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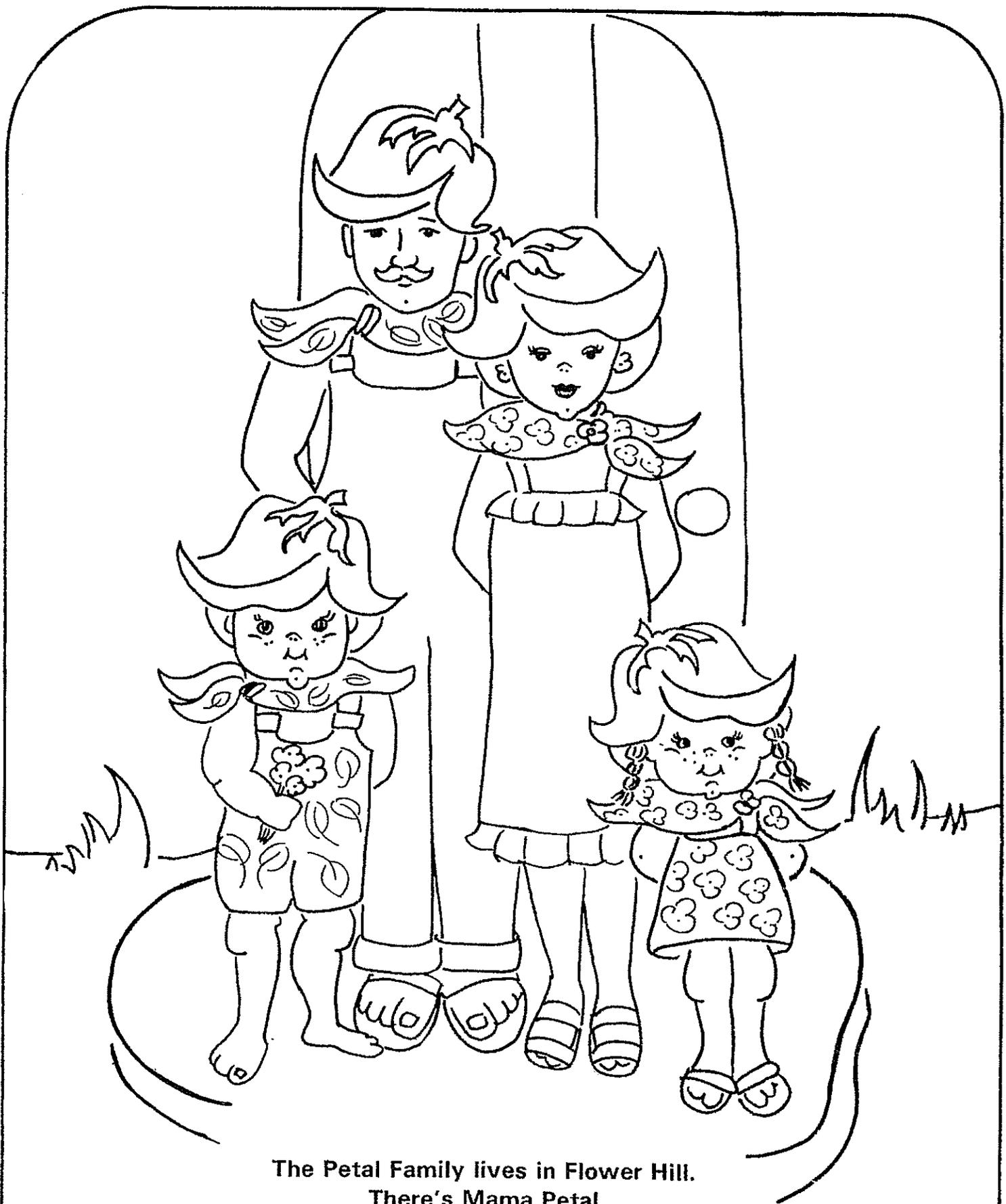
# Petals of Flower Hill

