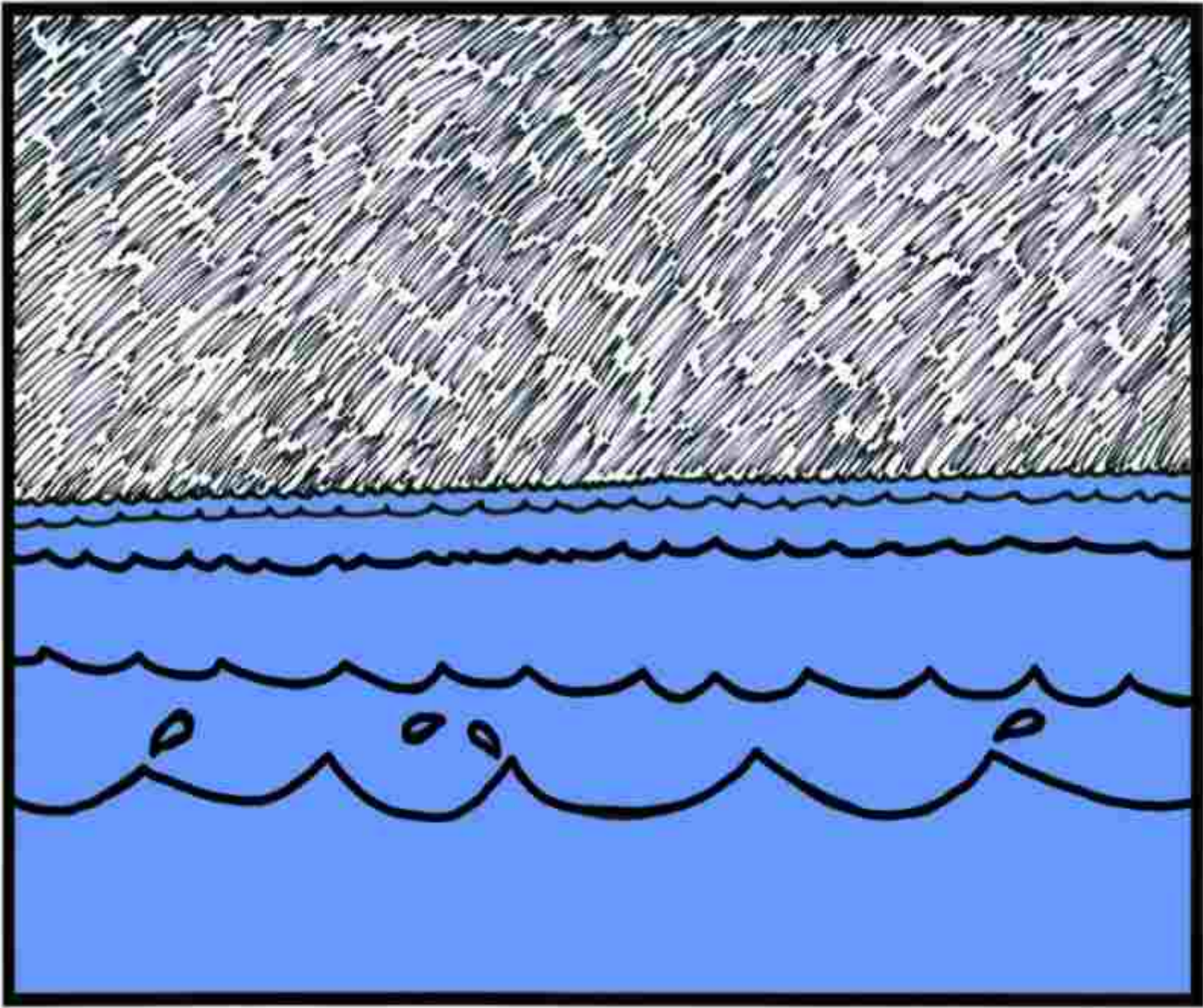


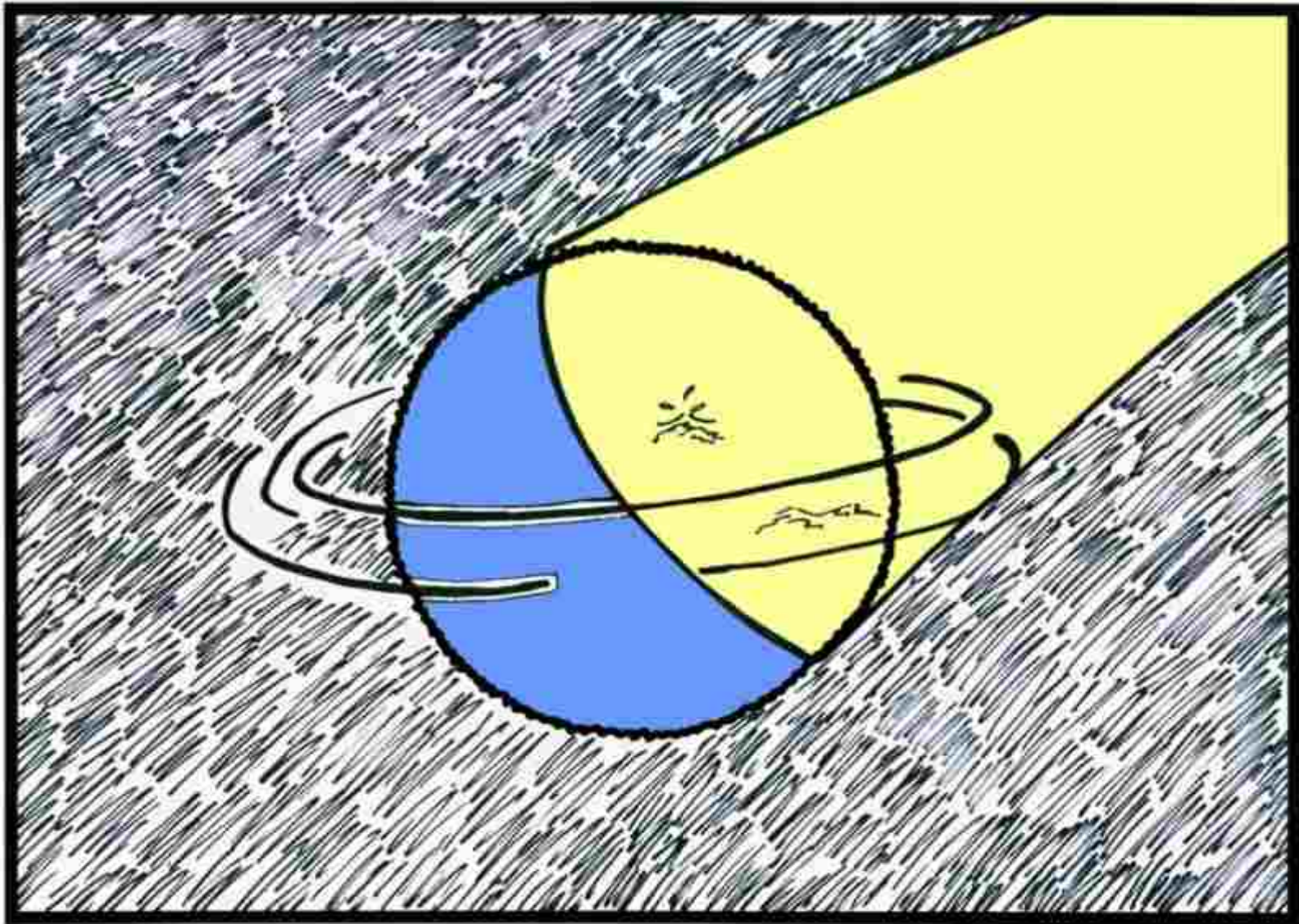
Creation

