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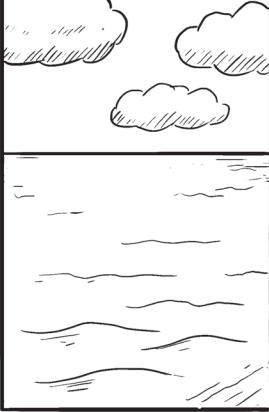
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In the beginning the earth was void and without form.

Then God spoke...

Let there be **LIGHT**.

On the second day  
God spoke again,  
and the heavens  
were created and  
separated from  
the earth. The sky,  
clouds and the  
expanse appeared  
over the earth.



On the third day...

Let the  
waters be divided,  
and let the dry  
land appear.

And let the earth  
spring forth with green  
grass and herbs and  
fruit trees.



And instantly trees and vines,  
all full of sweet, delicious fruit,  
sprang up in abundance  
all over the earth.





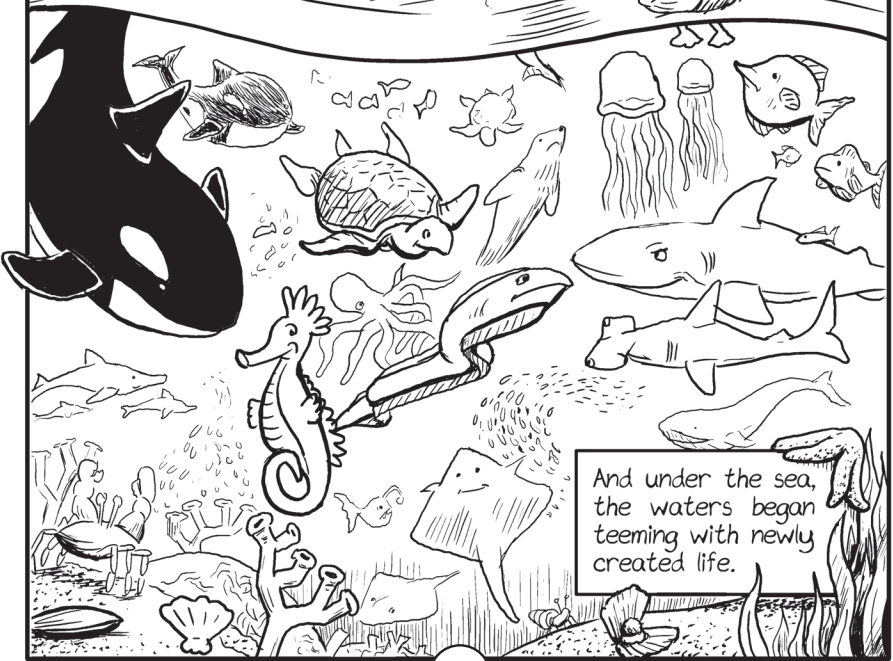
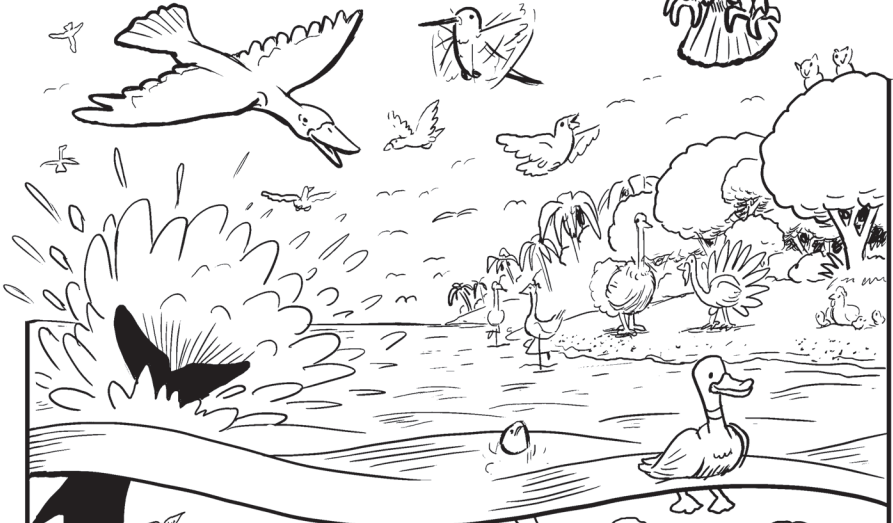
On the fourth day, God spoke again.

