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**T**hat said, so much can be done to create a delightful table—and beautiful china is always appreciated.

I love to begin with a hand-blocked tablecloth in rich hues that obscure those inevitable splotches and spills. Cotton and other natural fibers are best; eating is a primal moment, and a poly blend looks—and, more importantly, feels—off-putting to me.

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PICTURE IT / THE YEAR IS  
CIRCA 1500 / A WHIRLING SNOW  
HAS DESCENDED ON YOUR  
COPSE IN THE HINTERLANDS OF  
GERMANY / SOMEONE SAYS . . .

“LET’S GO  
CUT DOWN A  
TREE &  
BRING IT IN.”



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080 / DECK THOSE HALLS

Parkey's parties are also spectacularly unexpected, which is fitting at a time of year when one of the best things you can serve up is amazement. He and his family regularly host a holiday fête prior to the Christmas dance at his country club. "This is always in early December, so a great kickoff to the season. Because it's a pre-party and a fully coursed dinner will be served at the dance, we serve only French fries from our favorite neighborhood haunt, Cheers. Guests are greeted with a glass of champagne and a full formal dining table of French fries served on silver trays. We always have a full bar in our courtyard and golf-cart valet from our house to the country club. . . . I mean who doesn't love French fries and champagne?" I'd RSVP "Yes" every time.



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## A VERY MERRY FOCACCIA

**W**hat the focaccia are you waiting for, honestly? This is arguably the most beautiful method of carb disbursement of the holiday season—and impossible to mess up. After you make your dough—allowing it to rest for 48 hours in the fridge for an airy texture—adorn its surface with a Christmas tree made of rosemary and sage leaves, ornaments (thin cherry tomato slices), and red onion “garlands” before baking. Fa-la-la!

### MAKES 1 LARGE SLAB OF FOCACCIA

4 cups all-purpose flour	4 teaspoons whole rosemary leaves
2 teaspoons kosher salt	4 teaspoons whole sage leaves
2 teaspoons instant yeast	8 cherry tomatoes (yellow and red), sliced
2 cups lukewarm water	½ red onion, sliced into strips
1 teaspoon honey	Flaky Maldon sea salt
3 tablespoons olive oil	

In a large bowl, stir together the flour, salt, and instant yeast. Add the water and honey and mix until you have dough. Coat the surface with 1 tablespoon olive oil and create an air-tight cover with plastic wrap. Place in your fridge for 48 hours.

Line a 9 x 13 pan with parchment paper, and pour 2 tablespoons olive oil into the center. Pull the dough out of the bowl and form it into a ball, then roll it in the pan, coating it in olive oil. Let the dough ball rest in the pan on your counter for 4 hours. Place an oven rack in the middle of your oven and preheat to 425°F. Coat your hands with olive oil and stretch the dough so that it covers the interior of the pan, pushing deep dimples into the dough surface with your fingers.

Adorn the surface of your dough with the rosemary, sage, tomato slices, and onion strips to form a decorated tree. Sprinkle with sea salt. Bake for 25 to 30 minutes, until focaccia base becomes a crispy gold. Remove the pan from the oven and transfer the bread carefully to a cooling rack. Wait 10 minutes and enjoy.



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## GIFT WRAPPING THAT WOWS

Christmas is for the kids ... in all of us. While as a busy working mother I've certainly had my quick-ship and extremely belated moments (apologies, loved ones ... my brain is like day-old granola!), I'm still a firm believer that gifts are best served properly—if not beautifully—wrapped. It pains me when packages from a certain megaretailer arrive as "gifts," swaddled only in a cardboard box and plasticky bags, a card printed cryptically, like a castaway receipt. When you take the five minutes required to adorn a gift, you've made not only the act of giving more special but also the receiver feel that much more cherished.

I know, I know—I'm piling on to the never-ending holiday to-do list! Don't worry, we'll make this fun. I have a few hacks to help kick off a happy, wrappy experience.

**You need a gift wrapping station.** It doesn't need to be a full room, although power to those Marthas who have one! It does need to be a decently sized table with nothing on it. Corral everything you need in one accessible place, such as a bin on a storage shelf that always contains the following: quality gift wrap in solids and patterns, scissors (I'm a Fiskars floozy), plenty of "disappearing" tape, sumptuous ribbons (even children can appreciate the tactility and sheen of velvet), cards and gift tags, and pens. Bonus points if you have a topper for the bow of each gift—like an unbreakable ornament, a sprig of evergreen (even if it's faux), a lollipop for a child ...

**Prevent wrapping fatigue.** Doing all your gift-wrapping in one all-nighter is insanity and a recipe for papercuts to boot. Do yourself a favor and wrap gifts as they come in, not in one unenchanted evening.

**Wrap gifts with a show you love on in the background.** I can accomplish almost any household task if I have something I don't need to watch to (ahem) watch on in the background. Key example: an episode of *Frasier* is so delightfully droll that listening to it is all the entertainment I need. (See page 000 [rms 14-15] for a list of my basic faves.) Put your headphones in, hit play, and let the wrapping begin.

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CHAPTER ONE

# A LAND FAIRER THAN DAY

"A PULL QUOTE TO START EACH CHAPTER  
HERE, A PULL QUOTE TO START EACH  
HERE, QUOTE TO START HERE.  
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START HERE."

