

homemade bread is my favorite

20:17:1



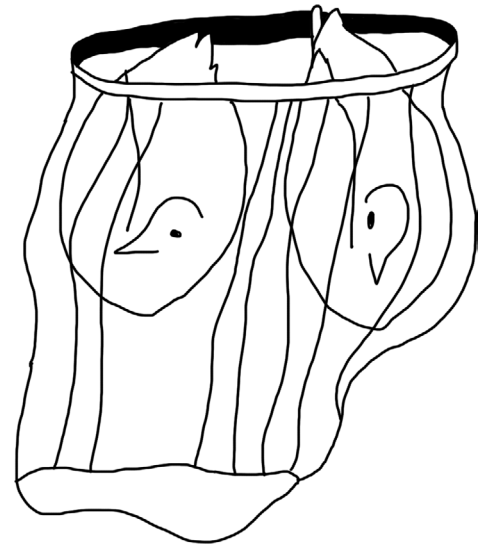
i got a fortune cookie once
that said: “you laugh now
wait until you get home”

21:7:6



so many strange allusions

22:4:1



the first baker (or scientist
if you're into that)

23:40:12



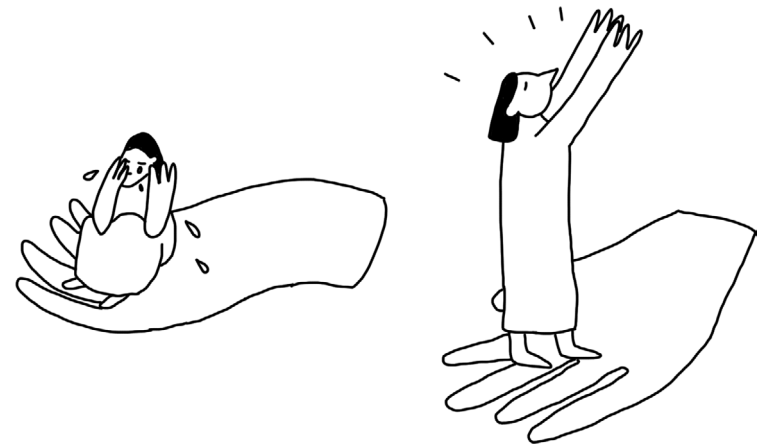
there is so much
fire in the old testament

24:4:14



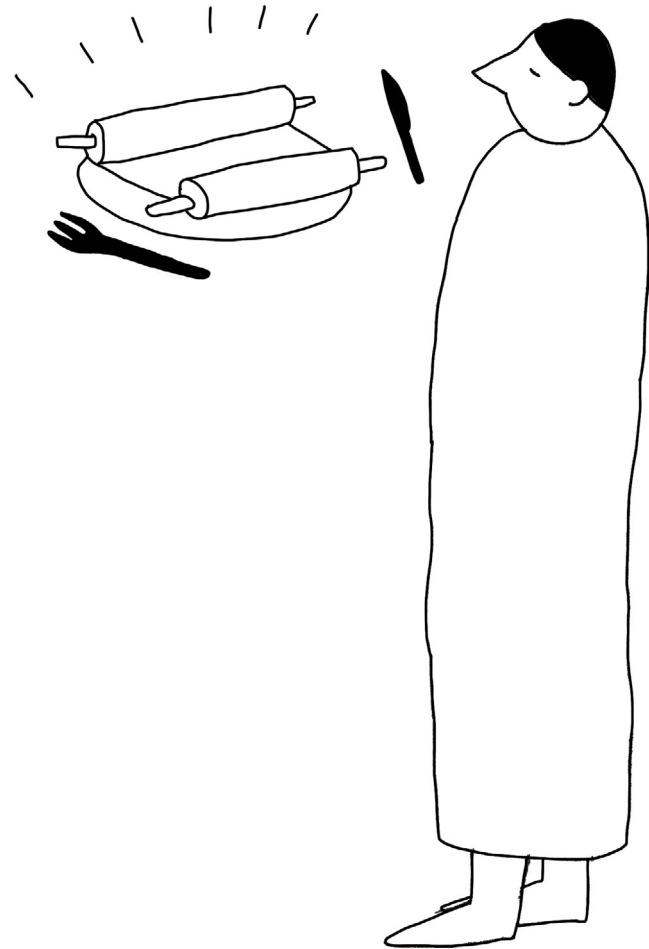
sometimes i lay down and
cry and imagine my bed
is god's hand