Let there be a sun to govern the daytime and a moon to watch over the night.

And at that moment, God set time in motion, days and nights, weeks, months and years. And then He created the stars to adorn and decorate the night sky.



On the fifth day, God spoke and the air above the water was suddenly filled with birds of all kinds.



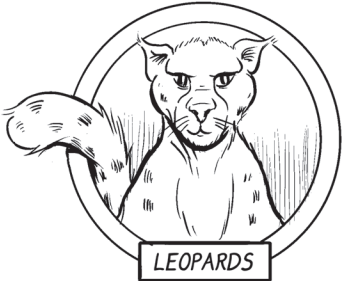
And under the sea, the waters began teeming with newly created life.

As night ebbed and the sun rose on the sixth day, God's gaze fell on the dry land.

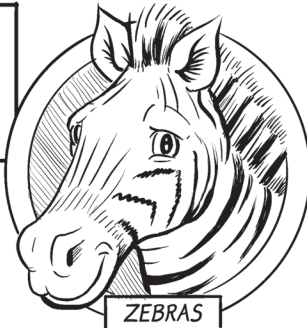
Let there be cattle and creeping things and beasts according to their own kind.



Animals appeared all over the earth—hundreds of species growing out of God's huge, creative imagination.



LEOPARDS



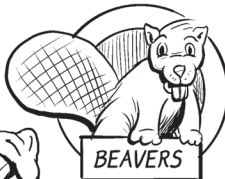
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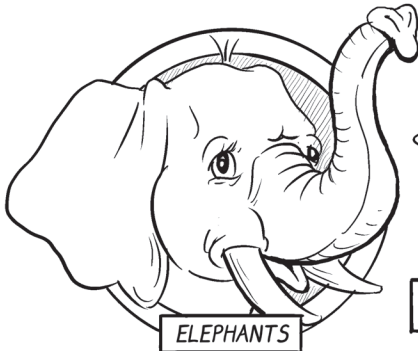
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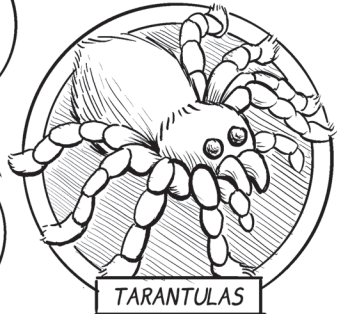
BEAVERS



ELEPHANTS



BEEES



TARANTULAS

God was pleased with His creation. So far.

