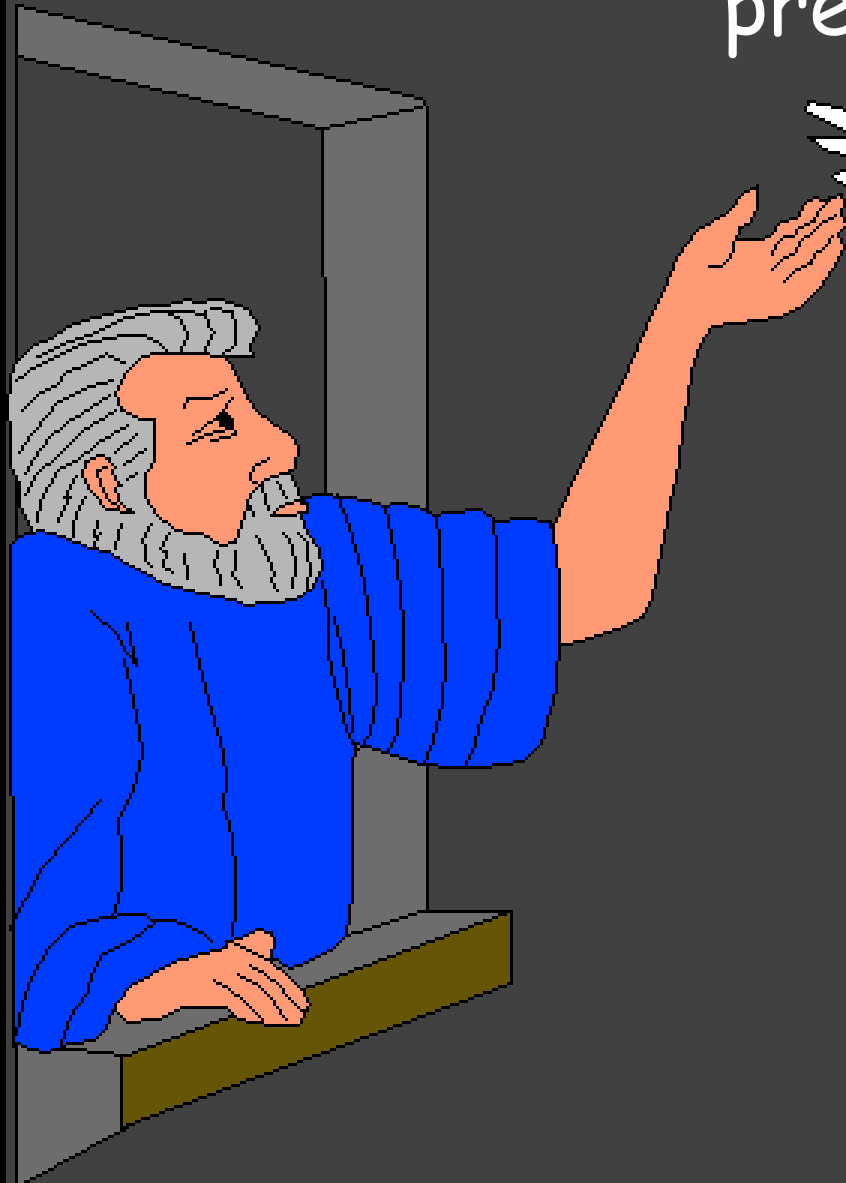


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# NOAH AND THE GREAT FLOOD



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Noah was a man  
who worshiped God.  
Everyone else hated  
and disobeyed God.