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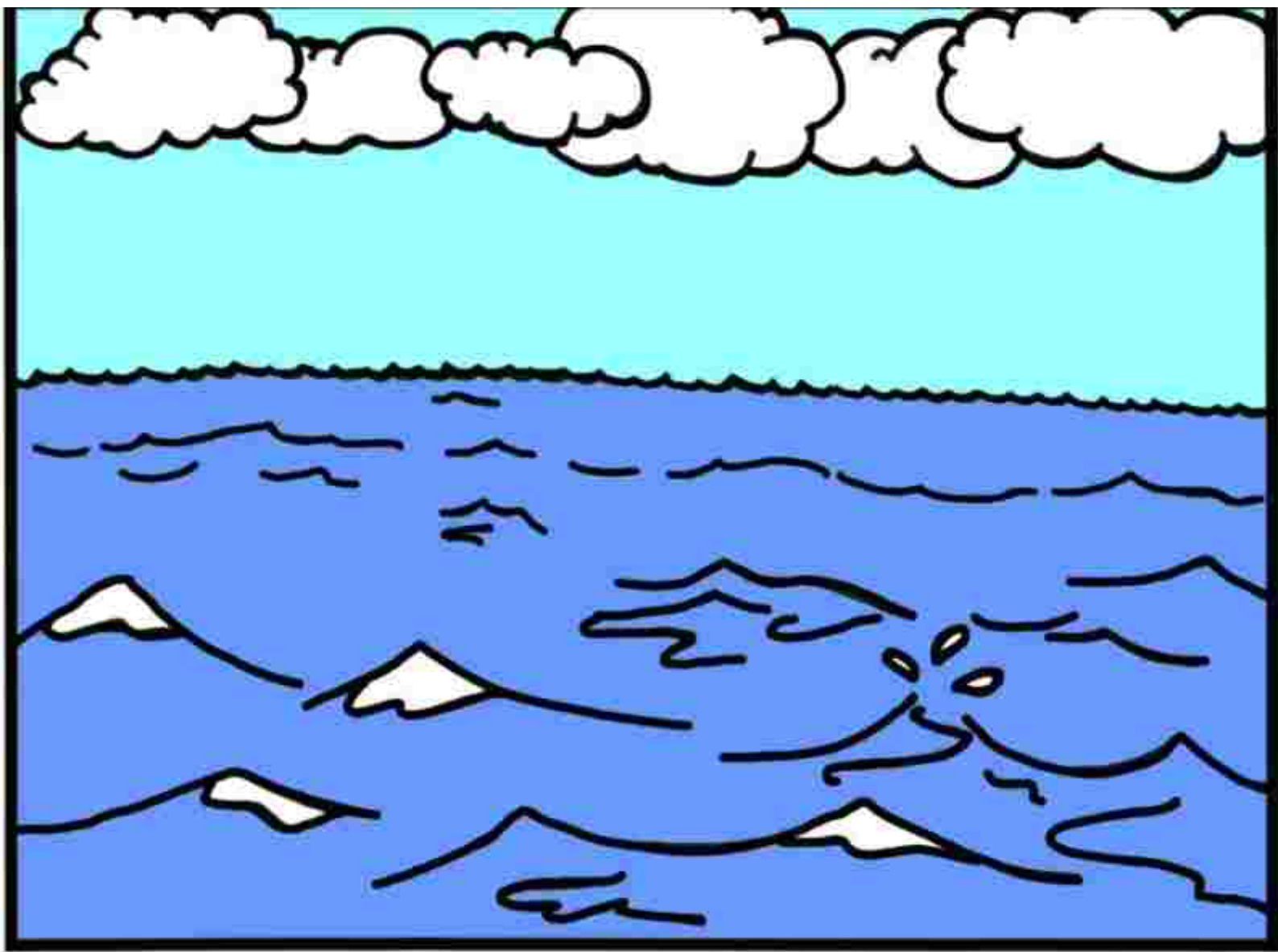