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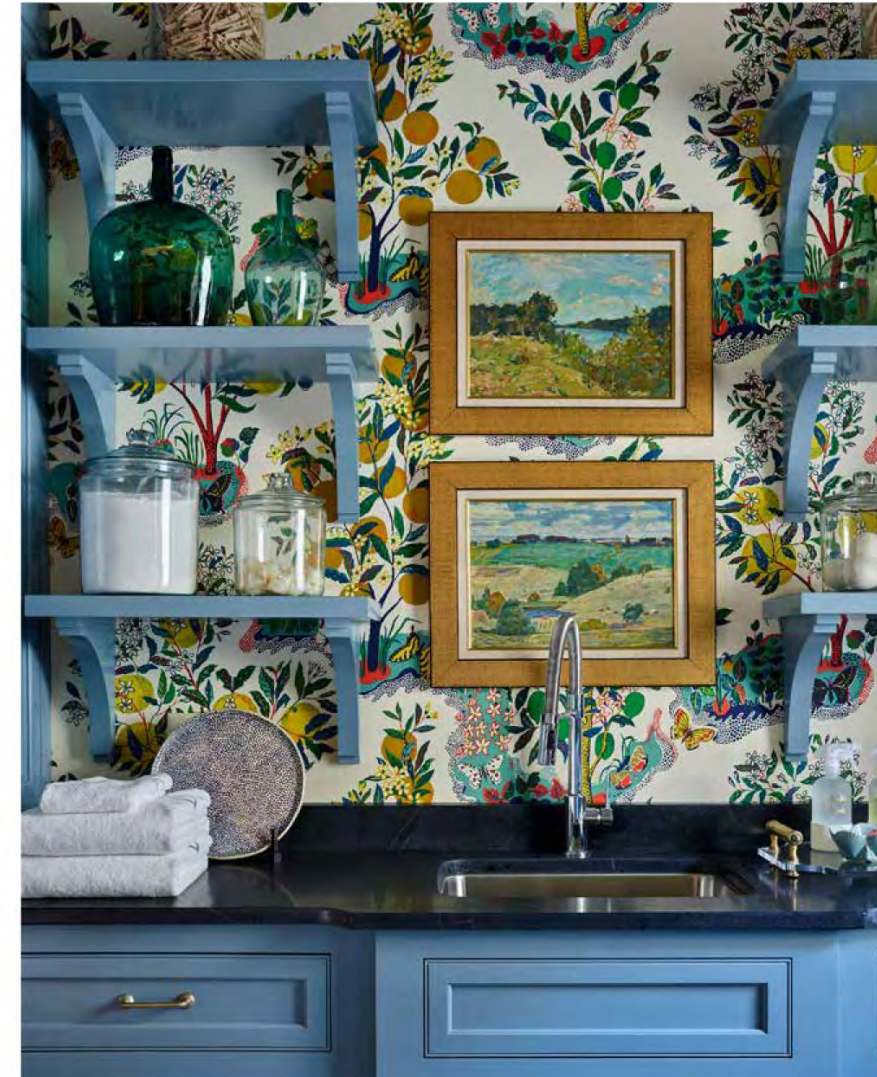
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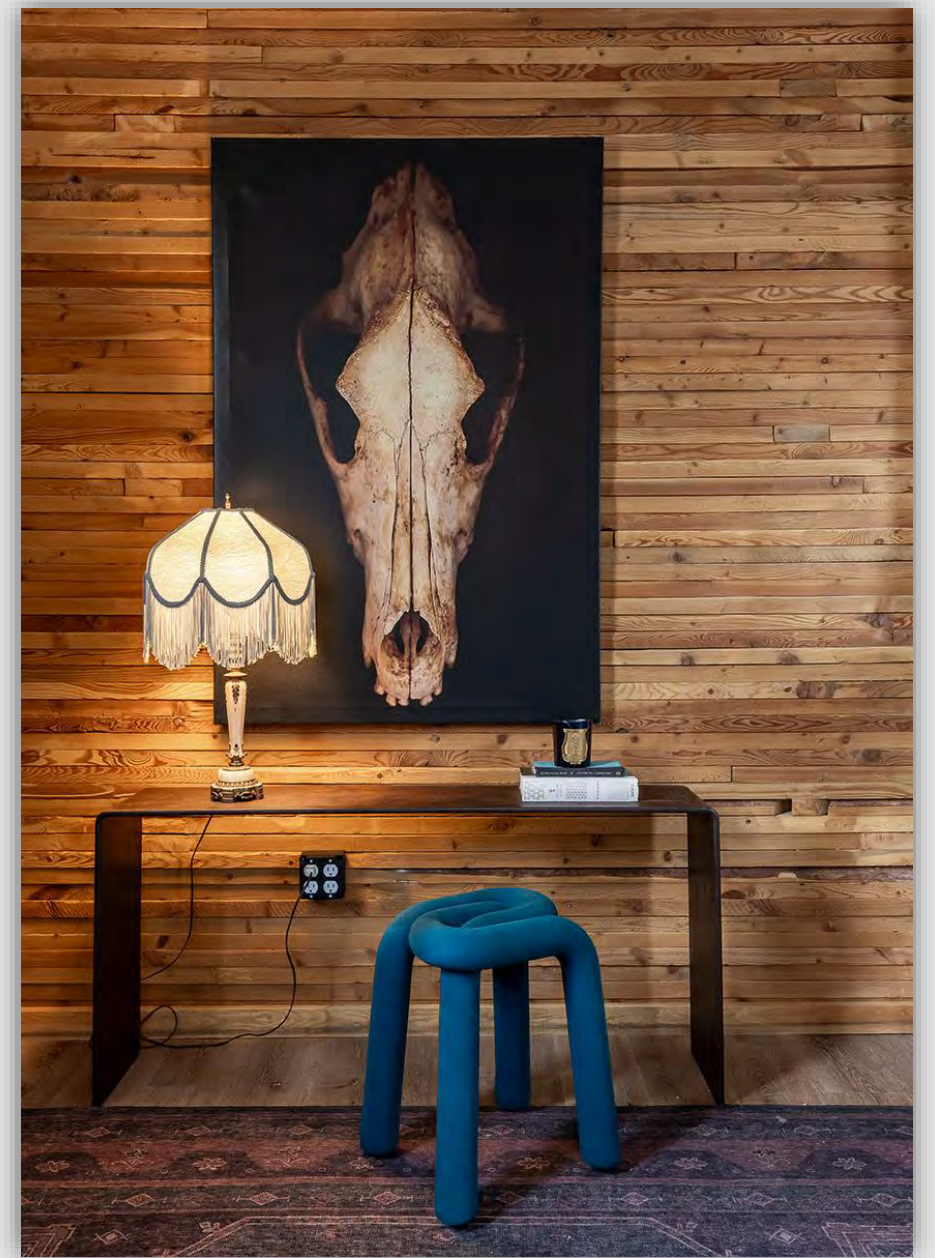
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ow you live in a primary residence isn't necessarily what you want or need at a vacation home, and we are often presented with that scenario with clients who are lucky to have multiple residences. When it came to designing a destination home for Alabama-based clients who were building in central Florida, flexibility was key, as it is in any design project. But besides being a place for repose, this home was also a spot for the husband to reside while conducting business in the area, so it needed both the creature comforts of a primary residence with the laid-back appeal of a getaway.

We showed the client two different options for the living room layout, with the one they chose featured here. While an open-concept floor plan, with the kitchen on full display, can create challenges, we focused the attention of the seating configuration to focus on the views of the outdoors and toward the TV area. In this way, one is still very much connected to the goings-on in the kitchen, but it is not the primary focus.

We were fortunate to be brought on board while the house was already under construction, and therefore able to specify quite a number of custom furniture pieces to fit the spaces as they had been designed. This might seem intimidating, but creating something custom can often maximize a room to its fullest potential. When it came to the color palette, we focused on what I would call muted jewel tones for accents — soft purples, maroons, and so forth.

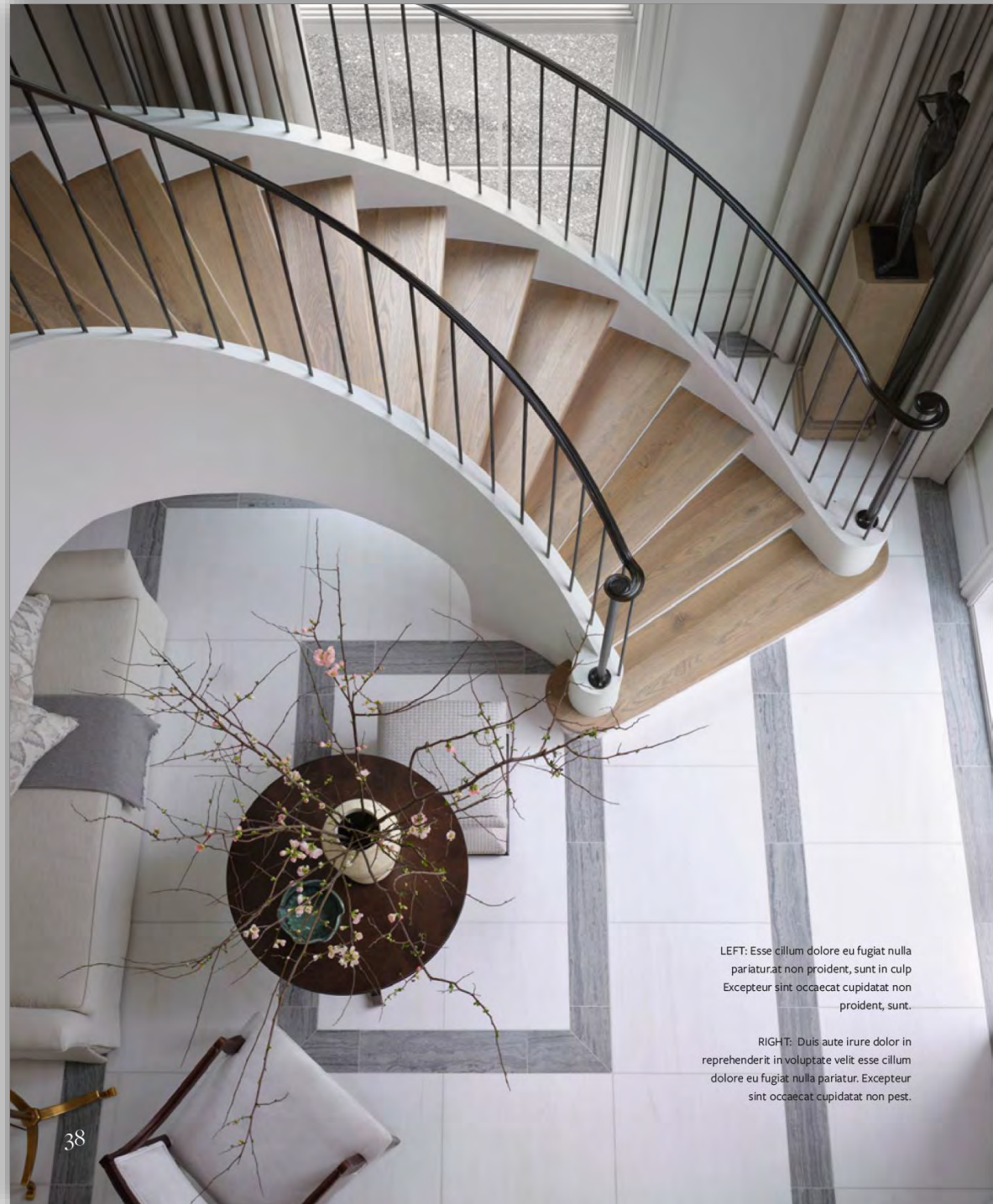
As for the home's piece de resistance, it is probably the eye-popping dining room with its velvet-clad walls in the most indulgent shade of gray-blue. Located directly off the foyer, it immediately sets the tone upon entering the home, with so much more to be discovered as one wanders throughout. The home's mix of furnishings and colors allows it to suit a variety of needs, whether for work or play.