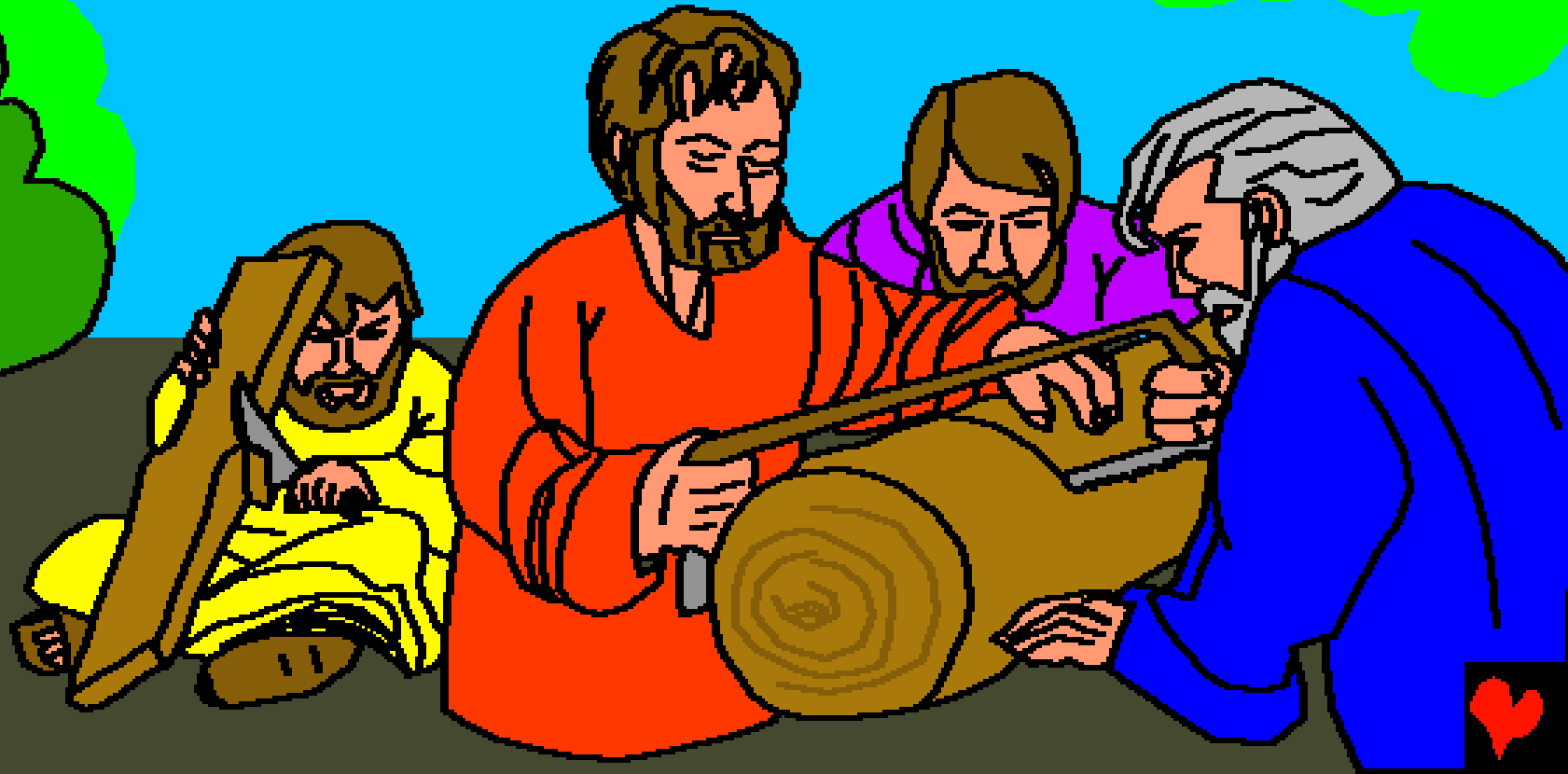
One  
day,  
God  
said  
something  
shocking.



"I will destroy this wicked world," God told Noah. "Only your family will be saved."