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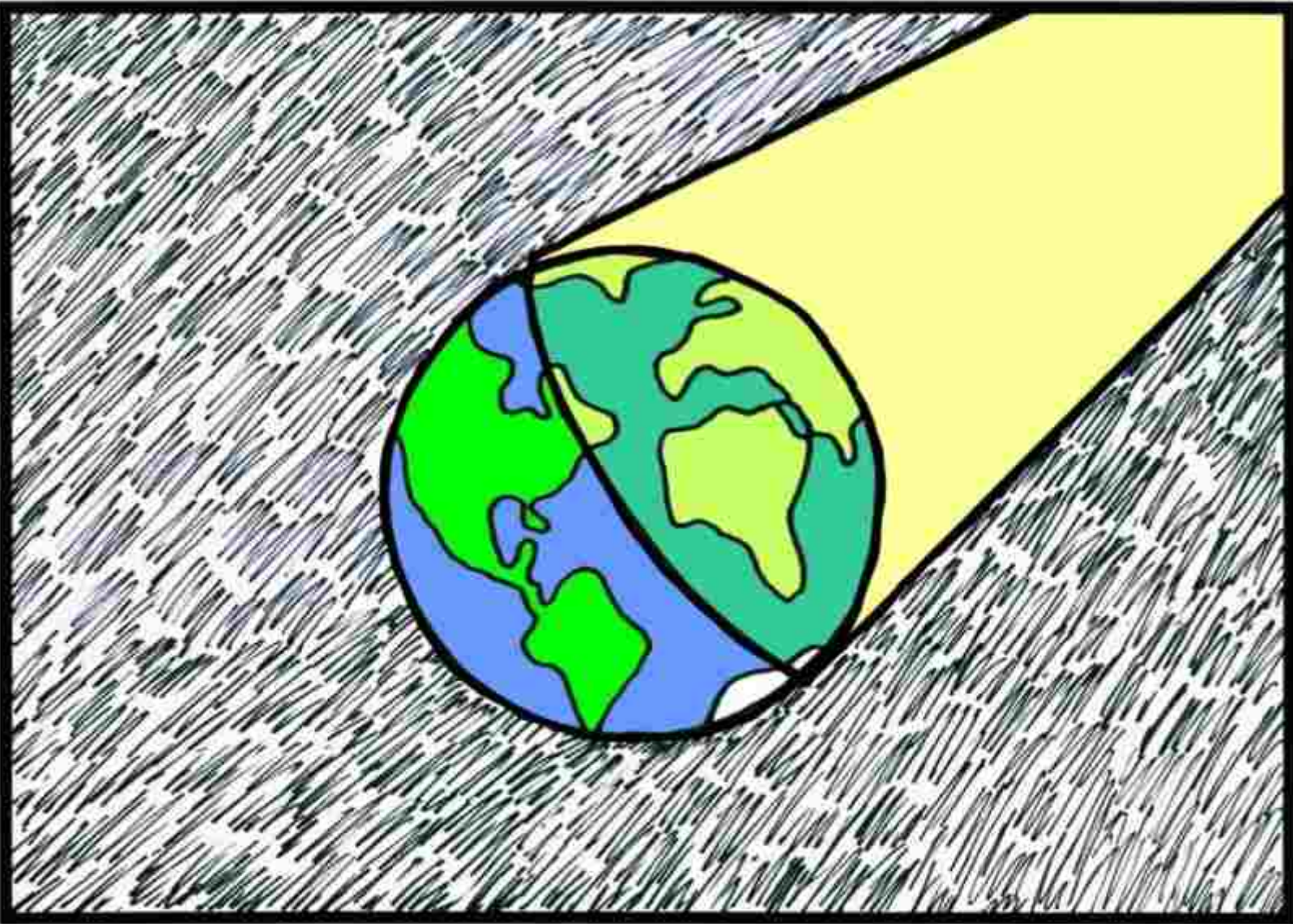
In the beginning God made the heaven and the earth. The earth had no shape. It was empty, dark and covered with water.