25:3:36



i have wished before to be
ezekiel and eat my homework

26:3:3



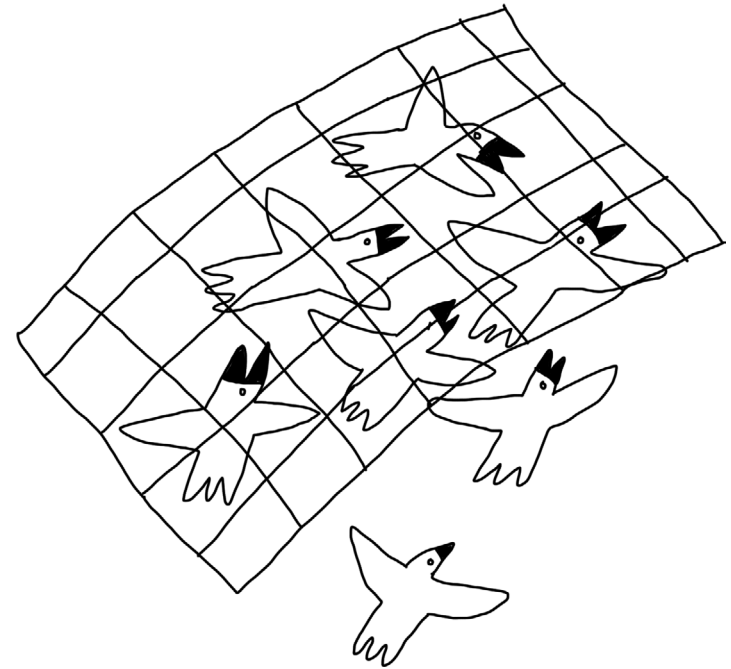
kind of a photobomb

27:3:25



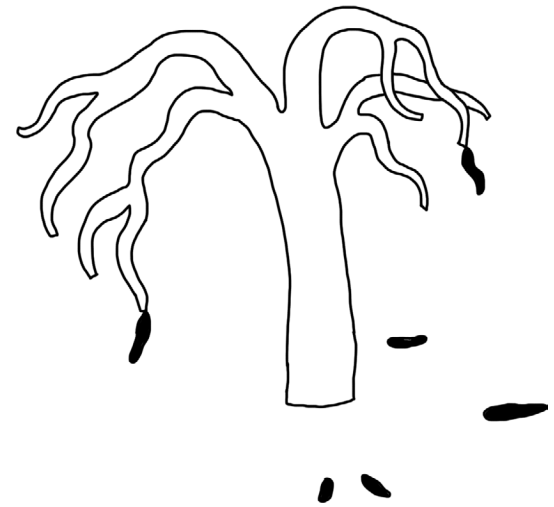
i'd rather chill by myself anyways

28:7:12



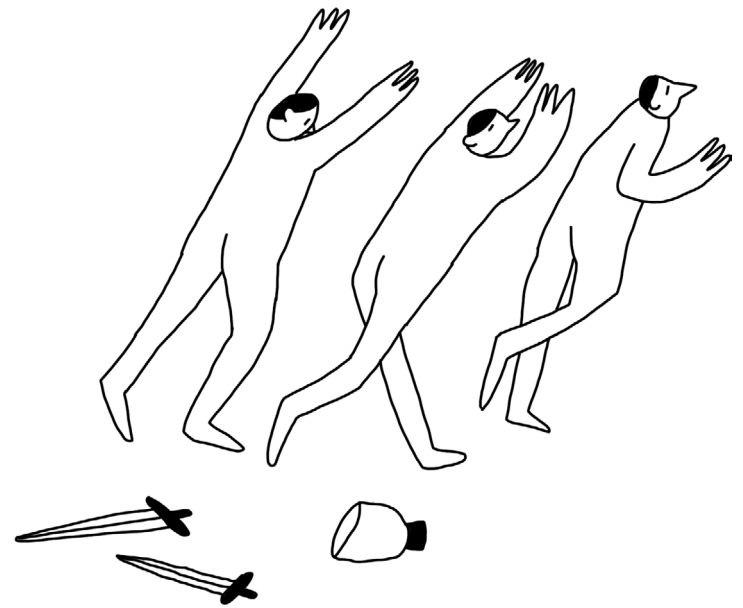
i'm so tired

29:1:12



