

My First Hajj

A Sacred Journey

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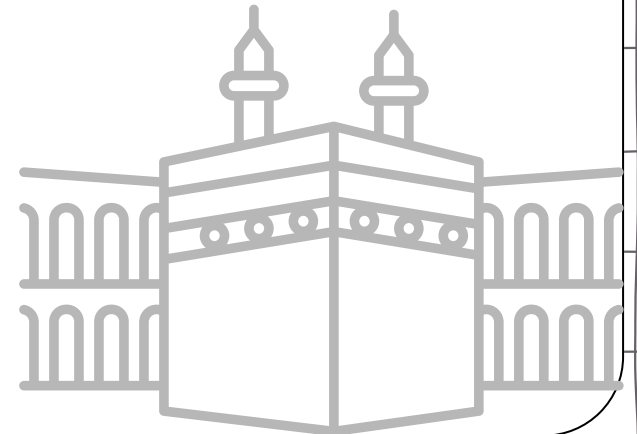
ACTIVITY BOOK



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Prophet Muhammad (peace and
blessings be upon him) said:

Whoever performs Hajj for the sake
of Allah and does not utter any
obscene speech or do any evil deed,
will go back (free of sin) as his
mother bore him.

Hadith | Bukhari and Muslim

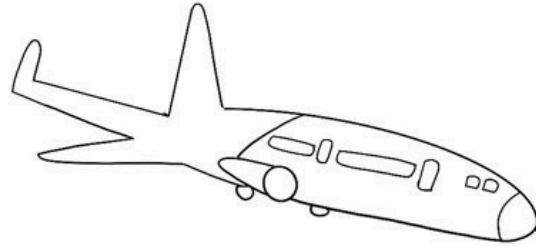
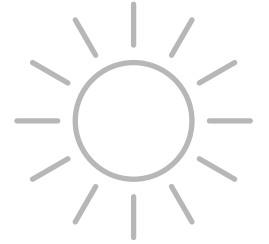
One summer afternoon, as my mother sat packing,
I excitedly asked her, "Mama, where are we going?"



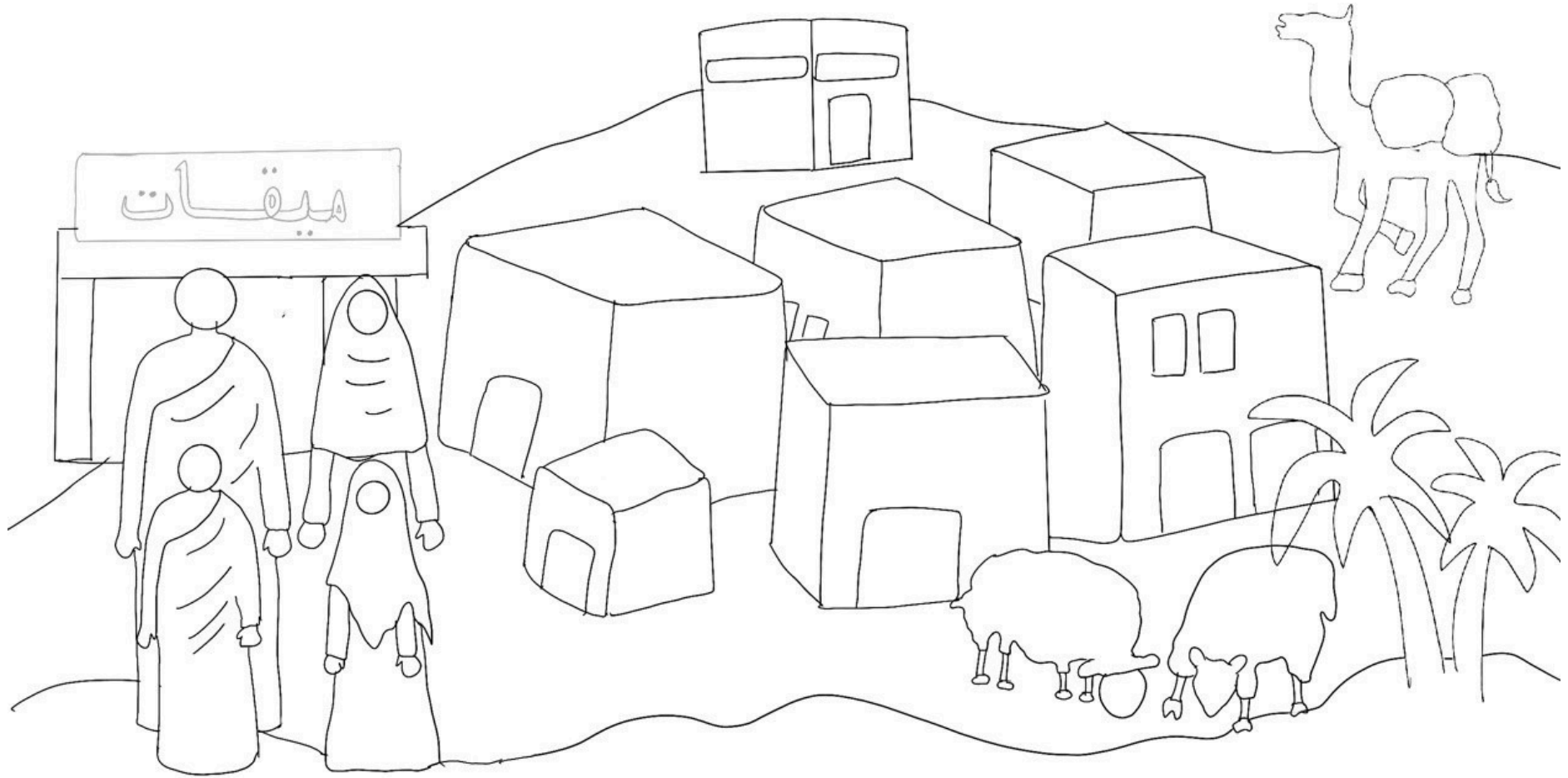
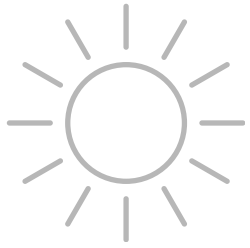
"We're going on Hajj", said Mama, "It's Dhul-Hijjah",
"These 10 days are most beloved to Allah".



