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From Our Home To Yours

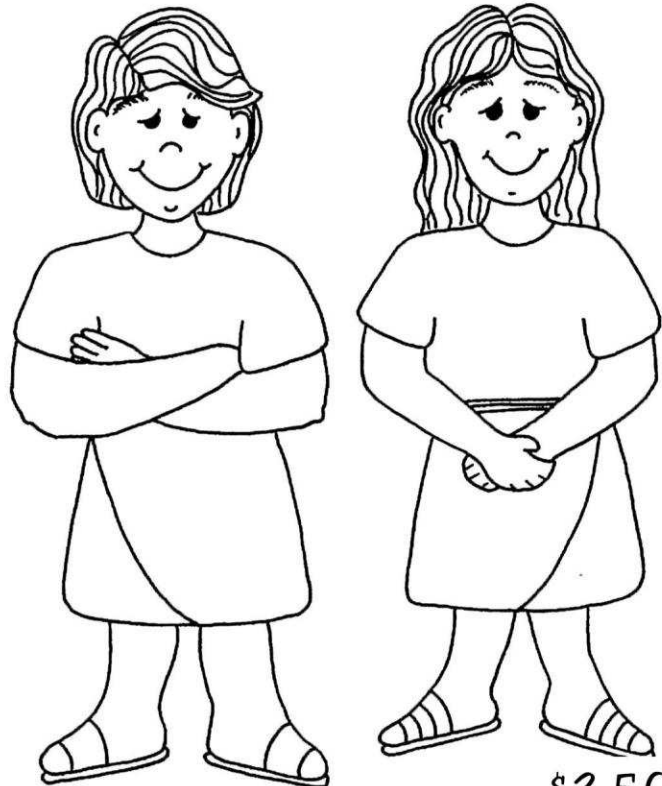
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The Creation Family Home Evening Packet

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Suggested Songs: "My Heavenly Father Loves Me", pg. 228 (Childrens)
"Beauty Everywhere", pg. 232 (Childrens)
"How Great Thou Art", pg. 86 (Hymn)

Scriptures: 2 Nephi 2:14, Mosiah 2: 20-24

Story: Color graphics with markers, colored pencils, chalks, etc. Use flannel, or laminate and cut out and place magnets on back of graphics, etc.

Game: "What I Am Thankful For" game. Laminate and cut out cards. One sheet of riddles is for older children and the other is for younger children (it tells you on the bottom right hand corner of the riddle sheets which sheet is for each age group). You can either divide into teams or allow each person to play individually. Score keeping is optional. Initially, allow younger children to answer the younger children's riddles and the older children to answer the older children's riddles. After they have played the game a few times, the children will start to memorize the answers. At this point the cards can be mixed together and allow the children to answer either set of riddles. Children learn by repetition, so it's great if they start memorizing the answers! As a variation to the game, after the answer to the riddle has been given, ask the individual why he or she is thankful for that part of the creation (if the question would apply to the answer).



Six Layer Creation Cookies

Ingredients:

- 1 square of butter or margarine
- 1 1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs
- 1 cup flaked coconut
- 1 small bag of chocolate chips
- 1 small bag of butterscotch chips
- 1 cup chopped walnuts (optional)
- 1 can Eagle Brand milk

- Melt butter or margarine and combine with graham cracker crumbs. Pat into a 9x11 baking pan. Layer coconut first, then chocolate chips, then butterscotch chips, then nuts. Finally, pour the Eagle brand milk over everything evenly. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.



In The Beginning



When we gaze around at the beautiful world that we live on, it is amazing how many wonderful creations God has given us. To appreciate the earth and all that is upon it, is just another way to worship God.

Heavenly Father chose Jesus Christ to make the earth. The book of Moses in the Book of Mormon tells of the masterful creation and of how Jesus did as his Father had asked him to do.

In the beginning, God created the heaven and the earth. Our world didn't have any form so God formed it. It was dark, though, everywhere around it. He commanded that there should be light and it was just as he commanded. Then, he divided the light into one place and the darkness into another. The light was called "day" and the darkness was called "night." It took God six days to create the world, and on the first day, he made the day and the night.

At this time, there was water where the earth was to be formed and water up in the clouds. God separated them on the second day. He spoke and said, "Let there be a firmament in the midst of the water," and God called the firmament, "Heaven."

On the third day, the earth was covered with water. God commanded that the dry land appear and it was so. The mountains, fields, hills and valleys appeared. He gathered all the waters together and called them "seas".

