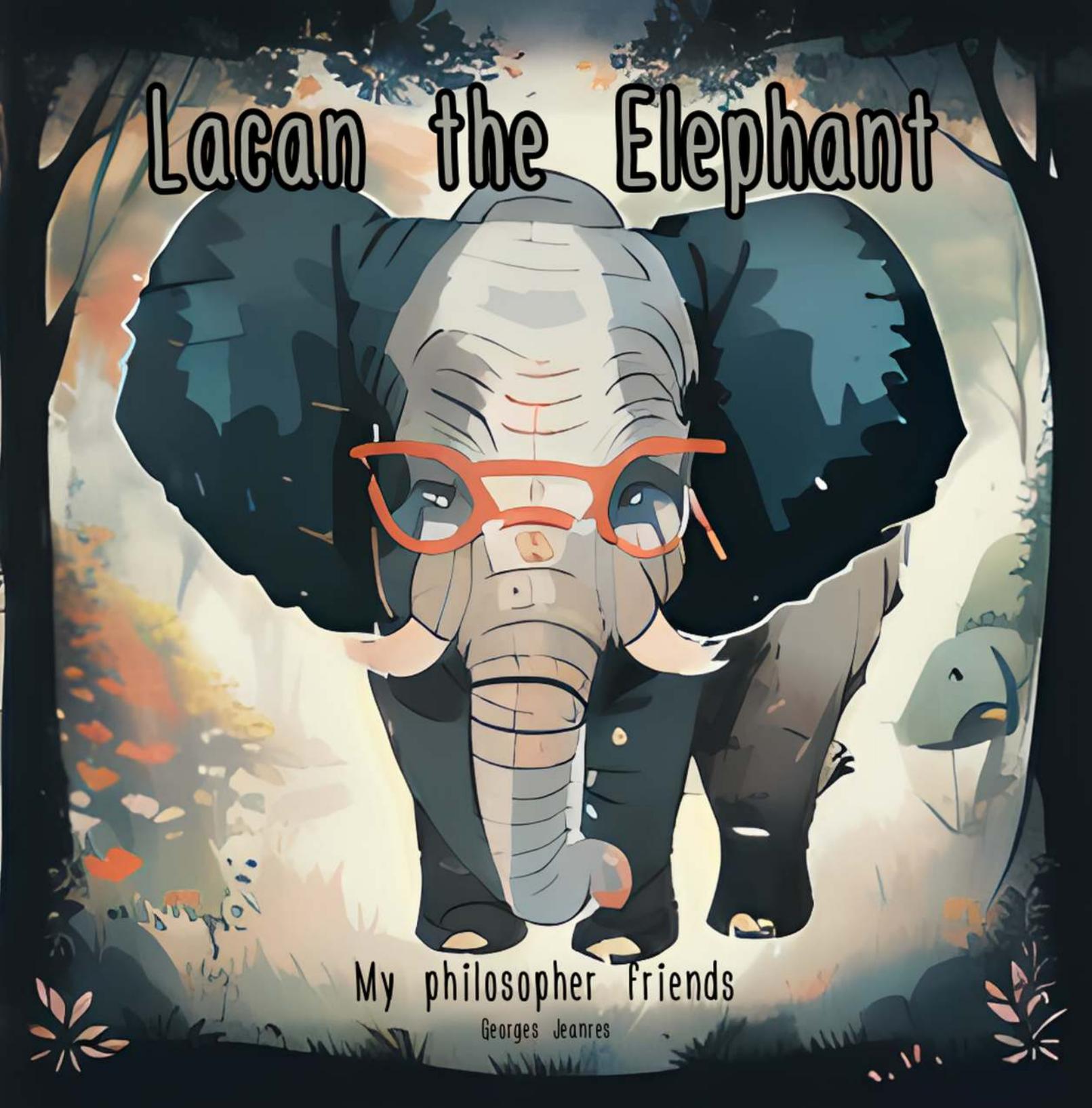


Lacan the Elephant



My philosopher friends

Georges Jeanres



A colorful, stylized illustration of a forest scene. In the background, a large, light-colored elephant is walking away from the viewer. In the foreground, a small blue bird is perched on a branch. The background features various trees and foliage in shades of green, yellow, and orange.