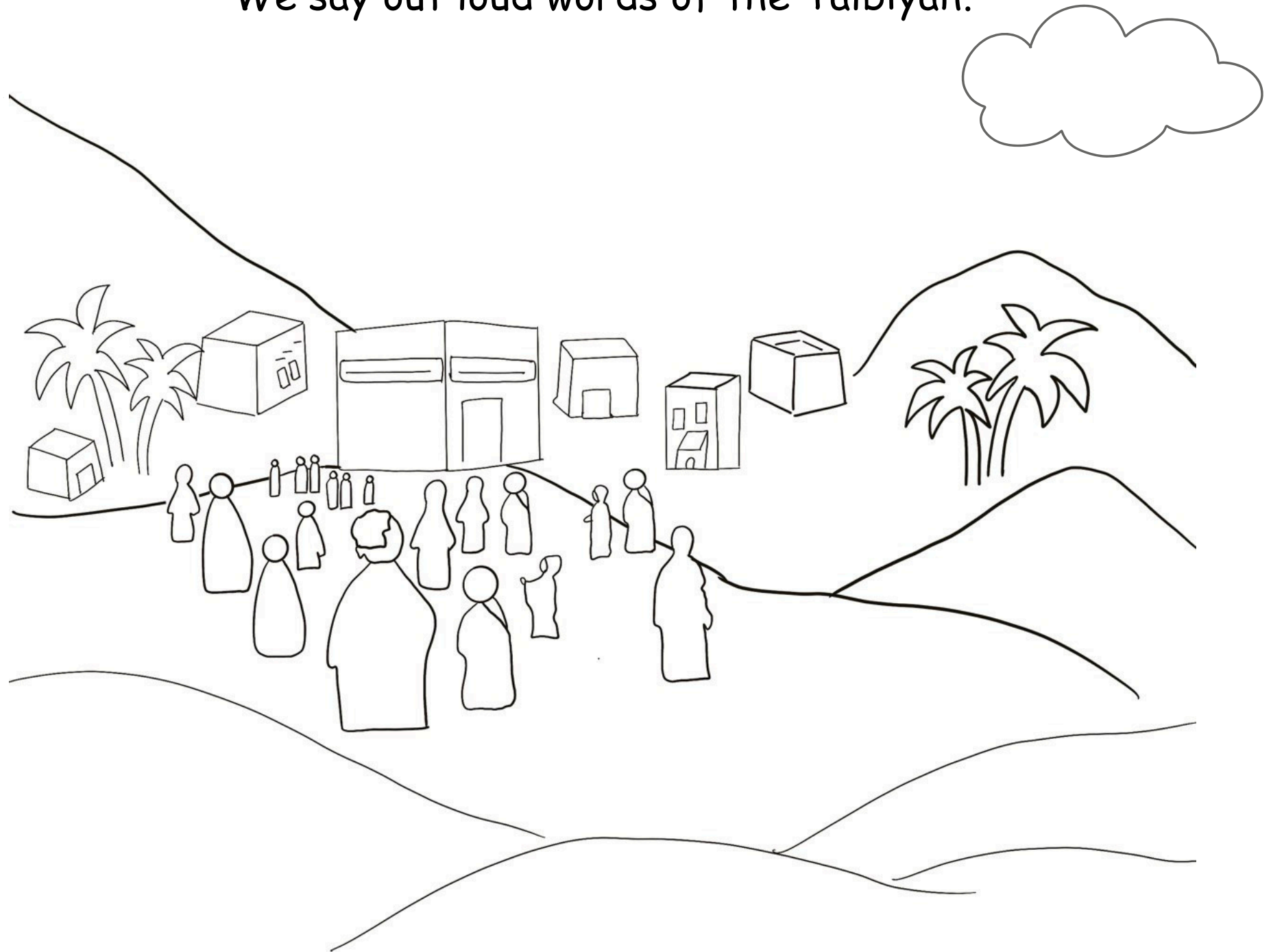
We carefully pack our belongings, clothes, and ihraam,
With taqwa in our hearts we journey to Masjid Al-Haram.



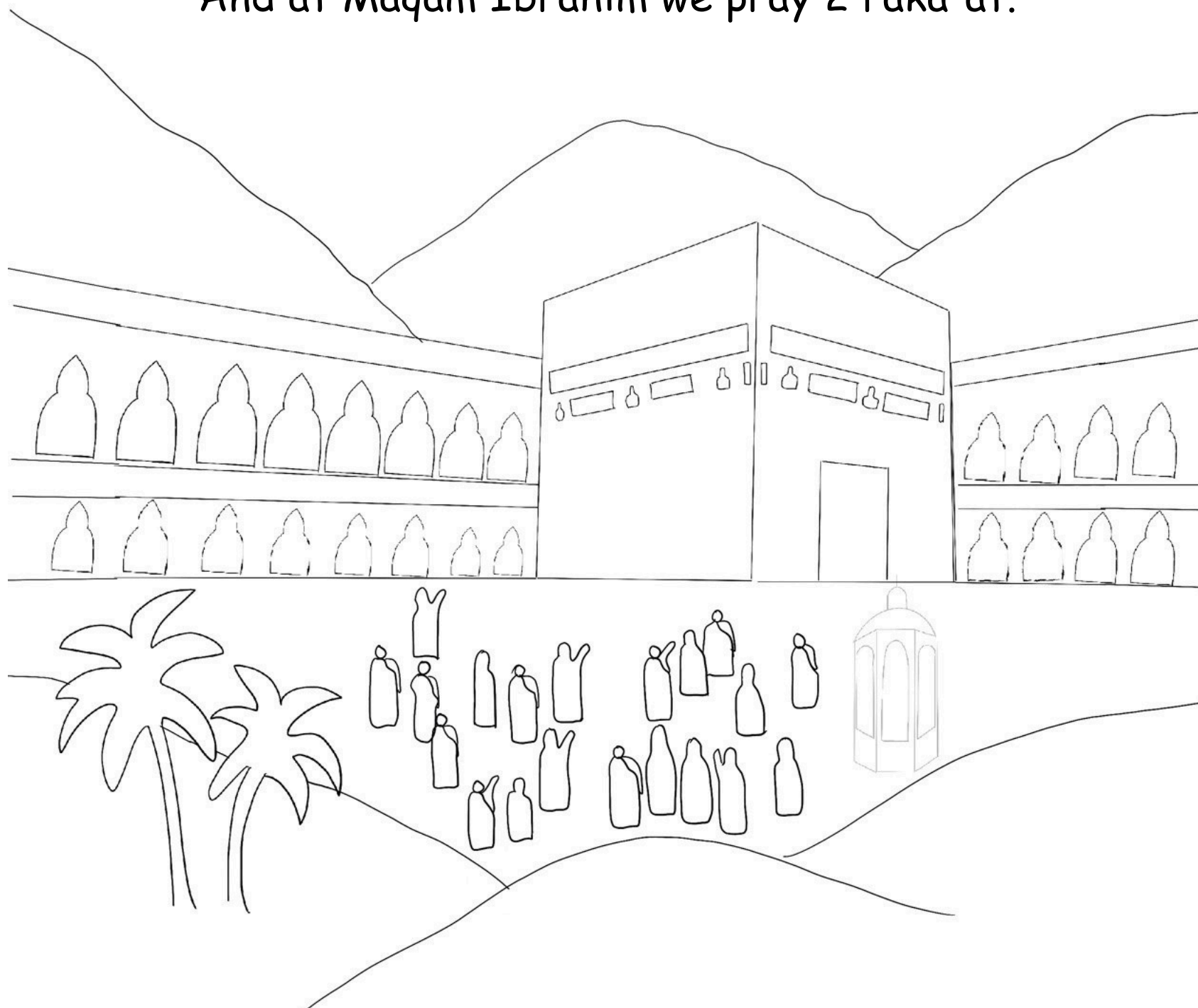
Before arriving at the city of Makkah,
We put on our ihraam at the station of Miqaat.