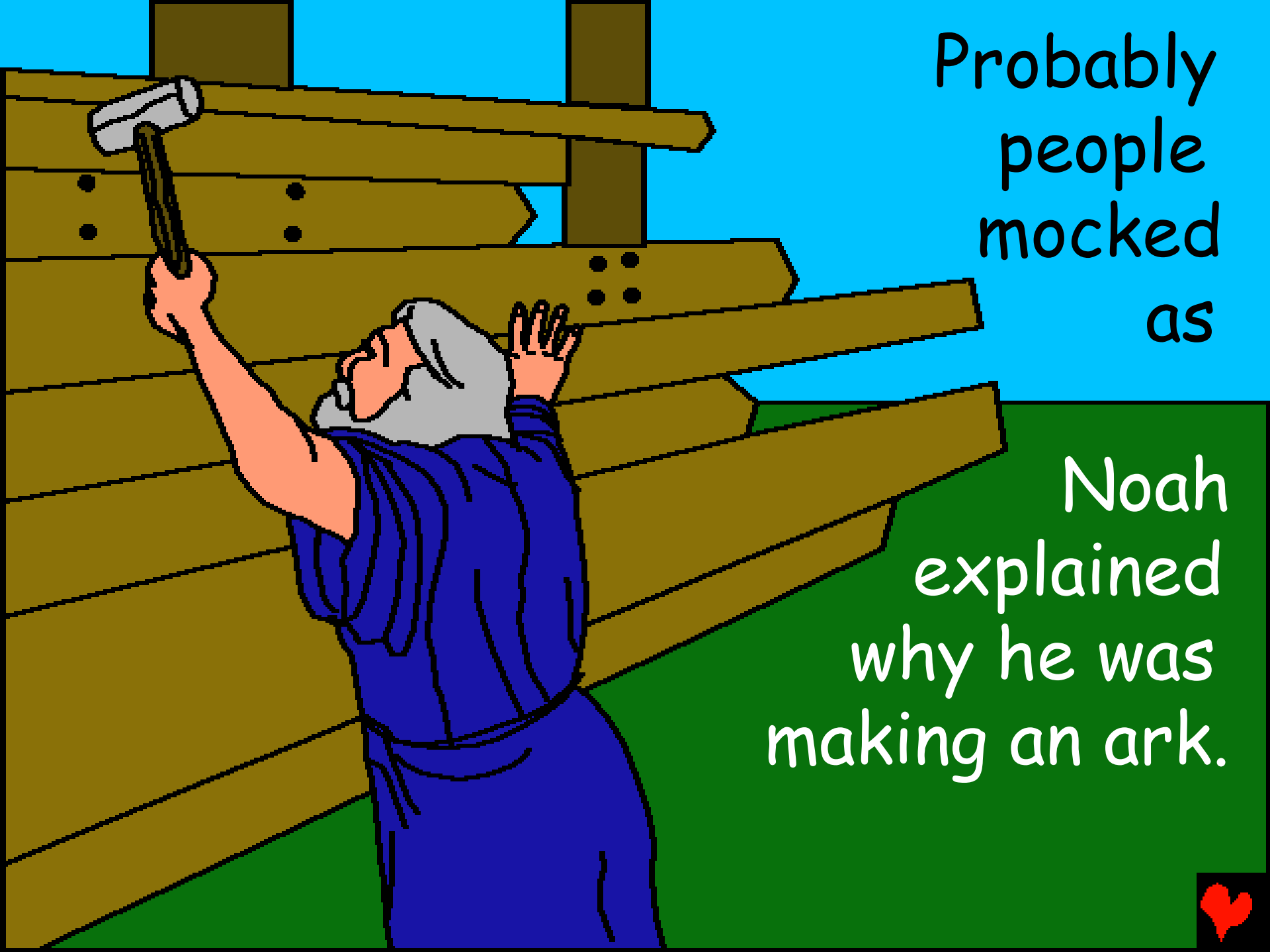


God warned Noah that a great flood would come and cover the earth.



"Build a wooden ark, a boat big enough for your family and many animals," Noah was ordered. God gave Noah exact instructions. Noah got busy!





Probably  
people  
mocked  
as

Noah  
explained  
why he was  
making an ark.





Noah kept  
building.  
He  
also

kept  
telling  
people about  
God. Nobody  
listened.

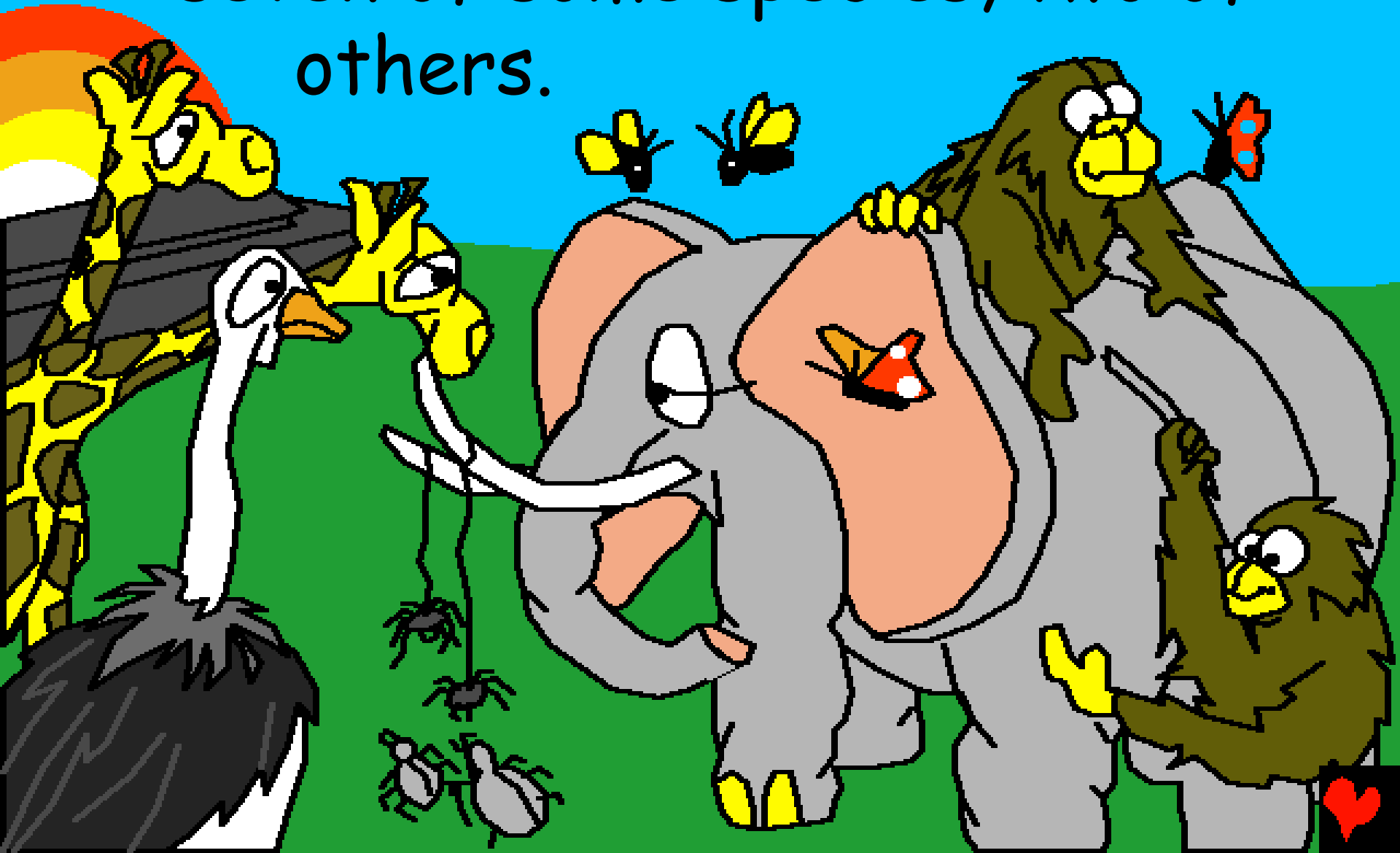




Noah had great faith. He believed God even though rain had never fallen before. Soon the ark was ready to be loaded with supplies.



