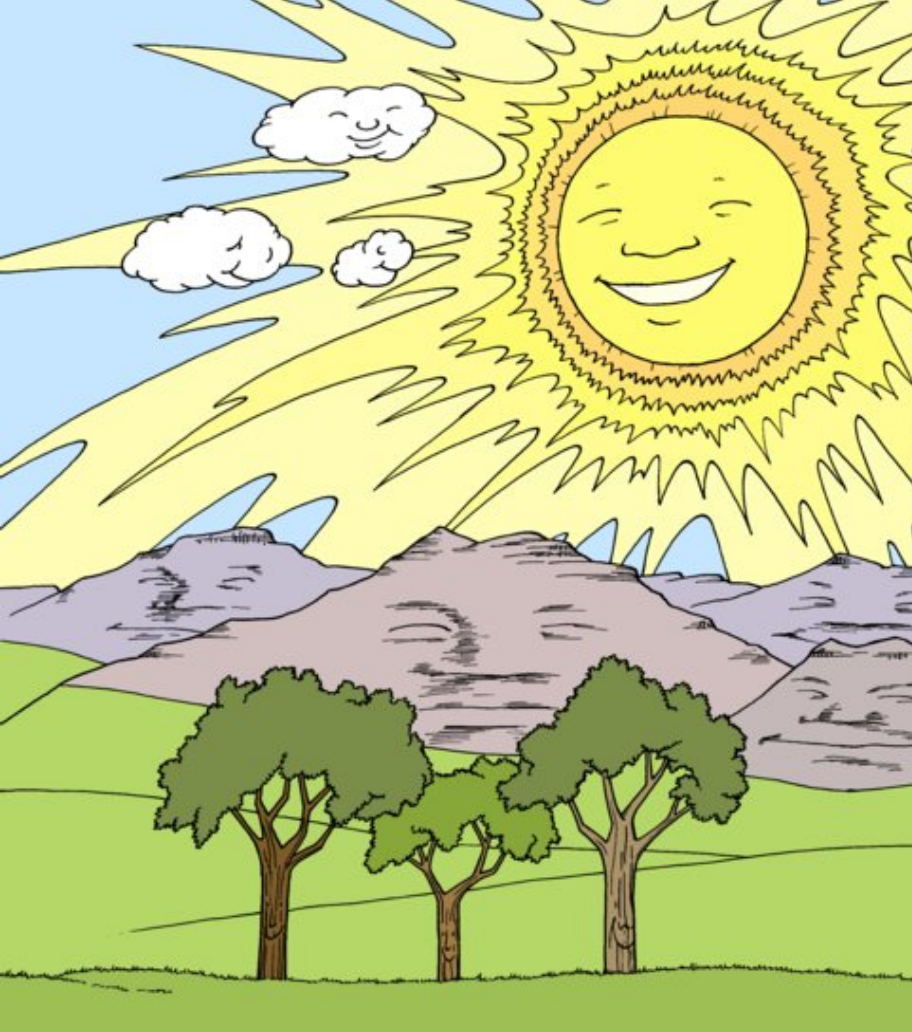
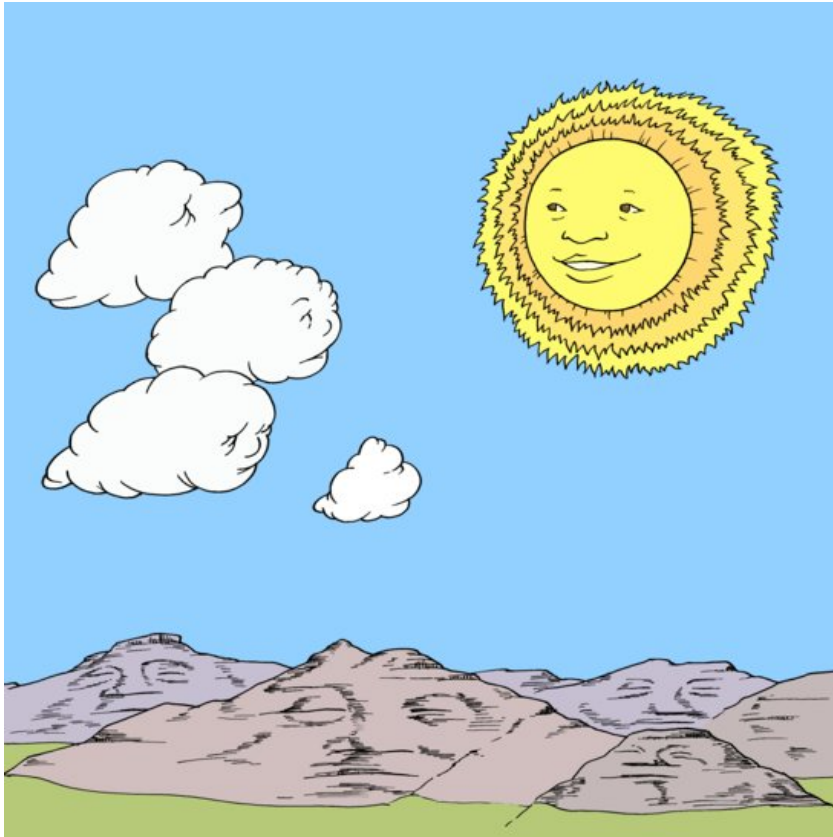