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**Piglet noticed that even though  
he had a Very Small Heart, it could  
hold a rather large amount of  
**GRATITUDE.****

—A. A. MILNE



Happiness cannot be traveled to, owned,  
earned, worn, or consumed. Happiness  
is the spiritual experience of living every  
minute with love, grace, and gratitude.

—DENIS WAITLEY

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**Gratitude is riches.  
Complaint is poverty.**

—DORIS DAY

**Feeling gratitude and  
not expressing it is like  
wrapping a present  
and not giving it.**

—WILLIAM ARTHUR WARD

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Being grateful does not mean  
that everything is necessarily  
good. It just means that you  
can accept it as a gift.

—ROY T. BENNETT

It's up to us to choose contentment and  
thankfulness now—and to stop imagining  
that we have to have everything perfect  
before we'll be happy.

—JOANNA GAINES

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**Living in a state of gratitude  
is the gateway to grace.**

—ARIANNA HUFFINGTON

**Gratitude is the  
closest thing to  
beauty manifested  
in an emotion.**

—MINDY KALING

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**The only thing  
you should  
feel entitled to  
is gratitude.**

—J. S. MASON



Gratitude is the power to  
connect with the cosmos  
and harness its energy.

—SUKANT RATNAKAR

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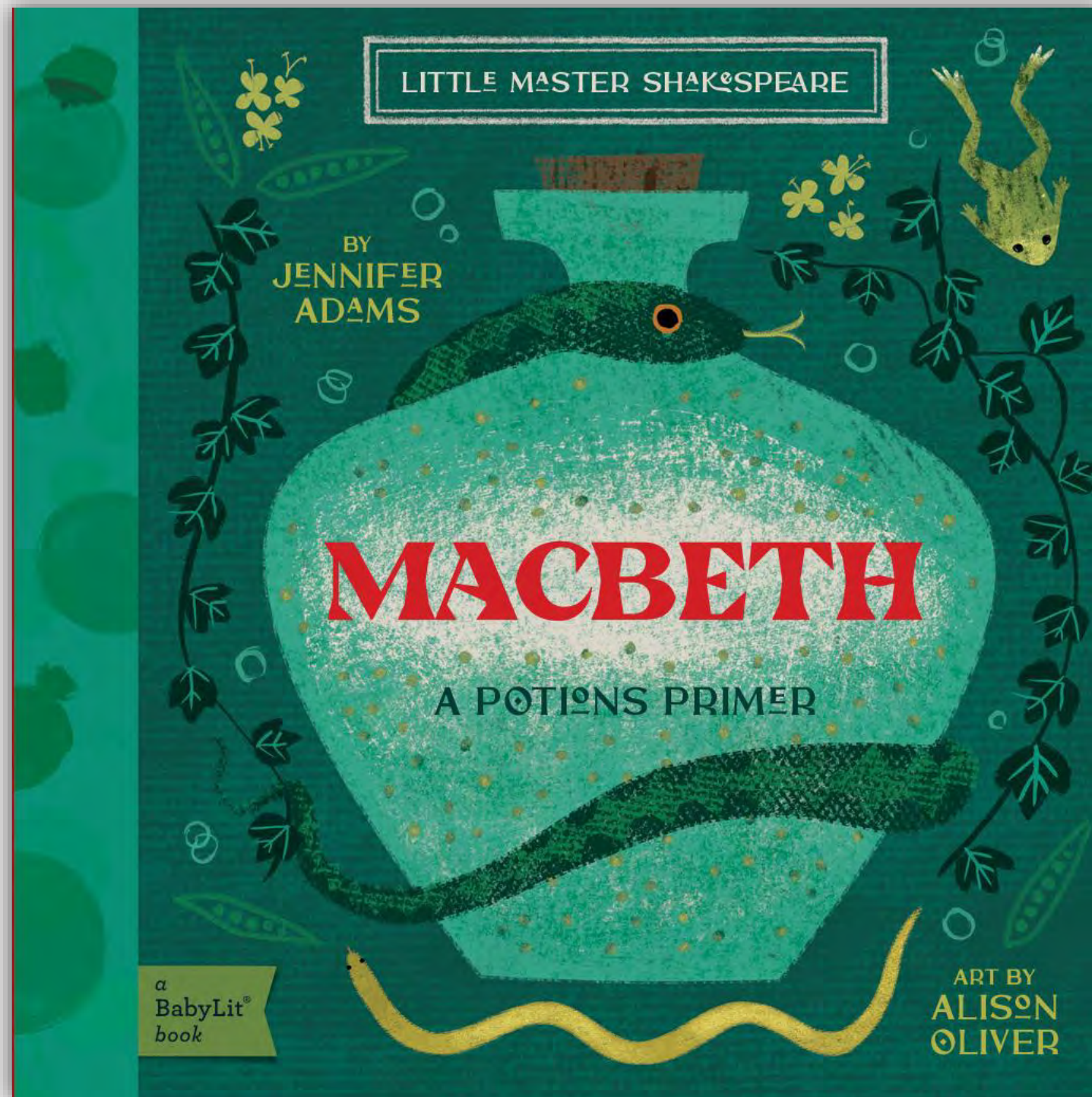
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Double, double  
toil and trouble;  
Fire burn and  
cauldron bubble.