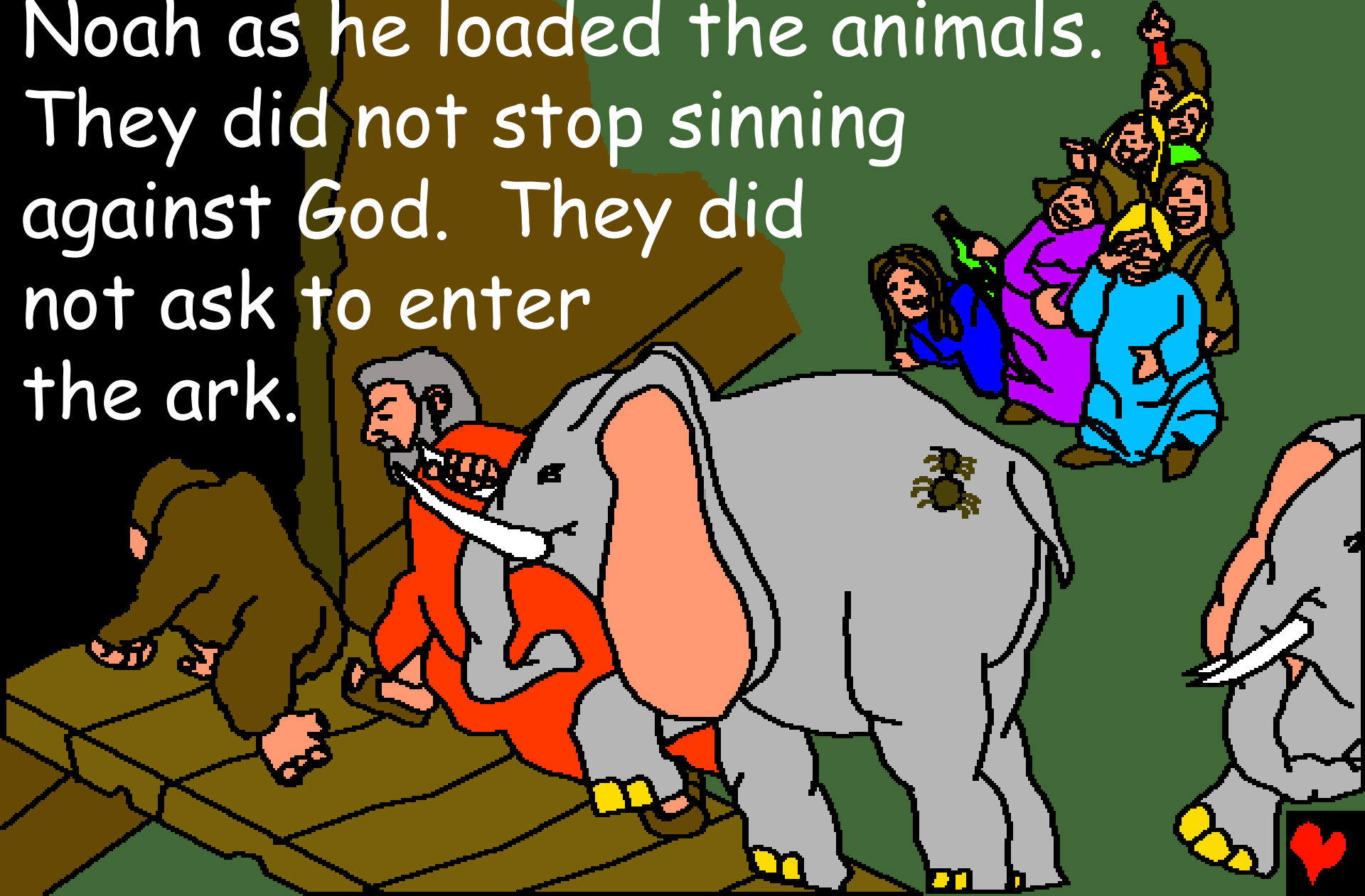
Now came the animals. God brought seven of some species, two of others.



Birds great and small, beasts tiny  
and tall made their way to the  
ark.