The day the Sun went away

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Mother Sun
decided to visit her
sister, Moon.
Sister Moon lives
on the other side of
the sky.

"I will be back
soon," said Sun to
the clouds.

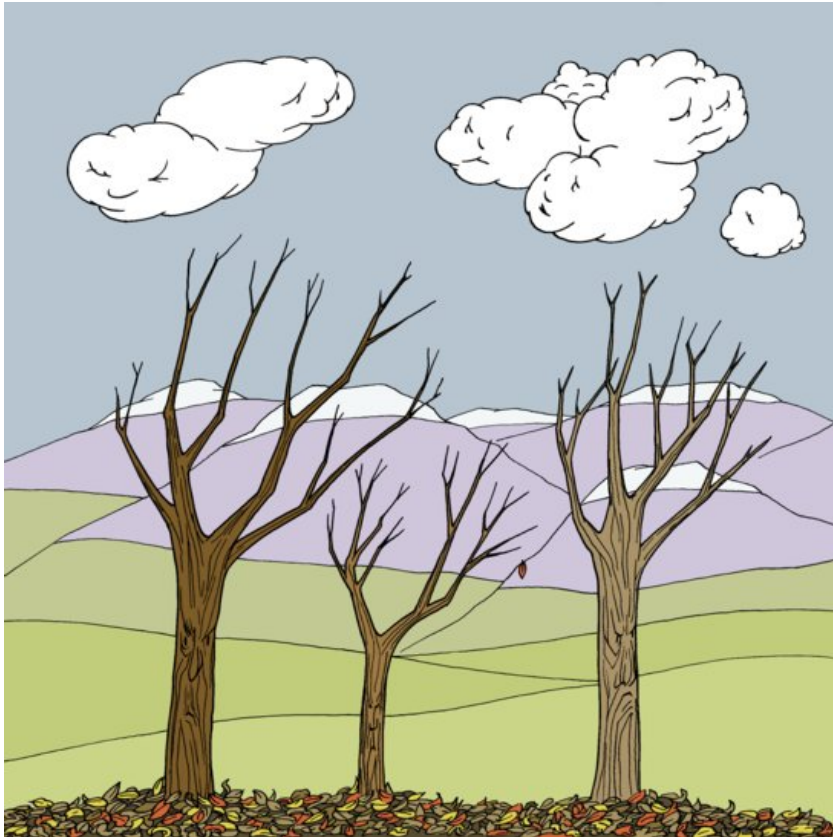


When Sun left, the mountains put on their white scarves.