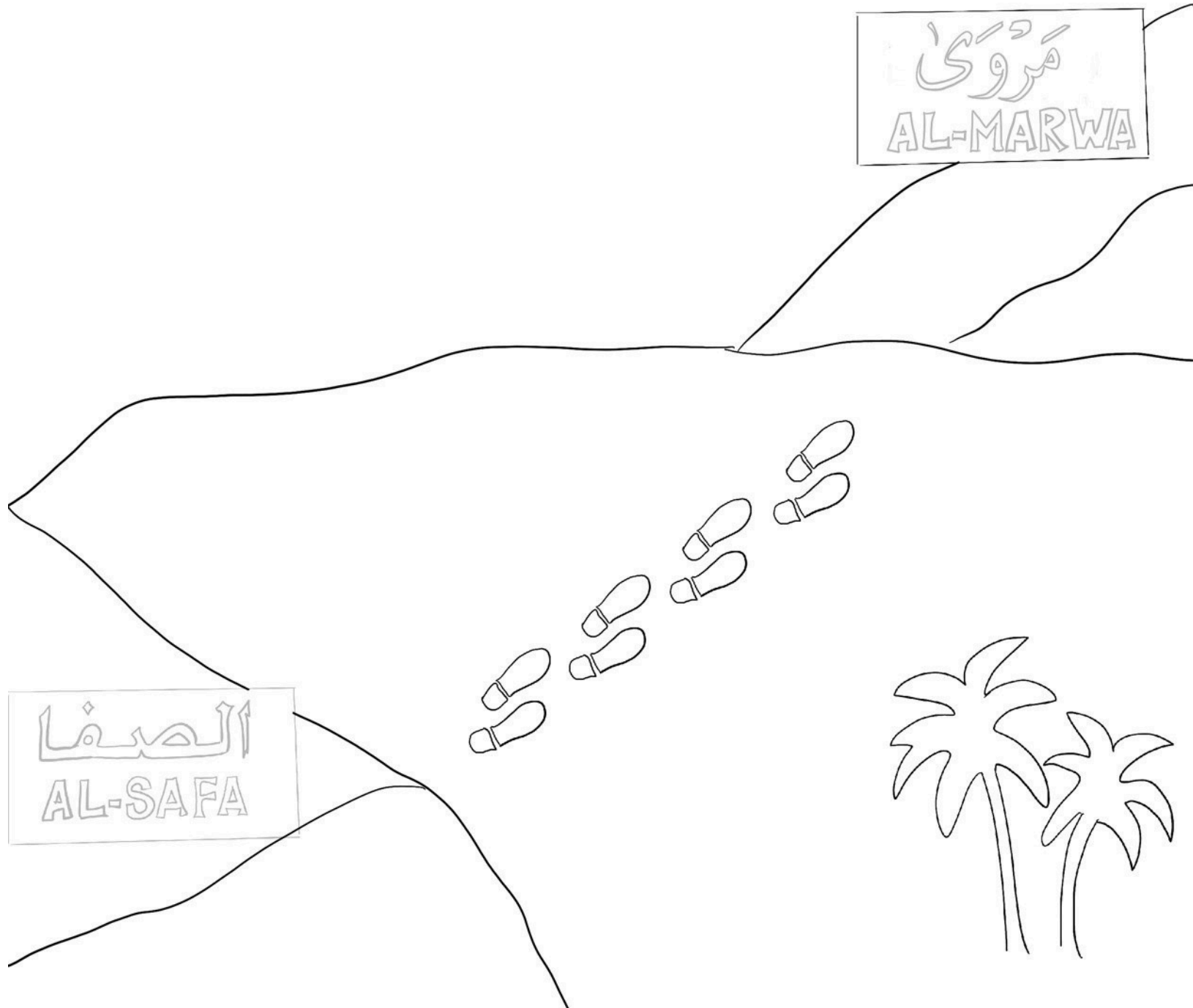
Making our intention for Hajj & 'Umrah,
We say out loud words of the Talbiyah.



We perform Tawaf 7 times around the Ka'bah,
And at Maqam Ibrahim we pray 2 raka'at.



Between Safa & Marwa we now perform Sa'ee,
While remembering Hajar and her amazing story.



For her tawakkul and sabr, Allah rewarded her,
With miraculous ZamZam, pure gushing water.