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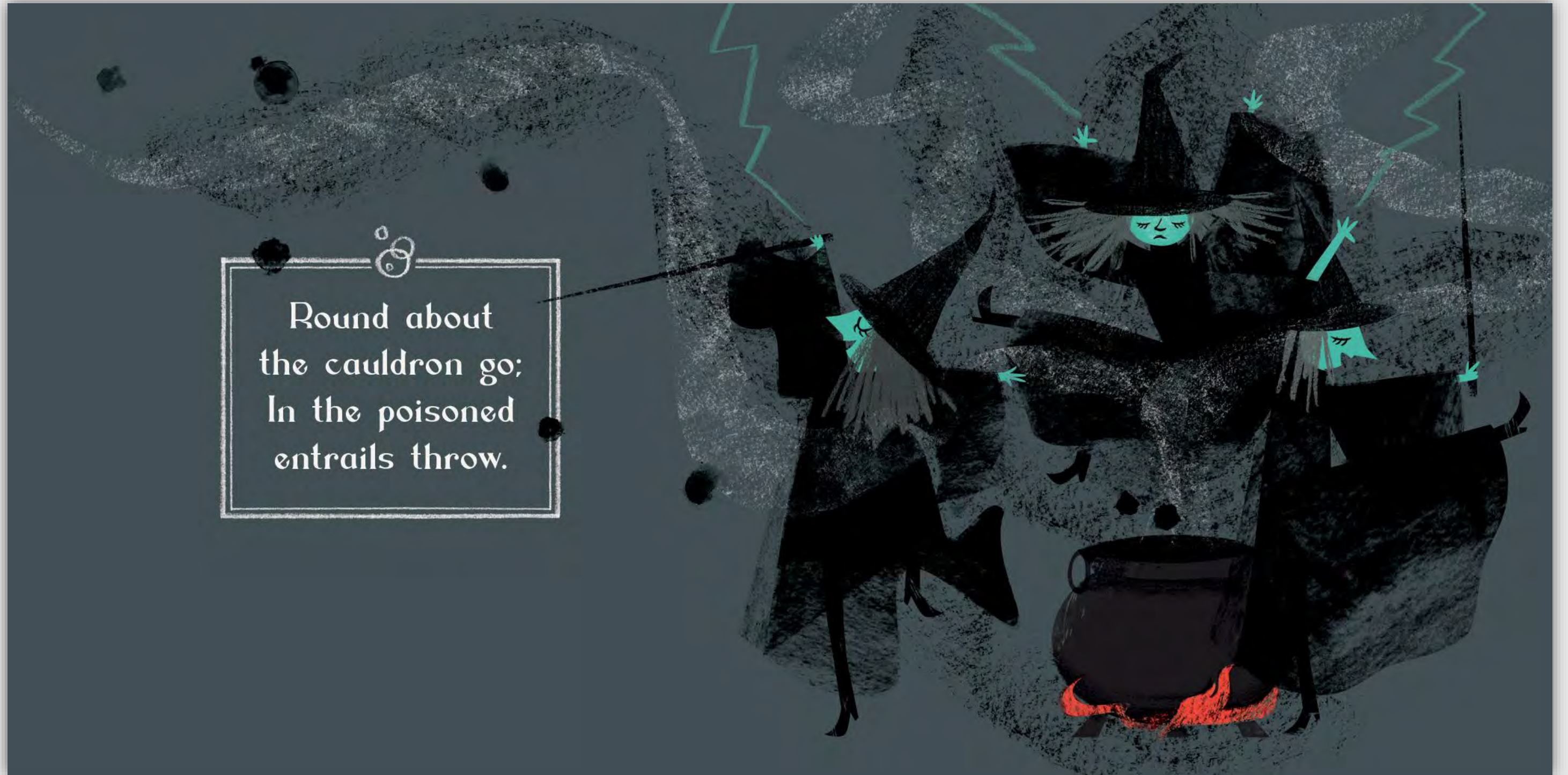
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Round about  
the cauldron go;  
In the poisoned  
entrails throw.

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Fillet of a  
fenny snake,  
In the cauldron  
boil and bake;



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Wool of bat  
and tongue  
of dog



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Lizard's leg  
and owlet's wing,



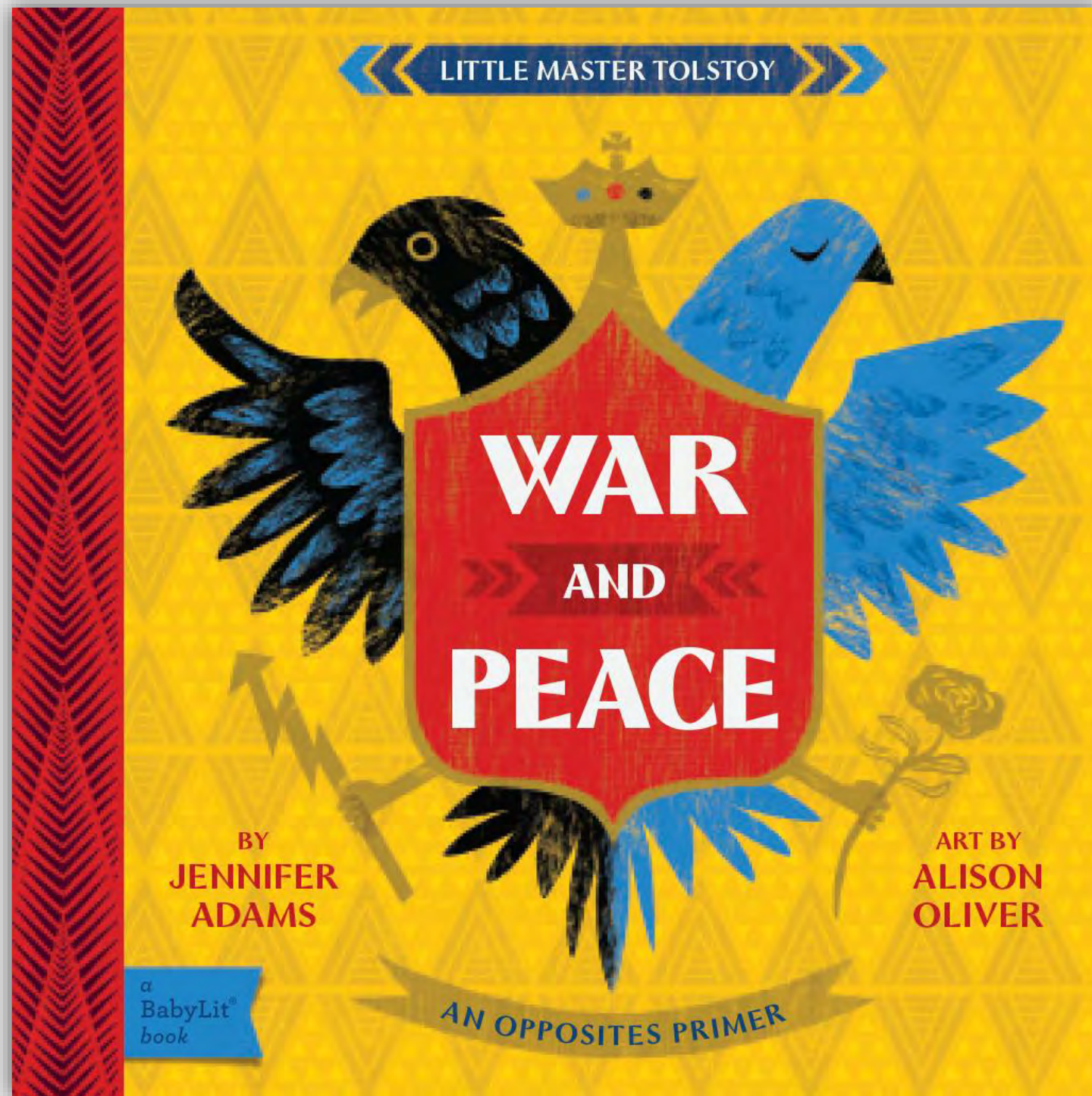
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crackled and the soldiers' songs  
resounded even more merrily  
than on the previous night.”