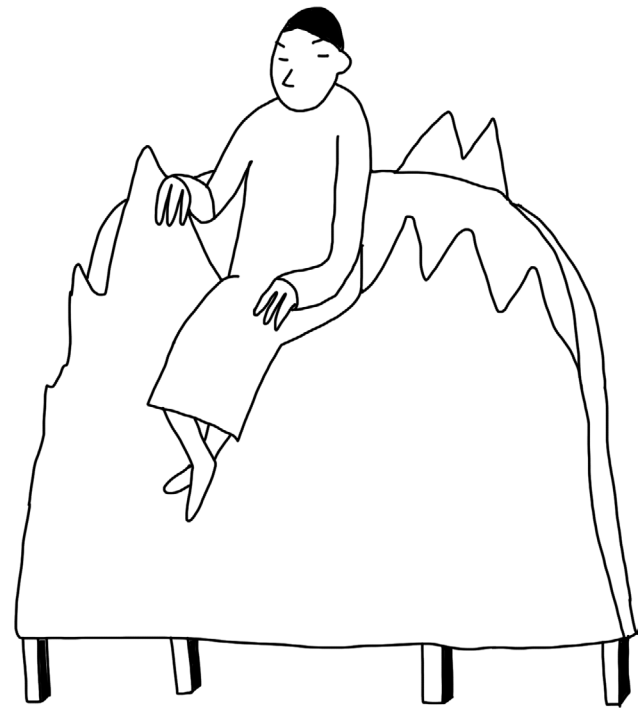
god knocked their socks,
robes, and swords off

30:2:16



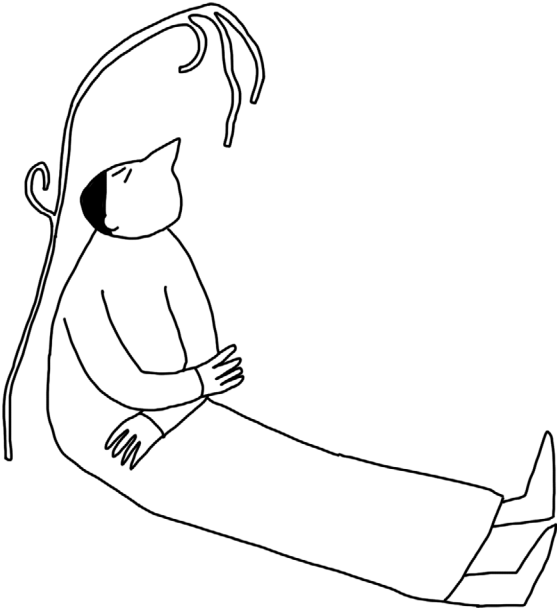
it will only get harder to tell
what's real (and reliable)

31:1:3



being grateful is so hard

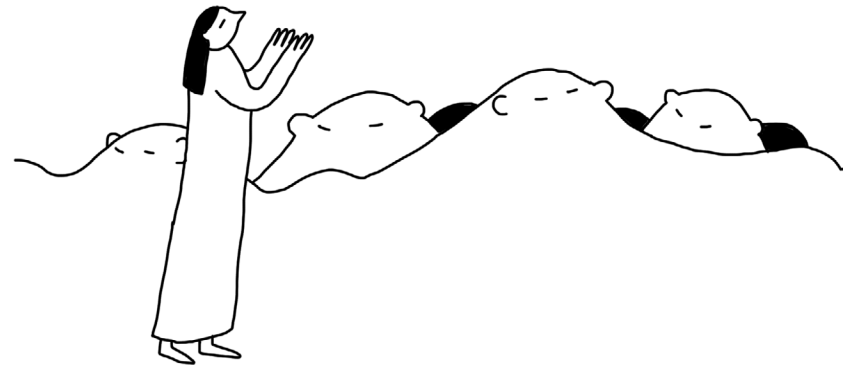
32:4:9



normally, it's: "the hills are
singing"