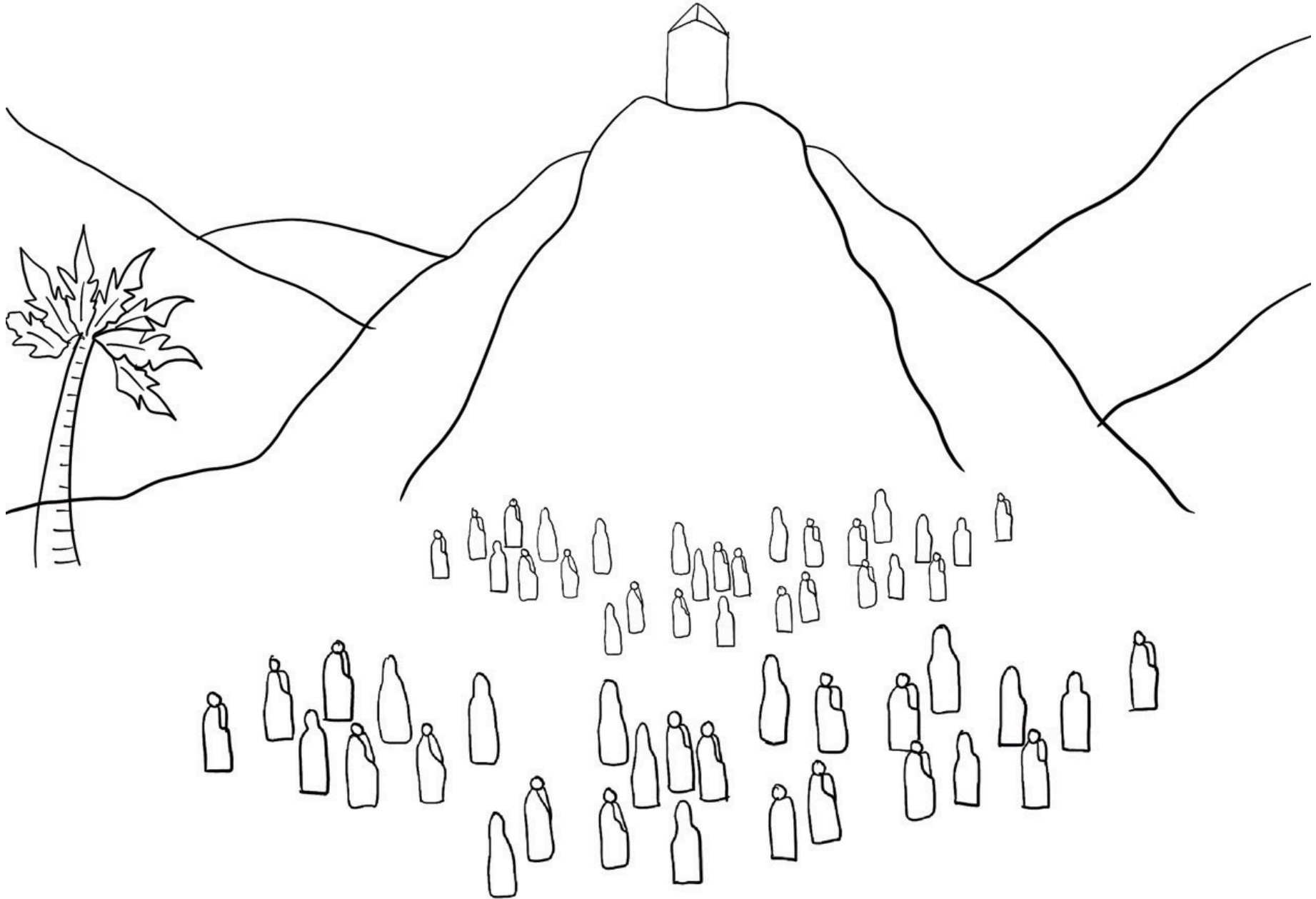
We shave our heads or trim our hair to complete our 'Umrah,
Renew Ihram, walk to Mina on the 8th of Dhul-Hijjah.



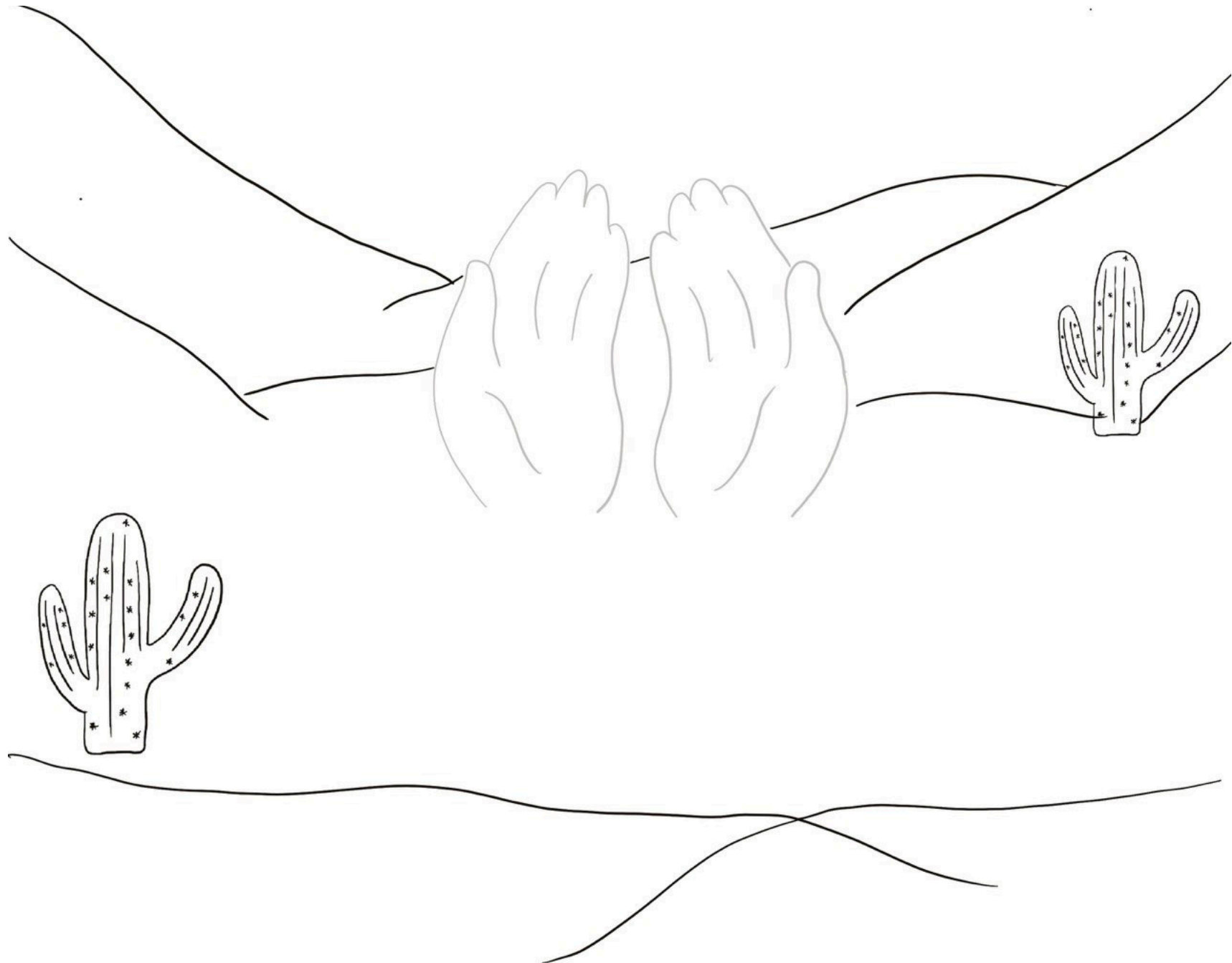
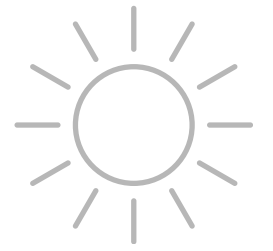
Here we stay in a stretched-out white tent,
Dhuhr, 'Asr and 'Isha we pray 2 raka'at shortened.