The earth needed growing things, for it was just dirt, rock, and water. On the third day, He commanded the earth to bring forth grass, herbs and seeds, and fruit trees. Suddenly, the world was blossoming, green and beautiful.

Next, God wanted there to be signs in the heavens that could be seen by everyone. These creations would be used to tell the seasons, days and years. He wanted something in the heavens that would give light upon the earth. He created the sun, the moon and the stars, saying that the sun would rule the day and the moon would rule the night. What wonderful miracles these are! Even our greatest scientists can't make a sun or a moon.

On the fifth day, God commanded the waters to bring forth moving creatures that had life. He commanded the skies to bring forth birds of all kinds, that were free to fly in the firmaments above. He created great whales and every moving fish and bird, and told them to be fruitful and to have offspring so that the world would be populated with all of these living things. At the end of each day, God surveyed his work and pronounced it "Good."

What do you think God created on the sixth day? **(Discussion)** Yes, it was time for all the animals and for man to live upon the earth.

God said, "Let the earth bring forth the living creature after his kind, cattle, and creeping things, beasts of the earth," and it was so. The earth became alive with the sounds of tigers, horses and lions. There were giraffes, pigs and kangaroos. Then God said to Jesus, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. Let them have dominion over the fishes of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth." And so it was that man was created.

Then God made a man and named him Adam. He was the very first man on the earth and he looked just like Heavenly Father and Jesus.

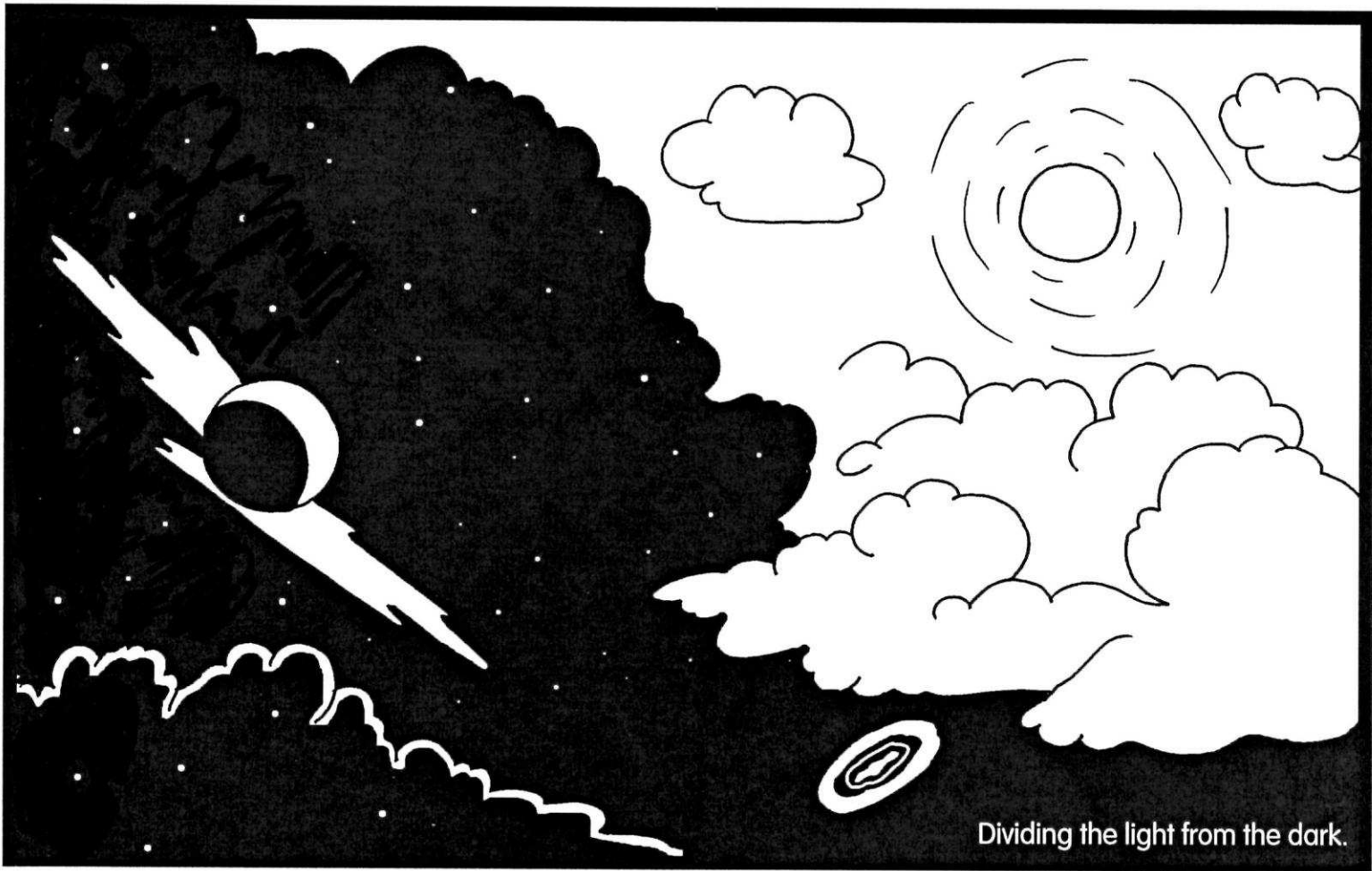
Adam was placed in a beautiful garden that was created just for him, called the Garden of Eden. Adam needed someone to help him, so God created Eve, the very first woman. She became Adam's wife. Jesus told them to have children so that the spirits in Heaven could come to be born on the earth in due time.