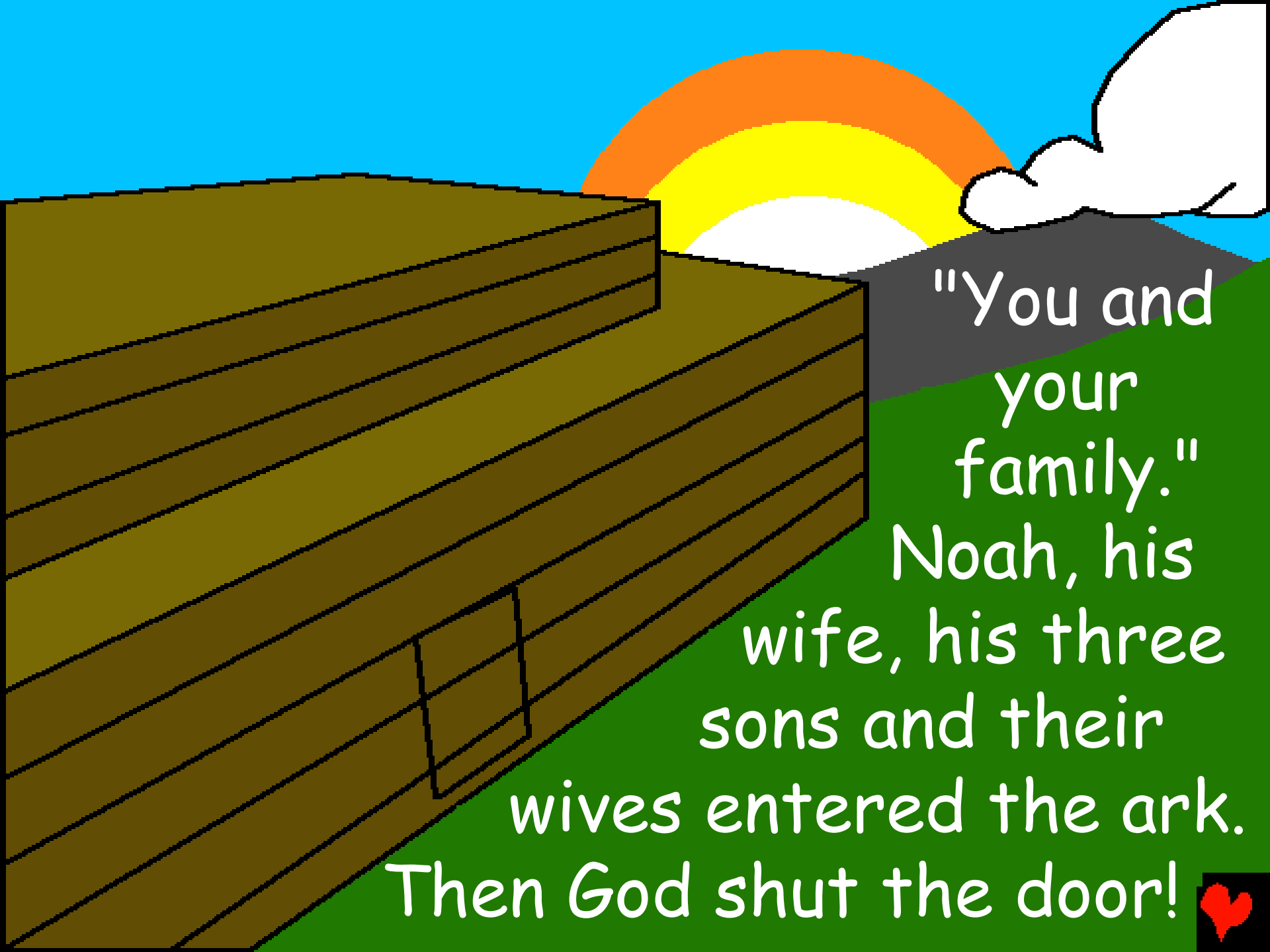
Perhaps the people shouted insults at Noah as he loaded the animals. They did not stop sinning against God. They did not ask to enter the ark.