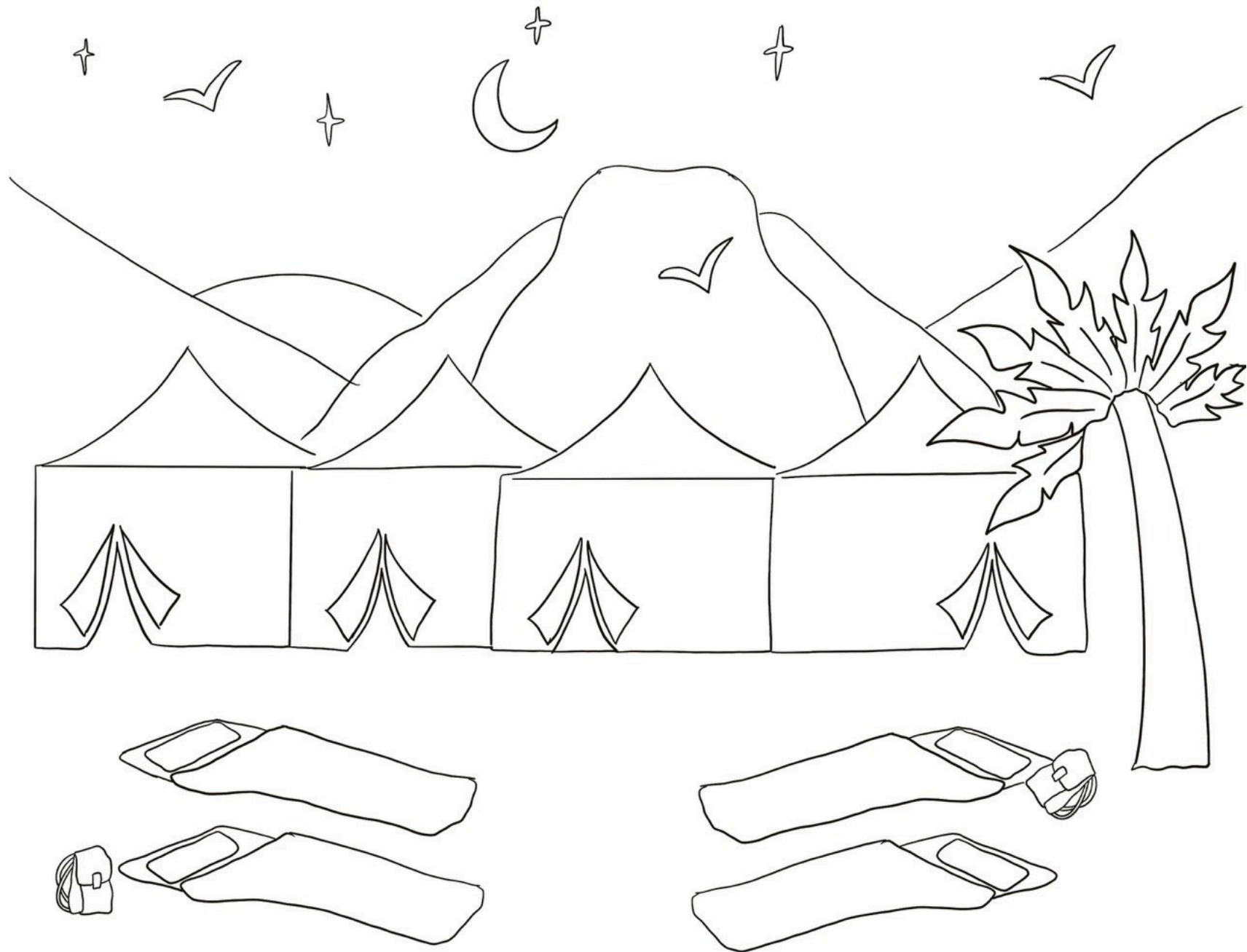
On the 9th of Dhul-Hijjah, we're off to 'Arafah,
Facing the Qiblah we stand, hands raised in dua'a.



I made dua'a for my family & all the muslimeen,
"Ask Allah for Jannah too!" my mother reminded me.



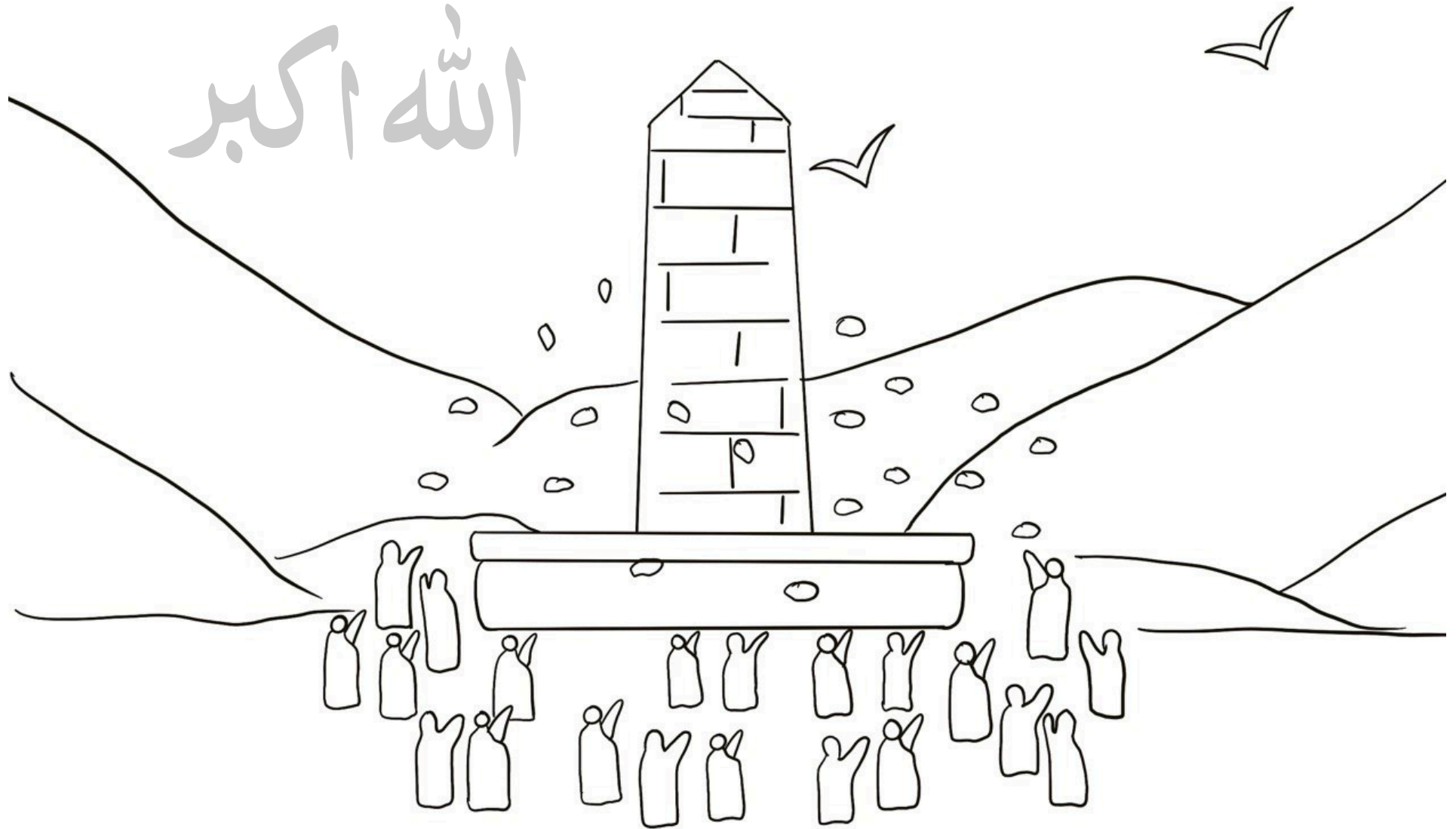
Later, we head to Muzdalifah after sunset,
Pray Maghrib and 'Isha combined, then we rest.



