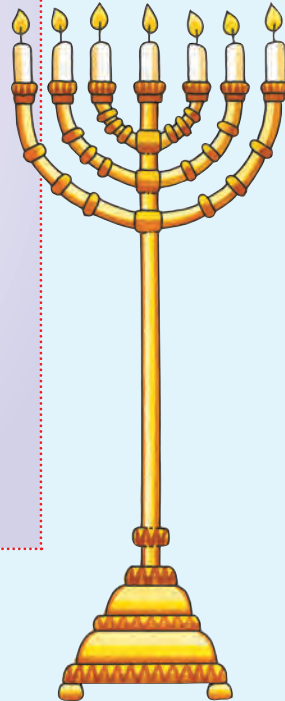
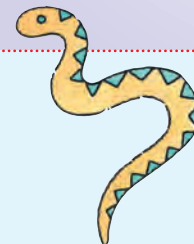
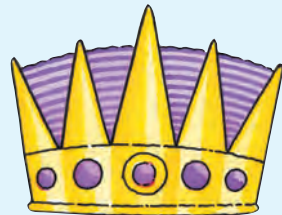
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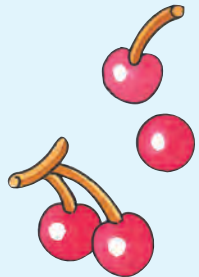




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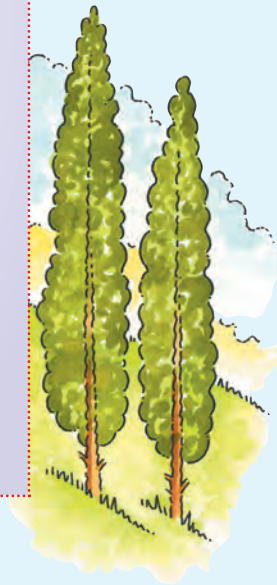
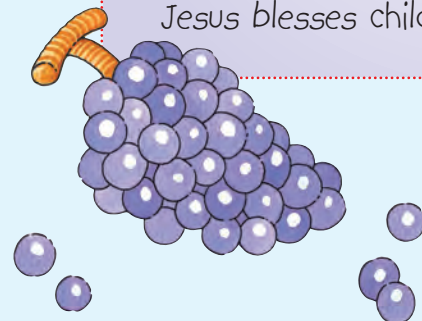


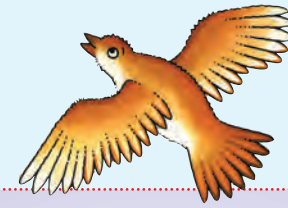
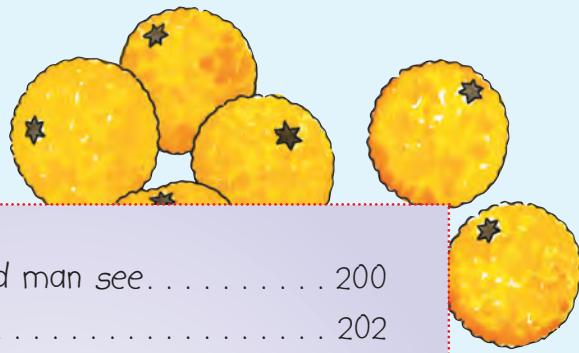