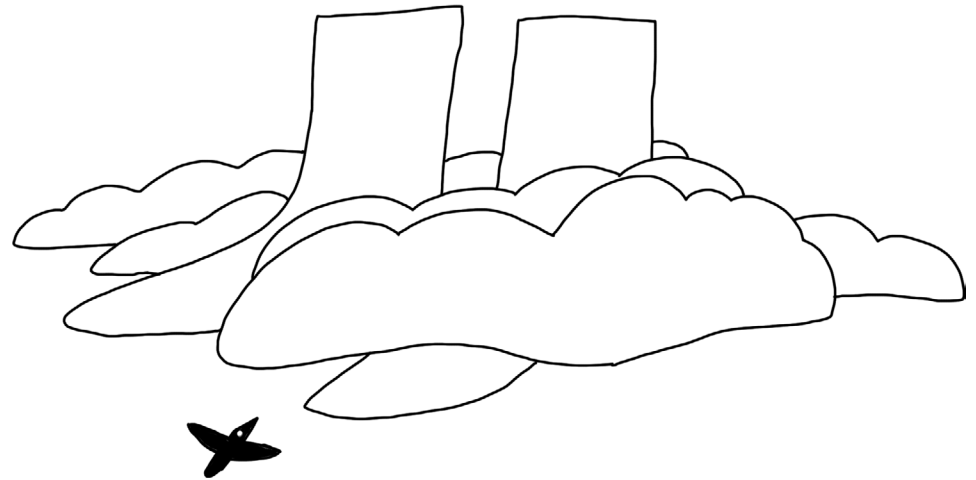
but i like listening

33:6:1



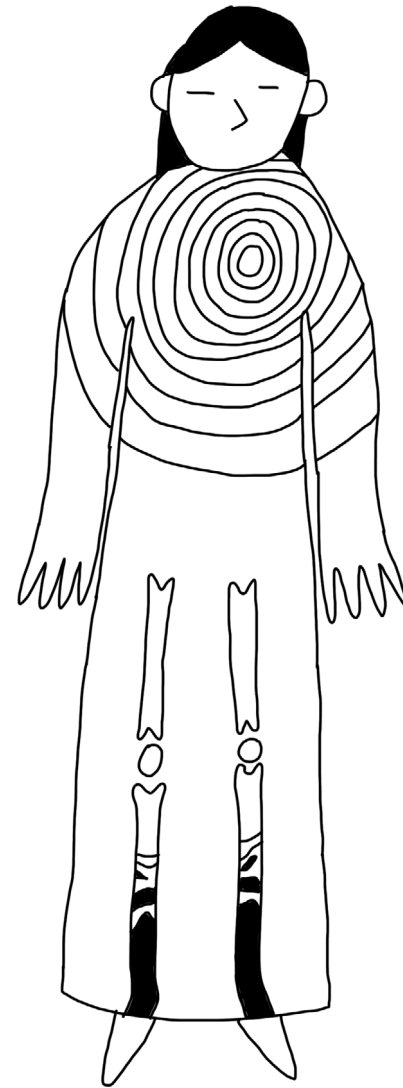
no wonder i stare at the
clouds so much

34:1:3



personal earthquake

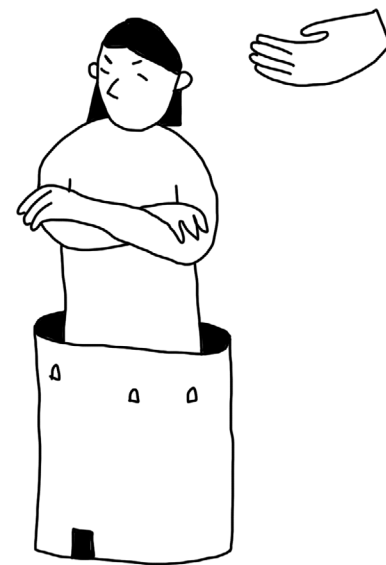
35:3:16



sometimes isreal

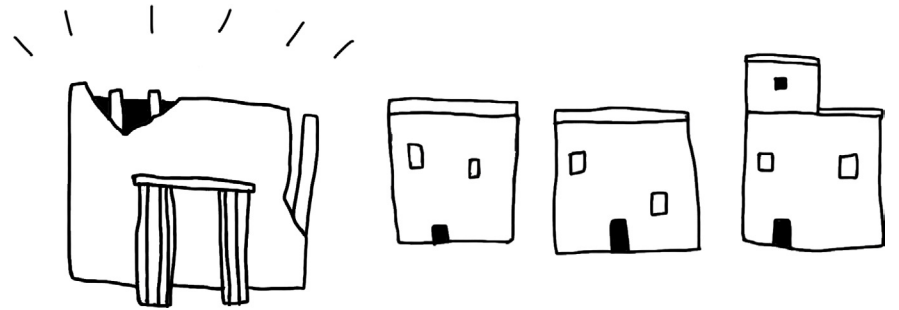
sometimes me

36:3:2



prioritize

37:1:9



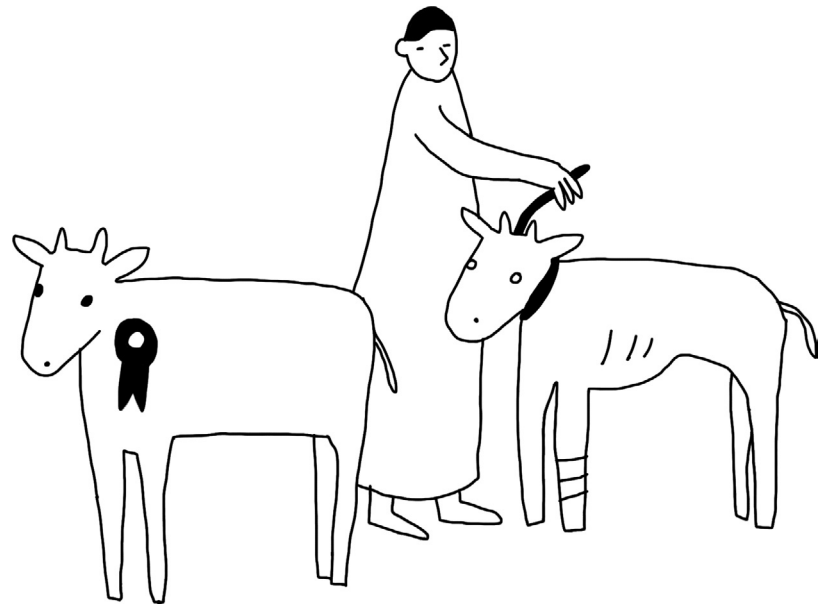
seven is also a sacred number

38:4:10



i hope it's the best i can do

39:1:14



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1:1:2 “Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.”

1:2:23 “This is now bone of my bone, flesh of my flesh”

1:8:6 “After forty days Noah opened the window he had made in the ark and sent out a raven, and it kept flying back and forth until the water had dried up from the earth.”

2:17:6 “I will stand there before you by the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it for the people to drink.”

3:5:15 “When a person commits a violation and sins unintentionally in regard to any of the Lord’s holy things, he is to bring to the Lord as a penalty a ram from the flock, one without defect and of proper value in silver.”

4:17:10 “Put back Aaron’s staff in the front of the testimony, to be kept as a sign to the rebellious. This will put an end to their grumbling against me, so that they will not die.”

5:11:18 “Fix these words of mine in your hearts and minds; tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads.”

6:2:9 “I know that the Lord has given this land to you and that a great fear of you has fallen on us, so that all who live in this country are melting in fear because of you.”

7:19:29 “When he reached home, he cut up his concubine, limb by limb, into twelve parts and sent them into all the areas of Isreal.”

8:1:16 “But Ruth replied, ‘Don’t urge me to leave you or to turn back from you. Where you go I will go, and where you stay I will stay. Your people are my people and your God my God.’”

9:18:9 “And from that time on Saul kept a jealous eye on David.”

10:6:16 “As the ark of the Lord was entering the City of David, Michal daughter of Saul watched from a window. And when she saw King David leaping and dancing before the Lord, she despised him in her heart.”

