

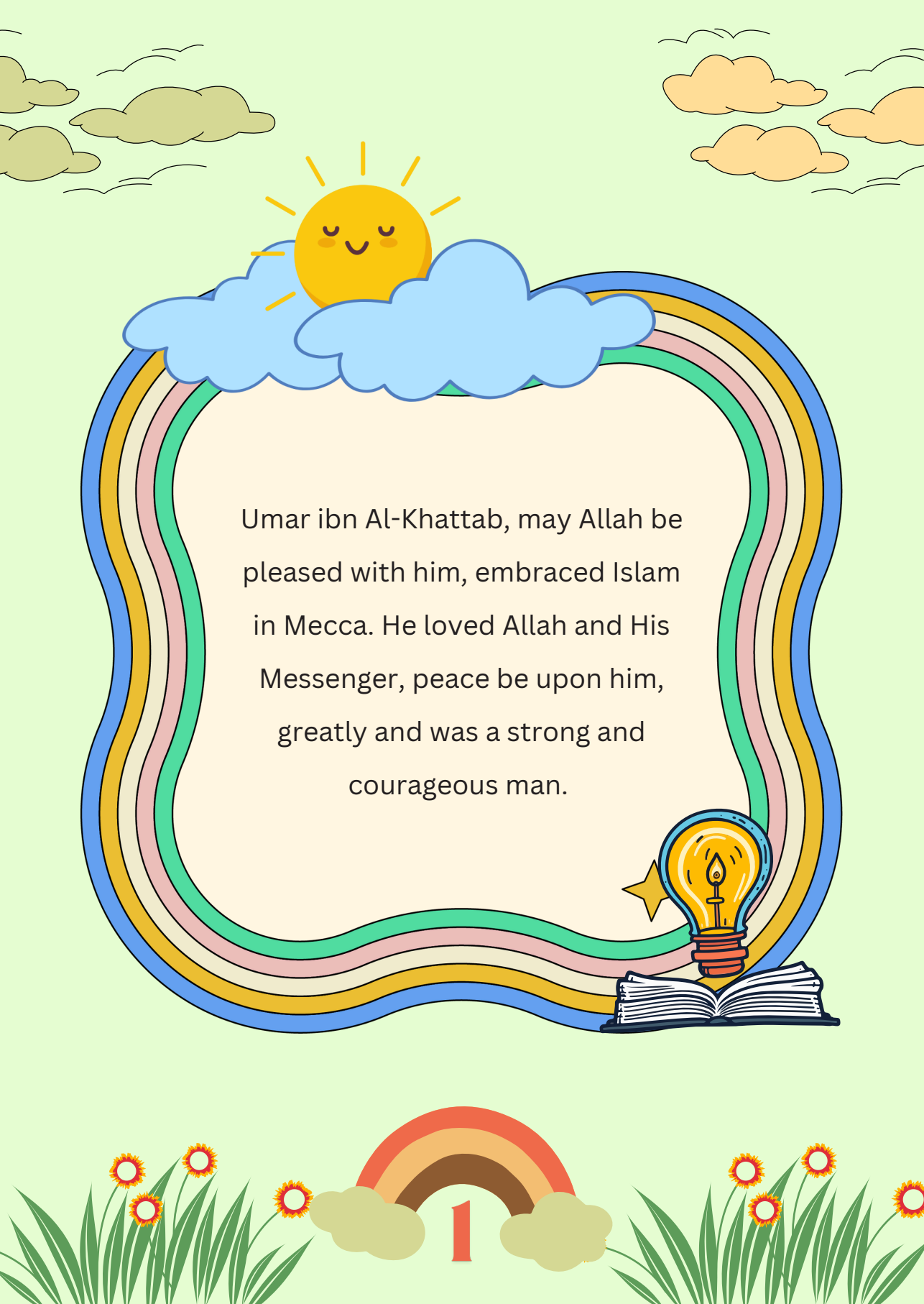
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UMAR IBN AL-KHATTAB