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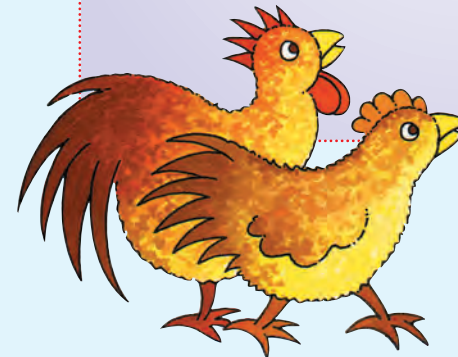
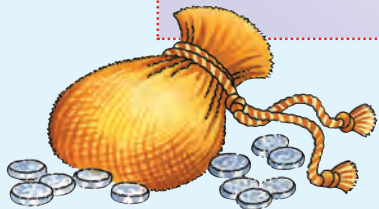
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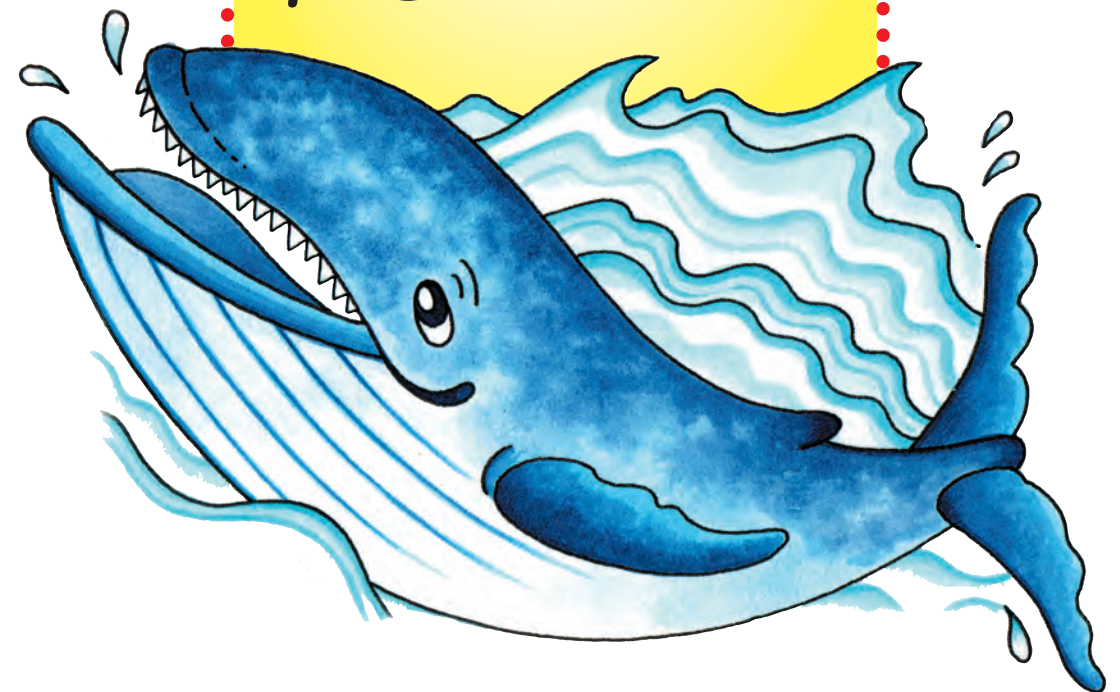
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The Old Testament





In the beginning


A very, very long time ago, at the beginning of time, God made the world.

God made the light and the darkness.

God made huge, tall mountains.

God made deep blue seas and oceans.

God made the round Earth to spin, the fiery Sun to shine, and the silvery Moon to glow. God made twinkling stars and mysterious planets.