11:3:25 “He gave them an order: ‘Cut the living child in two and give half to one and half to the other.’”

12:4:10 “Let’s make a small room on the roof and put in it a bed and a table, a chair and a small lamp for him. Then he can stay there whenever he

comes to us.”

13:10:4 “Saul said to his armor-bearer, ‘Draw your sword and run me through, or these uncircumcised fellows will come abuse me.’ But his armor-bearer was terrified and would not do it; so Saul took his own sword and fell on it.”

14:4:3 “Below the rim, figures of bulls encircled it - ten to a cubit. The bulls were cast in two rows in one piece with the Sea.”

15:9:3 “When I heard this, I tore my tunic and cloak, pulled hair from my head and beard and sat down appalled.”

16:9:3 “They stood where they were and read from the Book of the Law of the Lord their God for a quarter of the day, and spent another quarter in confession and in worshipping the Lord.”

17:2:17 “Now the king was attracted to Esther more than to any of the other women, and she won his favor and approval more than any of the other virgins. So he set a royal crown upon her head and made her queen instead of Vashti.”

18:1:10 “But stretch out your hand and strike everything he has, and he will surely curse you to your face.”

19:42:3 “My tears have been my food, day and night, while men say to me all day long, ‘Where is your God?’”

19:97:5 “The mountains will melt like wax before the Lord, before the Lord of all the earth.”

20:17:1 “Better a dry crust with peace and quiet than a house full of feasting, with strife.”

21:7:6 “Like the crackling of thorns under the pot, so is the laughter of fools. This too is meaningless.”

22:4:1 “How beautiful you are, my darling! Oh, how beautiful! Your eyes behind your veil are doves, Your hair is like a flock of goats descending from Mount Gilead.”

23:40:12 “Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand, or with the breadth of his hand marked off the heavens? Who has held the dust of the earth in a basket, or weighed the mountains on scales and hills in a balance?”

24:5:14 “Therefore this is what the Lord God Almighty says: ‘Because the people have spoken these words, I will make my words in your mouth a fire and these people the wood it consumes’”

25:3:32 “Though he brings grief, he will show compassion, so great is his unfailing love.”

26:3:3 “Then he said to me, “Son of man, eat this scroll I am giving you and fill your stomach with it.’ So I ate it, and it tasted as sweet as honey in my mouth.”

27:3:25 “He said ‘Look! I see four men walking around in the fire, unbound and unharmed, and the fourth looks like a son of the gods.’”

28:7:12 “When they go, I will throw my net over them; I will pull them down like birds of the air. When I hear them flocking together, I will catch them.”

29:1:12 “The vine is dried up and the fig tree is withered; the pomegranate, the palm and the apple tree- all the trees of the field - are dried up. Surely the joy of mankind is withered away.”

30:2:16 “Even the bravest warriors will flee naked on that day.”

31:1:3 “The pride of your heart has deceived you, you who live in the clefts of the rocks and make your home on the heights, you who say to yourself, ‘Who can bring me down to the ground?’

32:4:9 “But God said to Jonah, ‘Do you have a right to be angry about the vine?’”

33:6:1 “Stand up, plead your case before the mountains; let the hills hear what you have to say.”

34:1:3 “The Lord is slow to anger and great in power; the Lord will not leave the guilty unpunished. His way is in the whirlwind of the storm, and clouds are the dust of his feet.”

35:3:16 “I heard and my heart pounded, my lips quivered at the sound; decay crept into my bones, and my legs trembled.”

36:3:2 “She obeys no one, she accepts no correction. She does not trust in the Lord, she does not draw near to her God.”

37:1:9 “You expected much, but see, it turned out to be little. What you brought home, I blew away. Why?’ declares the Lord. ‘Because of my house, which remains a ruin, while each of you is busy with his own house.’”

38:4:10 “(These seven are the eyes of the Lord, which range throughout the earth.)”

39:1:14 “‘Cursed is the cheat who has an acceptable male in his flock and vows to give it, but then

sacrifices a blemished animal to the Lord. For I am a great king,' says the Lord Almighty, 'and my name is to be feared among the nations.'"

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