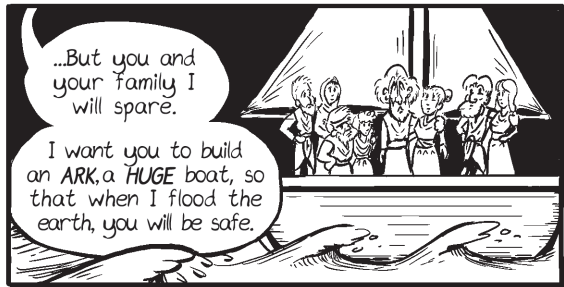


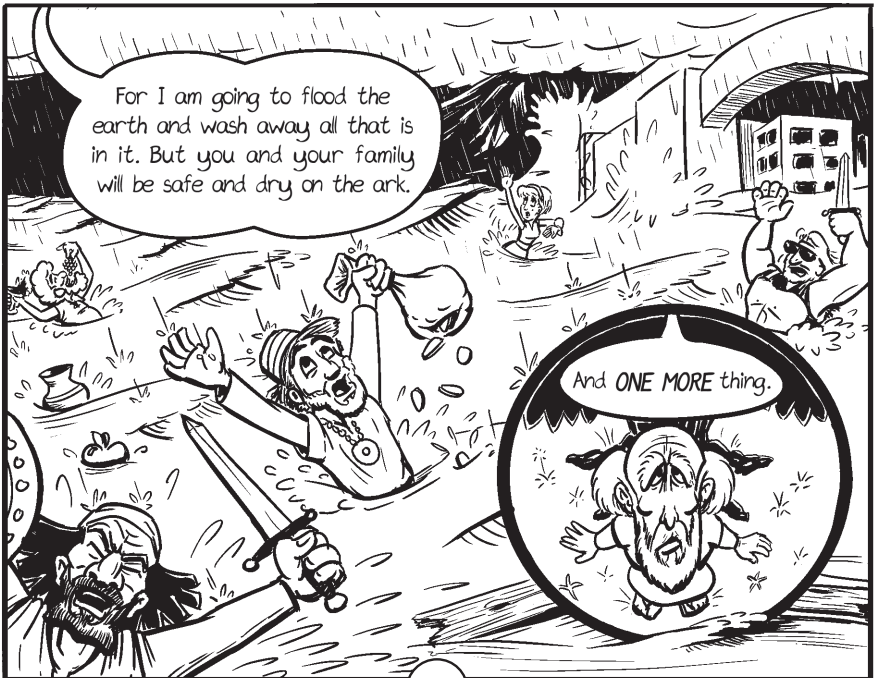
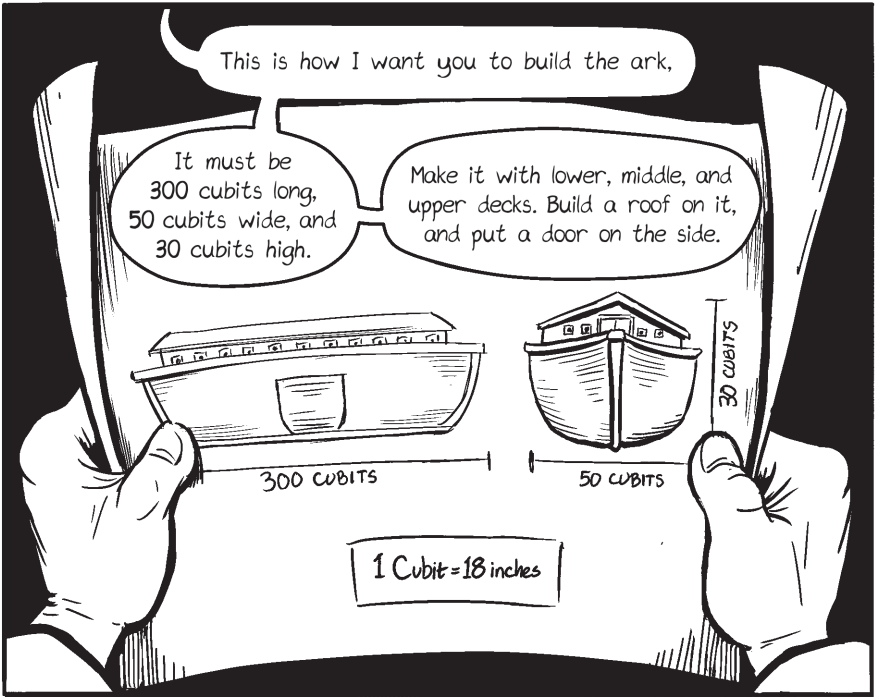
Then, saving the best for last...