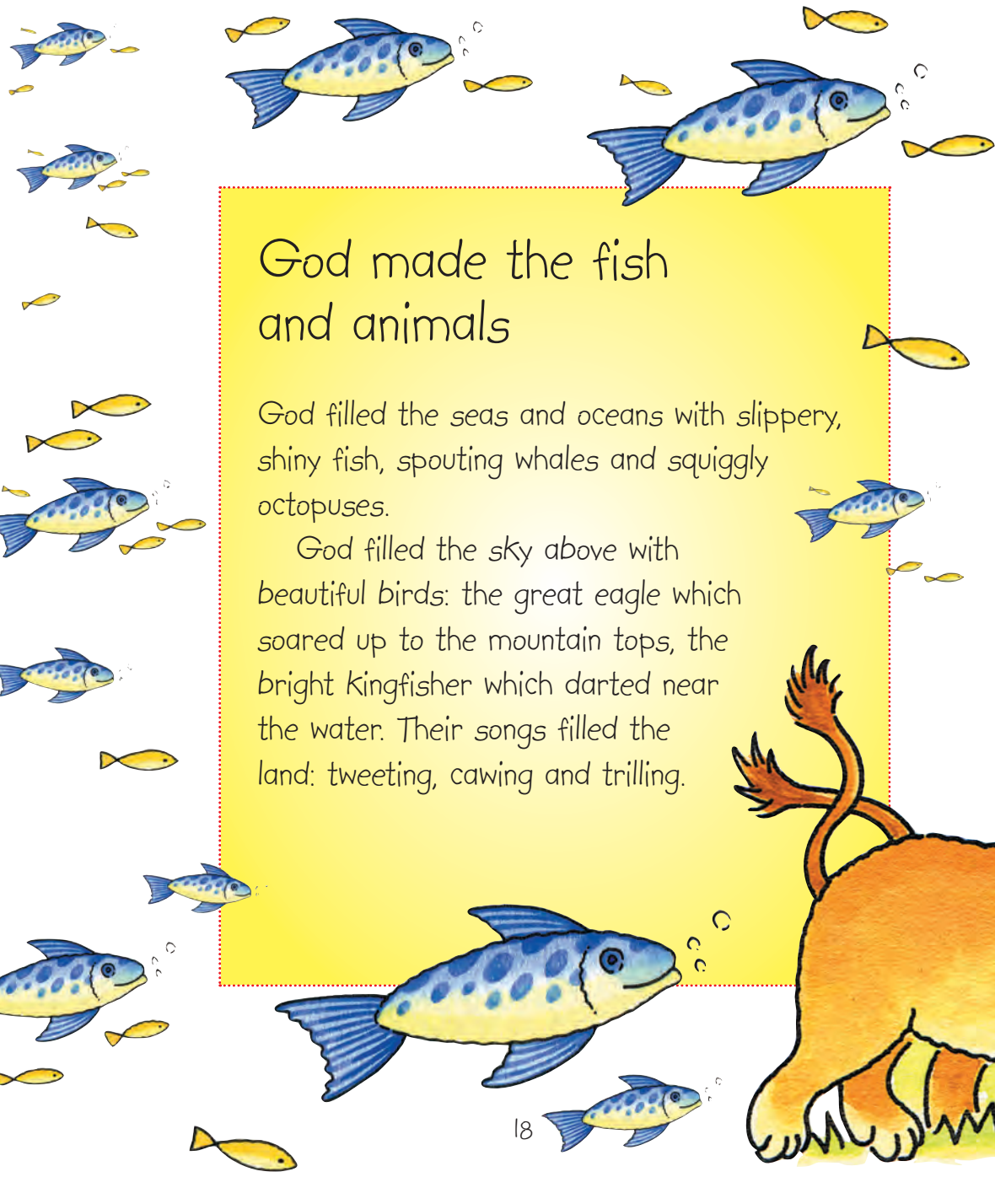


God made the plants and trees

The Earth looked brown and bare.

So God made plants and trees to grow on the land. He made tall trees with bark and branches, leaves, berries and cones. He made small bushes, shrubs, the prickly cactus and hairy coconuts.


God saw what he had made and thought that it was good.