The seventh day came, and God blessed this day himself, calling it "holy" and he sanctified it because he had rested on that day from all his work. That is why Sunday is such a special day and why we are commanded by God to also rest from our work.

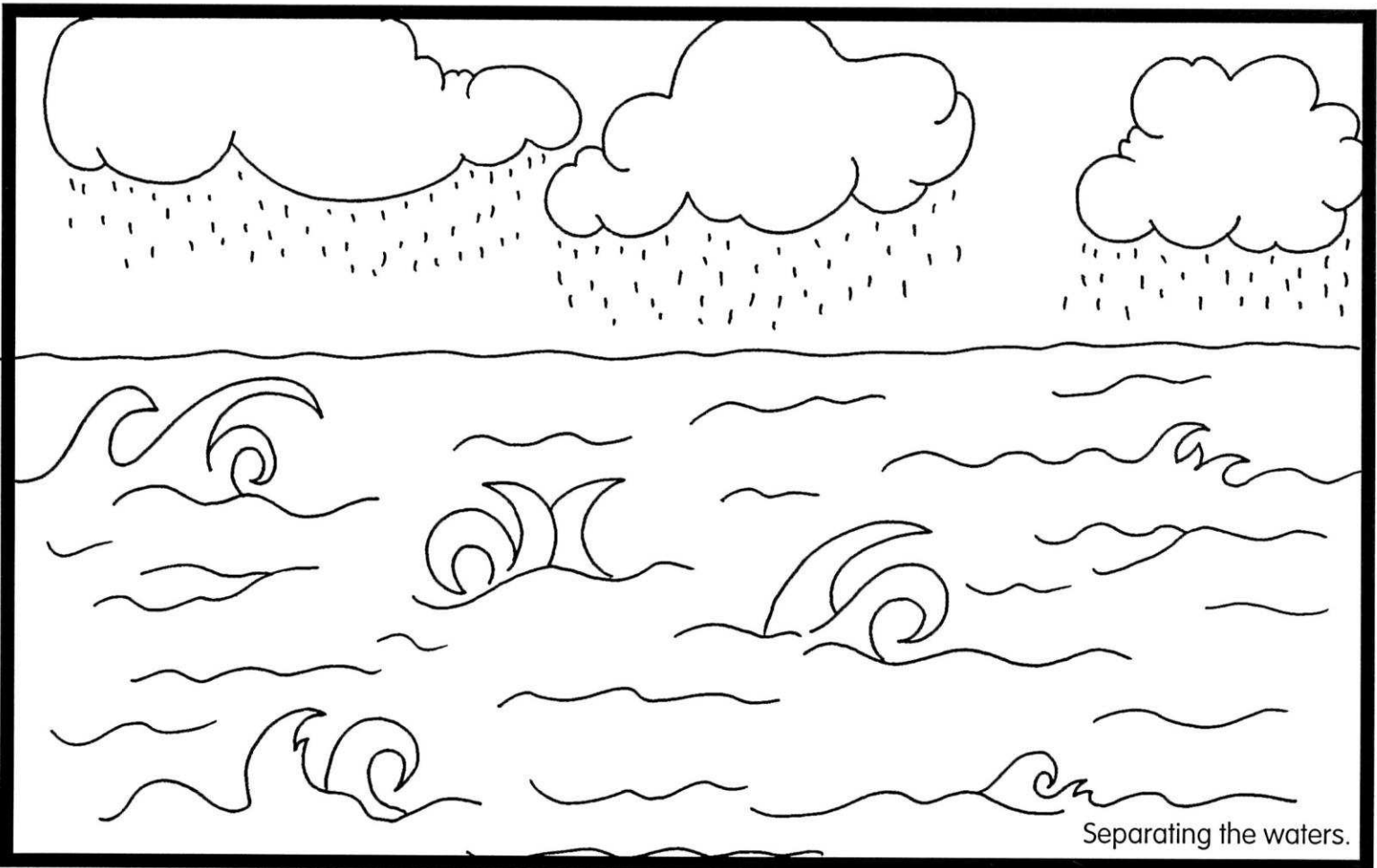
God created this beautiful earth for you and me. He commanded us to take care of it, to use it and to enjoy it. Every day we live on this world is a tremendous blessing from the Lord.