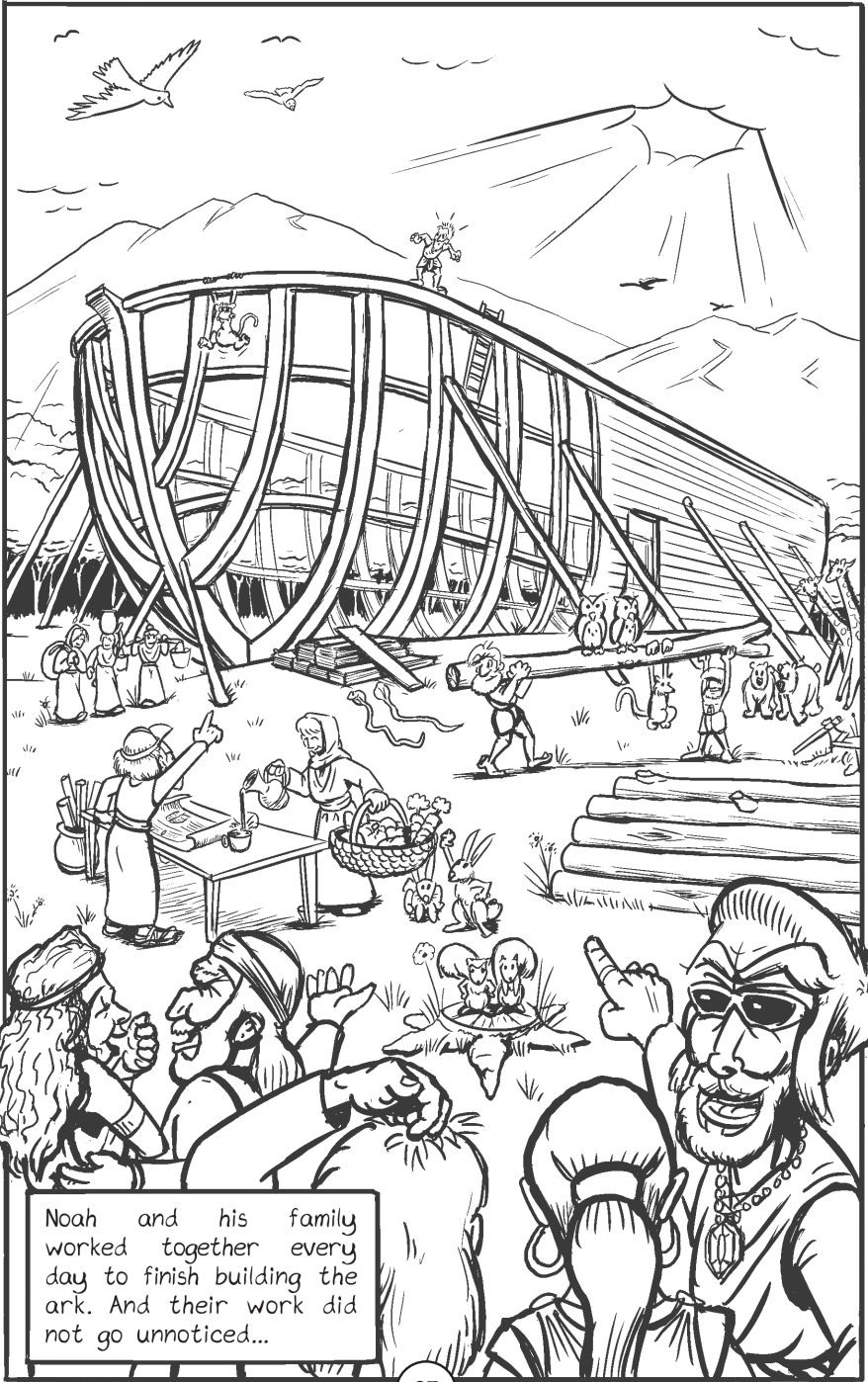
Let Us make man in Our own image. He'll be like Us, and We'll give him rulership over the earth.

He will rule over and care for the plants, forests, oceans and animals, all of creation, in partnership with Me.

So God created the very first man.