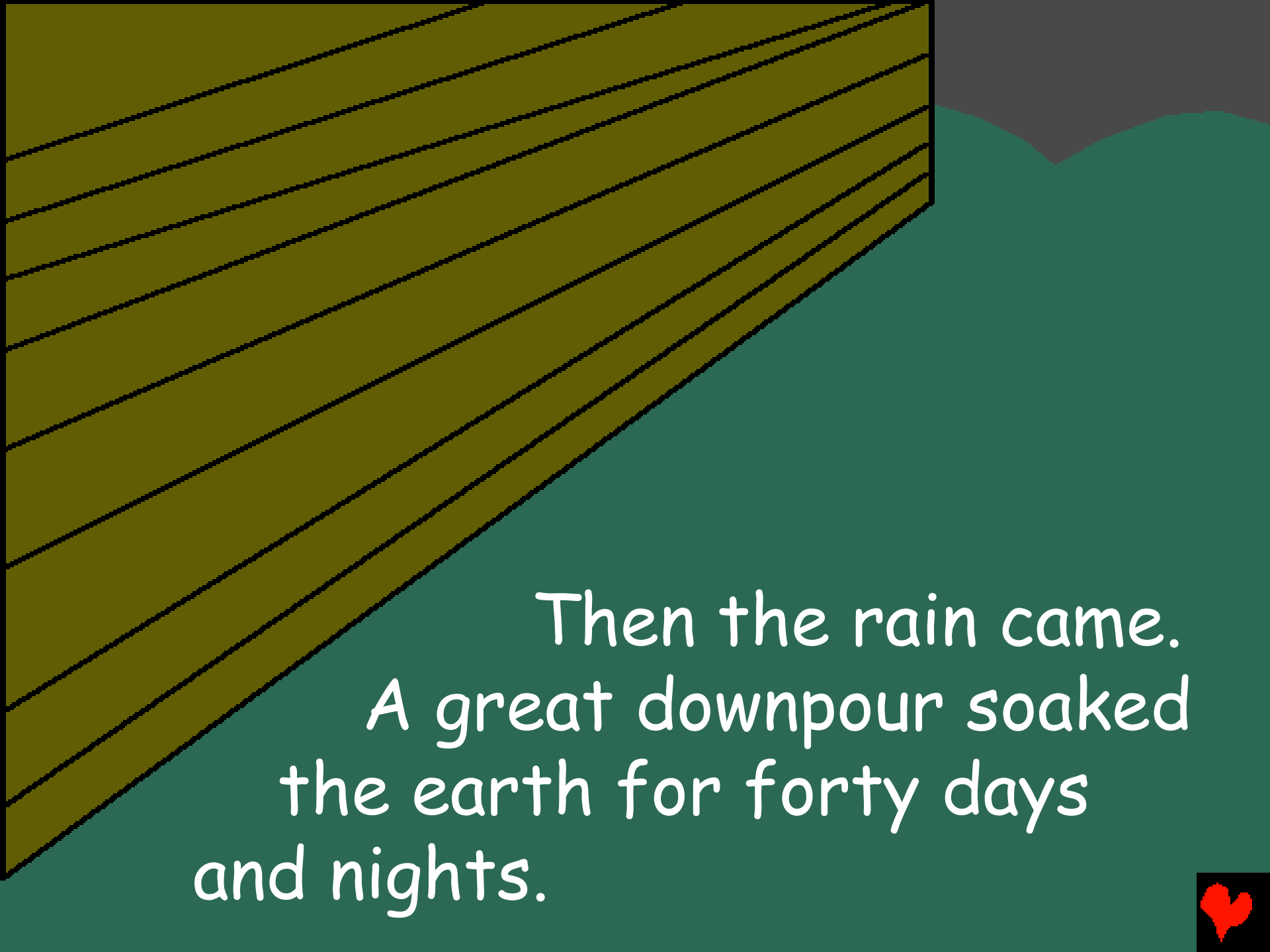
Finally,  
all the  
animals  
and birds  
were aboard.  
"Come into  
the ark," God  
invited Noah.





"You and  
your  
family."  
Noah, his  
wife, his three  
sons and their  
wives entered the ark.  
Then God shut the door!





Then the rain came.  
A great downpour soaked  
the earth for forty days  
and nights.