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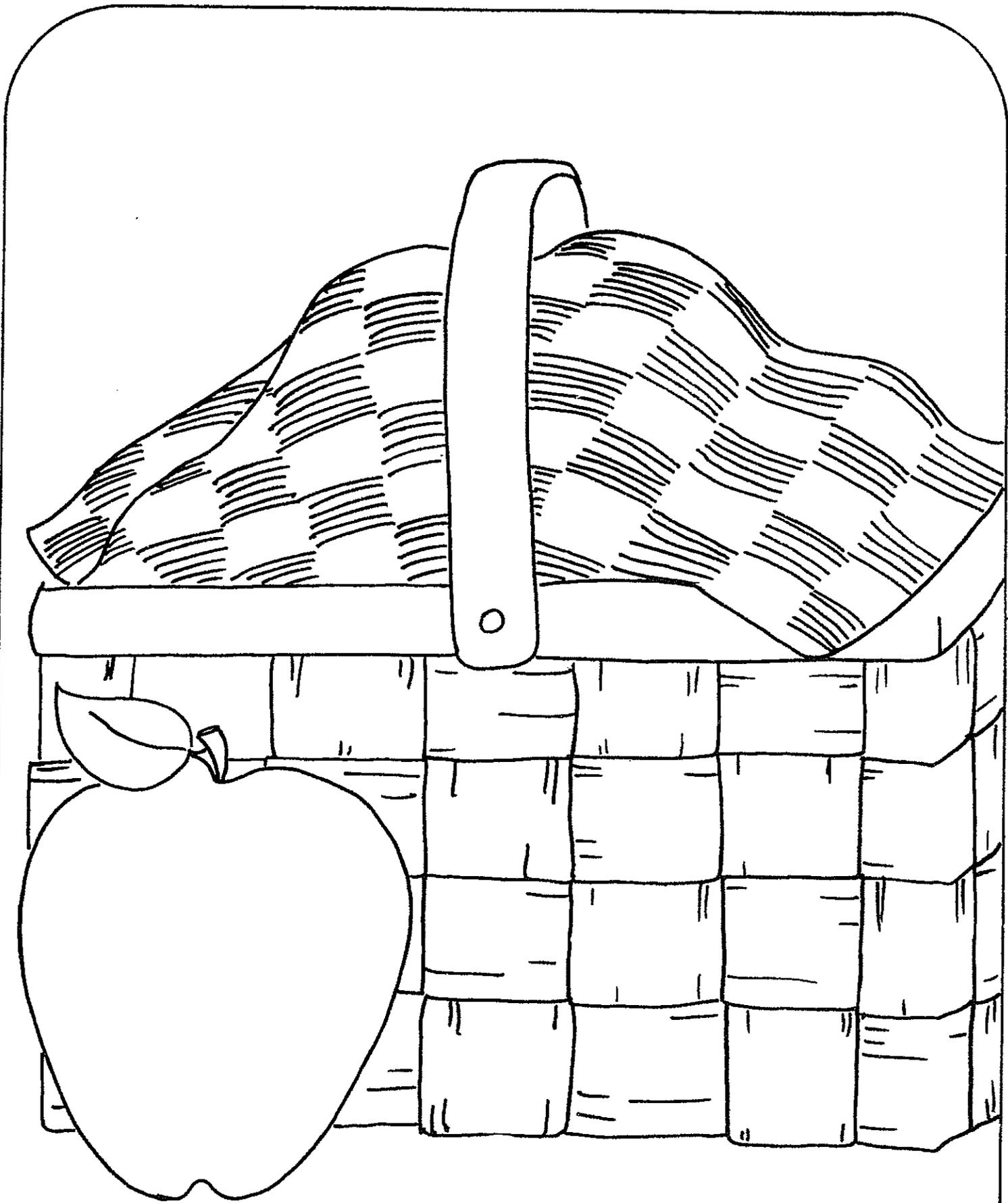




Welcome to the Village of Flower Hill.



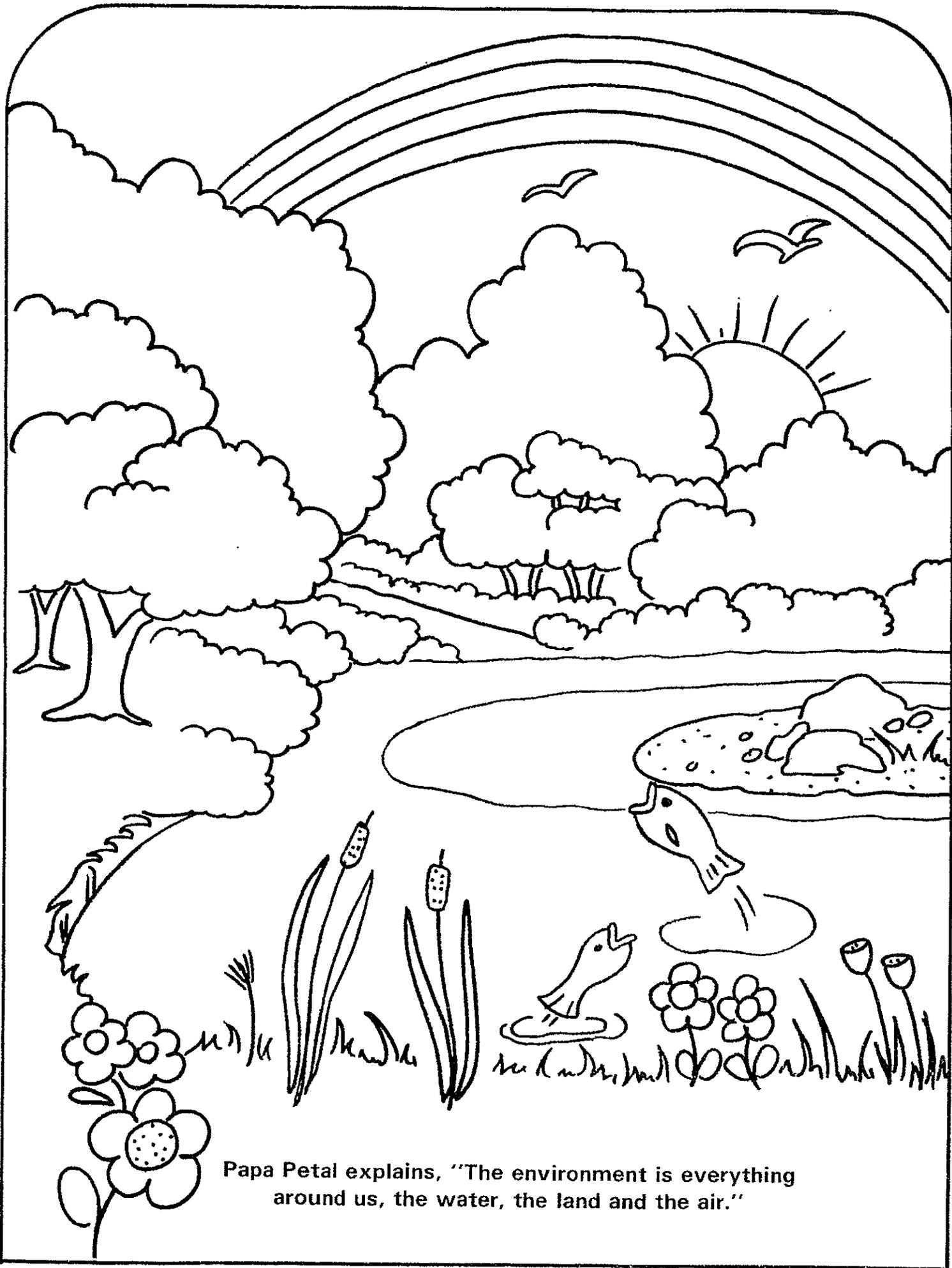
The Petal Family lives in Flower Hill.  
There's Mama Petal  
Papa Petal  
Daisy  
and Sweet William.