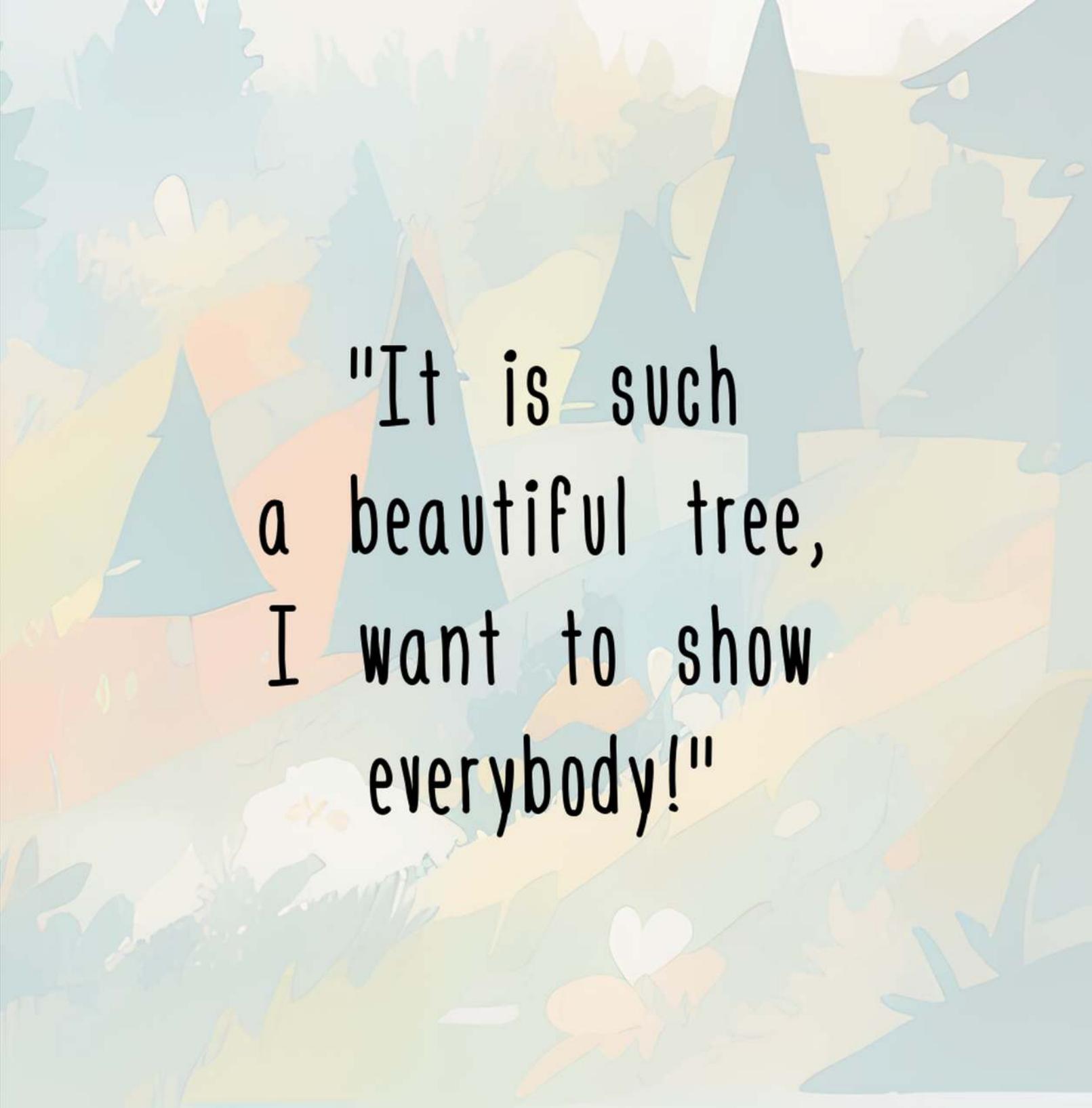
Lacan the Elephant
strolls along so elegant.

A colorful, abstract illustration of a forest scene. The background is filled with stylized trees and foliage in shades of orange, yellow, green, and blue. In the center-left, there's a cluster of trees with large, textured orange and yellow leaves. To the right, several tall, dark blue-grey coniferous trees stand against a lighter sky. The overall style is soft and painterly.