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day



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How many animals  
do you see?

It's time for Halloween!  
Carve a grin, little pumpkin.  
Trick or treat, parakeet.

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How many kinds of  
Halloween candy can you find?

Grab your hat, vampire bat.  
Fill your tummy, funny mummy.

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How many pumpkins do you see?

Dress it up, spotted pup.  
Howl at the moon, big baboon.  
Let's raise a scare, grizzly bear.

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It's a spooky Halloween parade.

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Look who is trying to sneak some treats! Can you find the sneaky cat on the other pages?

It's fun to scare, and get Halloween candy to share.  
Good night, little boo. I love you!

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How many different treats are the elves making?

The little elves mix butter, sugar, and flour. They are baking millions of treats by the hour.

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What toy would you like to get from Santa for Christmas?

Hard at work, making hundreds of toys. The workshop is full of laughter, paint, and lots and lots of noise.

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What are the two  
elves doing up  
by the globe?

Watch your step, little elves!  
It's easy to trip over all the ribbons, boxes, and bells.

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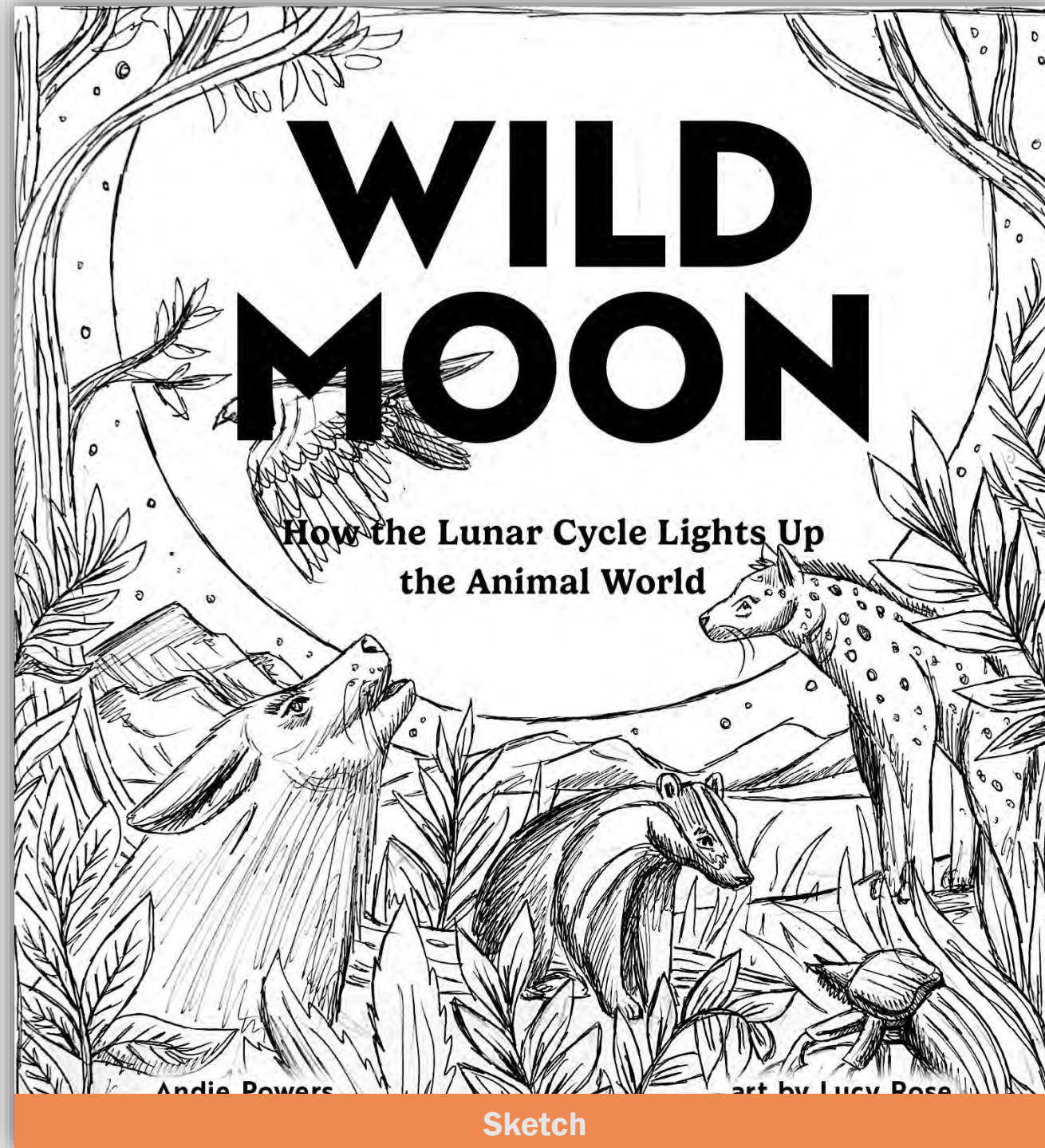
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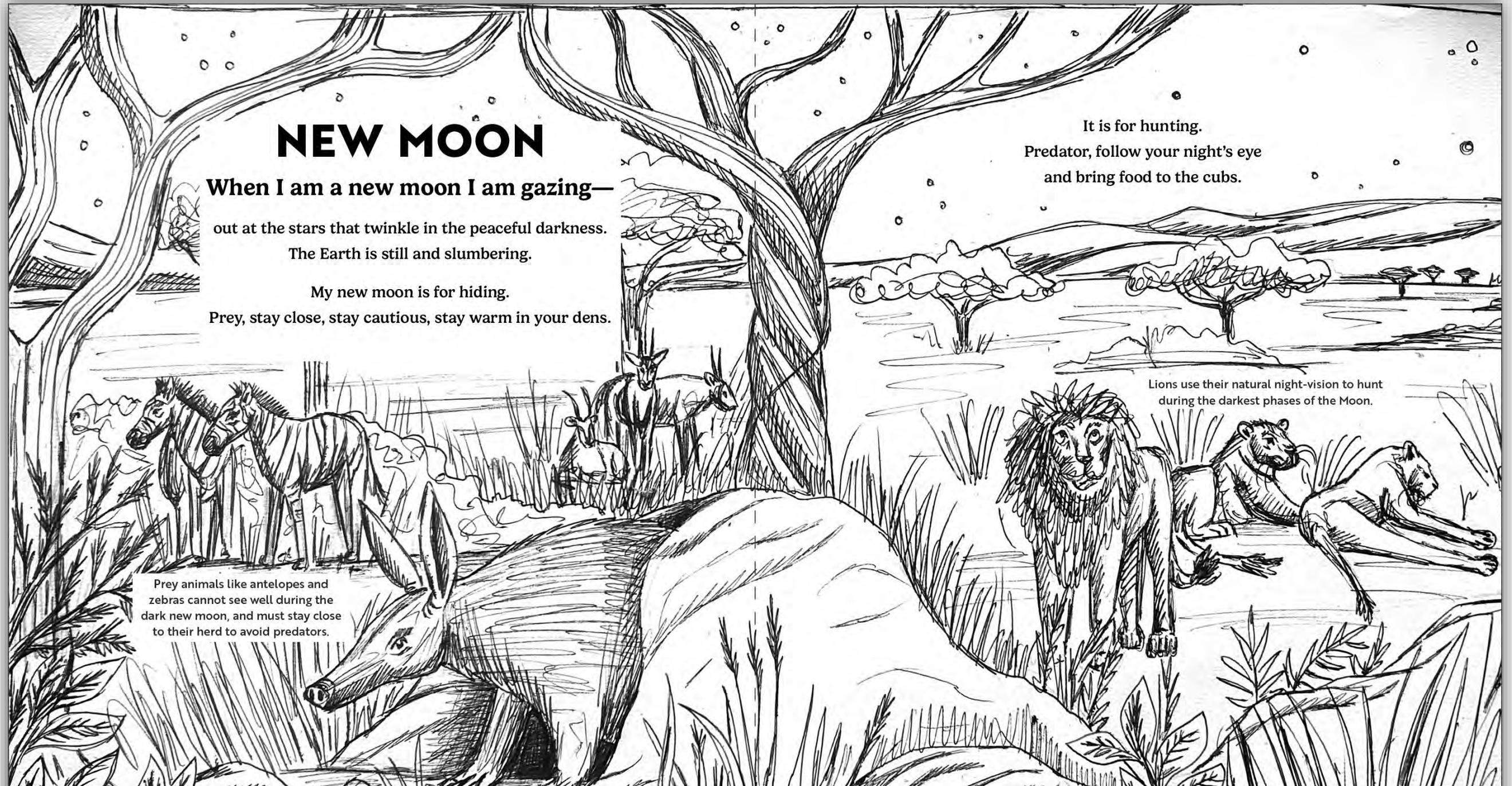
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## NEW MOON