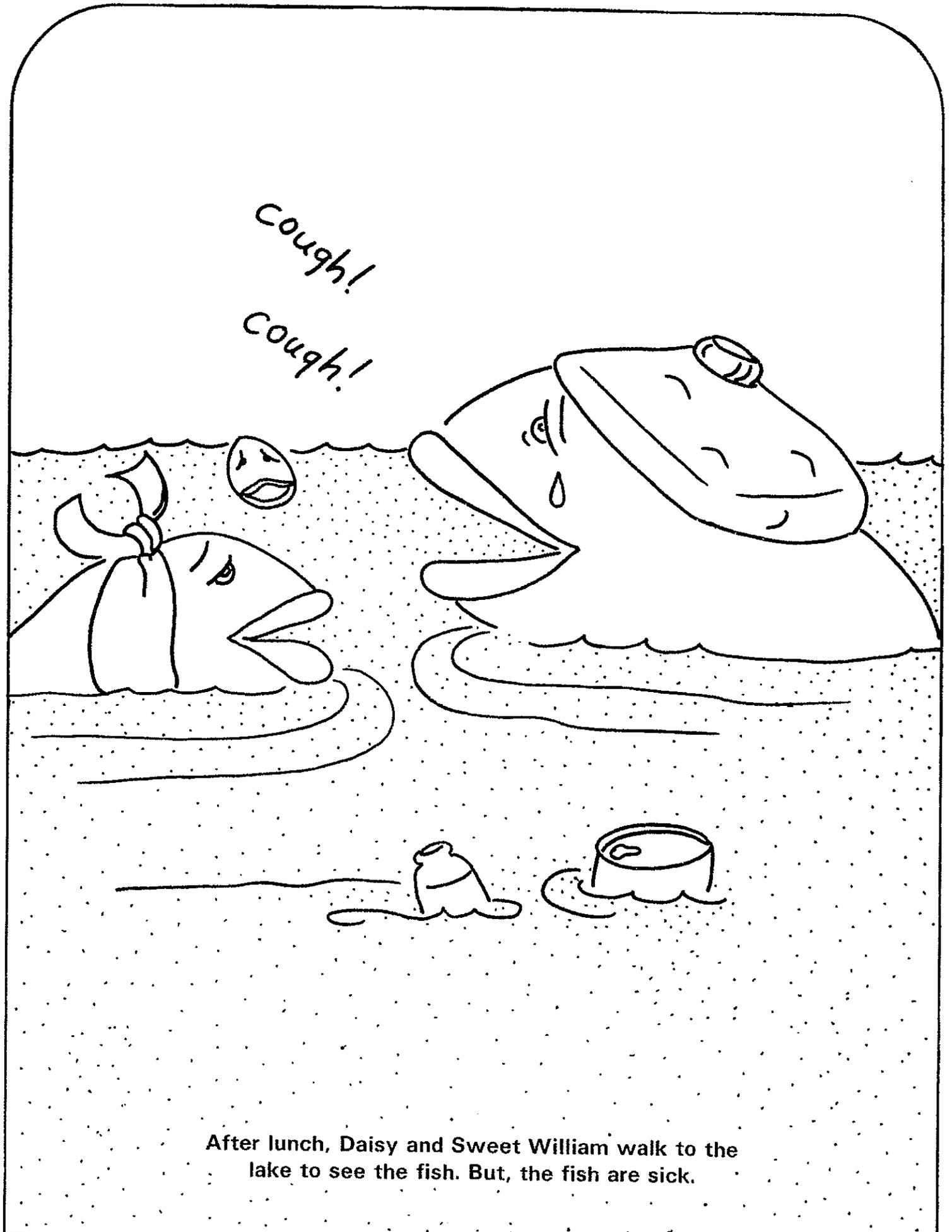
The Petal Family is going on a picnic by the lake.