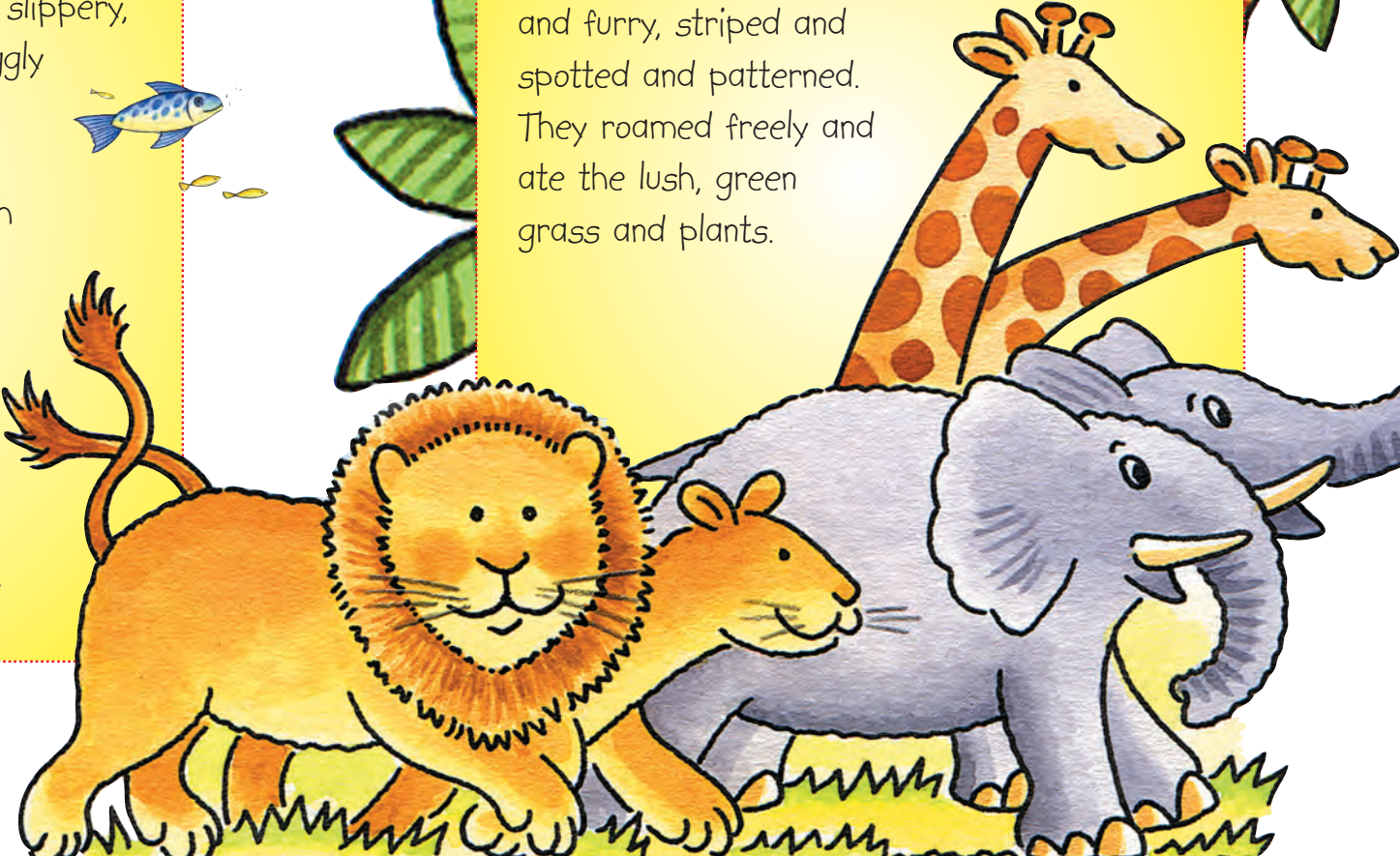
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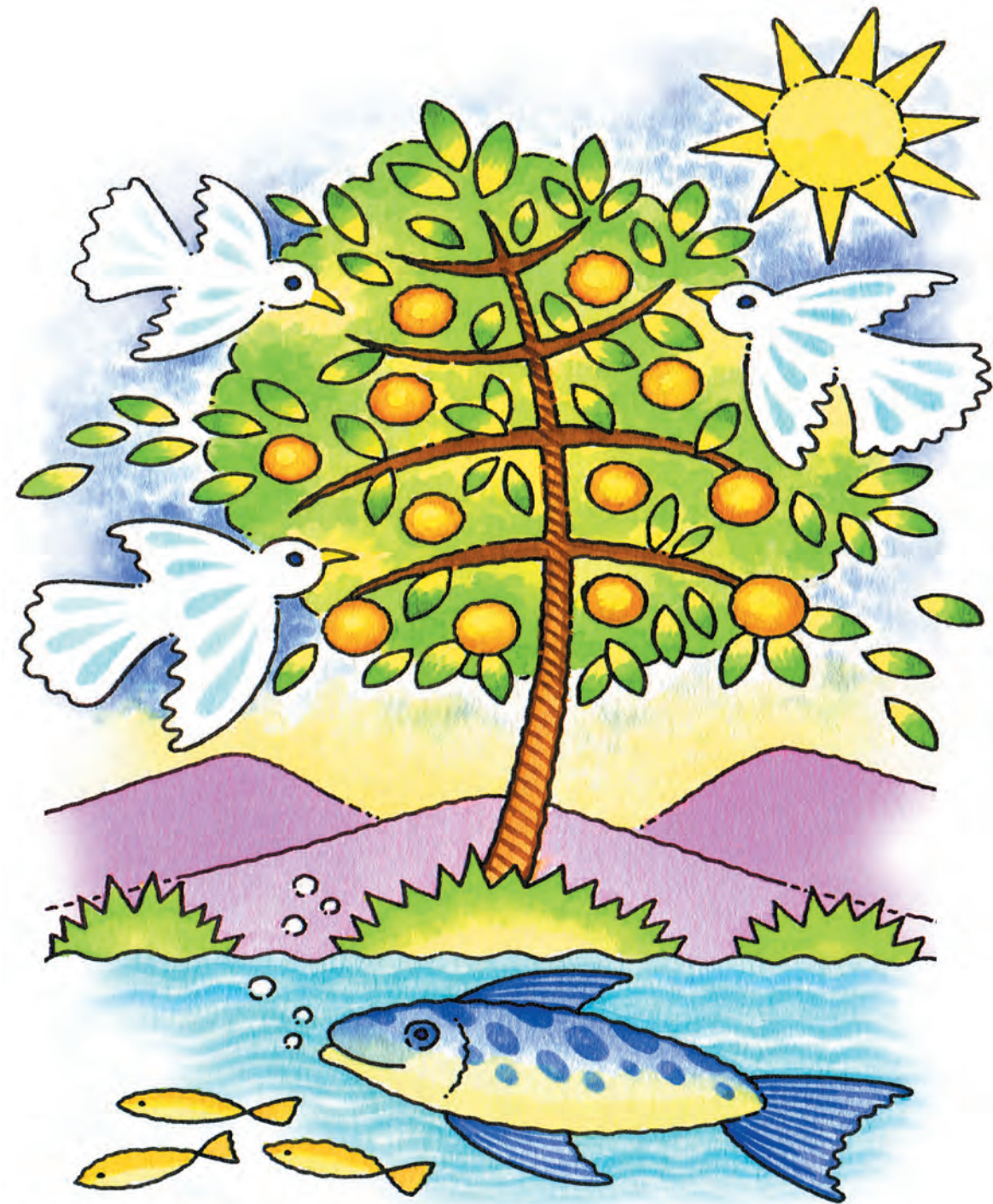
God filled the seas and oceans with slippery, shiny fish, spouting whales and squiggly octopuses.