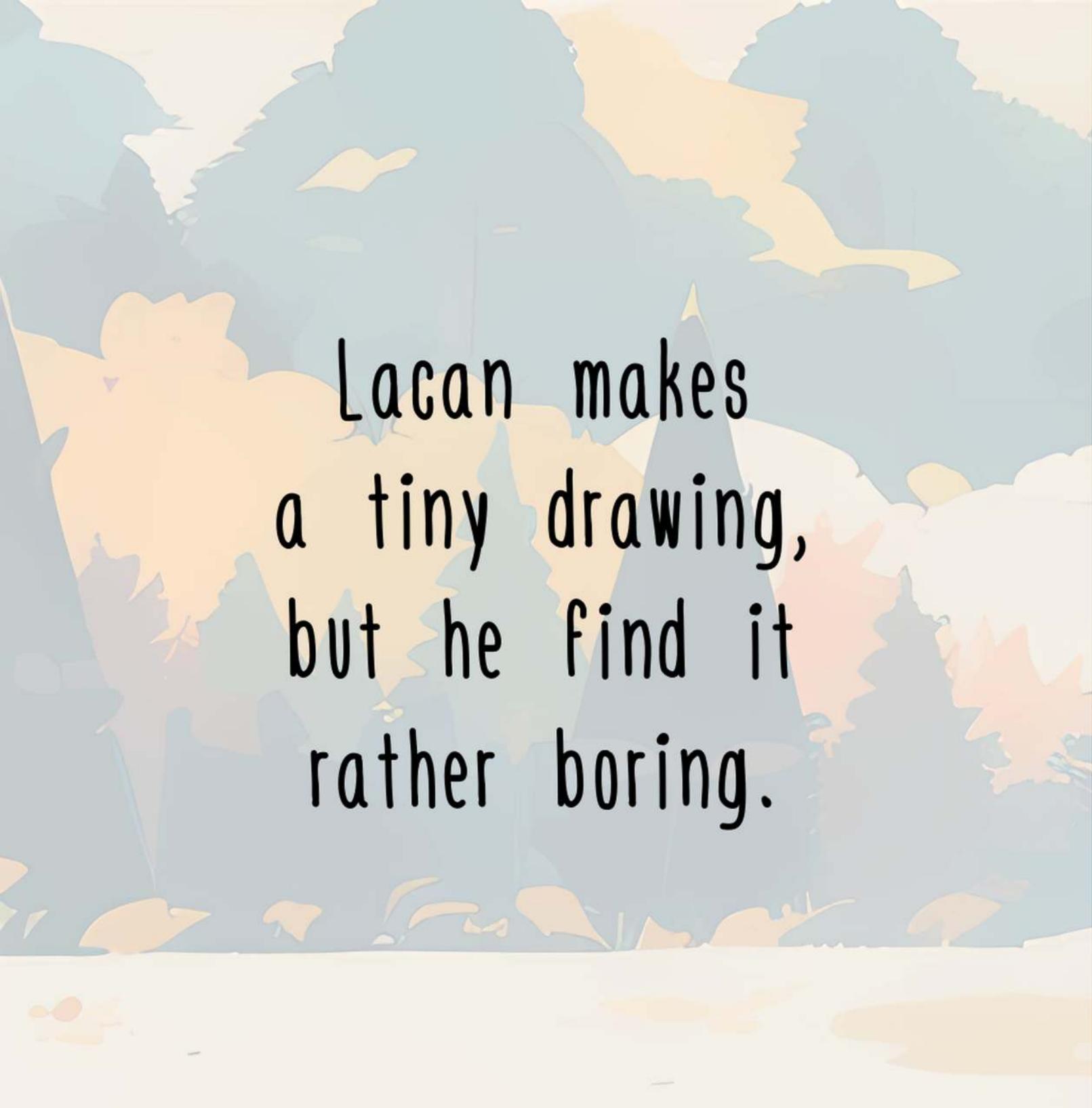
In a corner of the wood
he spots a tree
that's looking good.