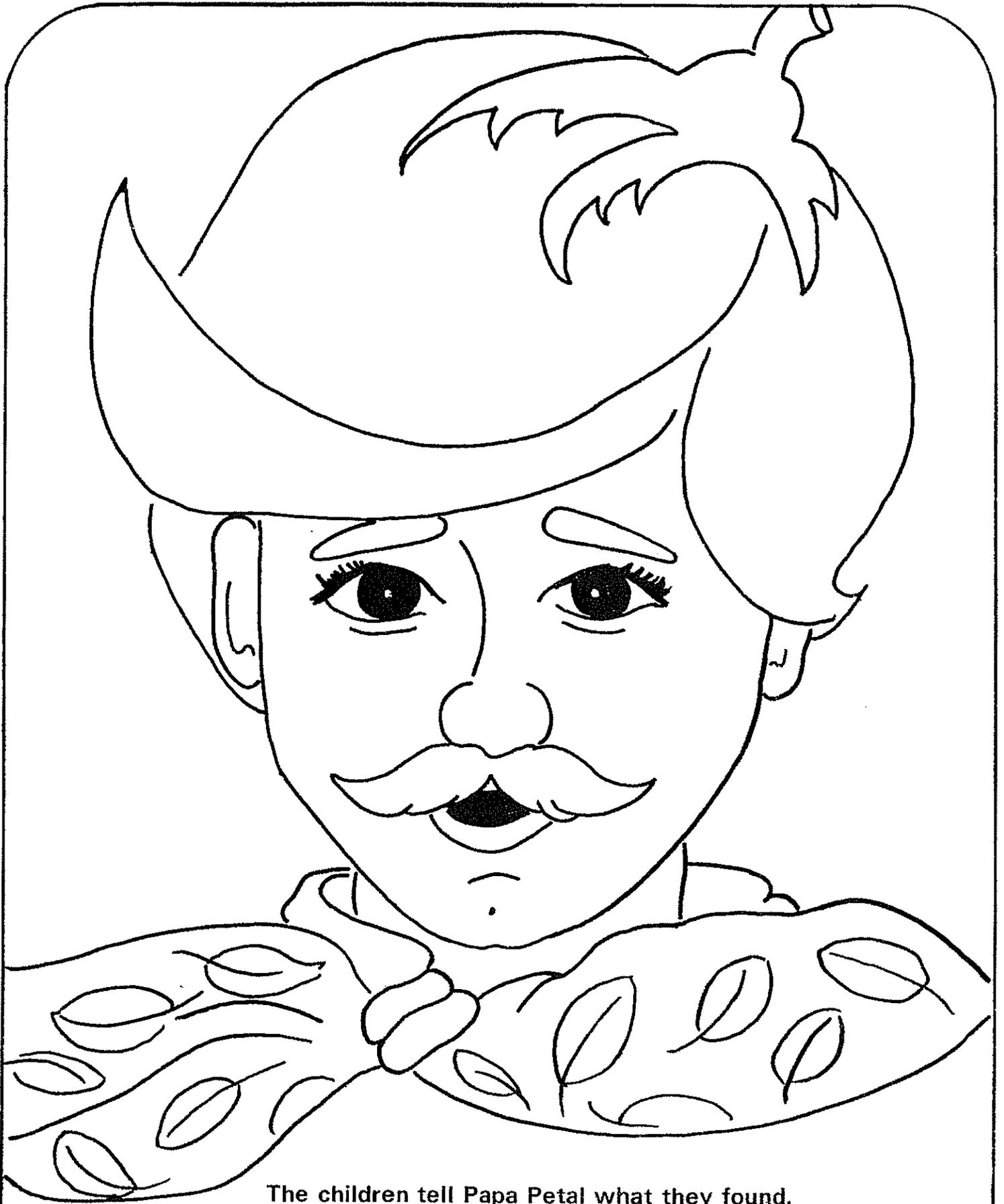
"What is the environment?" the children ask.



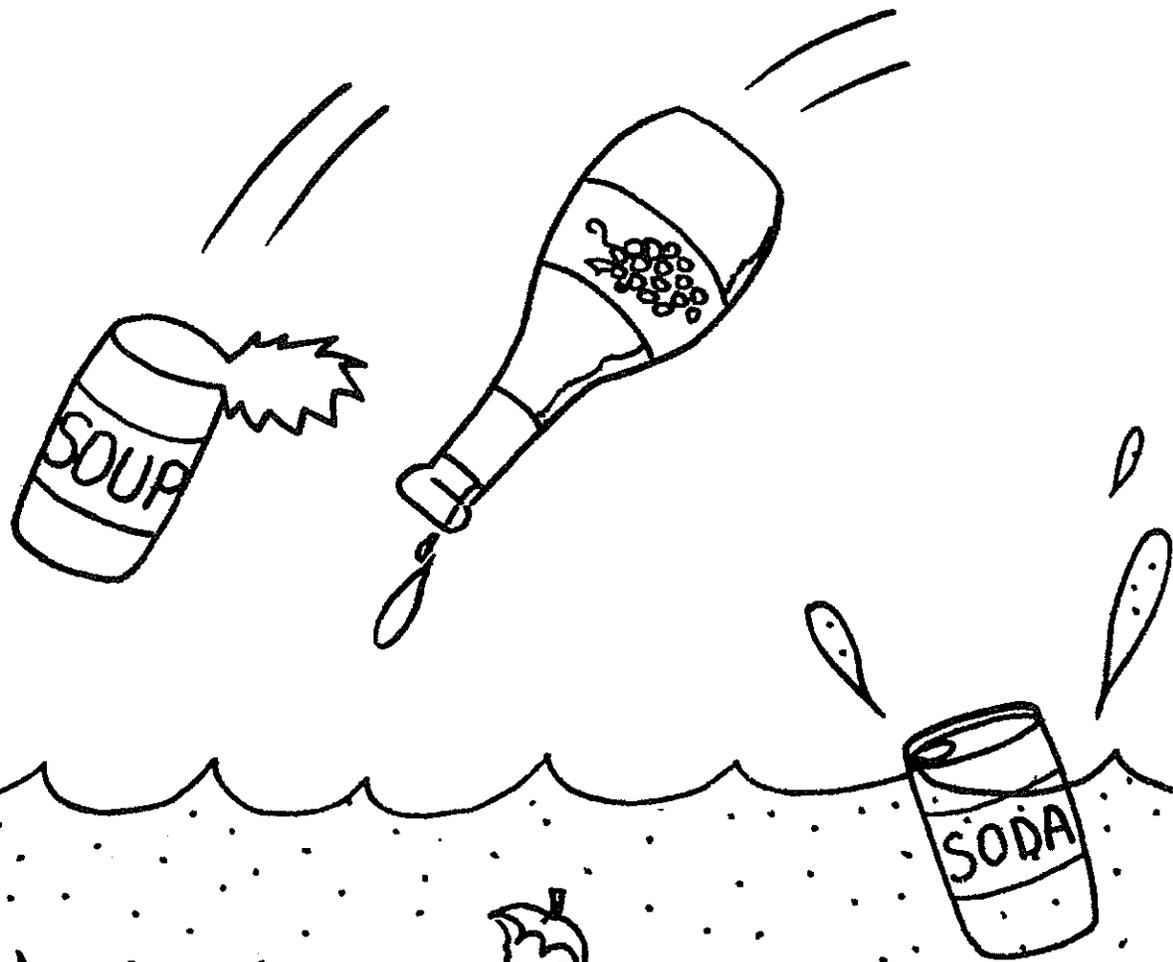
Papa Petal explains, "The environment is everything around us, the water, the land and the air."