DISCUSSION:

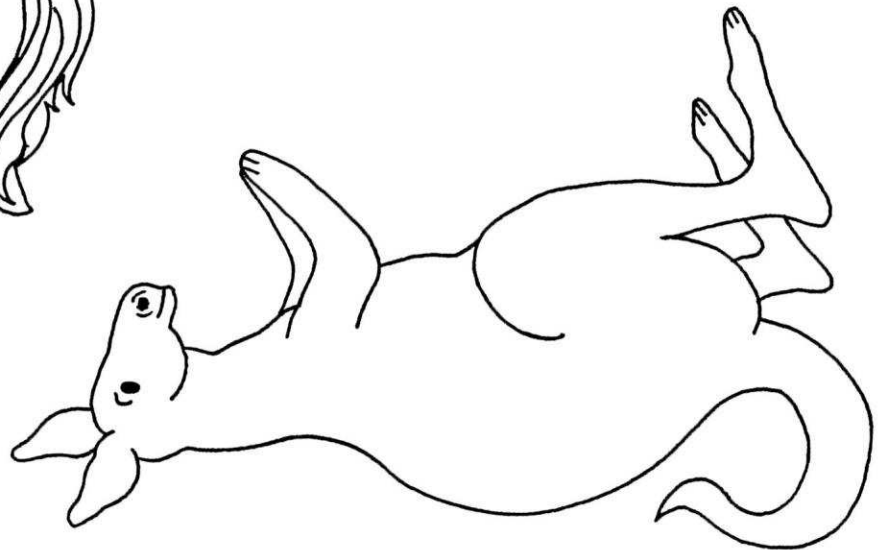
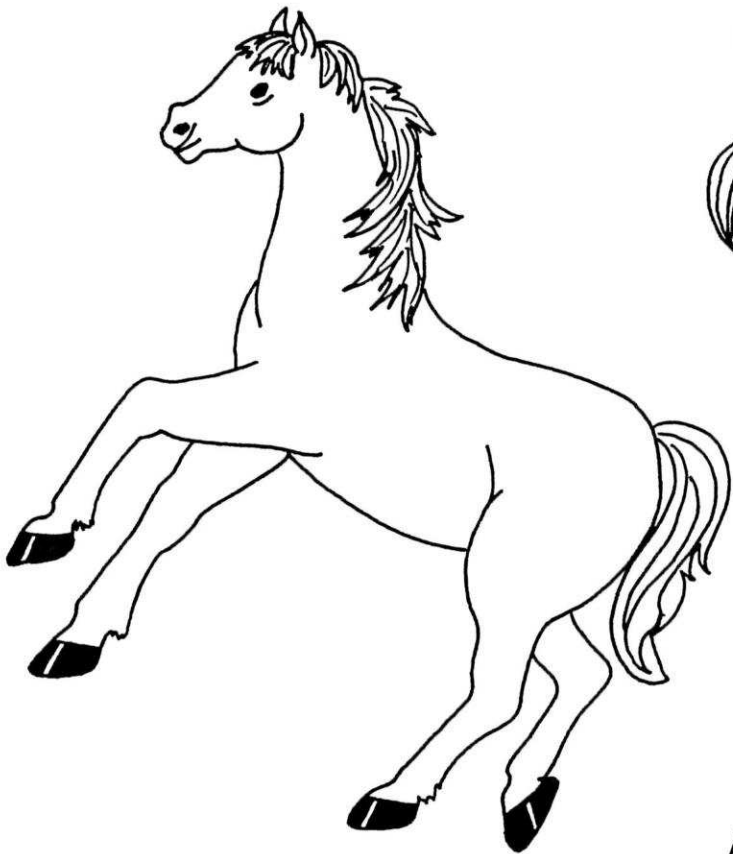
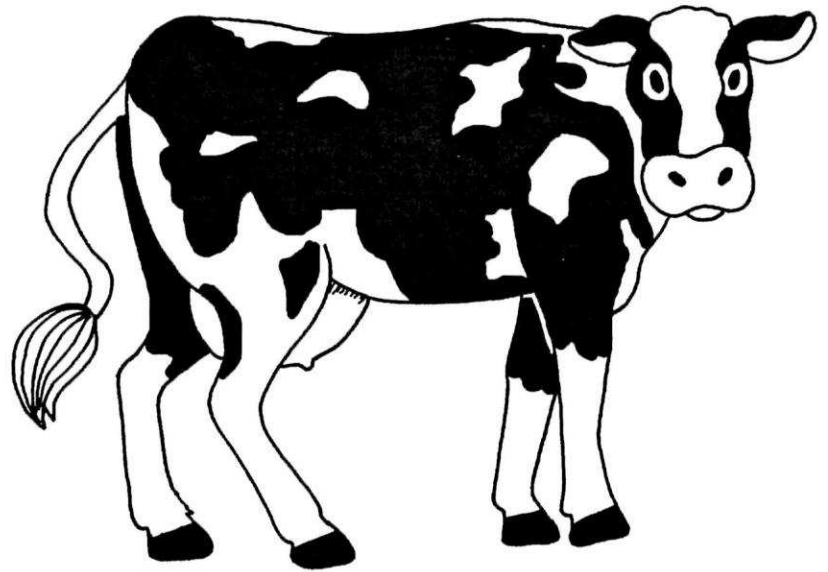
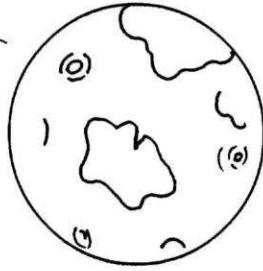
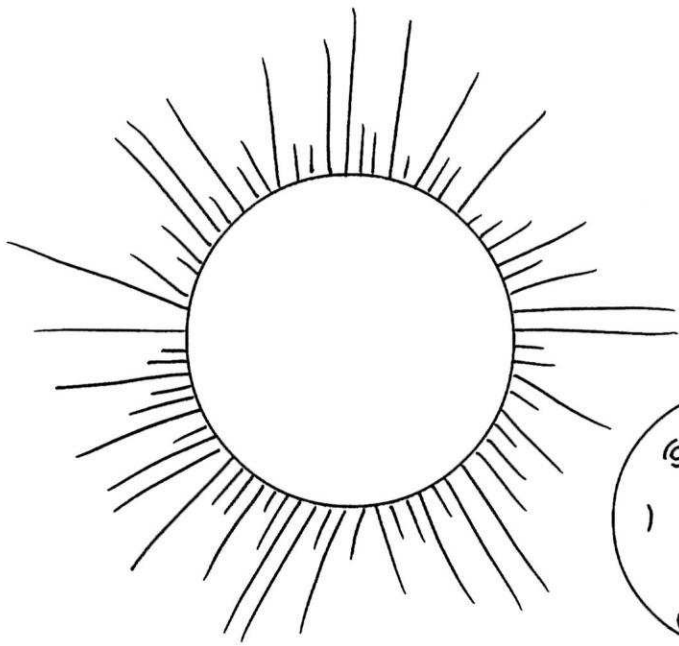
- How would you like to create a world?
- What would you make for your world?
- Did you know that someday, we may be able to create worlds also?
- How can we have the privilege of creating a world?
- Why is the seventh day (sabbath day) such a holy day?