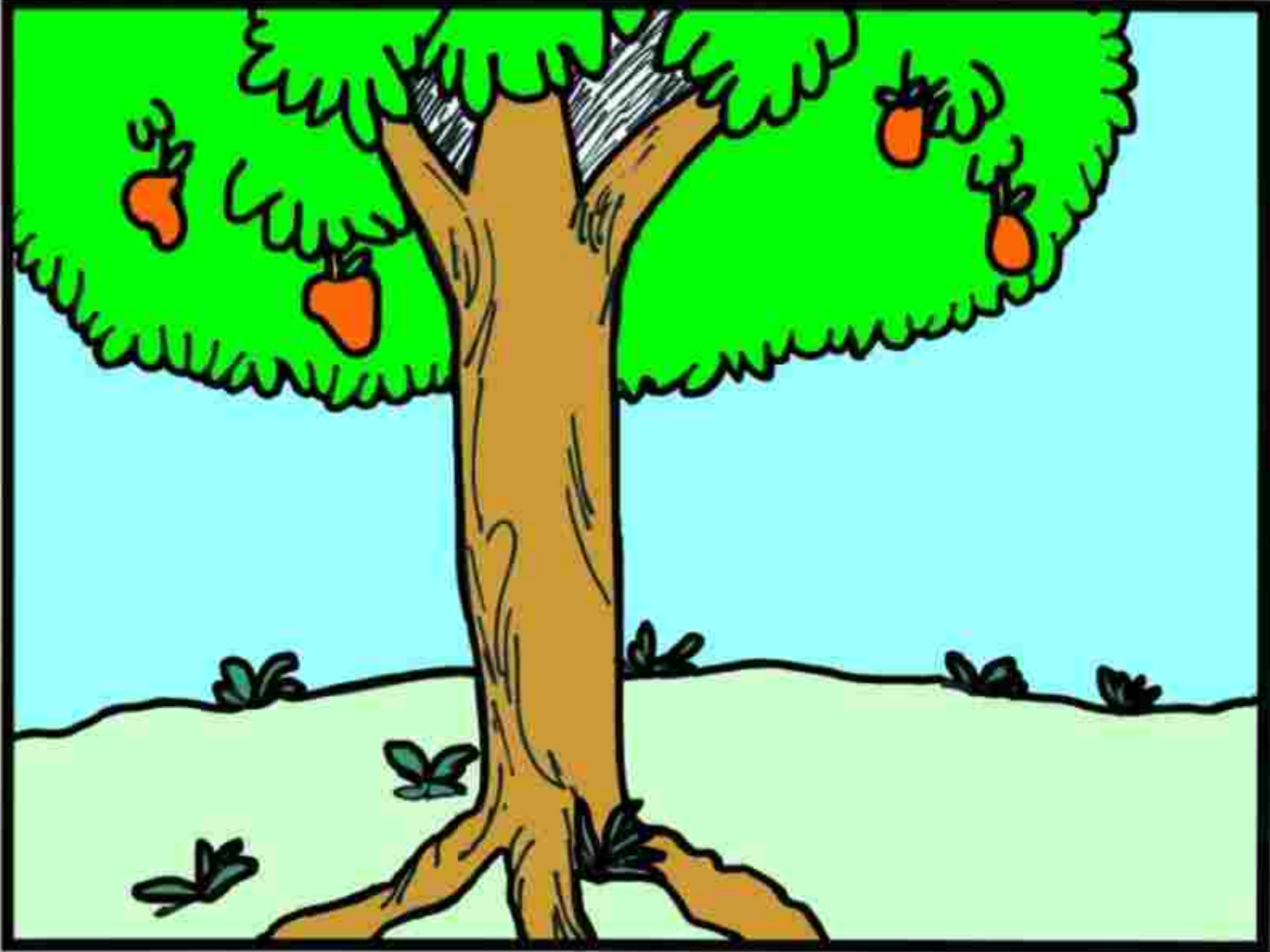
God said, "Let there be light." And there was light and it was good. He divided the light from the darkness. The light he called, "Day" and the dark he called, "Night." This was the first day.