After lunch, Daisy and Sweet William walk to the lake to see the fish. But, the fish are sick.



The children tell Papa Petal what they found.  
He explains that sometimes people dump garbage into  
the water without thinking about what this careless  
action is doing to the environment.



"Some people do not realize they pollute the home of the fish when they throw garbage into the water. Throwing garbage into the water may cause the fish to get sick," said Papa Petal.



Walking home, the Petal Family finds several empty soda cans and other trash carelessly thrown away along the path.



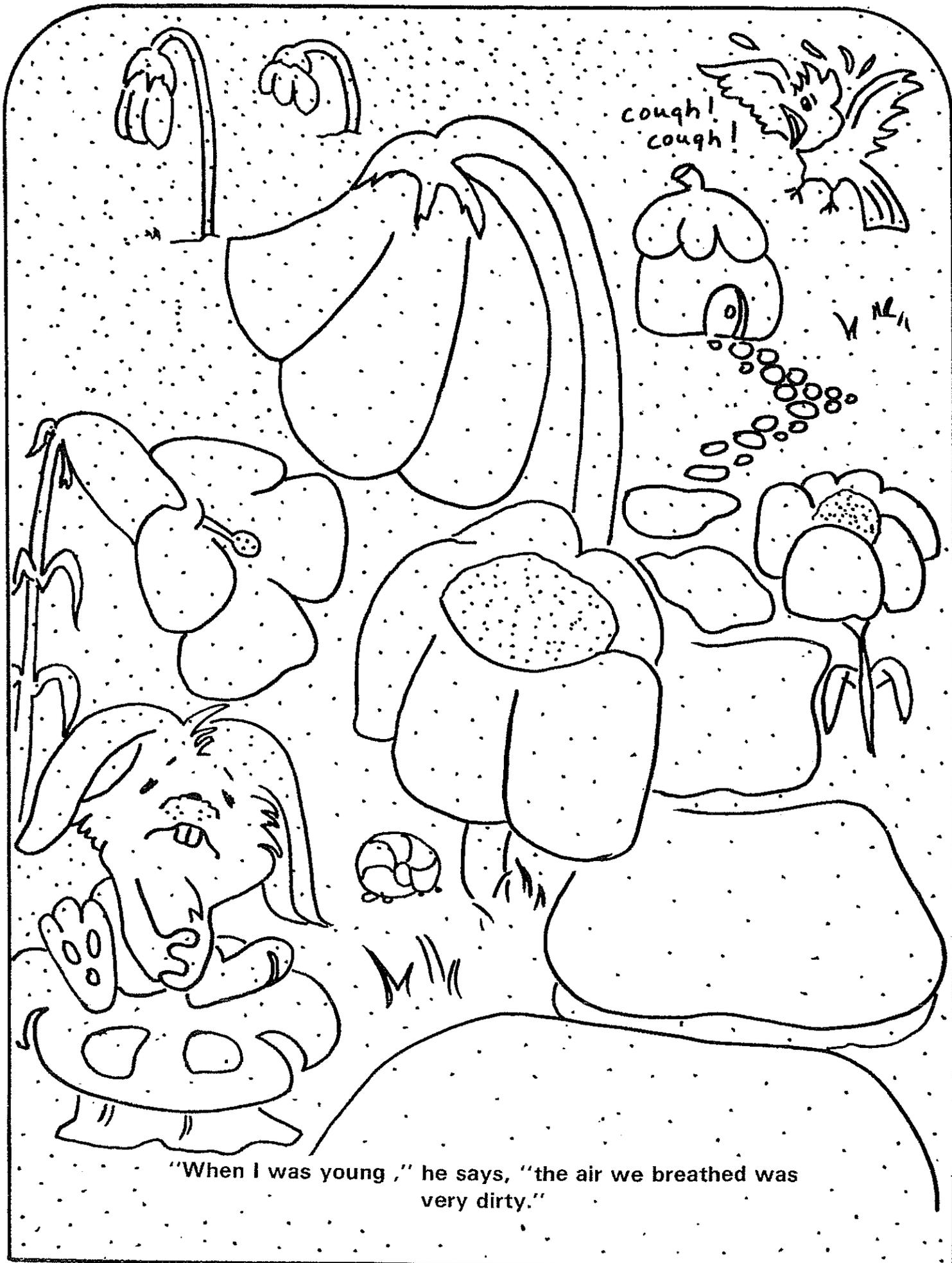
Sweet William asks, "Why is this garbage here?"