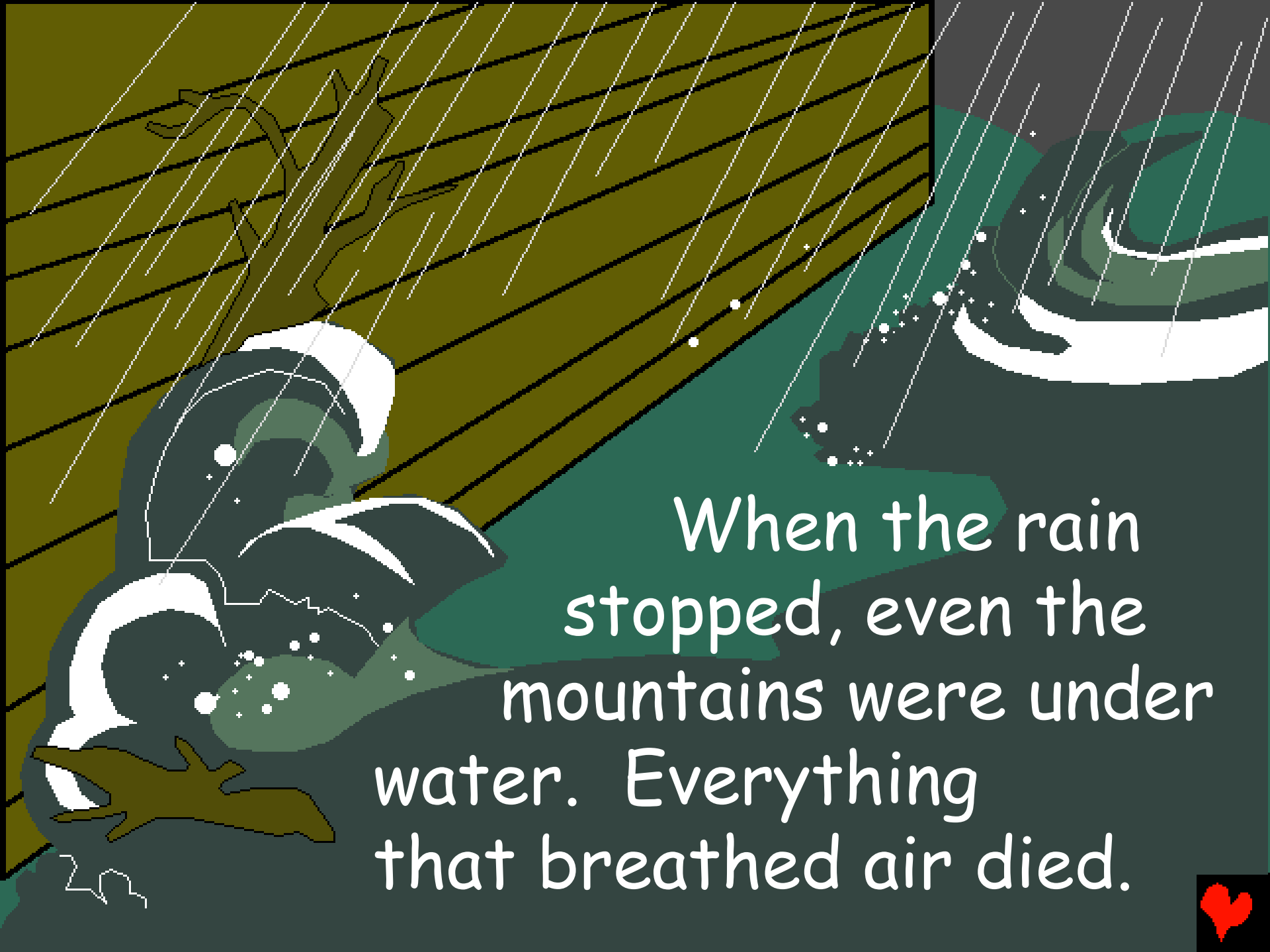




Floodwaters poured over towns and villages.







When the rain  
stopped, even the  
mountains were under  
water. Everything  
that breathed air died.

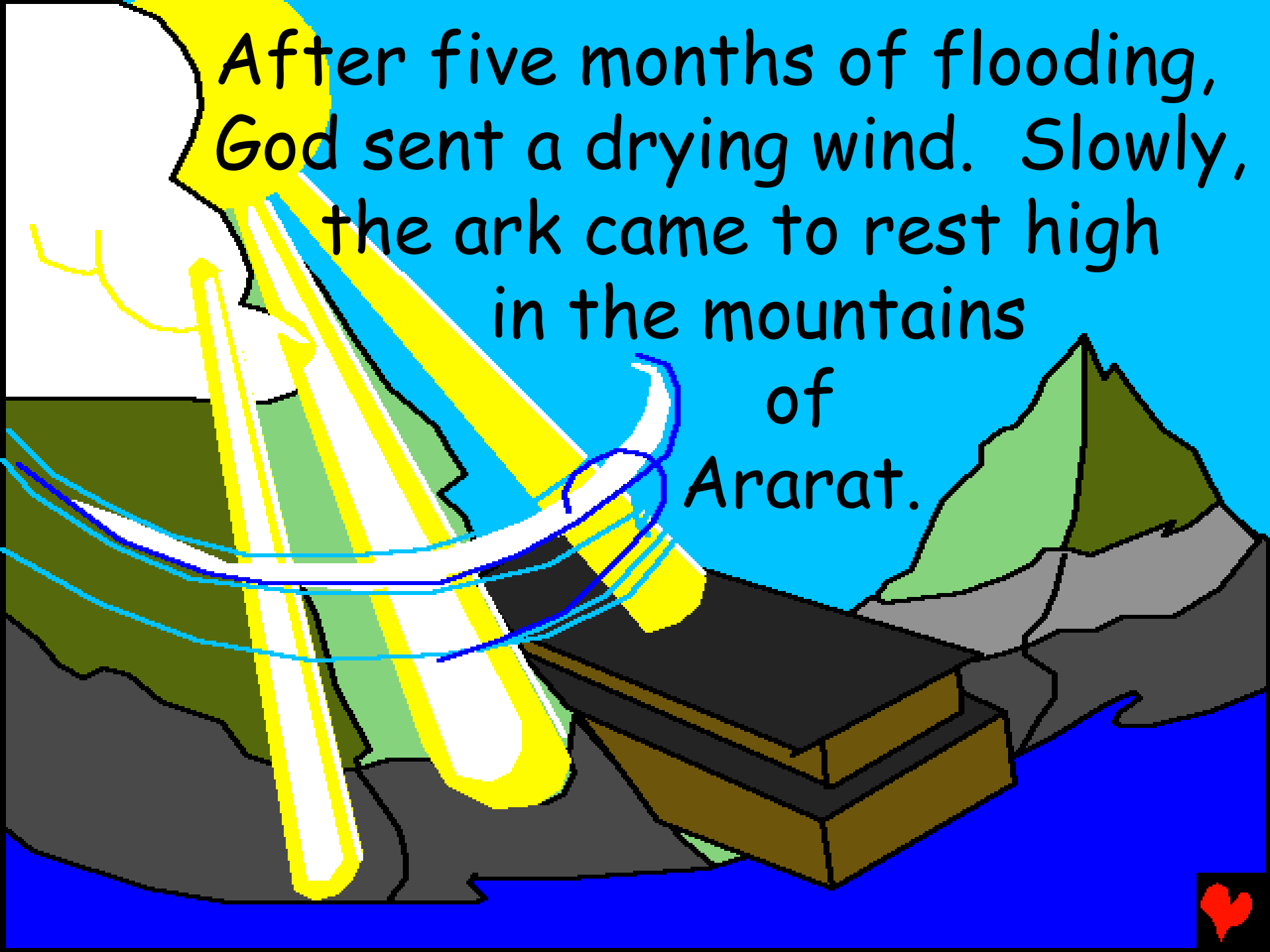




As the waters rose, the ark floated on top. It may have been dark inside, maybe bumpy, maybe even scary. But the ark sheltered Noah from the flood.