Picking 7 stones to do Rami al-Jamaraat,
Shortly before sunrise, we leave for Mina.



We stone the Large Jamarah one at a time,
Saying "Allahu Akbar" loudly, each time.



Next, we offer Udhiyyah - an animal sacrifice,
And perform Halq or Taqseer, following Hajj rites.



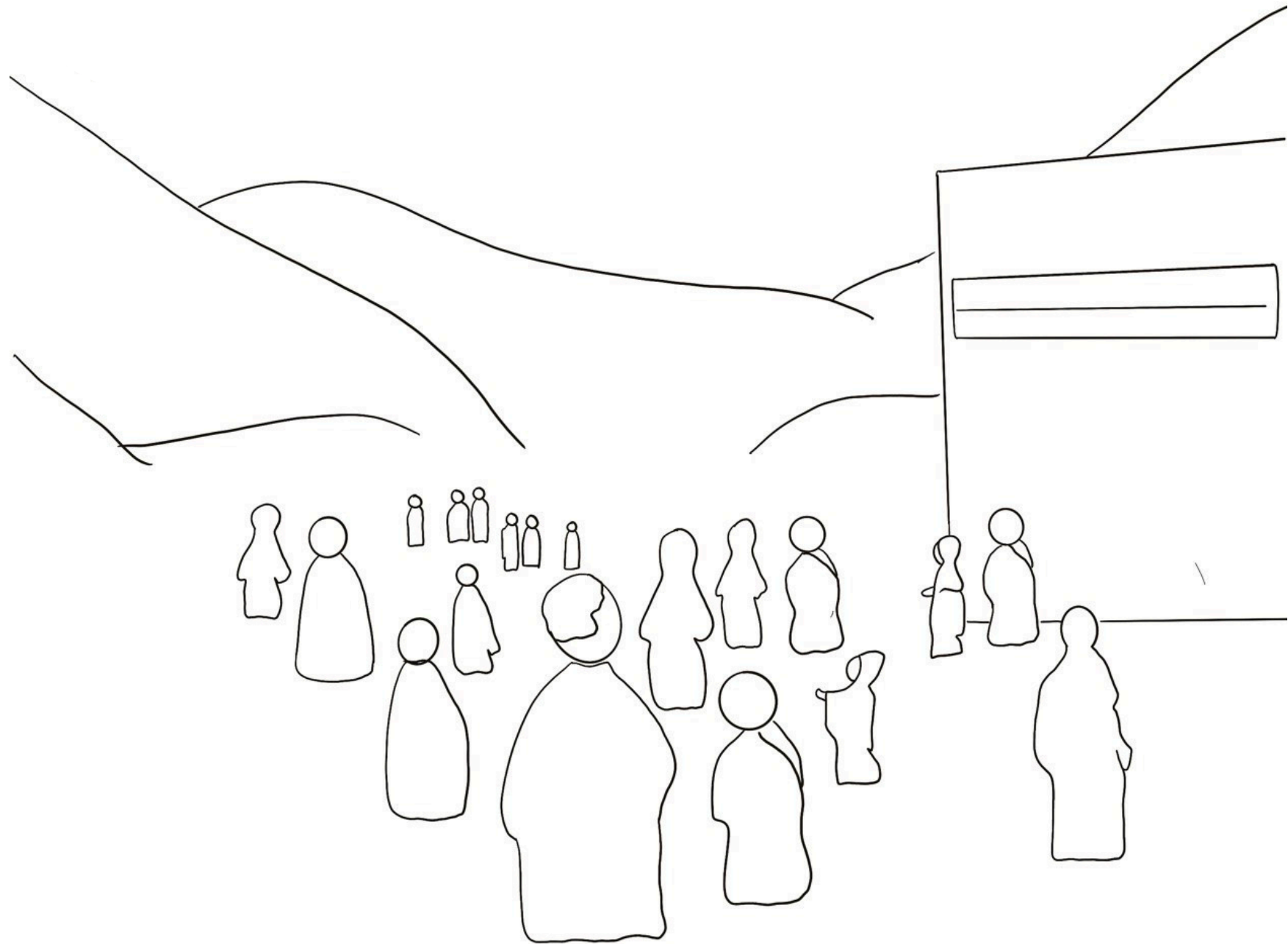
Now we're out of ihraam, and in our usual clothes,
To perform tawaf and sa'ee, back to Makkah we go.



10th, 11th & 12th Dhul-Hijjah, in Mina we'll stay,
To stone all 3 Jamaraat; picking 21 stones each day.



On the 13th of Dhul-Hijjah, we return to Makkah,
Circling the Ka'bah one last time for Tawaf al-Wida.



Hajj is a great deed, and a sacred journey,
Allah rewards us with Jannah, when it's done sincerely.



We thank Allah, grateful for all of His blessings,
Mama's cooked a delicious feast, I can't wait to dig in!