Mama Petal explains "Some people litter because they don't realize how much their actions dirty the environment."



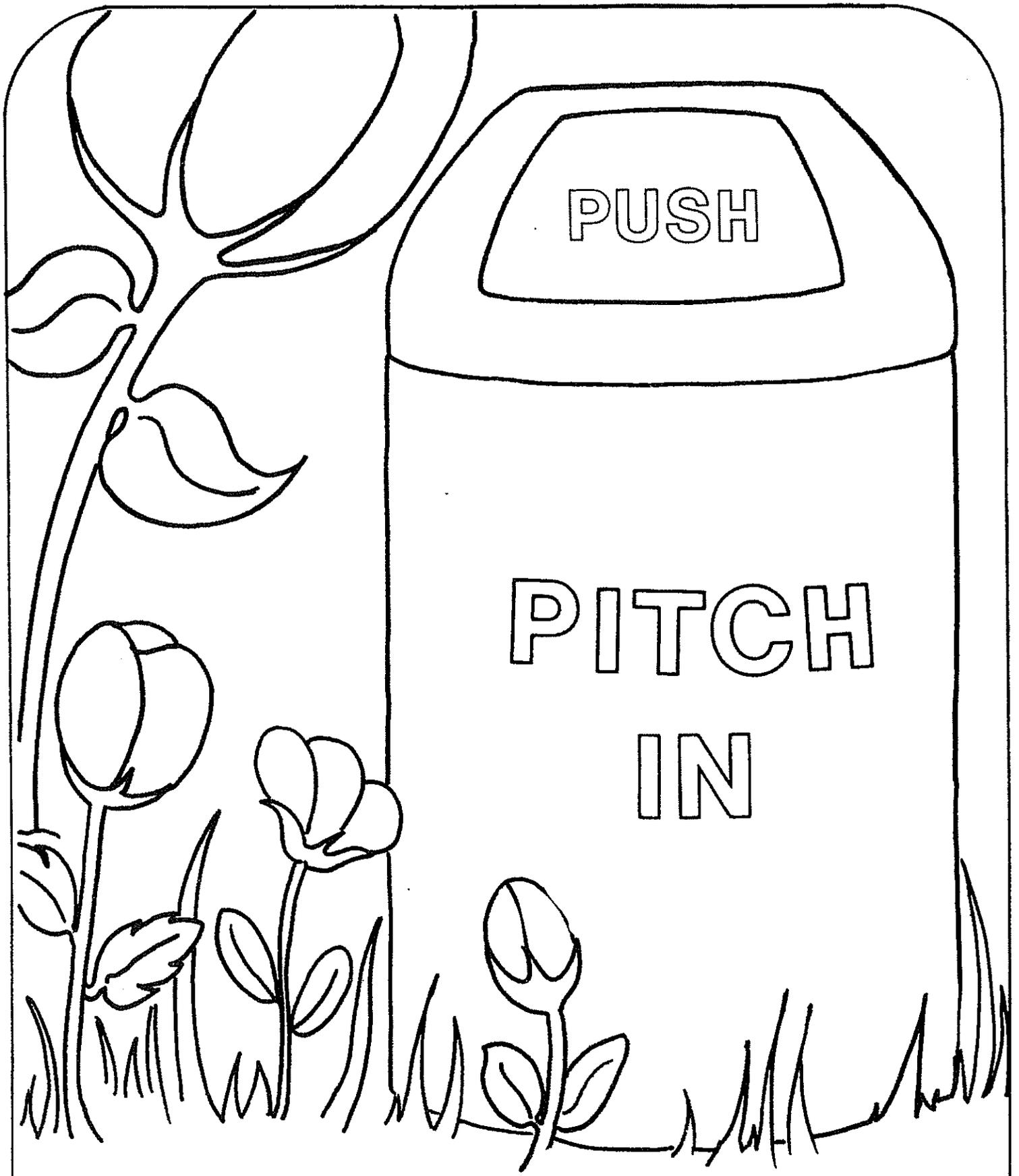
The Petal Family is tired when they get home.  
As Mama Petal puts the children to bed,  
Papa Petal tells the children a bedtime story.