When I am a new moon I am gazing—

out at the stars that twinkle in the peaceful darkness.

The Earth is still and slumbering.

My new moon is for hiding.

Prey, stay close, stay cautious, stay warm in your dens.

It is for hunting.  
Predator, follow your night's eye  
and bring food to the cubs.

Lions use their natural night-vision to hunt  
during the darkest phases of the Moon.

Prey animals like antelopes and  
zebras cannot see well during the  
dark new moon, and must stay close  
to their herd to avoid predators.

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# WAXING CRESCENT

When I am a waxing crescent,  
I am smiling, star to star.

First, a sliver of light, then a grin!  
I am a door creaking open slowly.

My waxing crescent is for scurrying.  
Scamper-scurry, turn, stop, see!

My low glow helps the milky way  
to shine and guide you home.

*When moonlight is low, the dung beetle uses the  
bright stars of the Milky Way to navigate home.*

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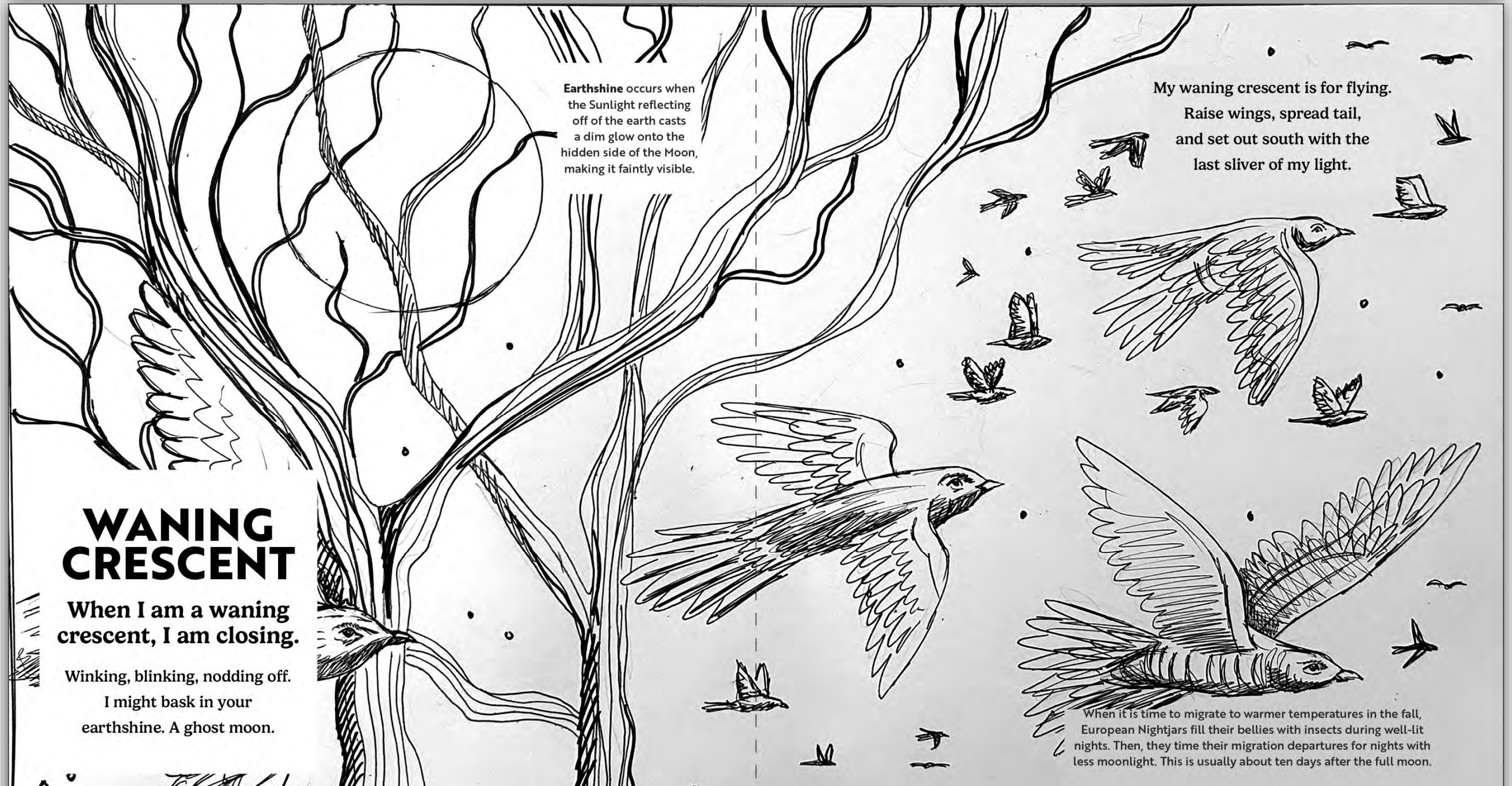
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Earthshine occurs when the Sunlight reflecting off of the earth casts a dim glow onto the hidden side of the Moon, making it faintly visible.

My waning crescent is for flying.  
Raise wings, spread tail,  
and set out south with the  
last sliver of my light.

## WANING CRESCENT

When I am a waning  
crescent, I am closing.

Winking, blinking, nodding off.

I might bask in your  
earthshine. A ghost moon.

When it is time to migrate to warmer temperatures in the fall, European Nightjars fill their bellies with insects during well-lit nights. Then, they time their migration departures for nights with less moonlight. This is usually about ten days after the full moon.

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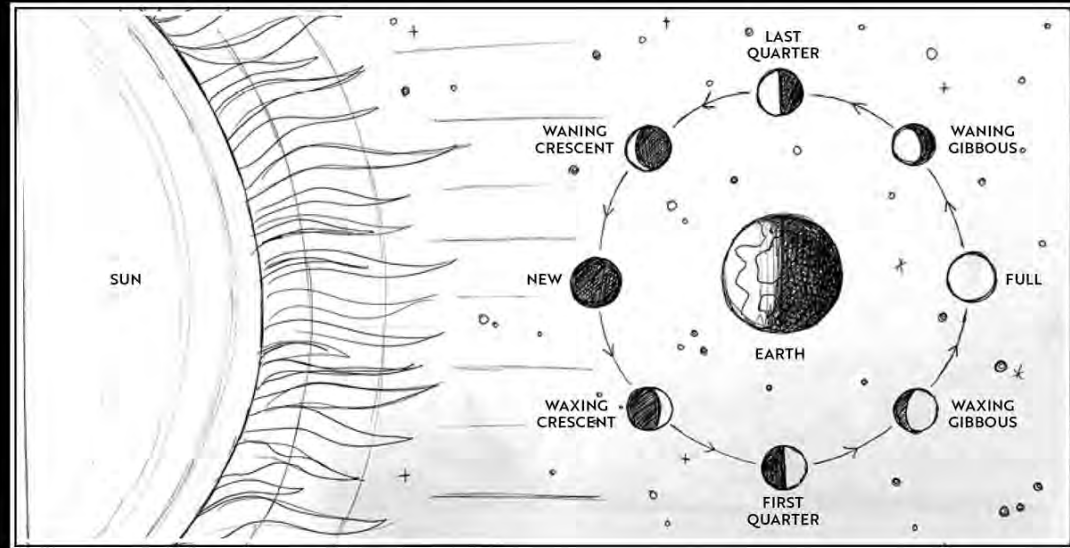
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## MOON PHASES

The way that the Moon appears to the Earth during different stages of its orbit is called a **moon phase**. The Moon has eight phases. It orbits the Earth for about 29.5 days. Each moon phase lasts about 3.6 days.