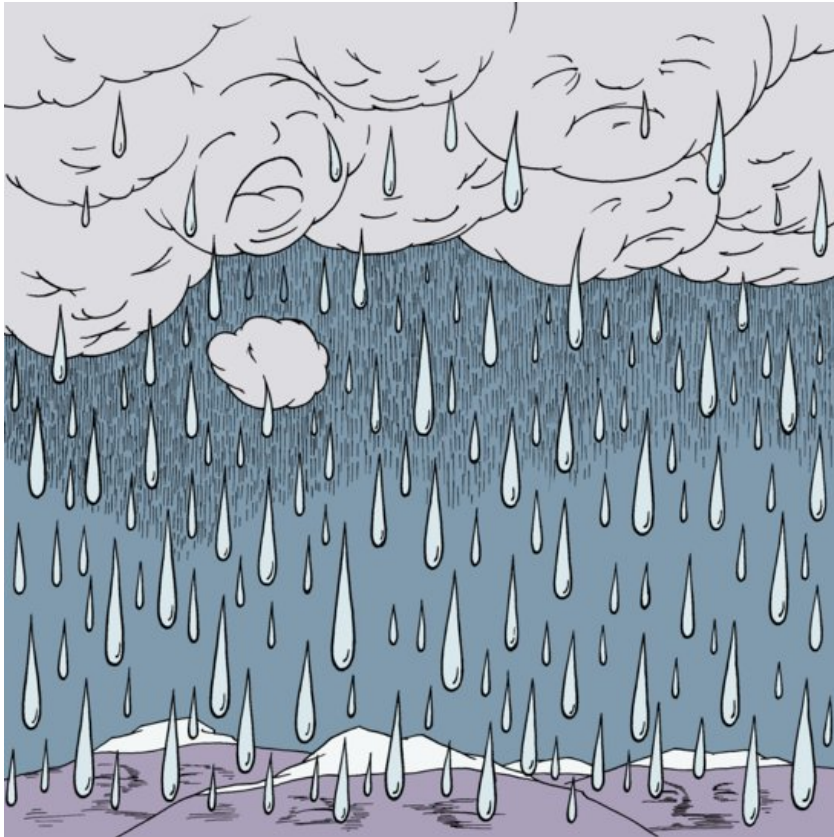
Wind had an argument with the trees. The trees became angry.

They threw their leaves all over the place.



The sky started to
grumble.

She turned grey.

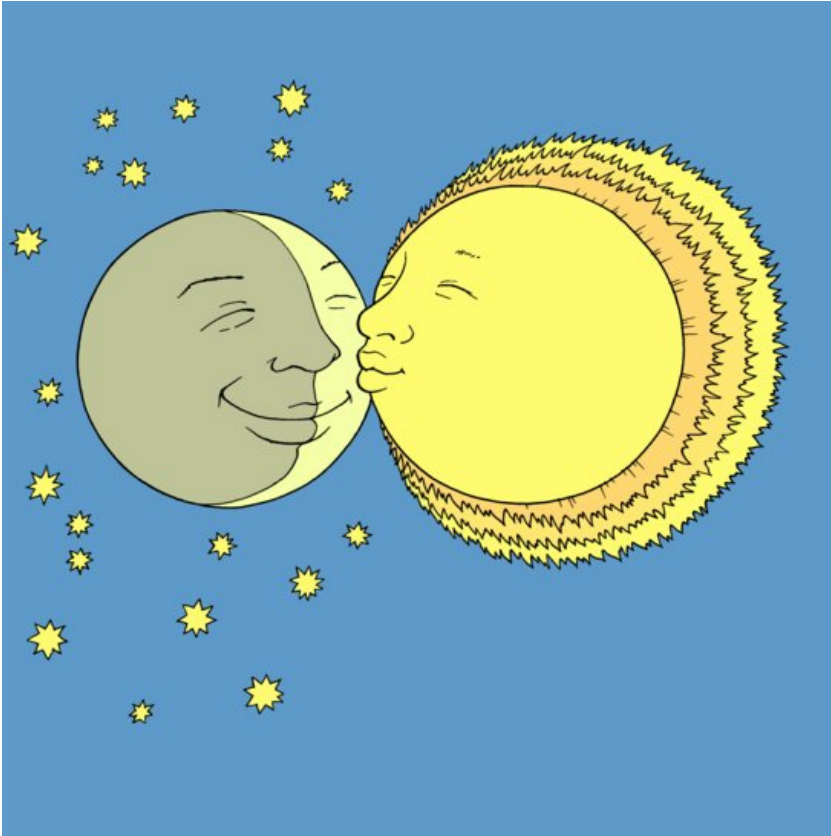


The clouds were
sad to see all this.

They started
crying. There were
many tears.