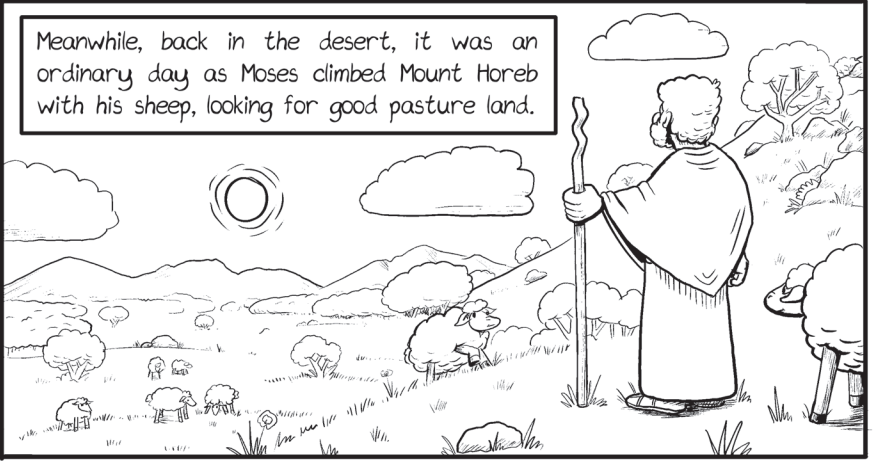


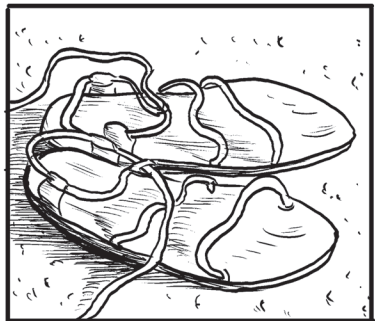
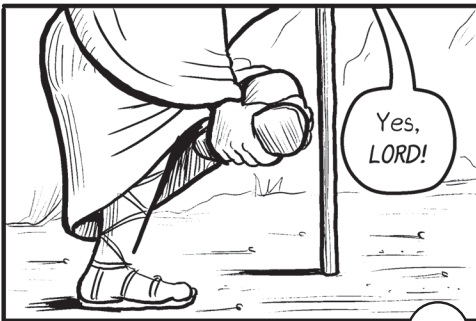
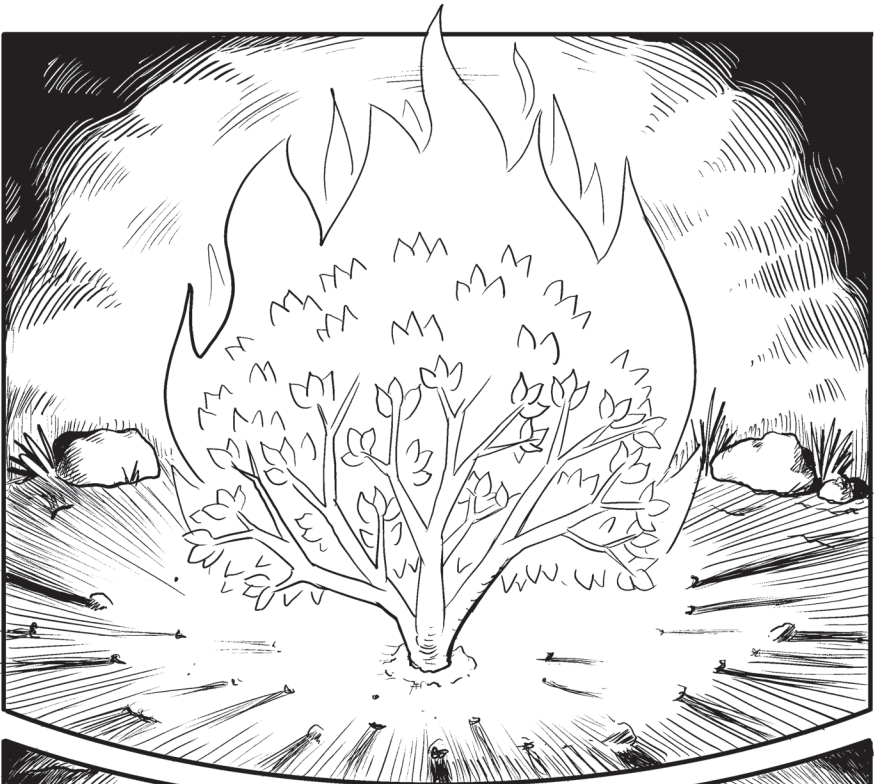