**NEW MOON:** The Moon looks invisible! When the Moon sits between the Earth and the Sun, its face is not illuminated for us to see. It is also up during the day!

**WAXING CRESCENT:** Waxing means to grow, and a crescent is the shape of a curve or smile. As the nights go on, more light from the sun reflects off of the Moon, like a growing crescent. It begins to rise later and later.

**FIRST QUARTER:** The Moon has finished 1/4 of its orbit around Earth. To us, it looks like one half of a circle. The Moon in first quarter rises at noon and sets at midnight.

**WAXING GIBBOUS:** The Moon is in this phase when we can see *almost* a whole, illuminated circle. It is in its waxing gibbous phase until it is 99.9% full.

**FULL MOON:** A full moon phase means that the Moon has finished 1/2 of its orbit around Earth! The Moon is fully illuminated, meaning we can see a full circle. The full moon rises at sunset, and sets at dawn.

**WANING GIBBOUS:** Waning means decreasing. During a waning gibbous phase, the illuminated side of the Moon begins to shrink in the opposite direction. It rises later and later each night.

**LAST QUARTER:** This phase can also be called a Third Quarter. The Moon has completed 3/4 of its orbit. The Moon rises at midnight and sets at noon—the opposite of a first quarter.

**WANING CRESCENT:** The Moon is nearly finished with its orbit around the Earth, and appearing smaller. On Earth, we can see a thinning sliver of moon as it gradually takes its place between us and the Sun.

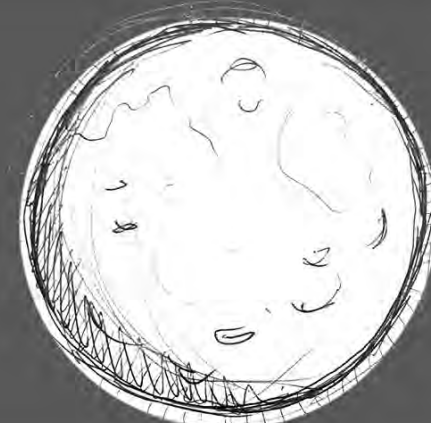
## TRADITIONAL FULL MOON NAMES

The sources of the names of each month's full moon is not clear. Some historians credit many Native American tribes for versions of the names, which were then adopted and popularized by early Colonial Americans.



## WHAT IS A BLUE MOON?

The Moon completes twelve lunar cycles around the Earth each year, but there are about eleven more days on the calendar. This means that every couple years, we will see thirteen full moons in twelve months. When this happens, one lucky month gets two full moons! A second full moon in one calendar month is called a **blue moon**.



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**DESCRIPTION** Each Mumski and Grumpski looks slightly different, but they all appear old and wrinkled. Some are plump and round, while others are shriveled like a dried-up raisin. Their wings look like dried-up leaves, brown and crinkly. Their patchwork cloaks are stitched from bits of bark, lichen, leaves, seeds, and vines. They wear toadstools as hats, and when winter arrives, they line their cloaks with soft white fur gifted from the bellies of red foxes.

**BEHAVIOR** Don't let the grandparent look fool you. These are exceptionally powerful fairies who hold the wisdom of the Earth in their hearts. They are nature's season keepers. They shake the leaves off the trees in the fall, keep the pine trees green all winter, sew new buds onto trees in the spring, and plump up the summer berries with sweetness.

**HOW TO FIND** Mumskis and Grumpskis are in every place there is something wild, from city parks and backyards to mountain tops and deep woodlands. You might never see one, but rest assured they are seeing you. They might be peeking out the ruffled cap of a turkey tail mushroom or keeping track of you in their snowflake cape while you sled. They might be peeking out the ruffled cap of a turkey tail mushroom or keeping track of you in their snowflake cape while you sled.



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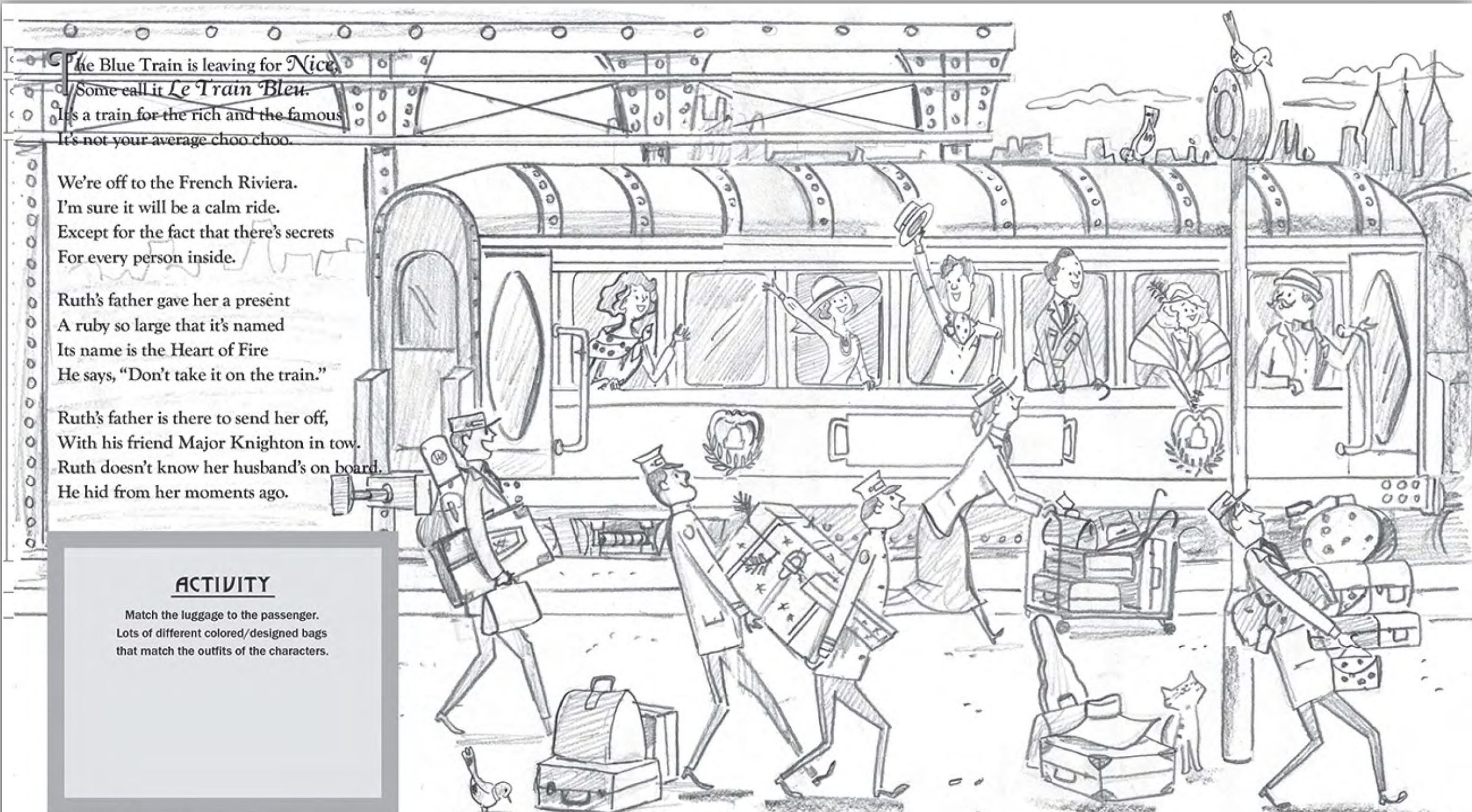
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The Blue Train is leaving for Nice.  
Some call it *Le Train Bleu*.  
It's a train for the rich and the famous.  
It's not your average choo choo.