THE SECOND RIGHTLY GUIDED CALIPH
MAY ALLAH BE PLEASED WITH HIM

STORIES OF ROLE MODELS
PRELIMINARY LEVEL

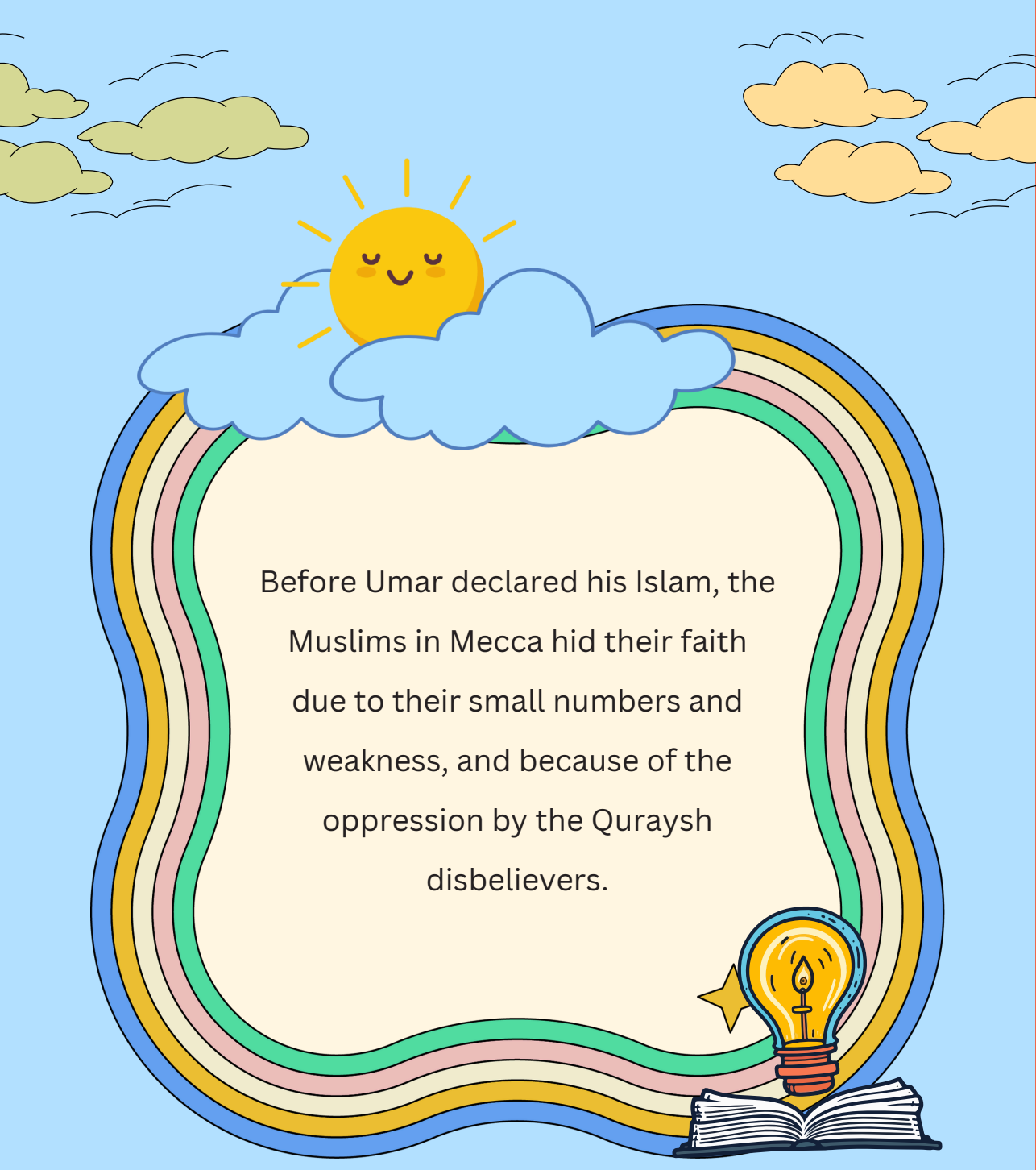




Umar ibn Al-Khattab, may Allah be pleased with him, embraced Islam in Mecca. He loved Allah and His Messenger, peace be upon him, greatly and was a strong and courageous man.