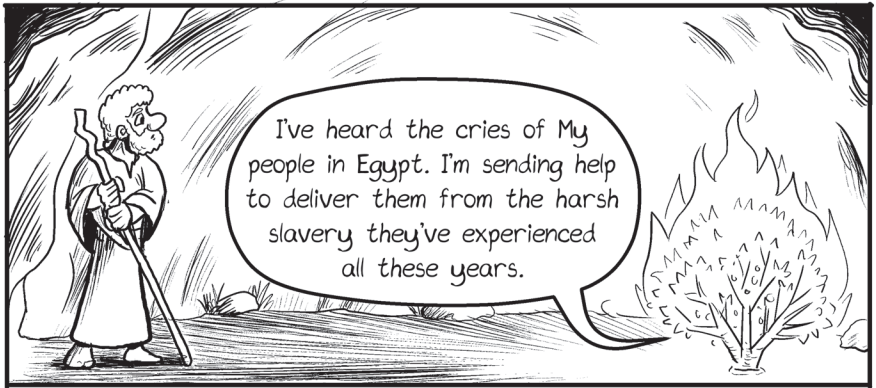


Noah and his family worked together every day to finish building the ark. And their work did not go unnoticed...

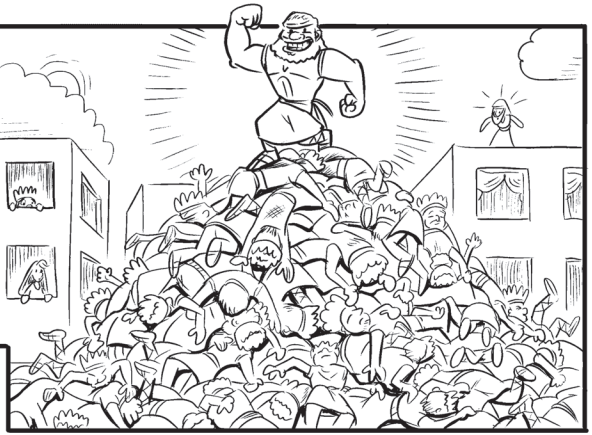
Meanwhile, back in the desert, it was an ordinary day as Moses climbed Mount Horeb with his sheep, looking for good pasture land.







As Samson grew, he found himself in battle with the Philistines on more than one occasion. Once, he killed 30 OF THEM over a bet!



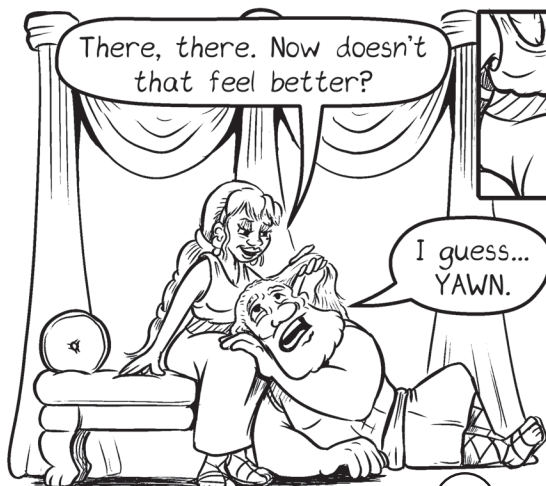
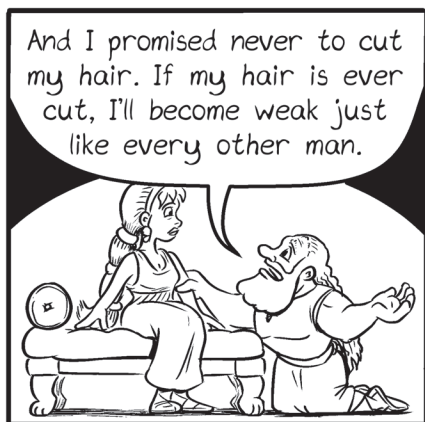
The Philistines were furious with Samson, so they invaded the land of Israel to hunt him down.