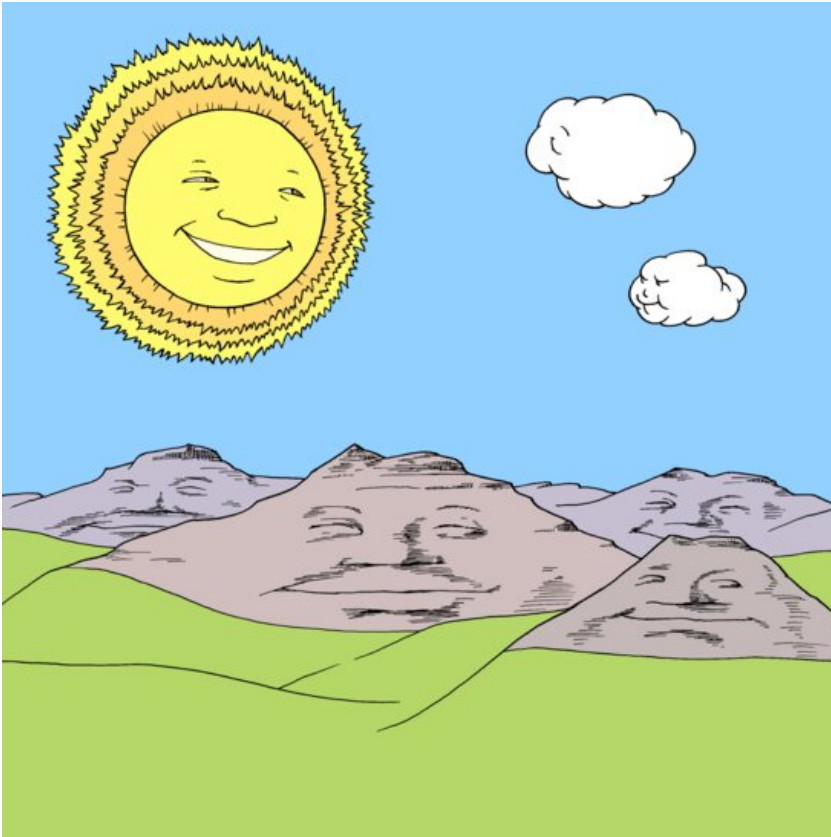


The whole world
began to sink
under water.



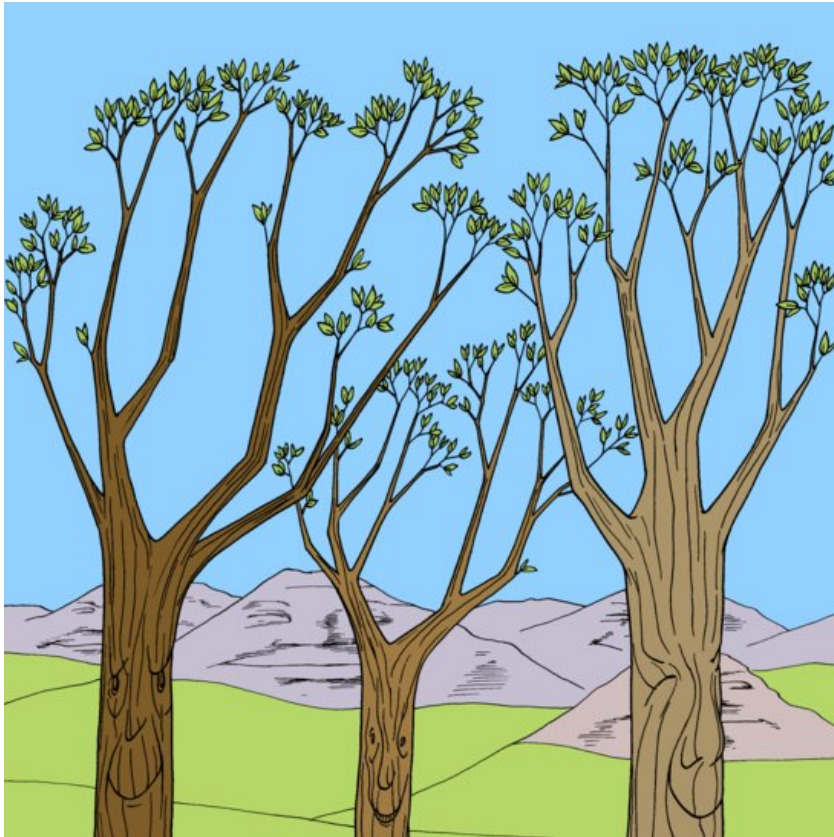
Meanwhile, on the other side of the sky, Sun was ready to leave her sister.

She kissed Moon goodbye and went home.