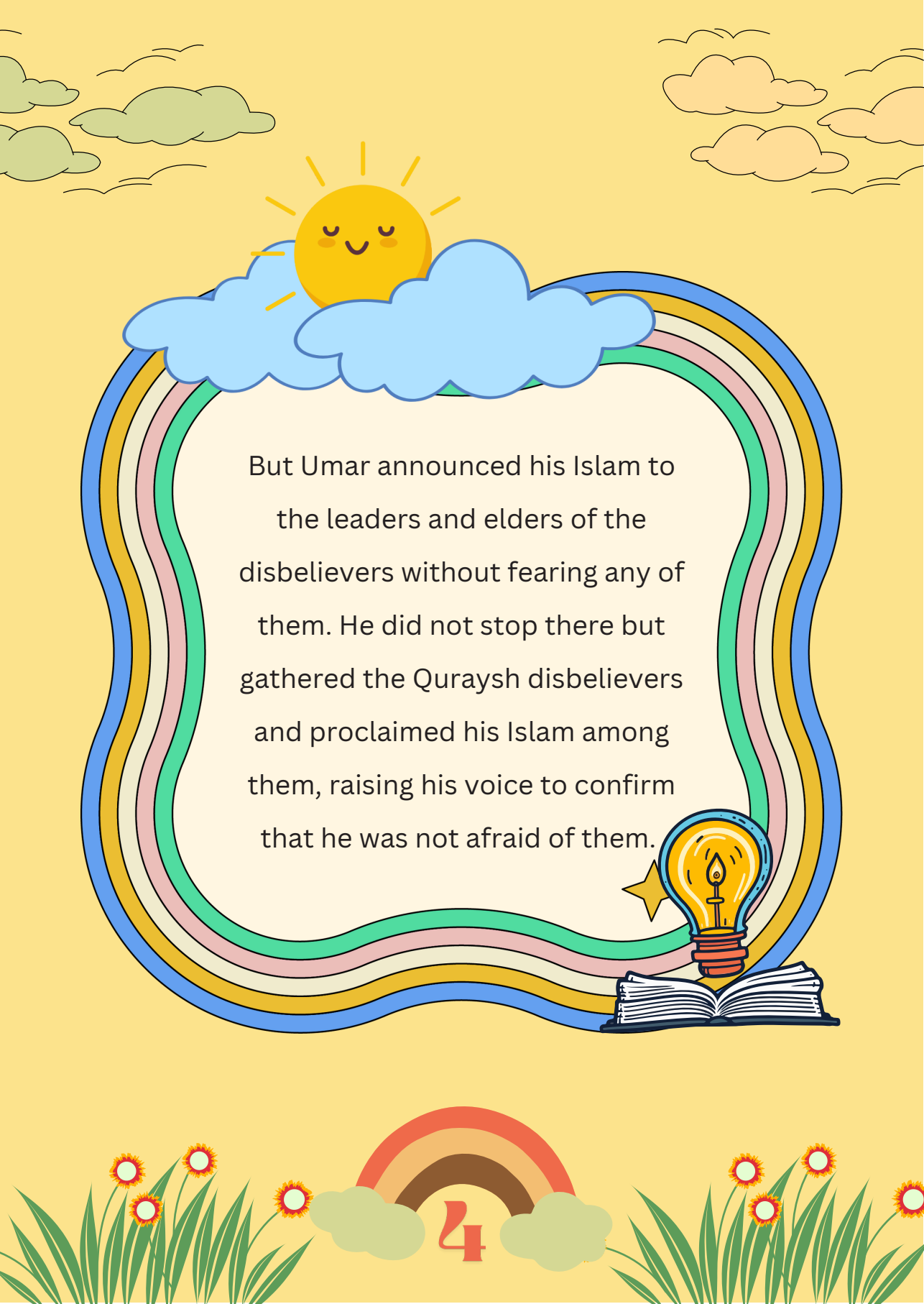


Through him, Allah strengthened
Islam and the Muslims, causing the
disbelievers of Quraysh to fear him.



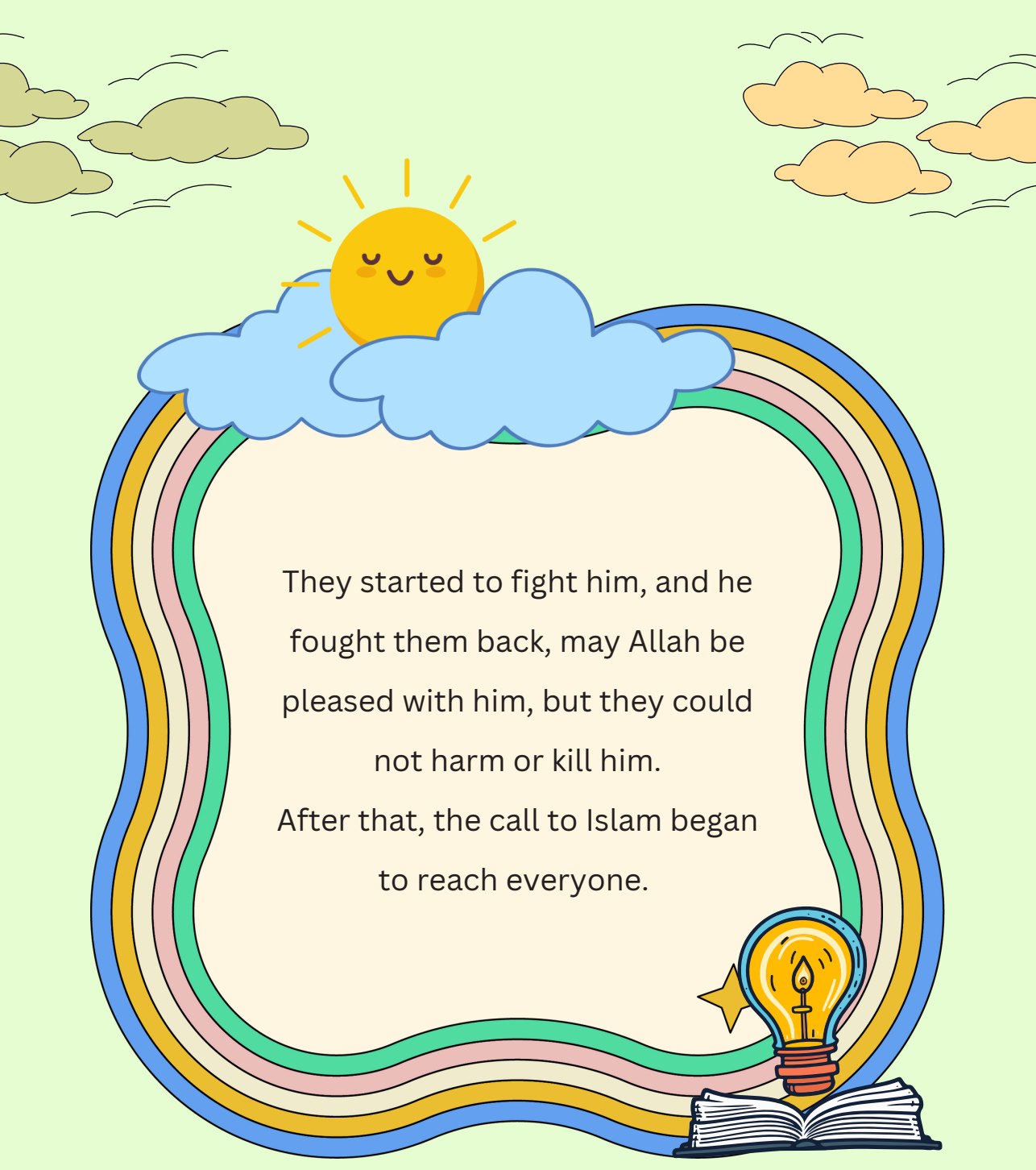
Before Umar declared his Islam, the Muslims in Mecca hid their faith due to their small numbers and weakness, and because of the oppression by the Quraysh disbelievers.






But Umar announced his Islam to the leaders and elders of the disbelievers without fearing any of them. He did not stop there but gathered the Quraysh disbelievers and proclaimed his Islam among them, raising his voice to confirm that he was not afraid of them.