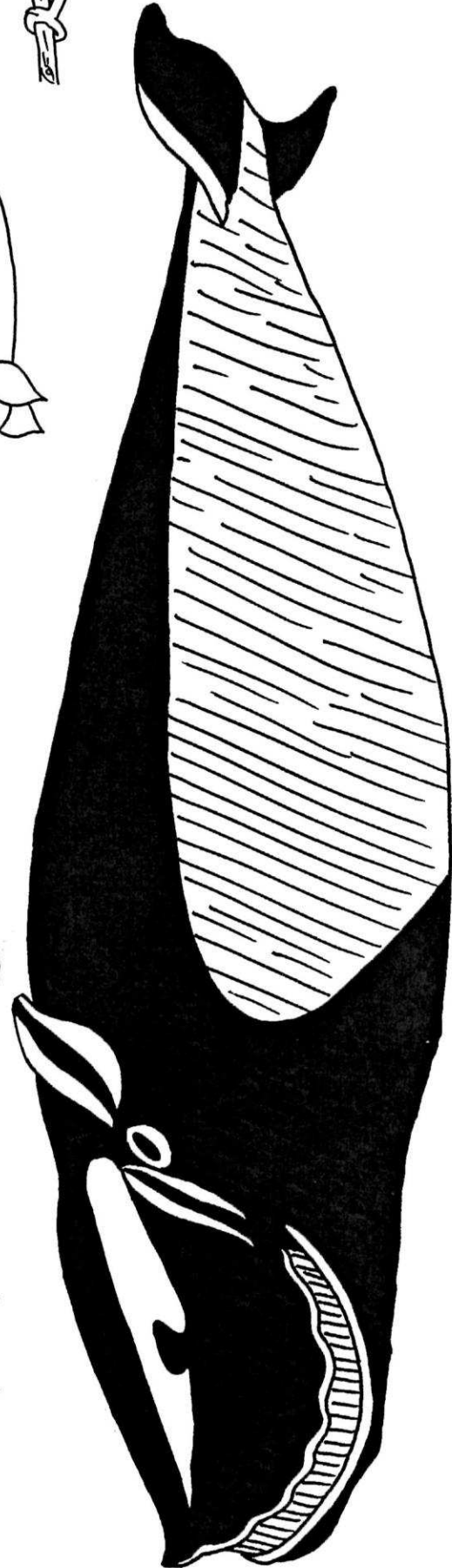
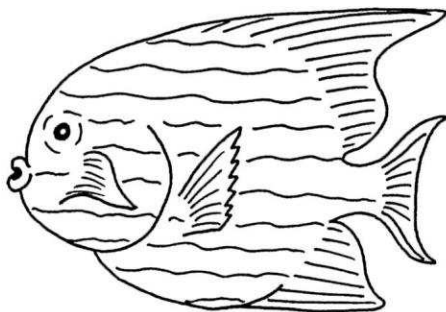
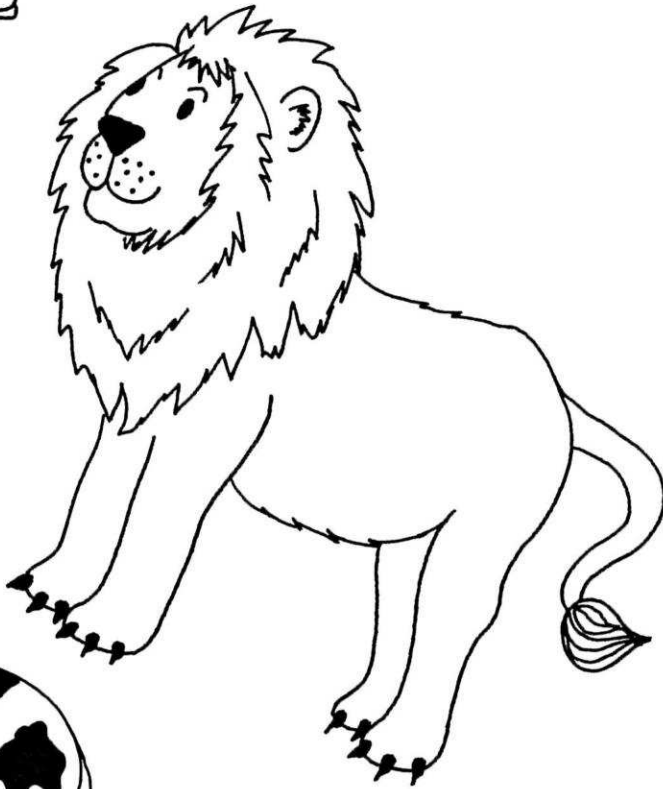
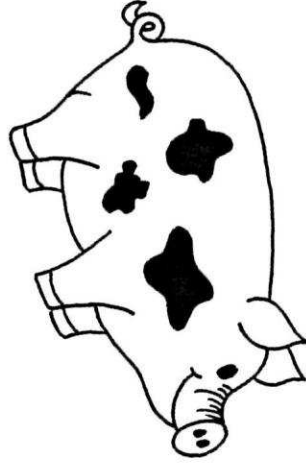
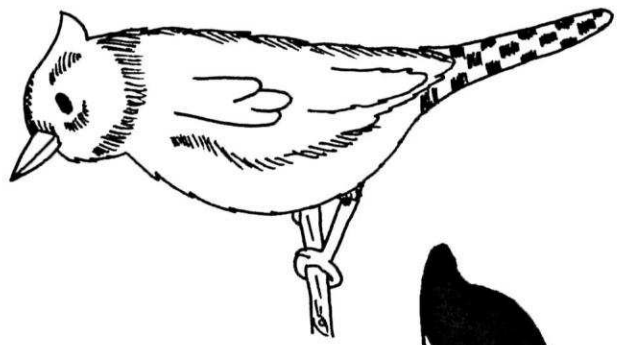
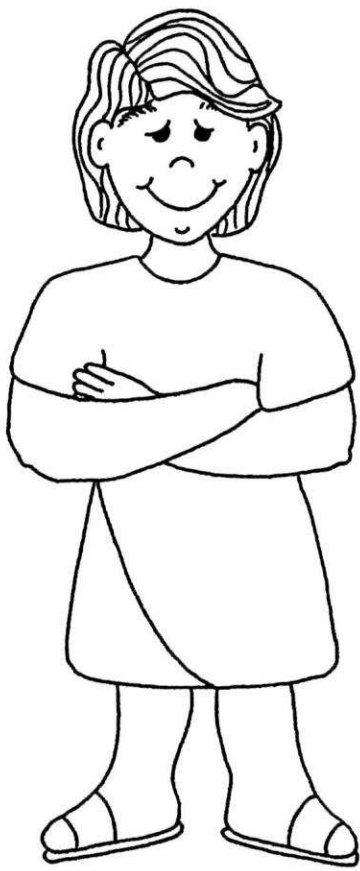