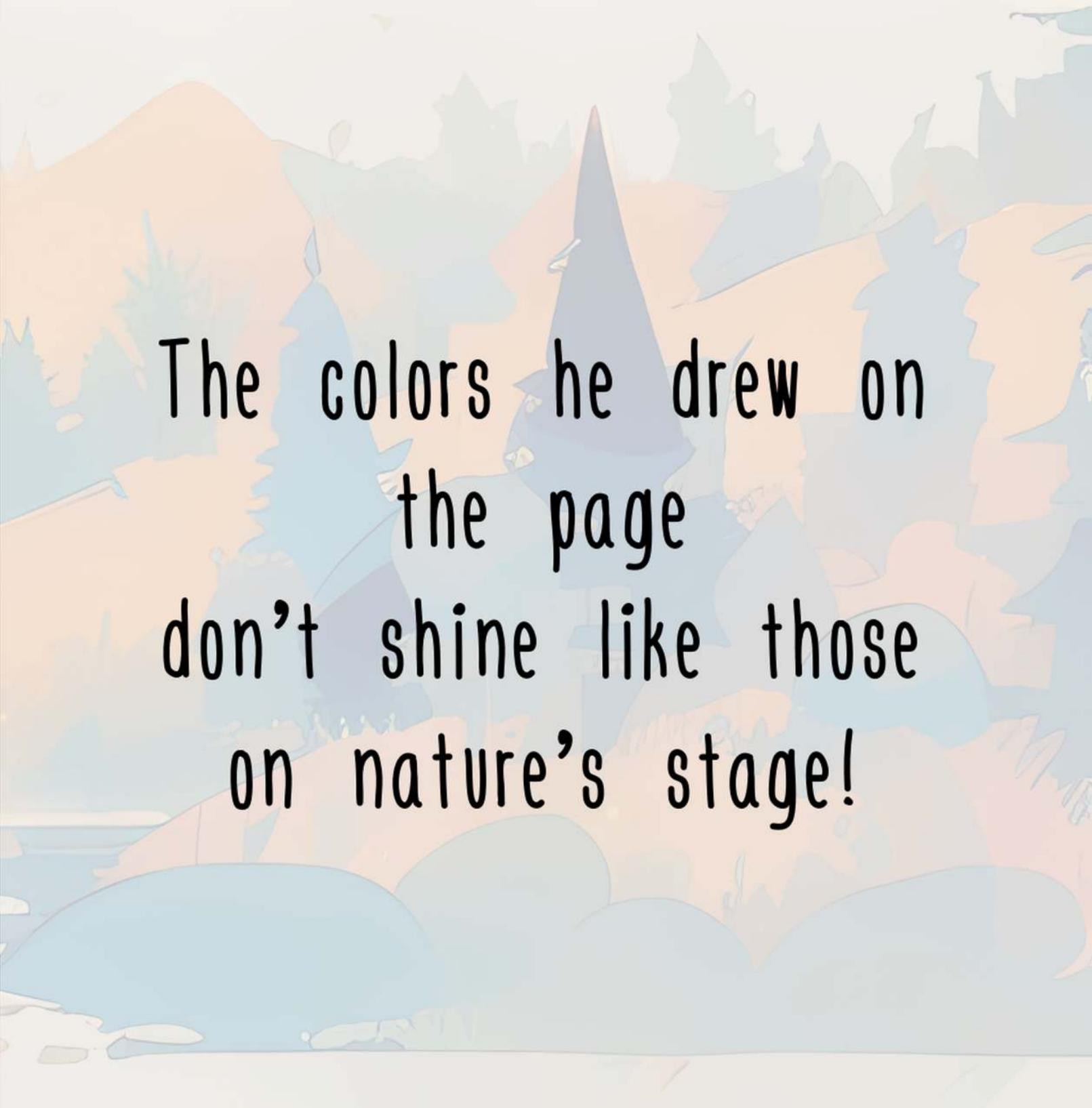
"It is such
a beautiful tree,
I want to show
everybody!"