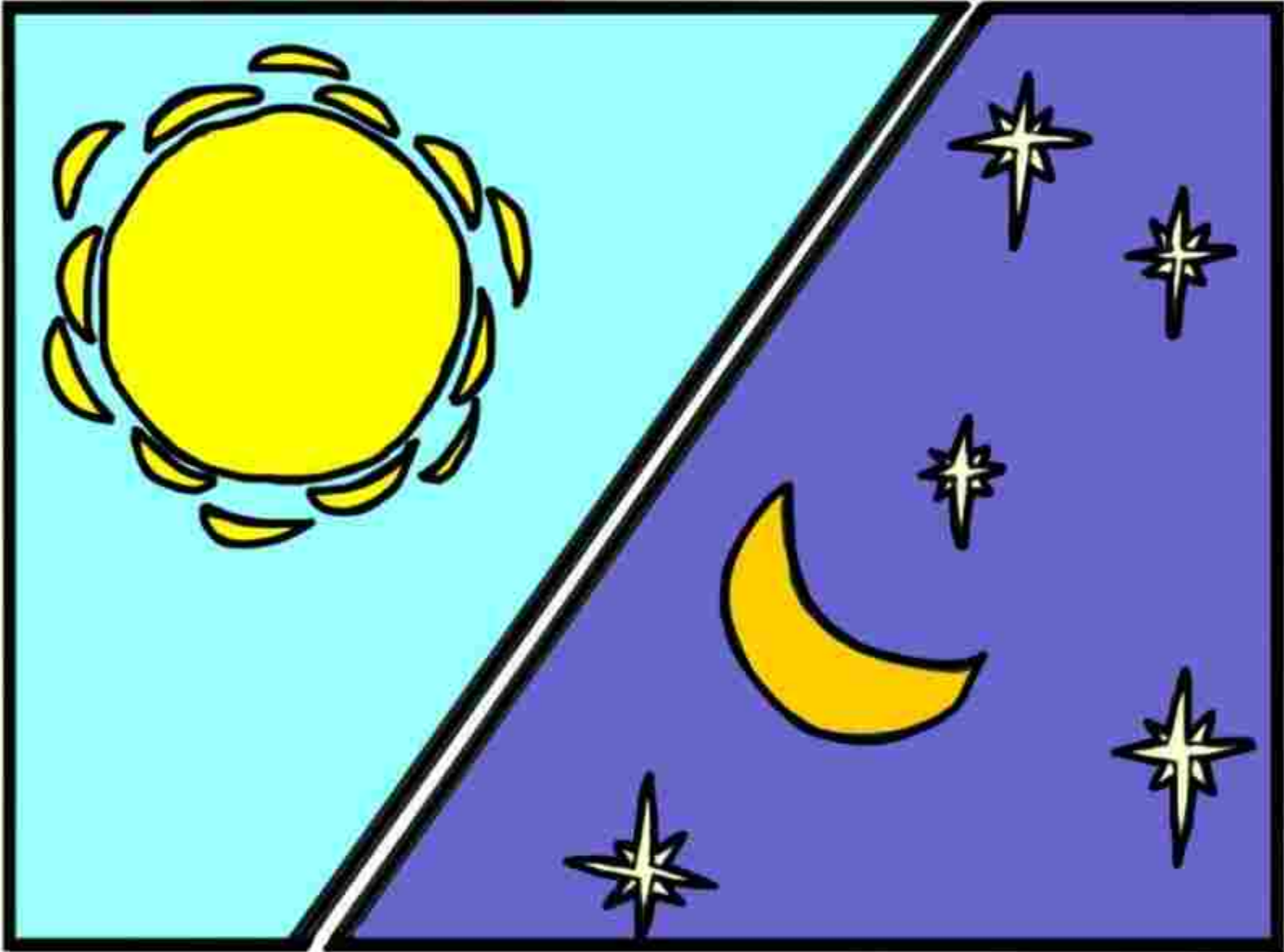
And God said, “Let there be an air space to divide the waters under, from the waters above the air space.” God called this air space, “Heaven”. (*We call it earth’s atmosphere.*) This was the second day.