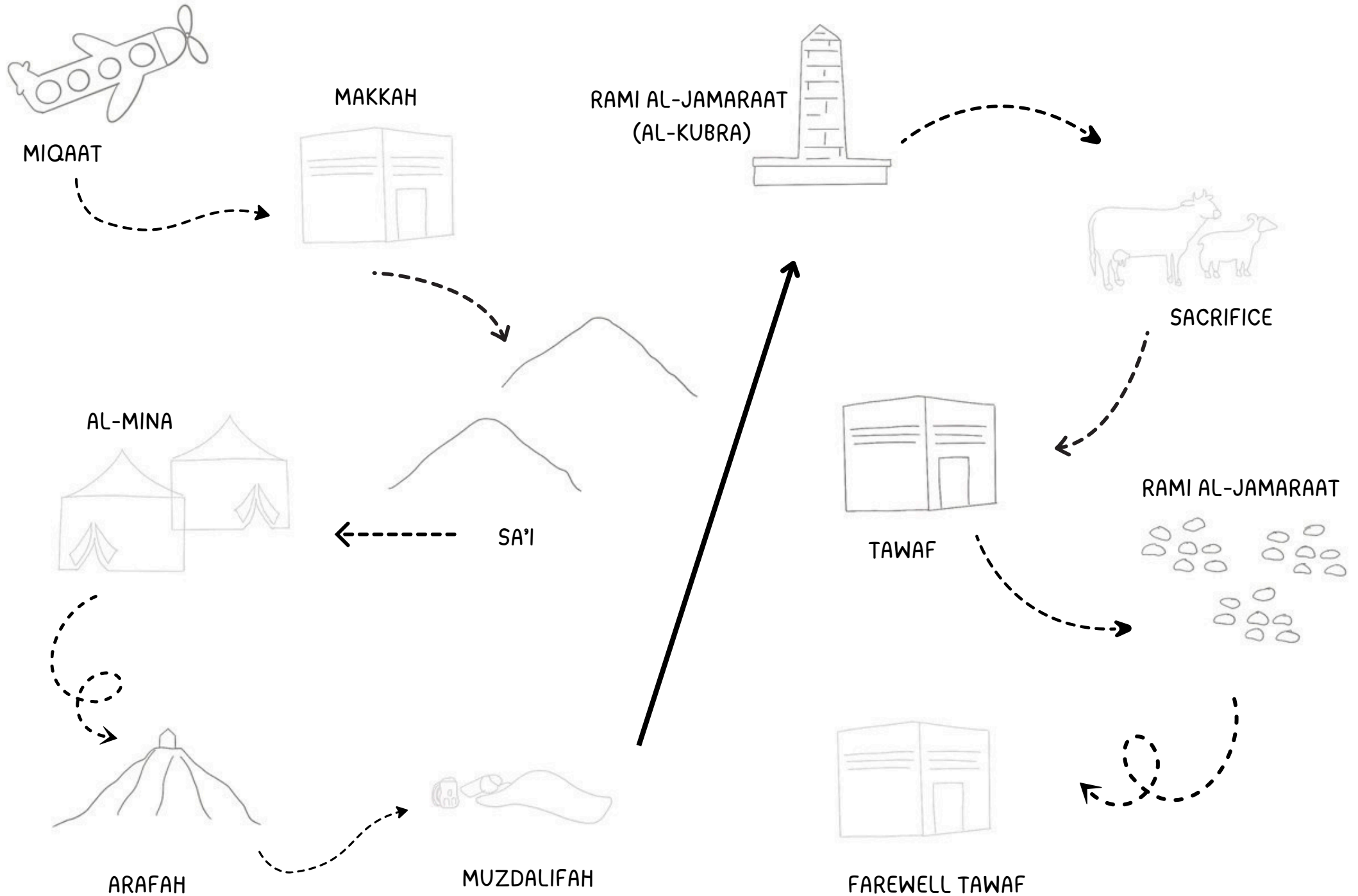
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My first Hajj, I'll cherish it fondly within my heart,
Alhamdulillah, now it's time to celebrate Eid-ul-Adha!

*Eid al Adha
Mubarak*



My Hajj Map



 My Dua'a List

Dunya

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♥ _____

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Akhirah

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Allāhu akbar, Allāhu akbar, Allāhu akbar, subḥāna-l-ladhī sakkhara lanā hādhā wa mā kunnā lahū muqrinīn, wa innā ilā rabbīnā la-munqalibūn, Allāhumma innā nas'aluka fī safarinā hādhā-l-birra wa-t-taqwā, wa mina-l-'amali mā tardā, Allāhumma hawwin 'alaynā safaranā hādhā wa-ṭ-wi 'annā bu'dah, Allāhumma Anta-ṣ-ṣāhibu fi-s-safar, wa-l-khalīfatu fi-l-ahl, Allāhumma innī a'ūdhu bika min wa'thāi-s-safar, wa ka-ābati-l-manẓar, wa sū'i-l-munqalabi fi-l-māli wa-l-ahl.

Dua'a for Travelling

When the Messenger of Allah ﷺ would mount his camel for travel, he would say [the above]. (Muslim 1342)

Allah is the Greatest. Allah is the Greatest. Allah is the Greatest. How perfect is the One who has given us control over this; we could not have done it by ourselves. Truly it is to our Lord that we are returning. O Allah, we ask You for piety, taqwā (Allah-consciousness) and deeds which You will be pleased with on this journey of ours. O Allah, make this journey easy for us and let us cover its distance swiftly. O Allah, You are our Companion on the journey and the One in whose care we leave our family. O Allah, I seek Your protection from the difficulties of the journey, from distressing scenes, and from an ill-fated outcome with my wealth and family.