After five months of flooding,  
God sent a drying wind. Slowly,  
the ark came to rest high  
in the mountains  
of  
Ararat.



Noah stayed inside  
another forty days as  
the water lowered.



Noah sent a raven and a dove out of the ark's open window. Not finding a dry, clean place to rest, the dove returned to Noah.





A week later,  
Noah tried again.  
The dove came  
back with a new  
olive leaf in its  
beak.





The next week  
Noah knew the  
earth was dry  
because the dove  
did not return.



God told Noah it was time to leave the ark. Together, Noah and his family unloaded the animals.

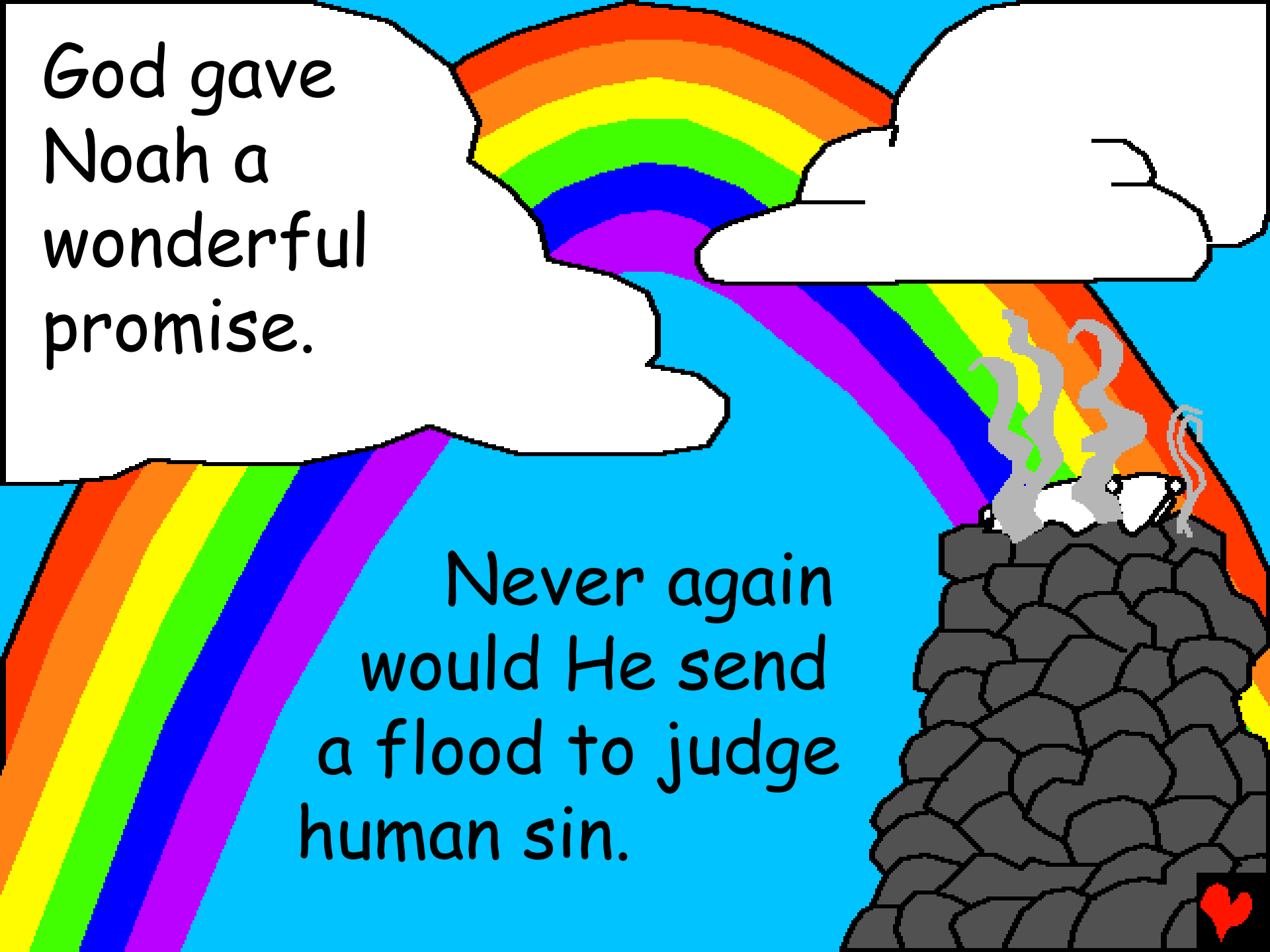




How grateful  
Noah must have  
felt! He built an  
altar


and  
worshiped  
God Who had  
saved him and  
his family from  
the awful flood.






God gave  
Noah a  
wonderful  
promise.

Never again  
would He send  
a flood to judge  
human sin.



God gave  
a great  
reminder of  
His promise.

The rainbow  
was the sign of  
God's promise.



Noah and his family found new beginnings after the flood.



In time, his  
descendants re-peopled  
the whole earth. All  
the nations of the  
world came  
from  
Noah

and his children.



# Noah and the Great Flood

A story from God's Word, the Bible,

is found in

Genesis 6 to 10

"The entrance of Your Words gives light."

Psalm 119:130



The End



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