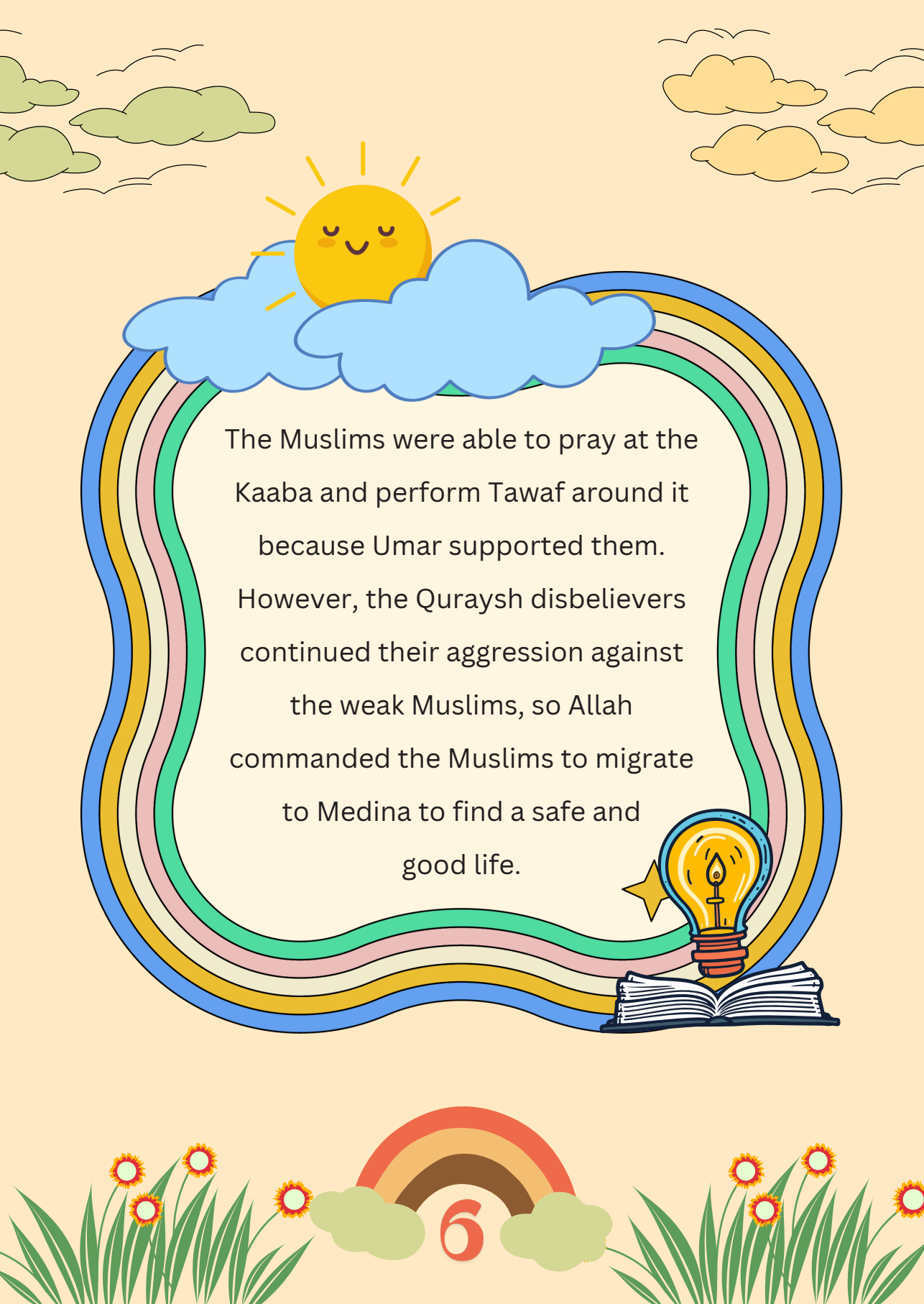




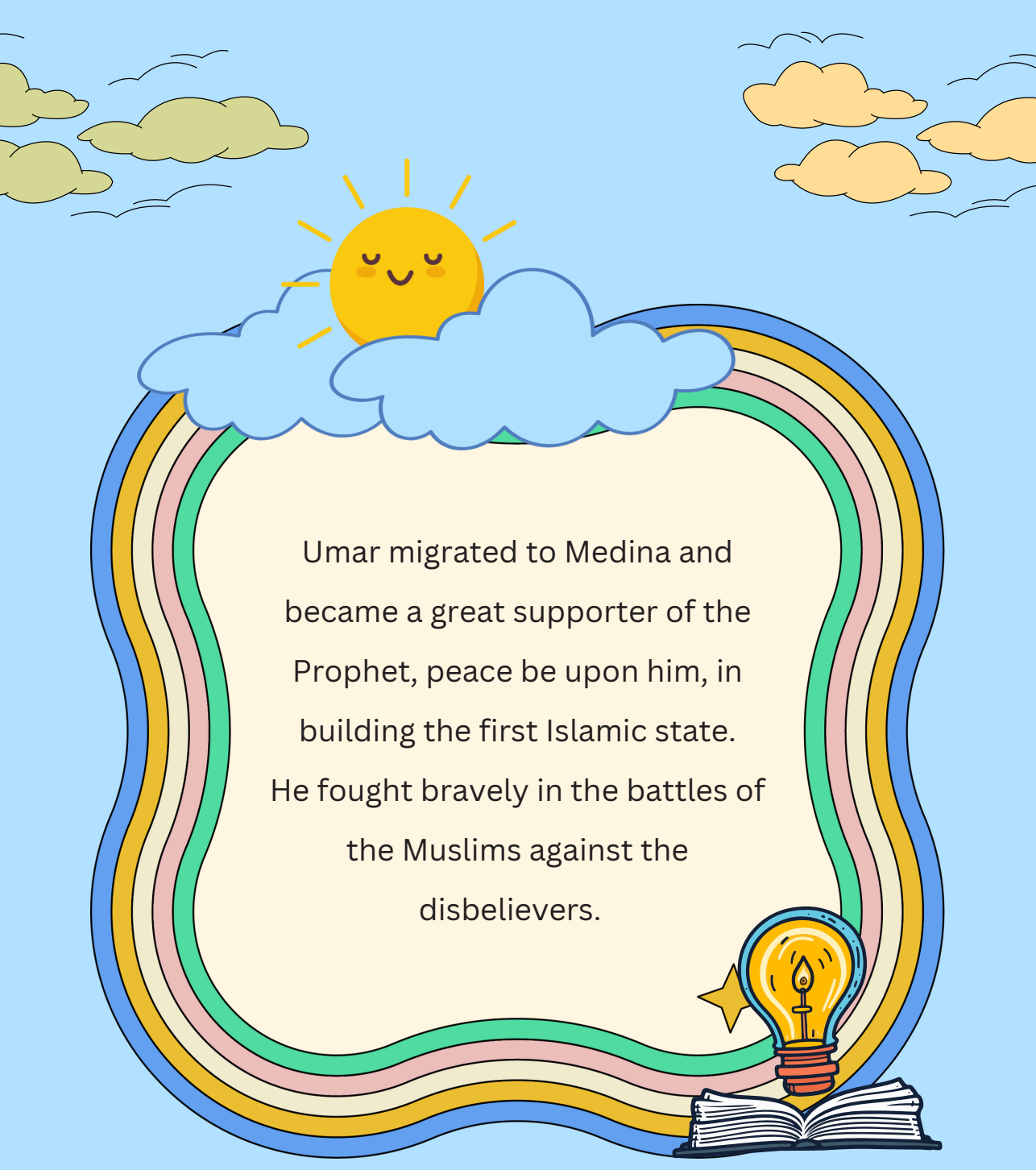
They started to fight him, and he fought them back, may Allah be pleased with him, but they could not harm or kill him.