God filled the sky above with beautiful birds: the great eagle which soared up to the mountain tops, the bright kingfisher which darted near the water. Their songs filled the land: tweeting, cawing and trilling.



God made animals of every kind: tall and short, prickly and furry, striped and spotted and patterned. They roamed freely and ate the lush, green grass and plants.






Adam and Eve

"Now I will make people," said God.

God made Adam and Eve – a man and a woman. They could think and feel and love. God wanted them to be his friends. He asked them to look after the animals.

God made a beautiful garden for them to live in called Eden. God was pleased with everything he had made. It was very good.





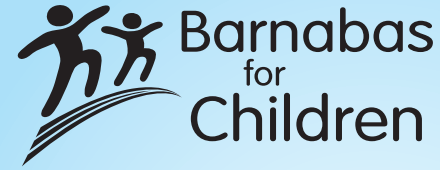
Adam and Eve break the rules

God told Adam, "You may eat the fruit from any tree in the garden, except from the tree of the Knowledge of good and bad. If you eat that tree's fruit, you will die."

But the serpent said to Eve, "You won't really die, you know. Have a taste. It's good!"

So Eve took the fruit and had a bite. Then she gave some to Adam. He tried it too. Adam and Eve had broken God's rules. God was very angry and sent them out of the garden of Eden for ever.

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