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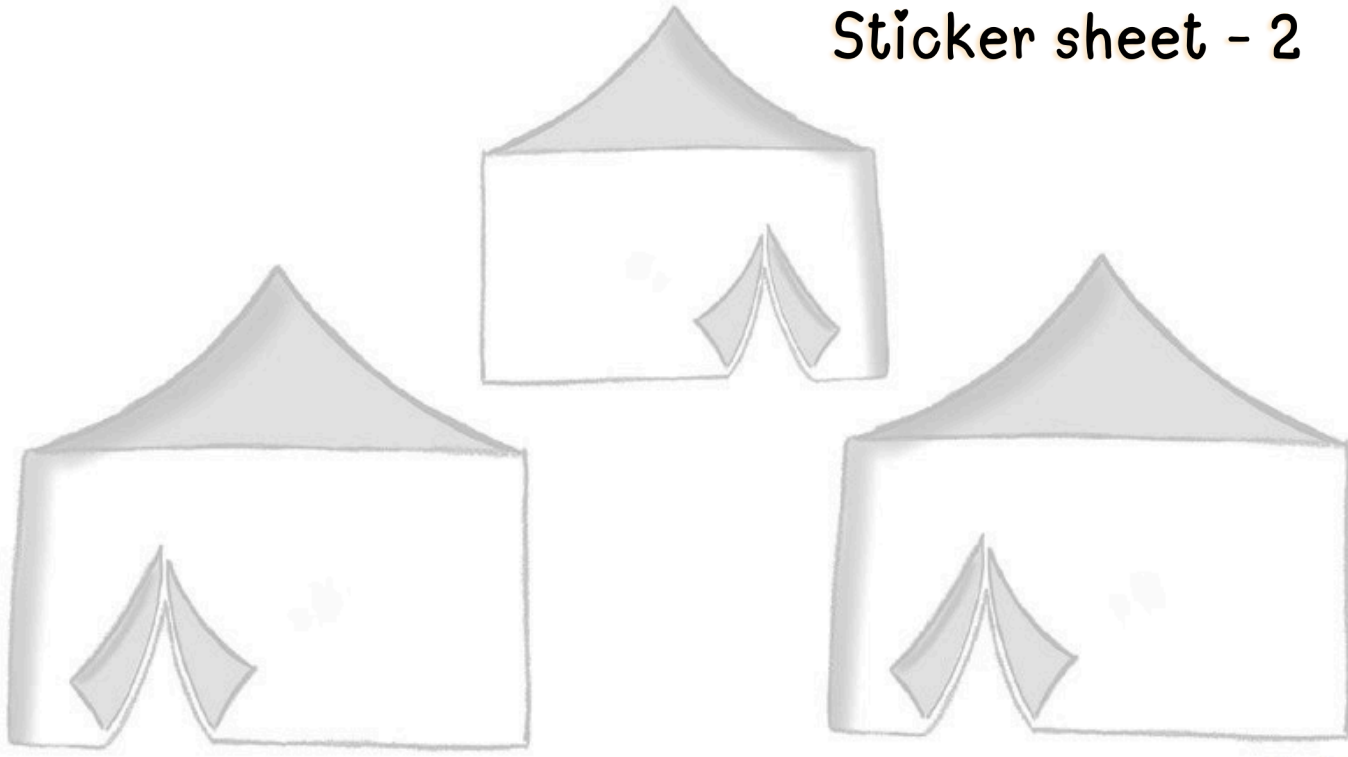


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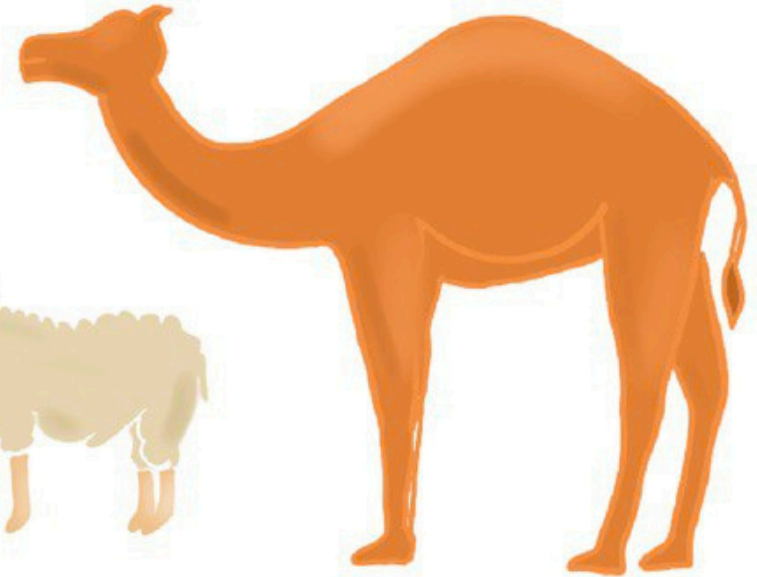
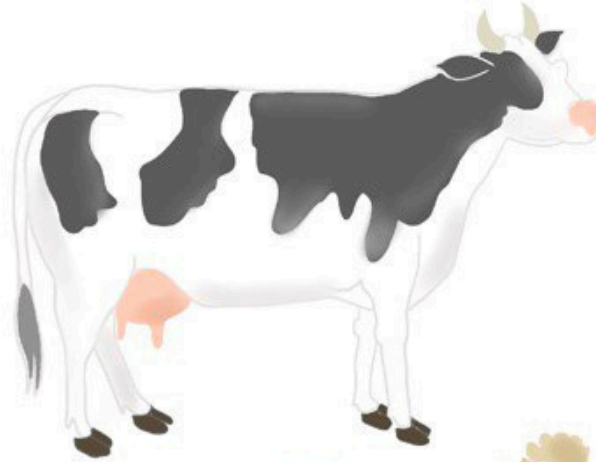
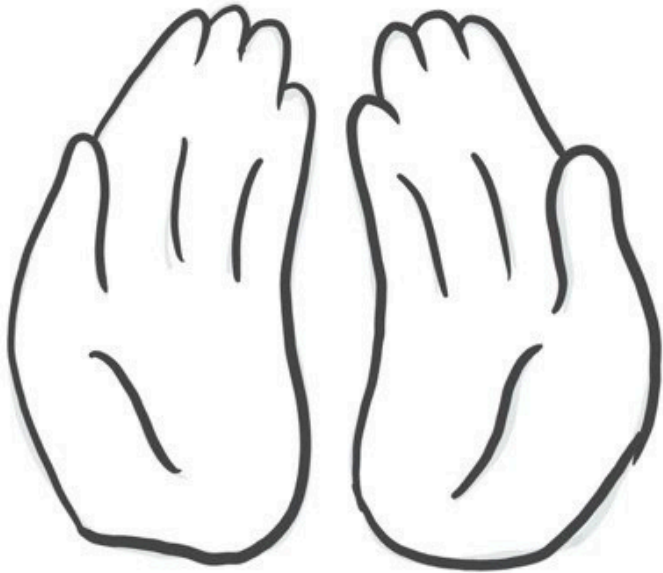
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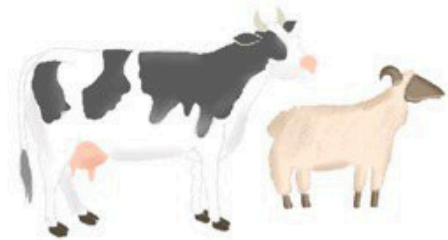
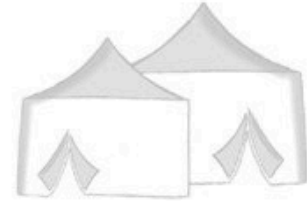


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مكة

Eid al Adha
Mubarak



This story is a fictional story in rhyme, about the experience of a little child as the family embarks upon the journey of a lifetime – the Pilgrimage (Hajj) to the Ka’abah in Makkah. It is a humble attempt to help our little Muslimeen learn and understand the different stations & steps in the ritual of Hajj, with the help of this 2-part set - (1) Rhyming Book & (2) Activity book

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