After that, the call to Islam began to reach everyone.






The Muslims were able to pray at the Kaaba and perform Tawaf around it because Umar supported them. However, the Quraysh disbelievers continued their aggression against the weak Muslims, so Allah commanded the Muslims to migrate to Medina to find a safe and good life.

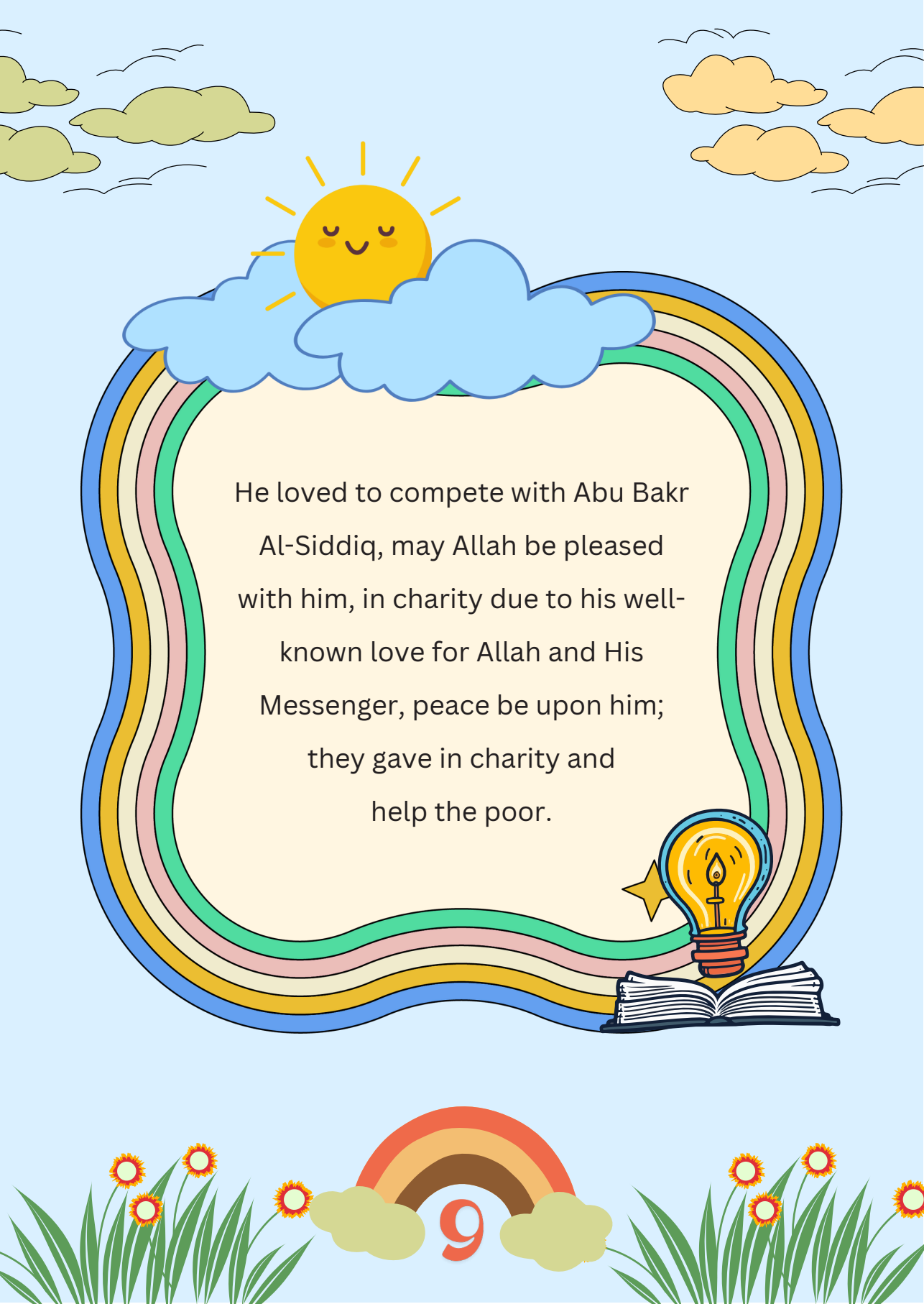


Umar migrated to Medina and became a great supporter of the Prophet, peace be upon him, in building the first Islamic state. He fought bravely in the battles of the Muslims against the disbelievers.