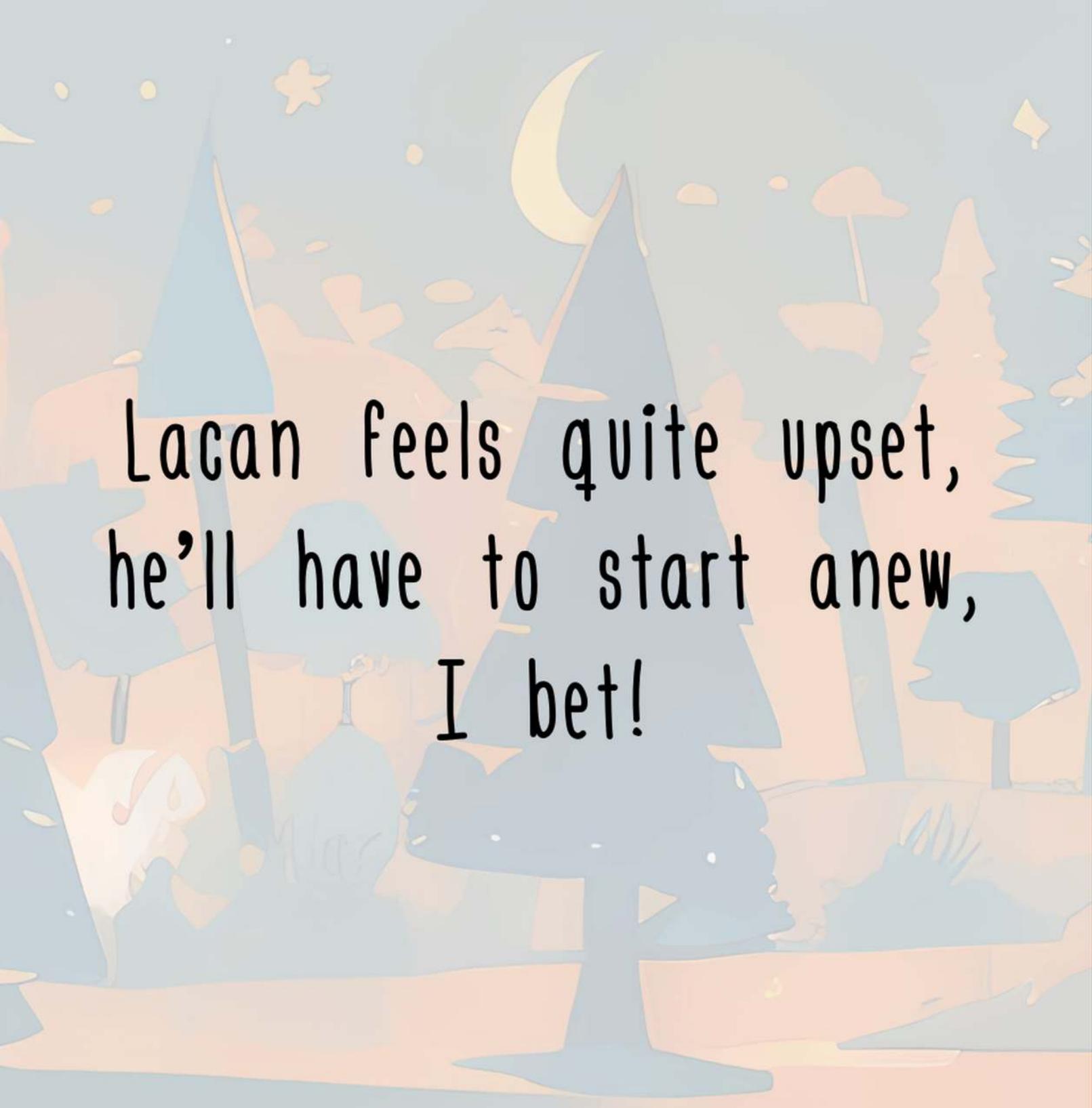
Lacan makes
a tiny drawing,
but he find it
rather boring.







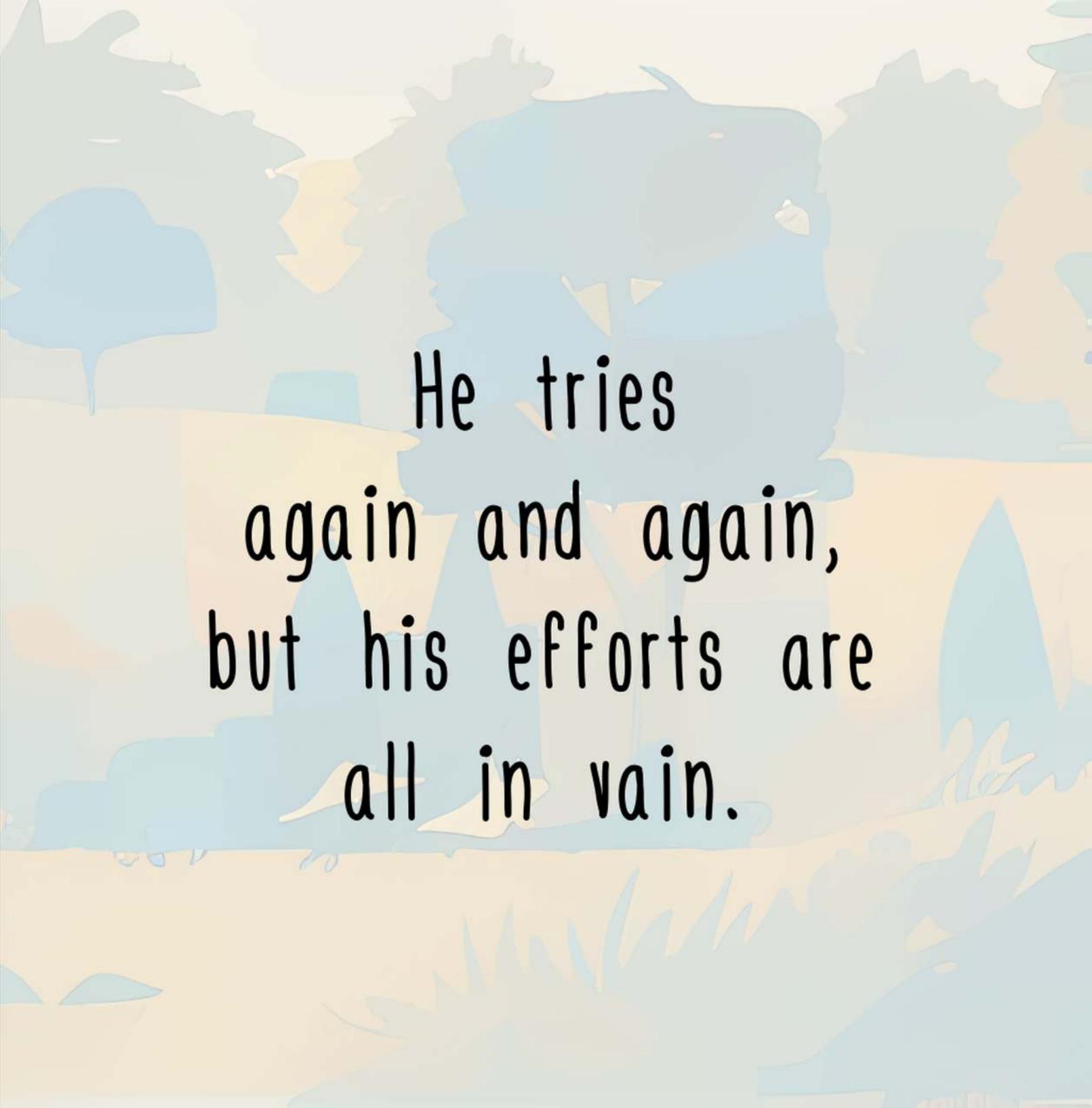
The colors he drew on
the page
don't shine like those
on nature's stage!