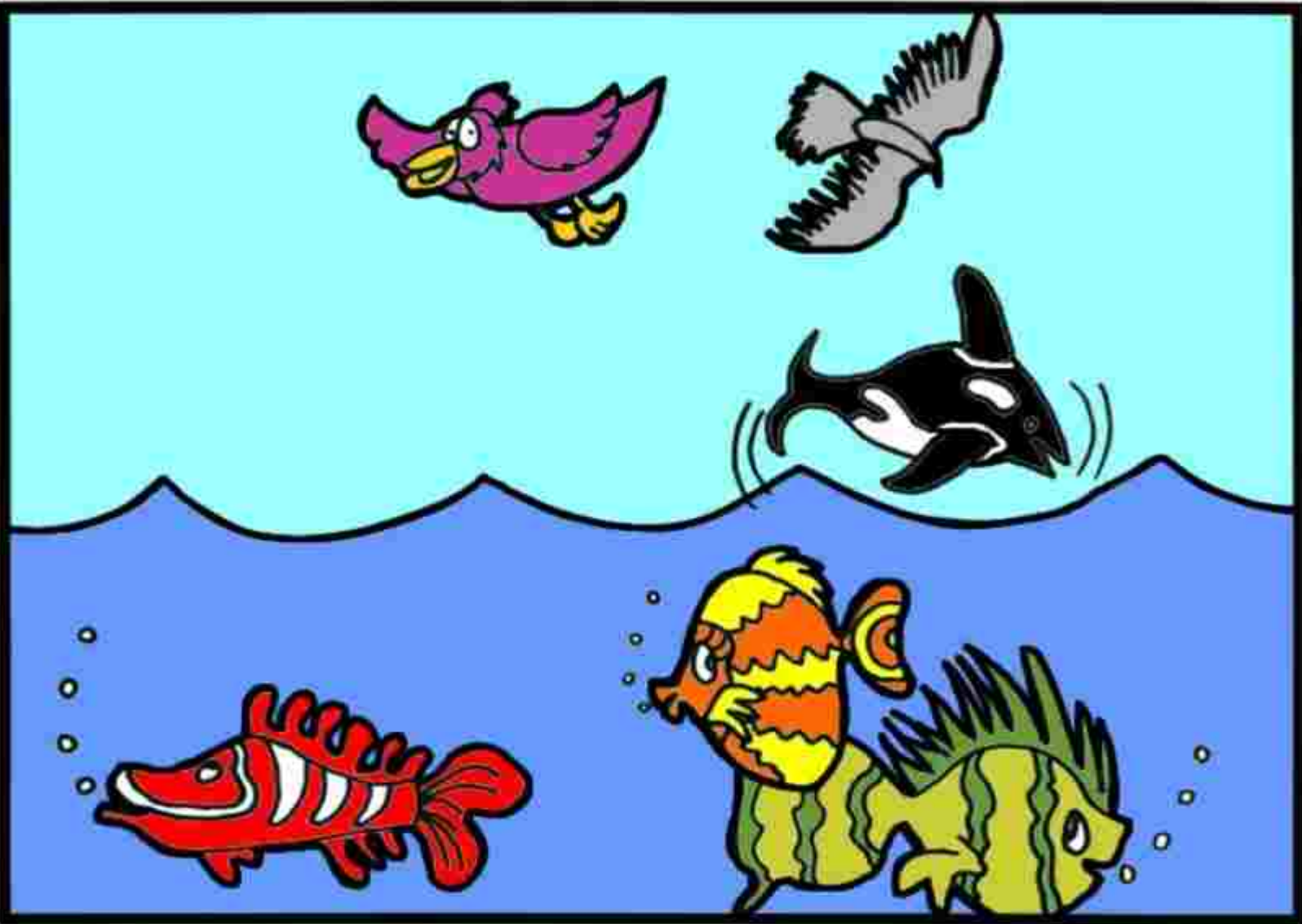
And God said, “Let the water be gathered into one place and let dry land appear.” God called the dry land, “Earth” and the place where the waters were gathered together he called “Seas.” And God saw that it was good.