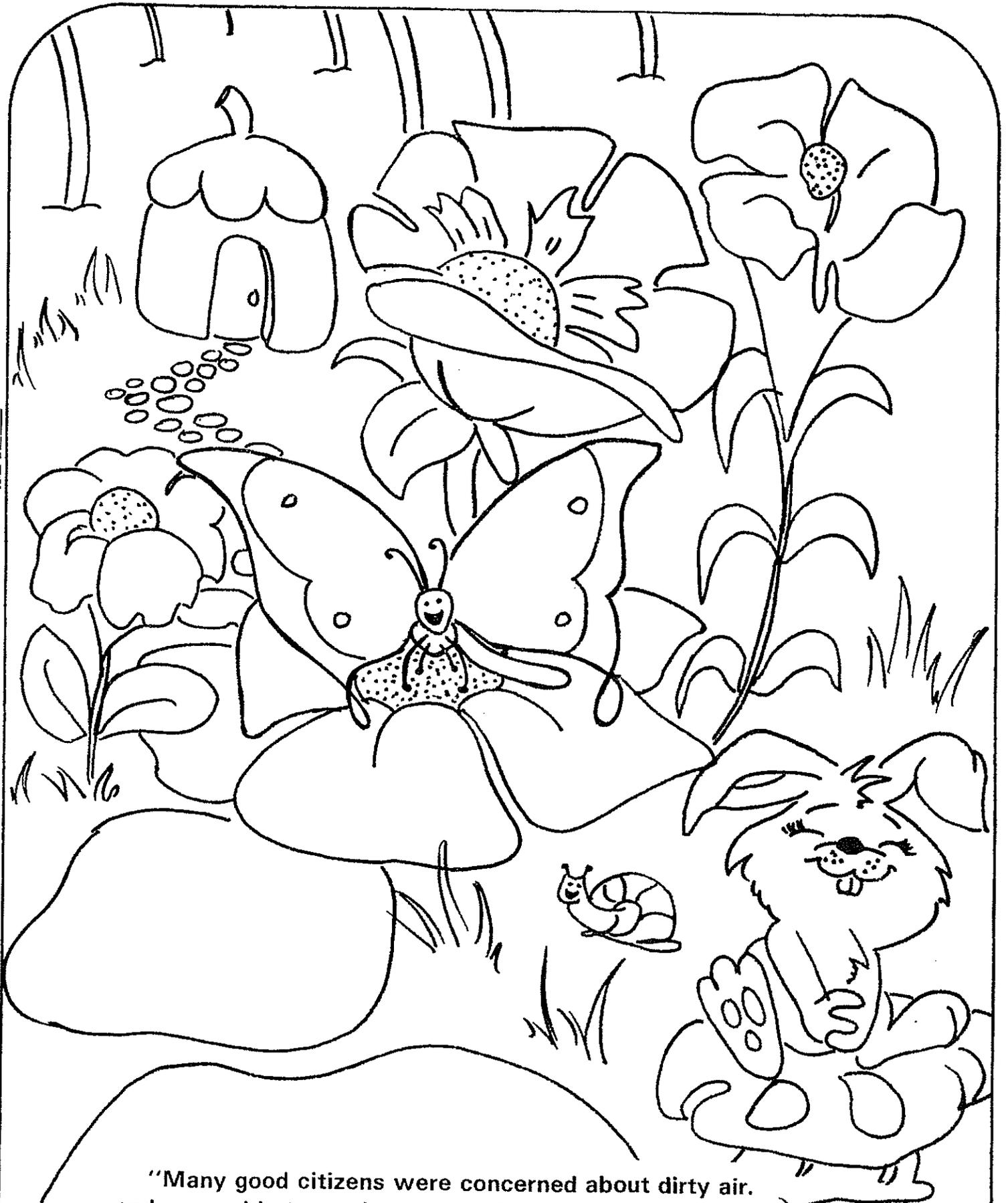
"When I was young," he says, "the air we breathed was very dirty."



" We can no longer swim in some water around the country  
because of pollution."



**"Good citizens of Flower Hill dispose of their trash the right way. We throw our garbage into trash cans so it can be collected and properly disposed."**