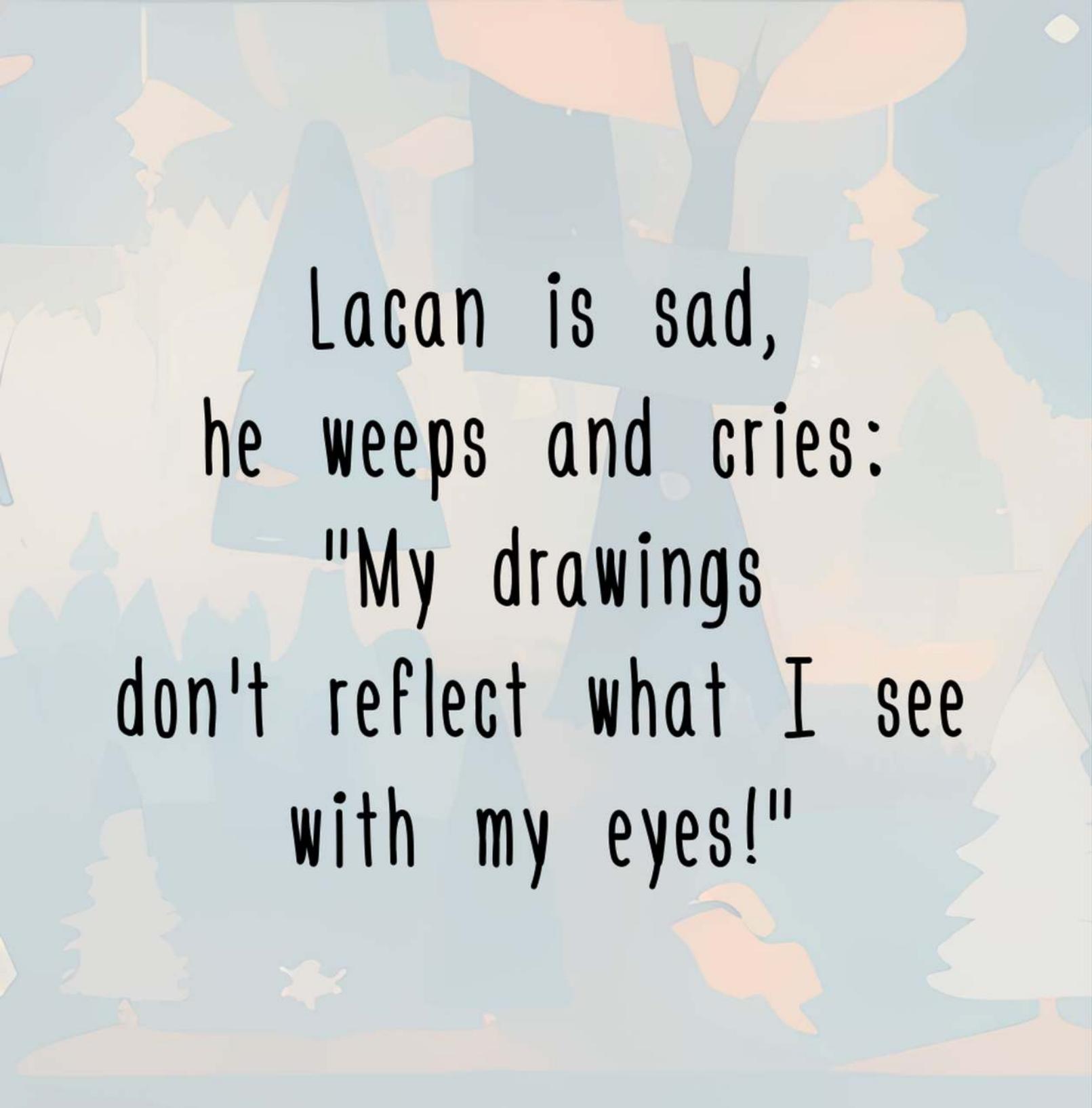
Lacan feels quite upset,
he'll have to start anew,
I bet!