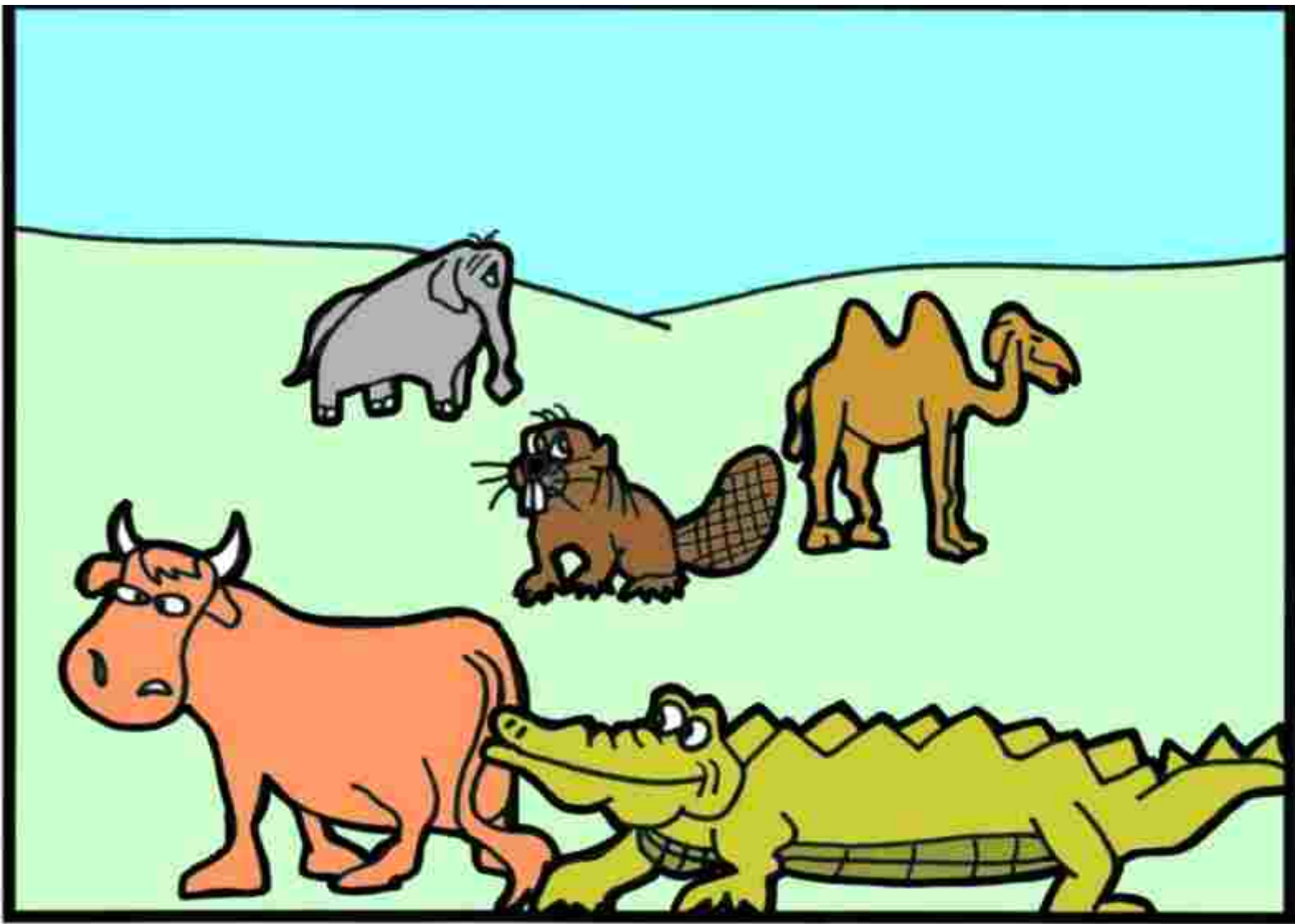
And God said, “Let the earth grow grass and fruit trees with seeds.” It happened and God saw that it was good. This was the third day.



And God said, “Let there be lights in the sky.” He made the sun for the day and the moon for the night. He also made the stars. God saw it was good and this was the fourth day.



And God said, “Let the waters be filled with sea creatures and the air be filled with birds. God made big whales and everything that moves in the sea and every bird.” This was the fifth day.



And God said, “Let the earth bring out living creatures.” God made cows and all the animals and everything that creeps on the earth.



Then God said, “Let us make mankind. They’ll look like us. Let them be the boss over all the fish, birds, cows and creeping things.” That was the sixth day. God rested on the seventh day.



Lord, help me to remember to thank and praise you when I look at all you have made.