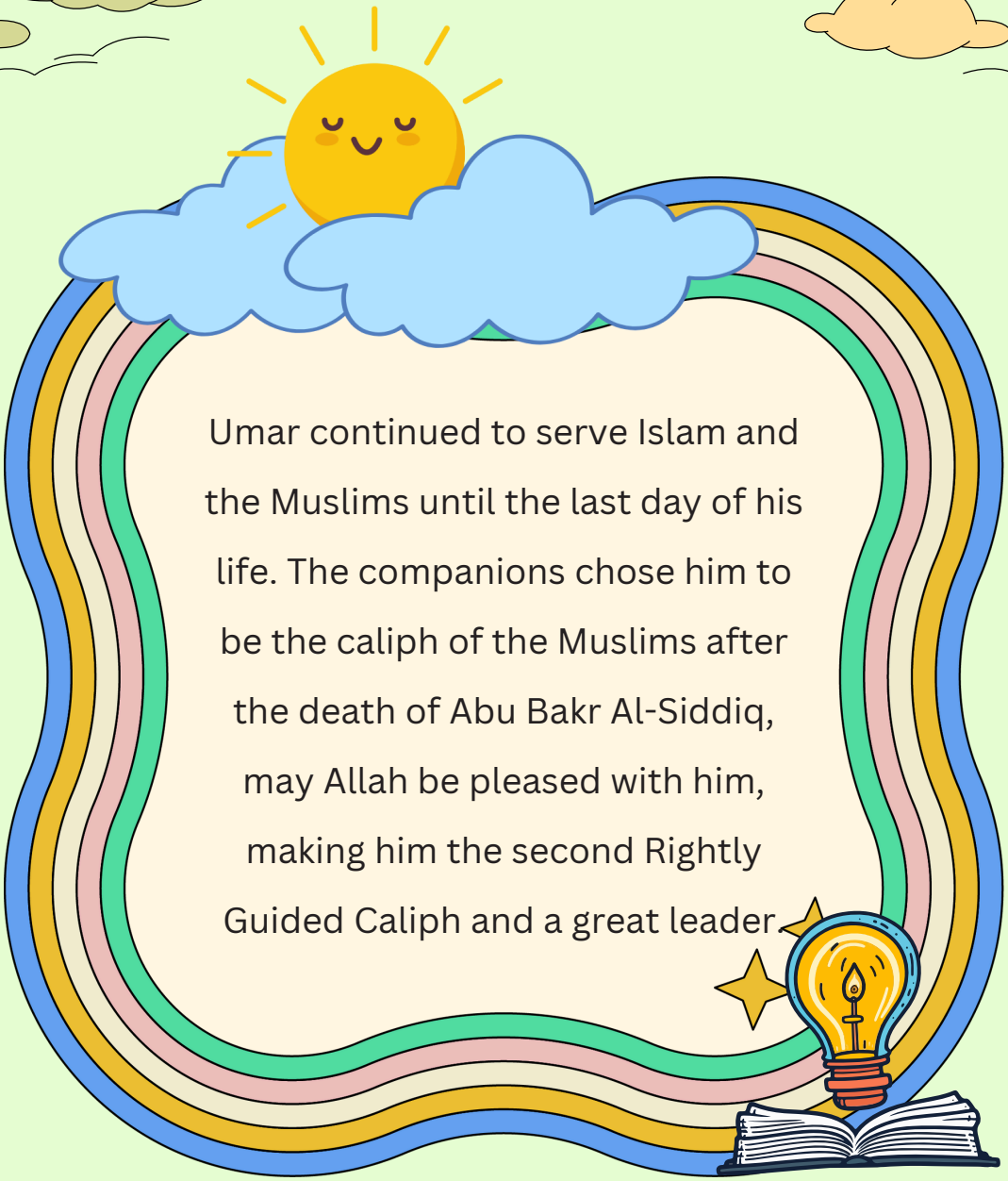




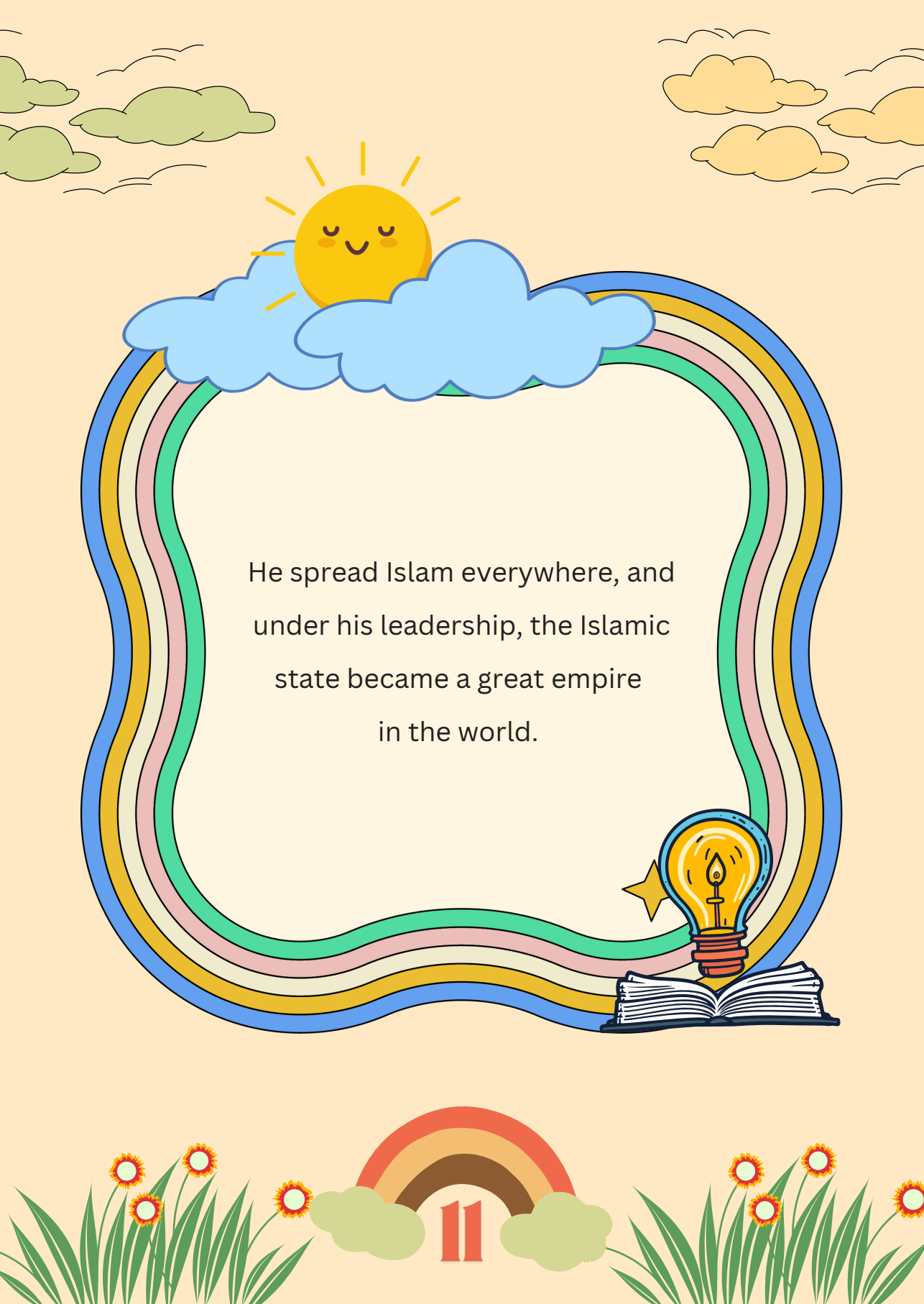
He loved competing in good deeds,
taking part in every righteous act to
earn Allah's reward.



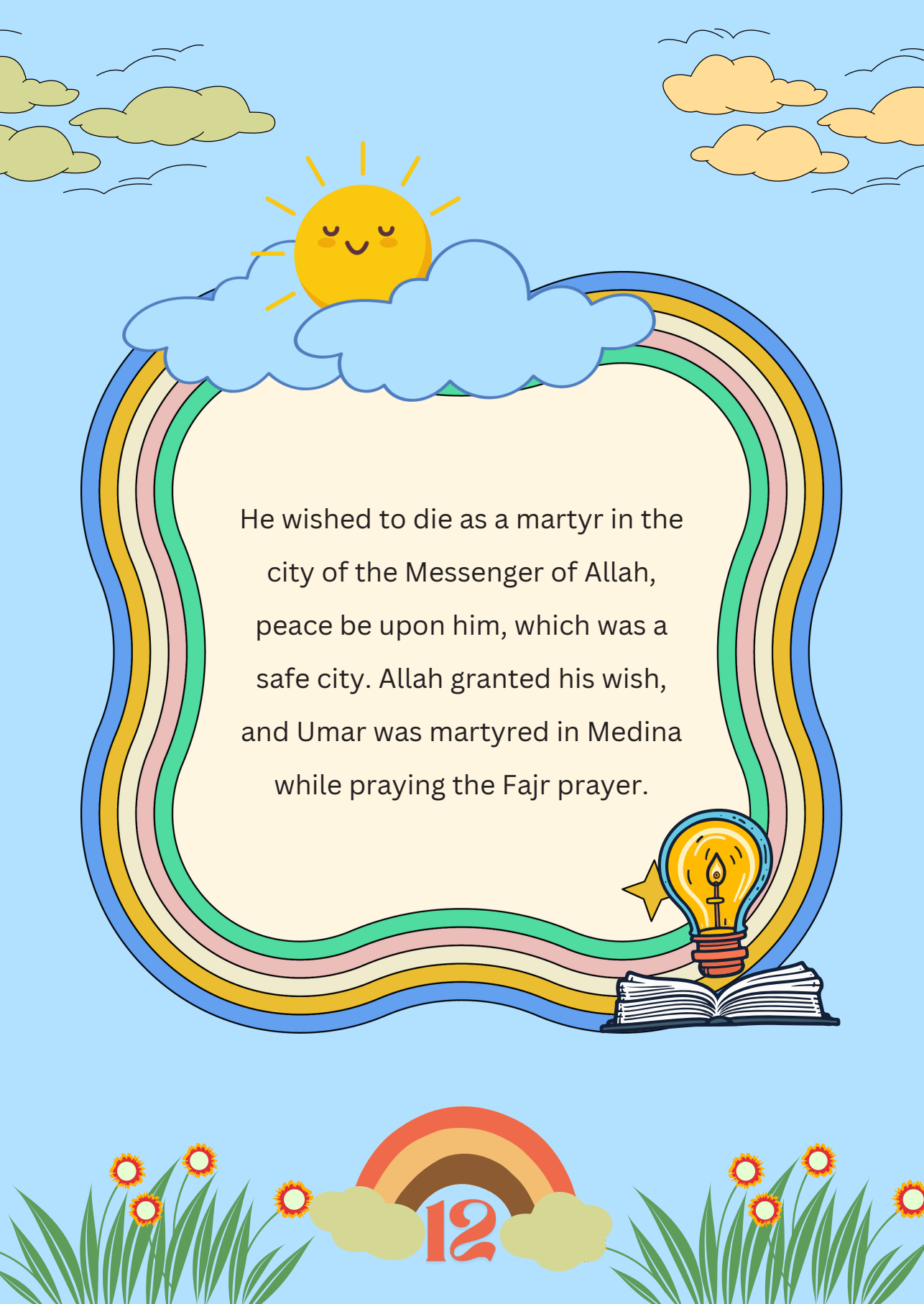
He loved to compete with Abu Bakr
Al-Siddiq, may Allah be pleased
with him, in charity due to his well-
known love for Allah and His
Messenger, peace be upon him;
they gave in charity and
help the poor.