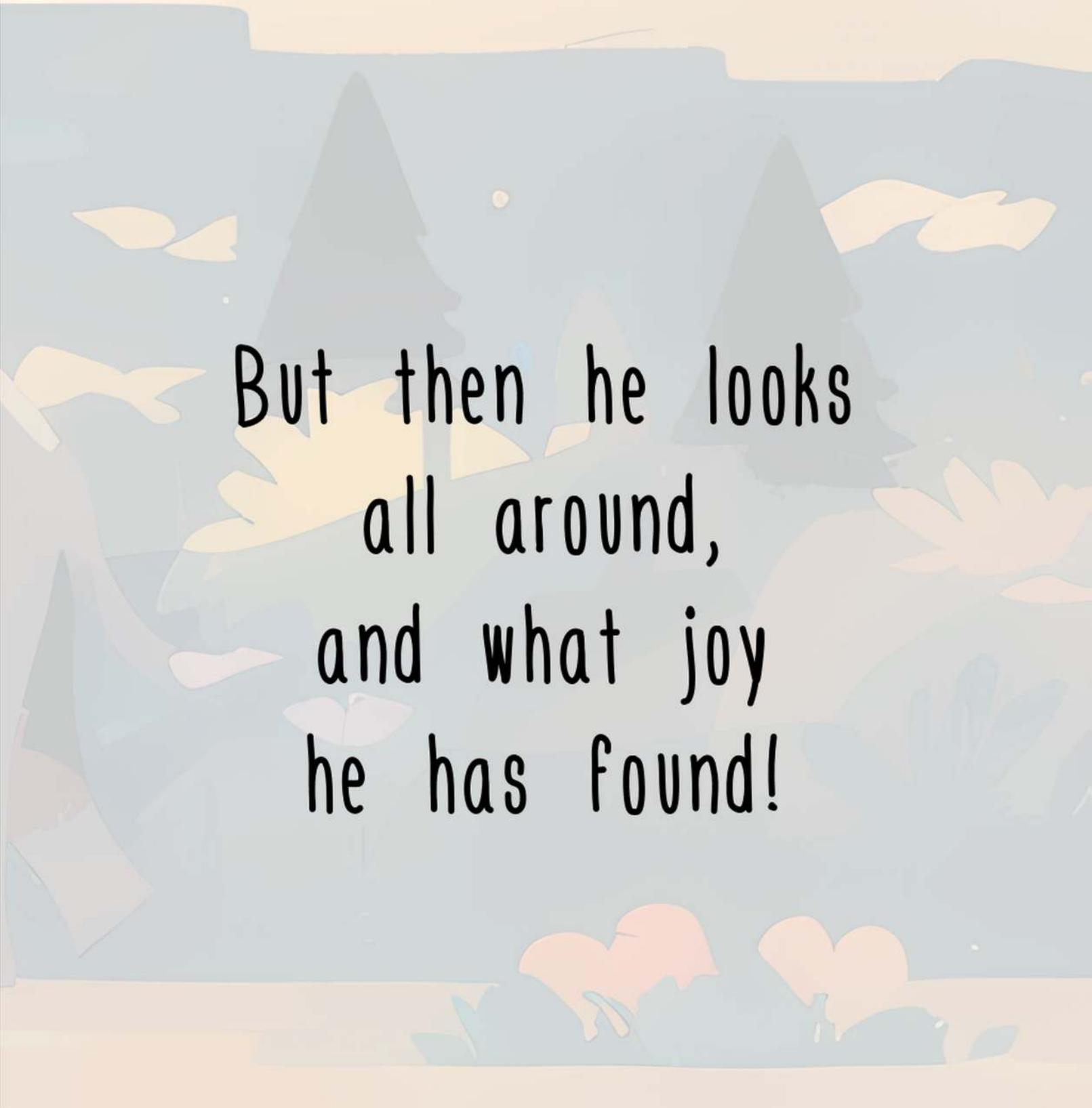
He tries
again and again,
but his efforts are
all in vain.