We're off to the French Riviera.  
I'm sure it will be a calm ride.  
Except for the fact that there's secrets  
For every person inside.

Ruth's father gave her a present  
A ruby so large that it's named  
Its name is the Heart of Fire  
He says, "Don't take it on the train."

Ruth's father is there to send her off,  
With his friend Major Knighton in tow.  
Ruth doesn't know her husband's on board.  
He hid from her moments ago.

### ACTIVITY

Match the luggage to the passenger.  
Lots of different colored/designed bags  
that match the outfits of the characters.

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The train is on its way now  
Ruth makes a friend right away.  
A kind woman who just became rich  
Her name is Miss Katherine Grey.

Katherine is a little bit worried.  
The whole world knows she has money  
Will someone try to rob her now?  
But she tries to keep her thoughts sunny.

Ruth is a little nervous too.  
She broke her dad's only rule.  
Secretly hidden inside her bag,  
Is the famous Heart of Fire jewel.

Ruth thinks something bad might occur.  
She's feeling a sense of doom.  
Katherine asks how she can help.  
And they end up switching rooms.

### ACTIVITY

Find these words in the alphabet  
soup. Make sure the letter K  
is also in the soup a few times.

RUBY  
TRAIN  
MONEY  
JEWELS  
BLUE

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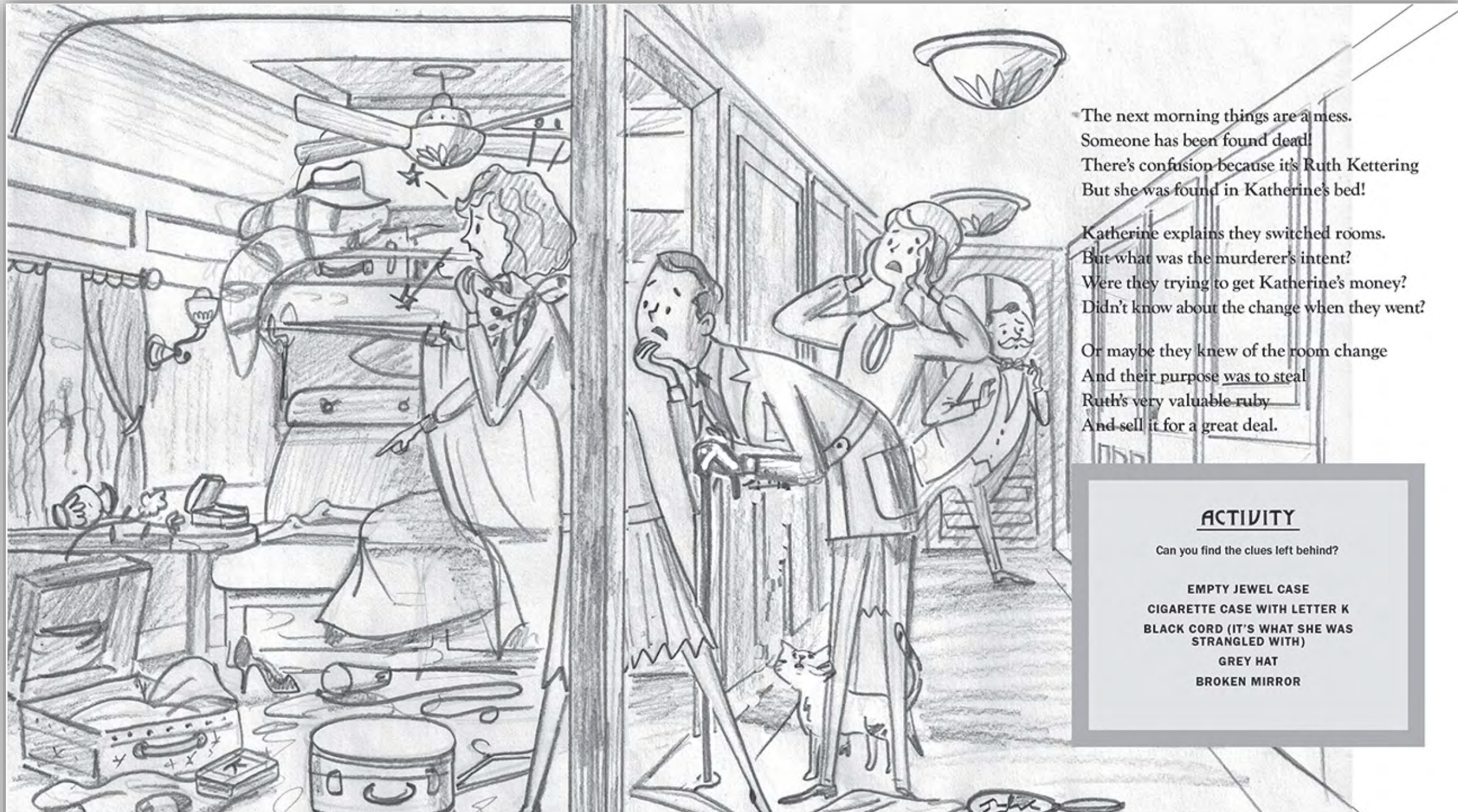
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The next morning things are a mess.  
Someone has been found dead!  
There's confusion because it's Ruth Kettering  
But she was found in Katherine's bed!

Katherine explains they switched rooms.  
But what was the murderer's intent?  
Were they trying to get Katherine's money?  
Didn't know about the change when they went?

Or maybe they knew of the room change  
And their purpose was to steal  
Ruth's very valuable ruby  
And sell it for a great deal.

### ACTIVITY

Can you find the clues left behind?

- EMPTY JEWEL CASE
- CIGARETTE CASE WITH LETTER K
- BLACK CORD (IT'S WHAT SHE WAS STRANGLED WITH)
- GREY HAT
- BROKEN MIRROR

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"I saw on the train an actress that night  
I've seen her in many a play  
I thought it was quite strange for her  
To pretend to be a maid

"She stopped acting not too long ago  
I heard she had met someone  
I think his name was The Marquis"  
With this the attendant was done

It seems that Ada was acting  
She had a *malefique* plan  
She left the train in Paris  
But snuck back on dressed as a man!

### ACTIVITY

Can you spot the similarities  
between these two women?



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"Major Knighton, could this be your case?"

I ask him and he runs

But the police are waiting right next door

They grab him and Ada at once

Derek is gratefully set free right away

And the two thieves are taken to jail

You can't commit crimes around Poirot!

For you will always fail.

I have a habit of being right

But of that I will not boast

I that we caught the killers  
what matters the most

### ACTIVITY

Did you guess the right person?  
Make sure you yell "j'accuse!"



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