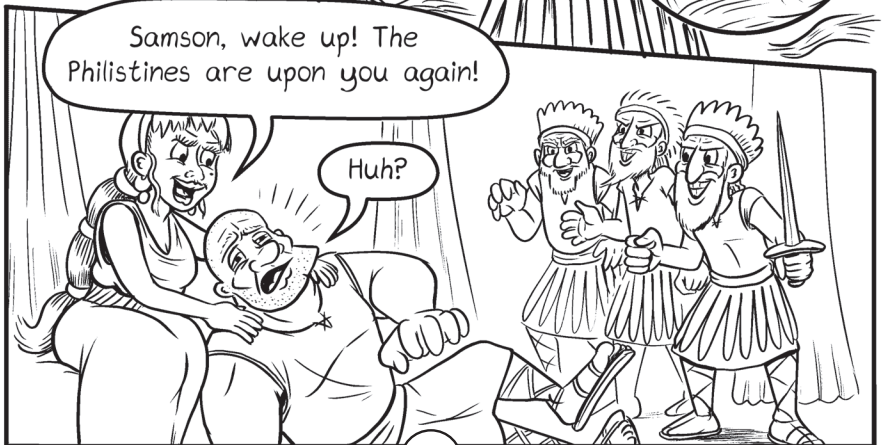
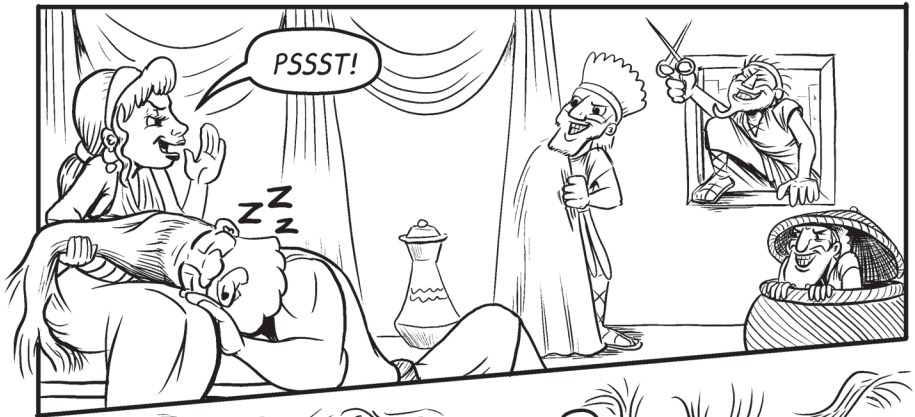
The Jews were so scared of the Philistines that they happily handed Samson over to the invaders.

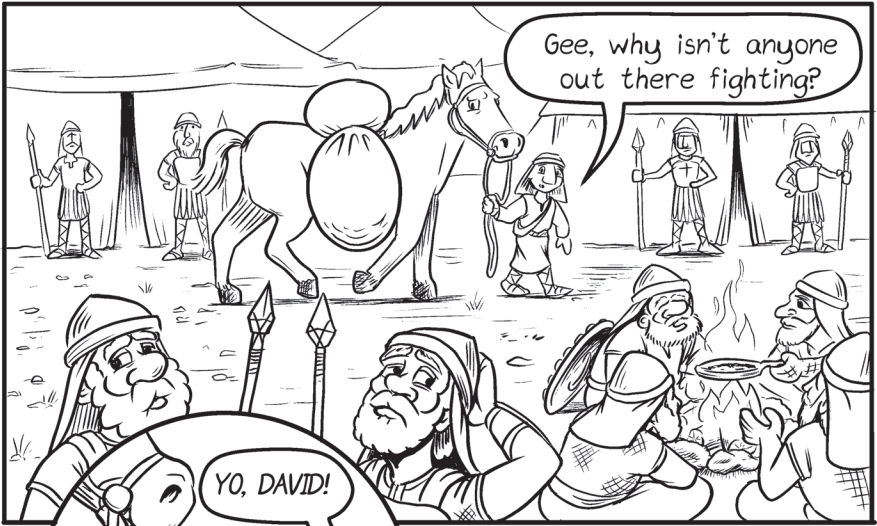


But as they led him away, the Spirit of God came upon Samson...