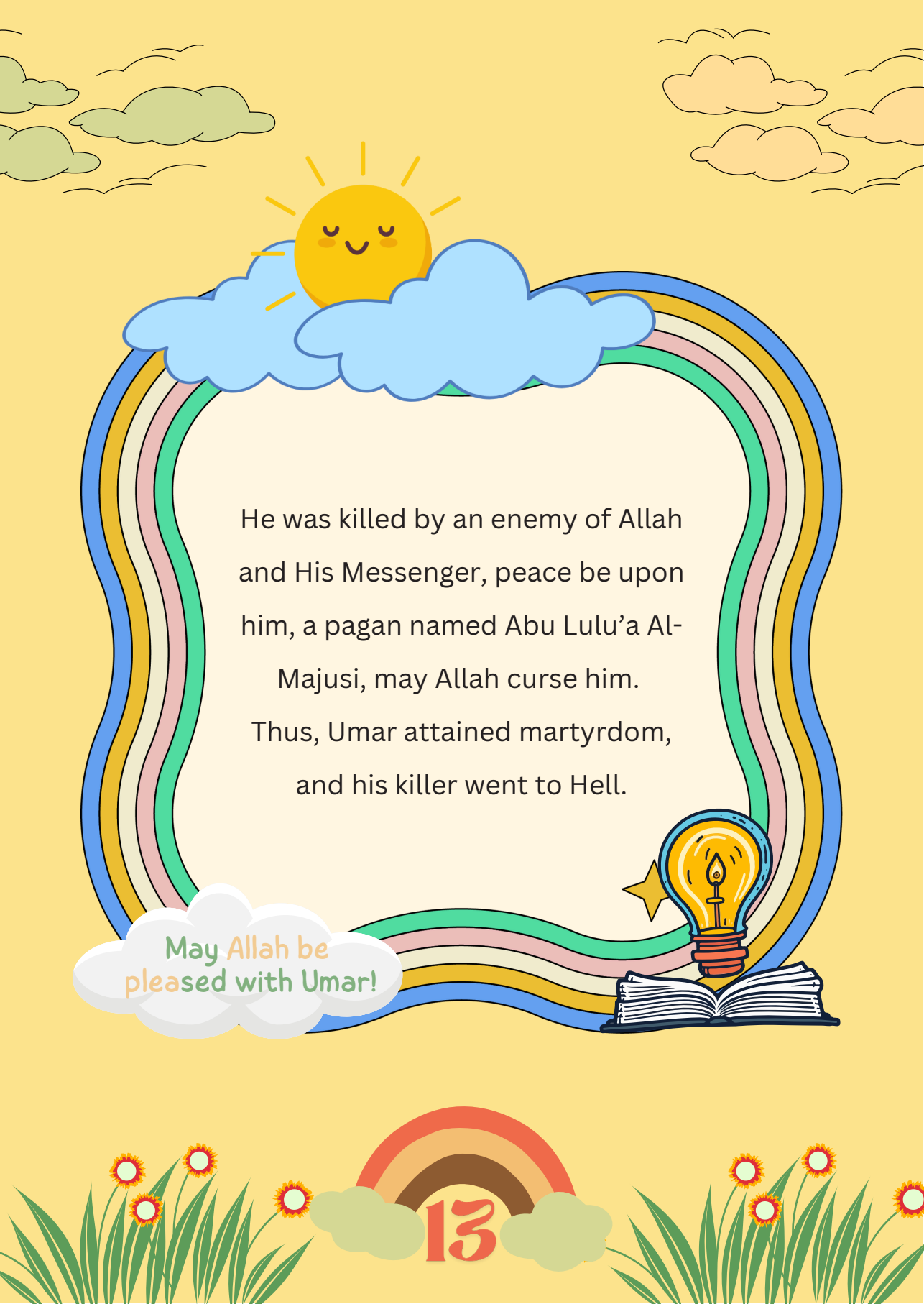
Umar continued to serve Islam and the Muslims until the last day of his life. The companions chose him to be the caliph of the Muslims after the death of Abu Bakr Al-Siddiq, may Allah be pleased with him, making him the second Rightly Guided Caliph and a great leader



He spread Islam everywhere, and
under his leadership, the Islamic
state became a great empire
in the world.



He wished to die as a martyr in the city of the Messenger of Allah, peace be upon him, which was a safe city. Allah granted his wish, and Umar was martyred in Medina while praying the Fajr prayer.



He was killed by an enemy of Allah
and His Messenger, peace be upon
him, a pagan named Abu Lulu'a Al-
Majusi, may Allah curse him.
Thus, Umar attained martyrdom,
and his killer went to Hell.

May Allah be
pleased with Umar!

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Stories of Role Models
(Preliminary Level)