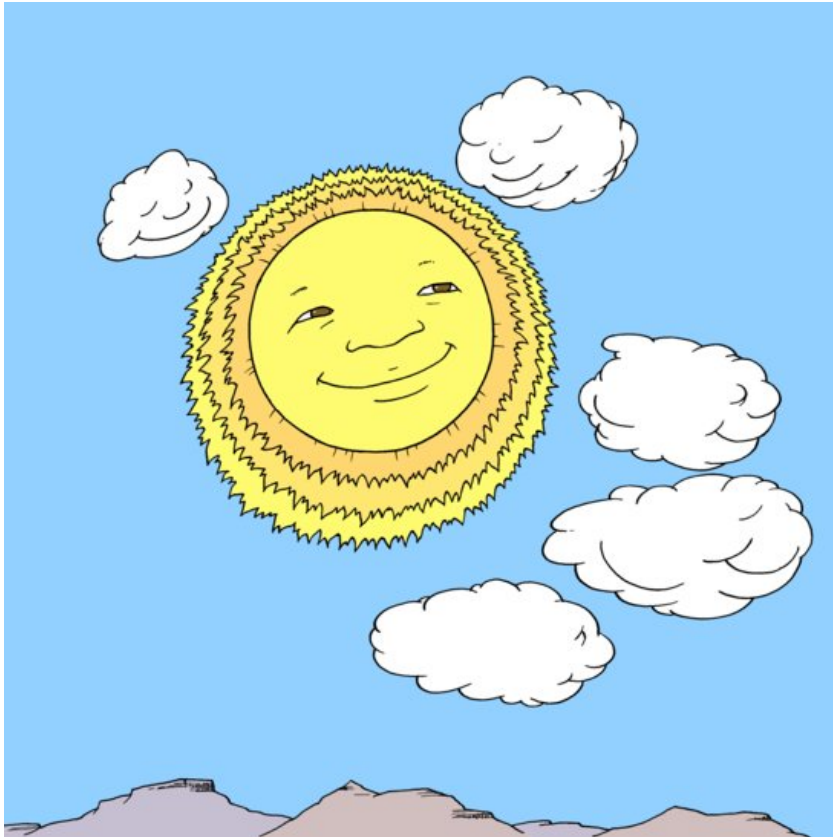
Sky was so happy
to see Sun that she
turned bright blue.

The mountains put
on their pretty
green dresses.



The wind went to sleep.

The trees stretched their branches and smiled.



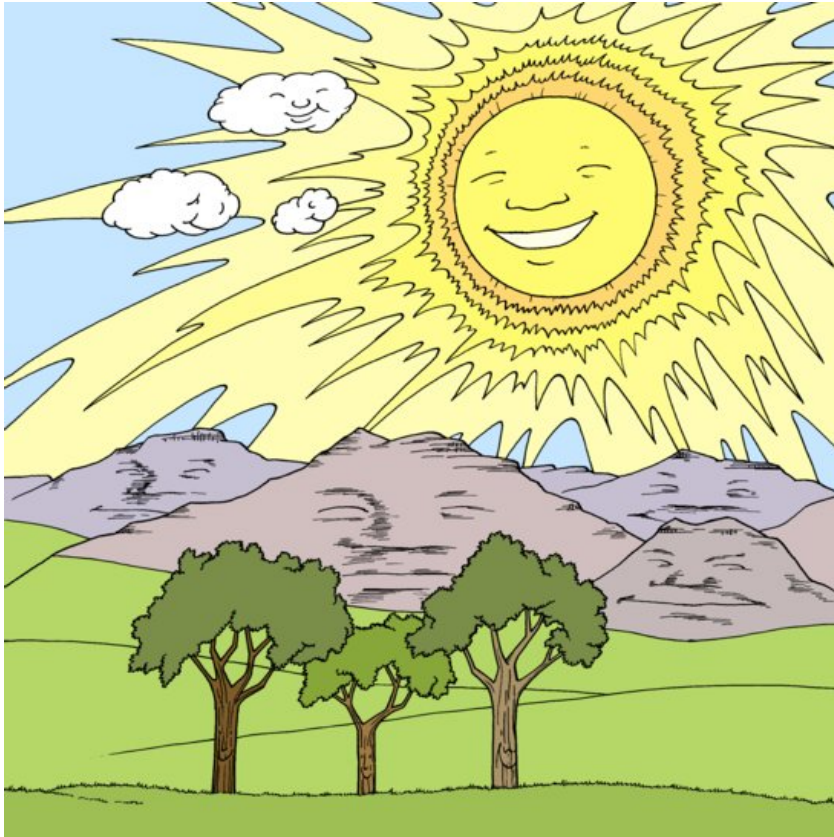
The clouds were
very happy to see
mother Sun again.

They went away
to play.



Lots of little plants
popped out of the
earth to say,
"Hello."

The whole world
sparkled.



Mother Sun shined
her light
everywhere.

"I told you I would
be back," she
beamed.

The day the Sun went away

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