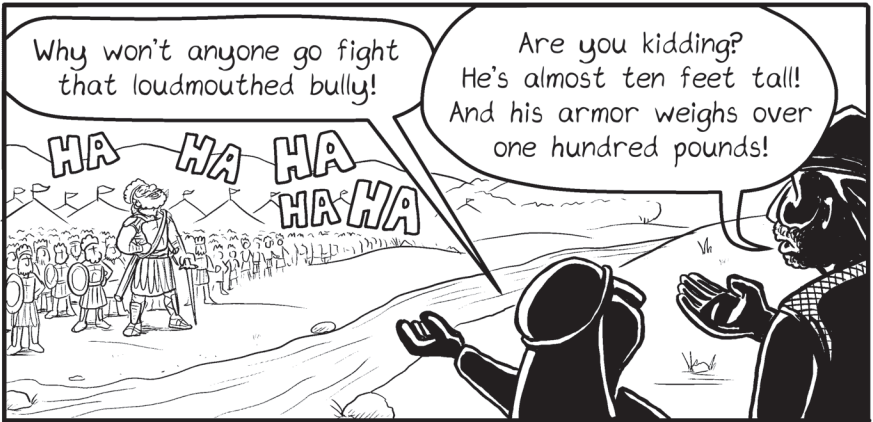


GOLIATH, the champion of the Philistines.

**HA HA HA!**  
Come on, you  
COWARDS!

Send out  
your best  
man to  
fight me!





Several days later, just before nightfall, the weary travelers entered the little village of Bethlehem.

We have several relatives here, Mary. Soon you'll get to lie down in a real bed.

But it was not to be.

I'm sorry. We can't take you in.

There's no room for you here.

ZZZZZZ

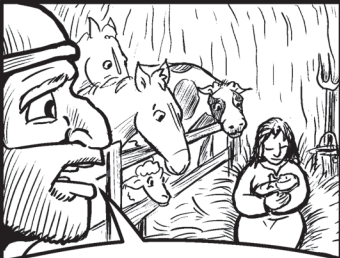
There are no vacancies. We even have people sleeping on the roof!

# Waaah! Waaah!



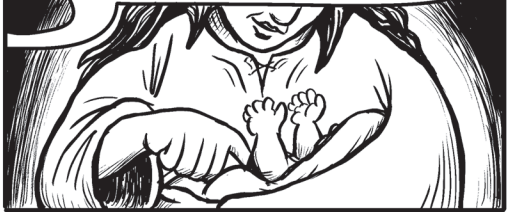
SIGH.

O Lord, have we made a mistake? Should we have defied the Romans and stayed home?



Your Son deserves so much more than this.

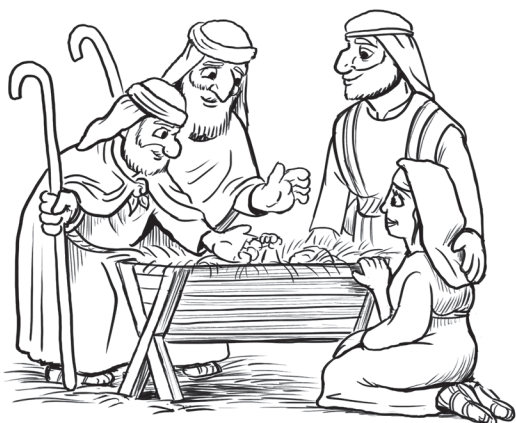
He deserves to be in a palace in a warm bed with servants all around to tend to His every need.



But look at us, All we have to give Him is this messy stable.



Even so, this was all part of God's plan for His Son. Jesus was going to be a different kind of King. Humble, gentle—a servant.





A GIFT for you,  
O GREAT ONE!

It was the custom for the condemned prisoner to carry his own cross up to the place of execution. In this case, Golgotha, the place of the skull.

YOU, THERE!  
Come out here and carry  
the cross for Him!

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For over three long hours Jesus hung on the cross until...

I'm thirsty.

Here. Sip this.



IESUS NAZARENUS  
REX IUDAEORUM

MY GOD, MY GOD,  
Why have You  
abandoned Me?



It is finished!