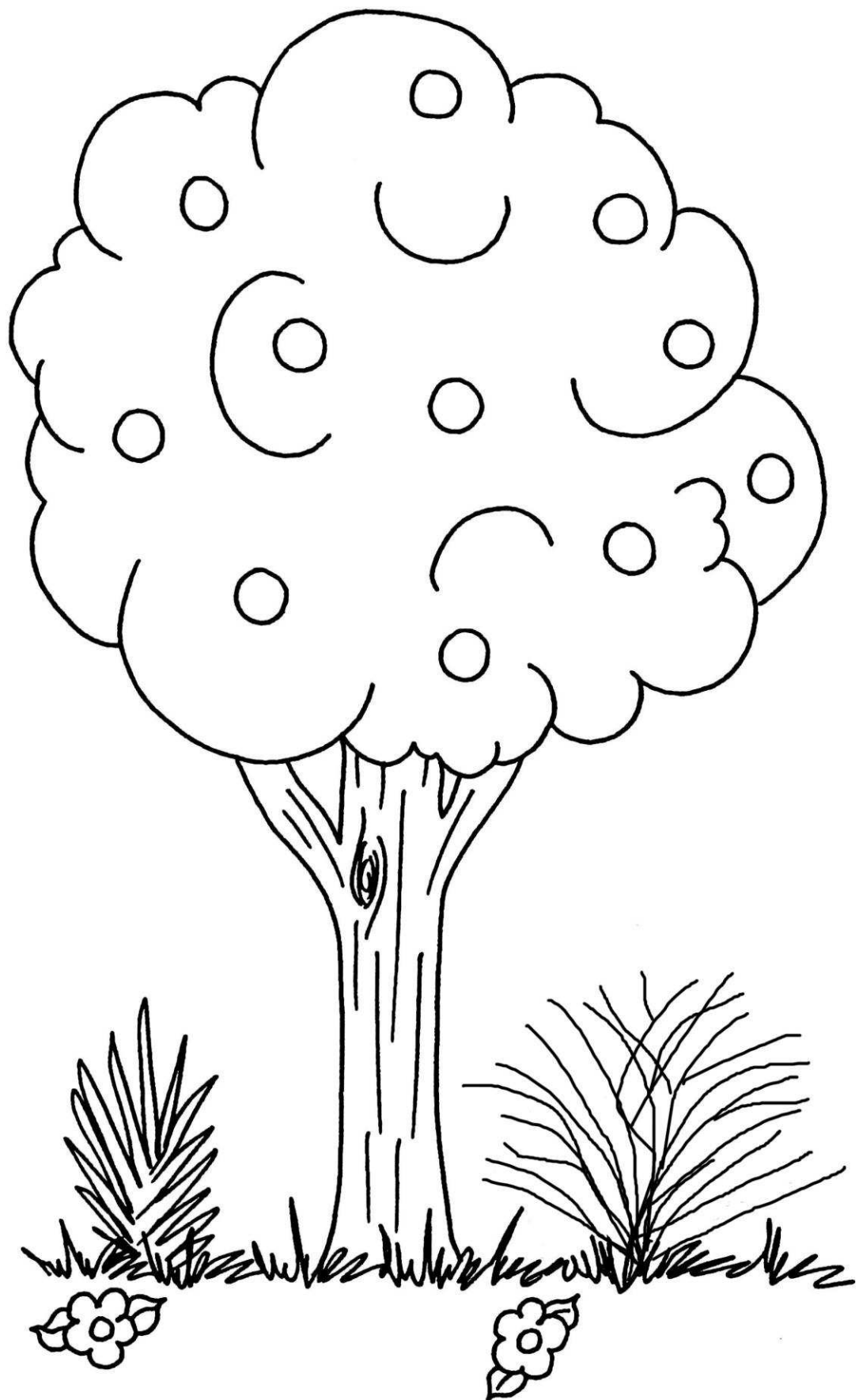
Dividing the light from the dark.