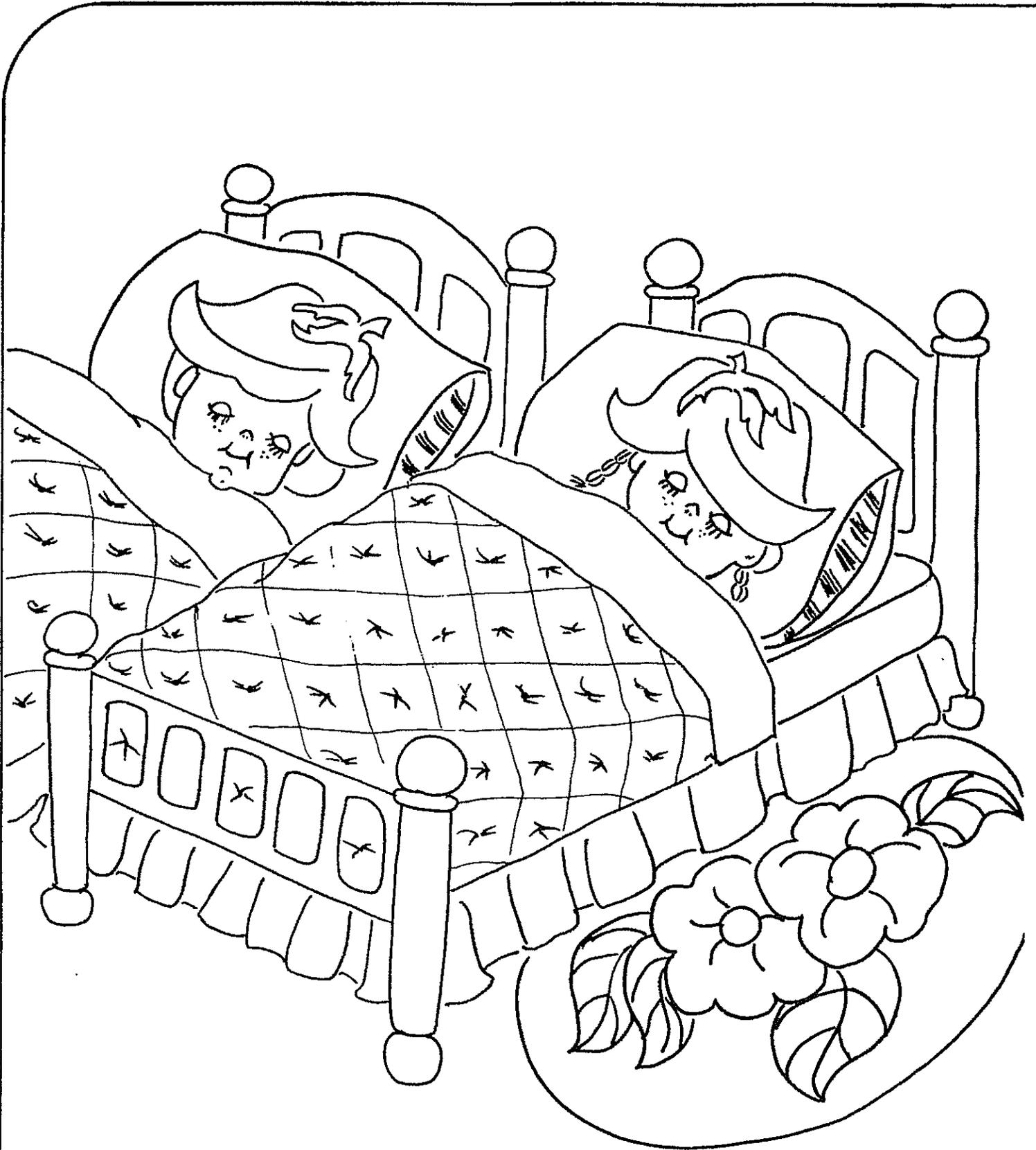


"Many good citizens were concerned about dirty air,  
and were able to get laws passed which reduced pollution  
in the air."

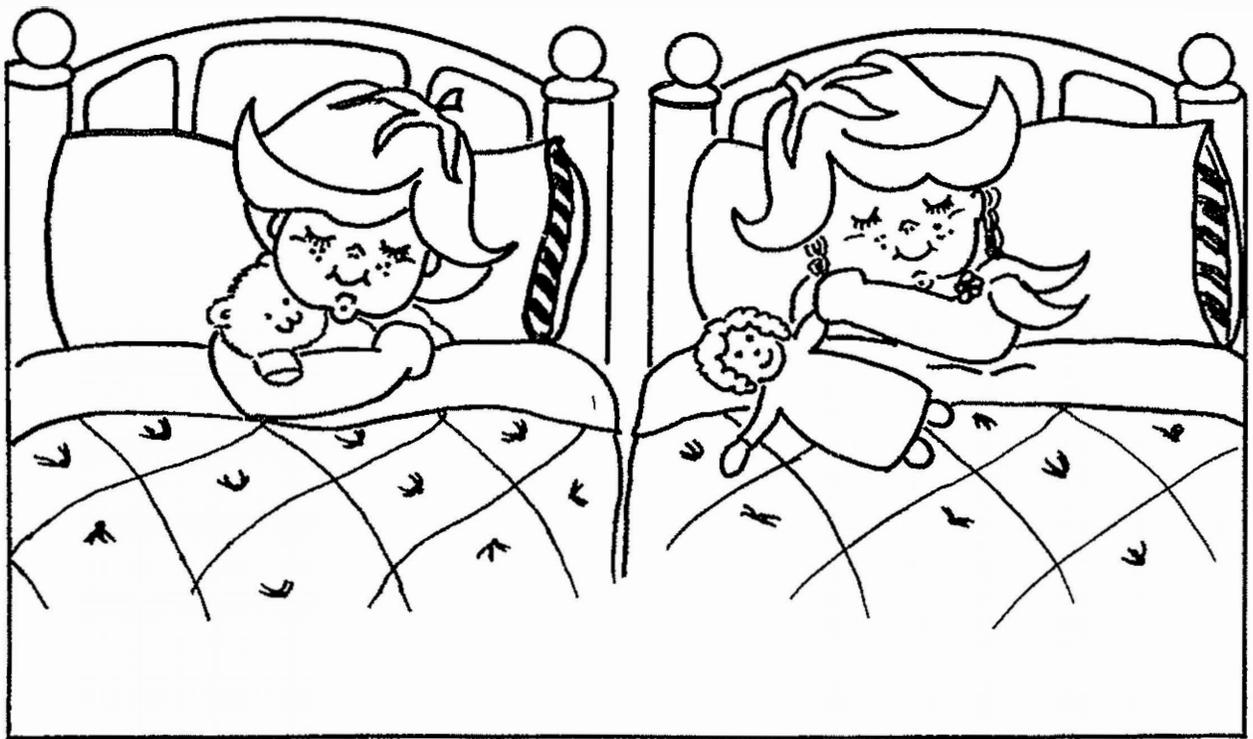
"We have cleaner air now because of those concerned citizens."



**"So, if you want something cleaned up, YOU can do it.  
If you want to live in a clean village everyone has to work  
together to keep it clean."**



And so the children fell asleep knowing that it is possible to save the fish and the water, and to have clean parks and paths to walk along. The children know that they are able to do the right things to keep the environment clean.



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