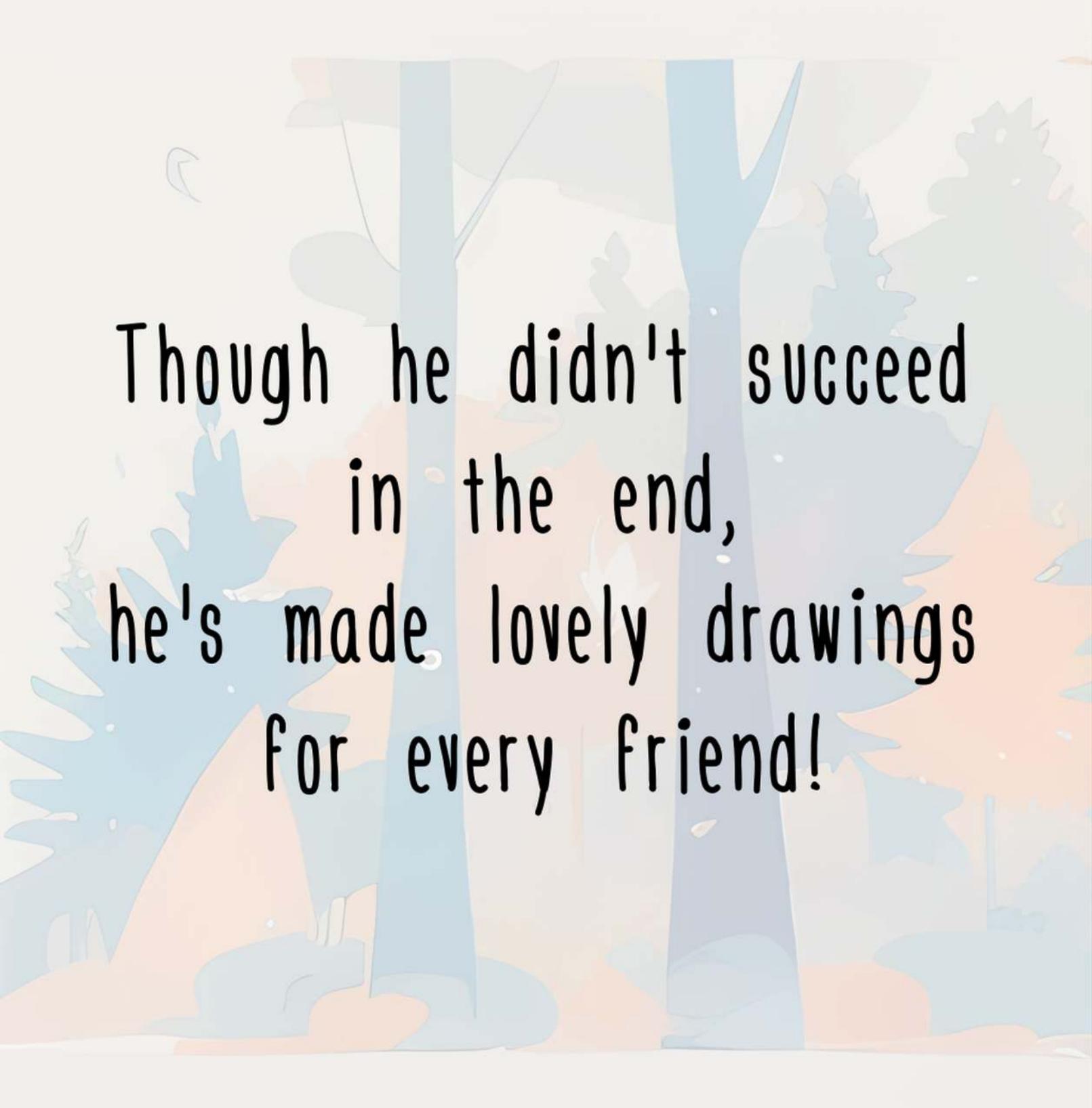
Lacan is sad,
he weeps and cries:
"My drawings
don't reflect what I see
with my eyes!"







But then he looks
all around,
and what joy
he has found!



Though he didn't succeed
in the end,
he's made lovely drawings
for every friend!





FOR GROWN UPS:

JACQUES LACAN is a French psychoanalyst.

He says there is always a gap between
our ideas and the real world.

This hole is a LACK
that bothers us and can drive us crazy.

We can never fill it, we are always disappointed.

He says we should accept it to live in peace.