Separating the waters.







I am warm
I am bright
I rule the day
Not the night.

Answer: The sun

You see me
When the sun goes
down
I rule the night
And my shape is round.

Answer: The moon

God gave us these
To gaze upon at night
If there are clouds in the sky
We really miss their light.

Answer: Stars

God Sanctified this day
It's a day of rest
And if you do what's right
This day's the best.

Answer: Sunday

In the beginning
Were the dark
and the light
The light had what name?
And the darkness
was night.

Answer: Day

When God parted
the waters
He named them a name
It wasn't lakes or oceans
but the name
still means the same.

Answer: Seas

She was the first woman
To walk on the world
She was a help mate
She was Adam's pearl.

Answer: Eve

Adam was made
In this image we're told
Who did he look like?
He was an exact mold.

Answer: God and Jesus

A beautiful garden
Just for these two
What was its name
When it was brand new?

Answer: The Garden of Eden

I was put on the world
On the sixth day
I'm pink, have
a curly tail
And I don't eat hay.

Answer: Pig

I live in the sea
And God made me large
I have a spout on top
And I could sink a barge!

Answer: Whale

I fly in the sky
I live in your trees
I build nests
Just look up
and you'll see.

Answer: Bird

I come from Australia
And I live in Mom's pouch
If Mom fell on her stomach
You'd hear me yell, "Ouch!"

Answer: Kangaroo

I grow on a tree
And I am very sweet
I am a breakfast drink
Or I'm really good to eat.

Answer: Orange, Apple or Grape

I grow on bushes
I grow on trees
I grow in your garden
And a rose is one of these.

Answer: Flower

<p>Who was the God Who created the earth? Which one of the Godhead Gave the world it's birth?</p> <p>Answer: Jesus Christ</p>	<p>It took this many days For the world to be done Now get this right It's a week minus one.</p> <p>Answer: Six days</p>	<p>The firmament appeared And the water was parted Which day was it When all of this started?</p> <p>Answer: The Second Day</p>
<p>It's a word We all love It's called the firmament And it's always above.</p> <p>Answer: Heaven</p>	<p>Whales and fishes And birds of the air Came on this day So please be aware.</p> <p>Answer: The Fifth Day</p>	<p>There is a word God used on each day It described how He felt As His work He surveyed.</p> <p>Answer: Good</p>
<p>He was created Out of the dust He is the Father of all To know his name is a must.</p> <p>Answer: Adam</p>	<p>On the sixth day Came not only man But these came also Name four kinds if you can.</p> <p>Answer: Beasts or animals</p>	<p>Be fruitful and multiply What does that mean? It's what God told them That's how they got their basketball team</p> <p>Answer: To have children</p>
<p>Something was given To all of us here What is it that helps us To know days and years?</p> <p>Answer: Sun, Moon and Stars</p>	<p>Please name the day When the grass and the trees All came to the earth But there still were no bees.</p> <p>Answer: The third day</p>	<p>In the midst of the waters God commanded them to be If it weren't for them There would be no place for you and me.</p> <p>Answer: Dry Lands</p>
<p>This is the book where You can read all about it It's in Moses, chapter two We all need to shout it!</p> <p>Answer: The Pearl of Great Price</p>	<p>If this answer you know Ten extra points you will get How old is the earth? You know this, I bet.</p> <p>Answer: 7000 Years</p>	<p>Name two of them God called them "seas" If you know where they are Your mother you'll please.</p> <p>Answer: The Baltic, Adriatic, Dead & Mediterranean</p>

“And now, my sons, I speak unto you these things for your profit and learning; for there is a God, and he hath created all things, both the heavens and the earth, and all things that in them are, both things

to act and things to be acted upon.”

2 Nephi 2:14

