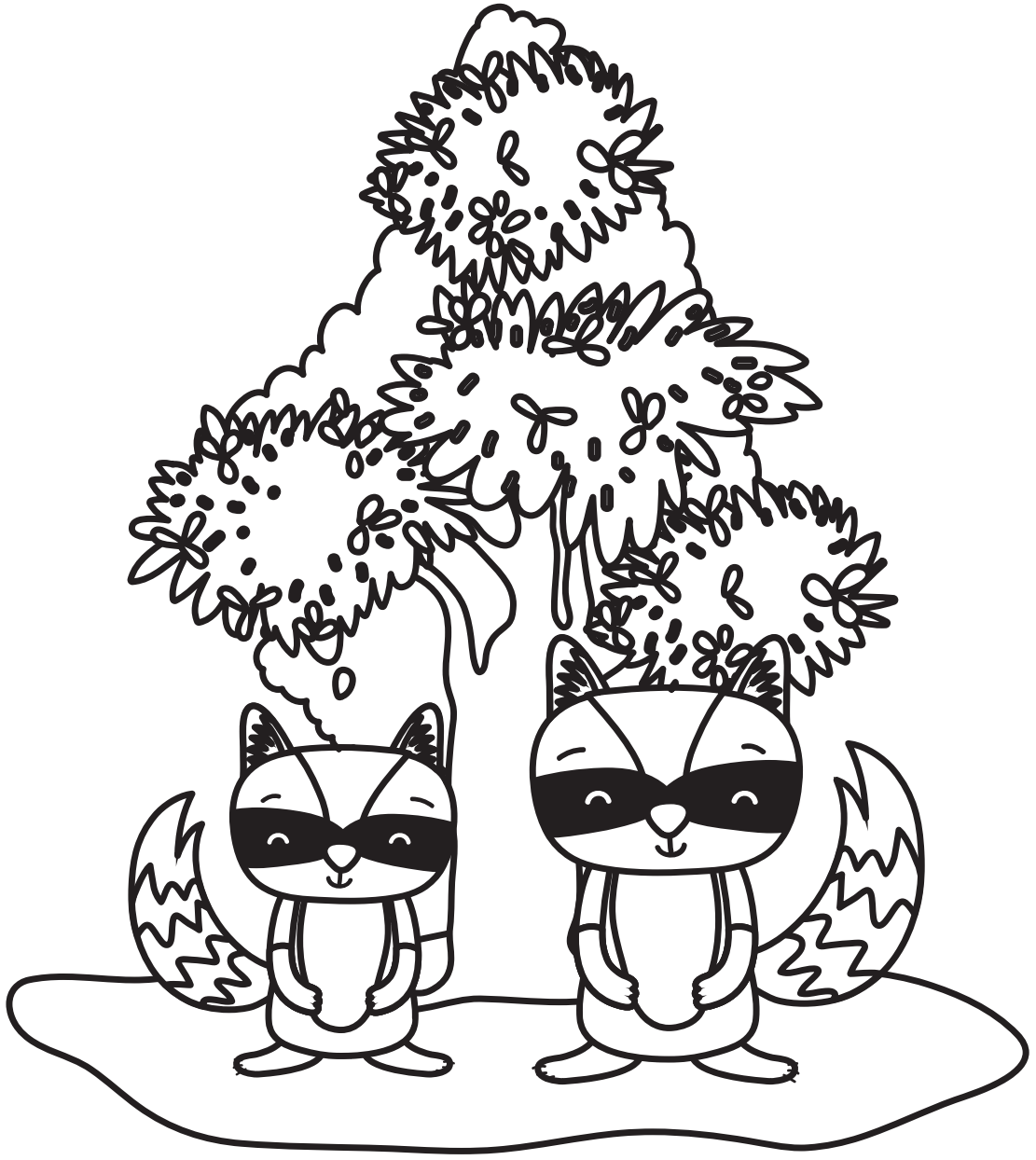
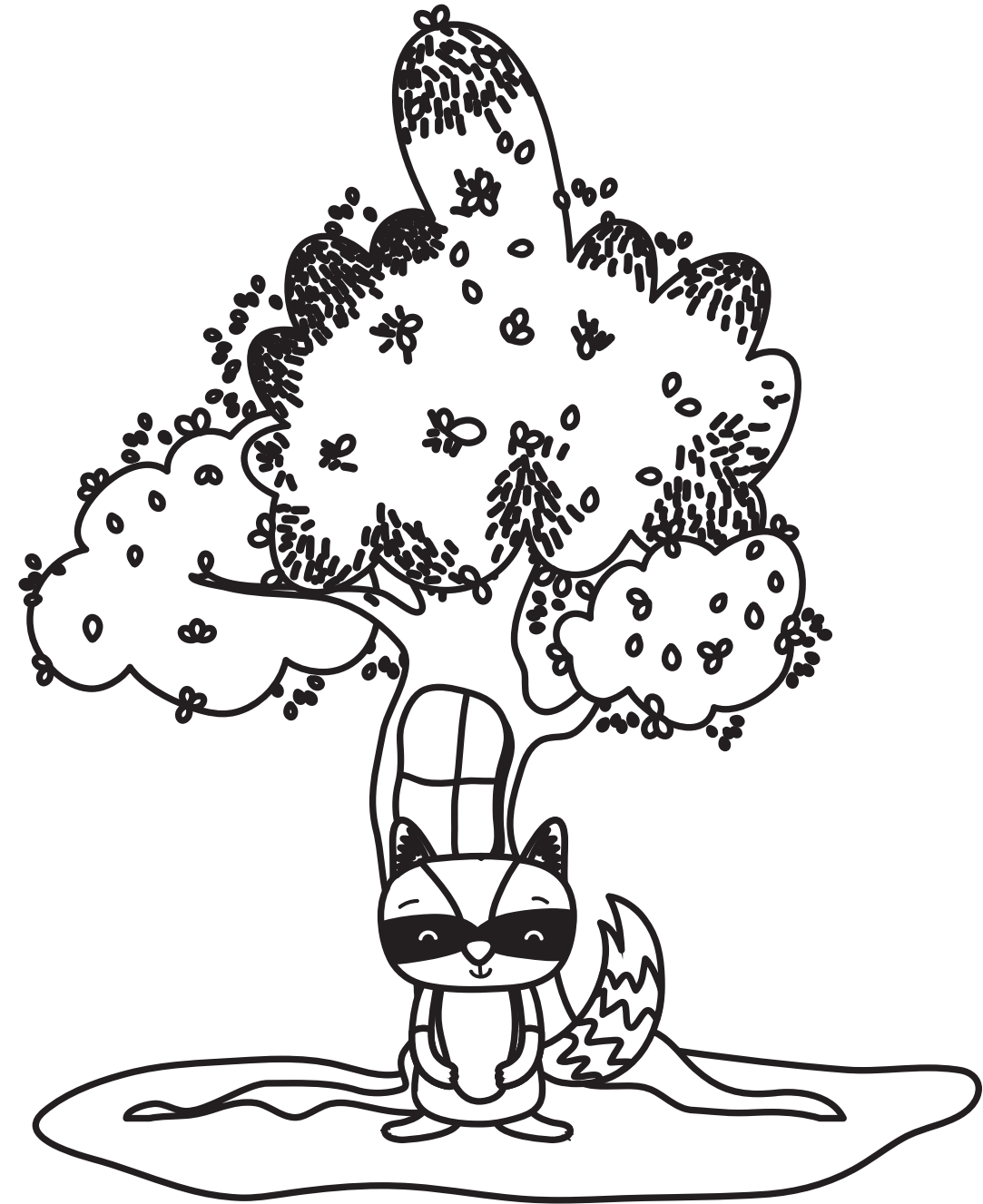


Types of Love in the Bible



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Family



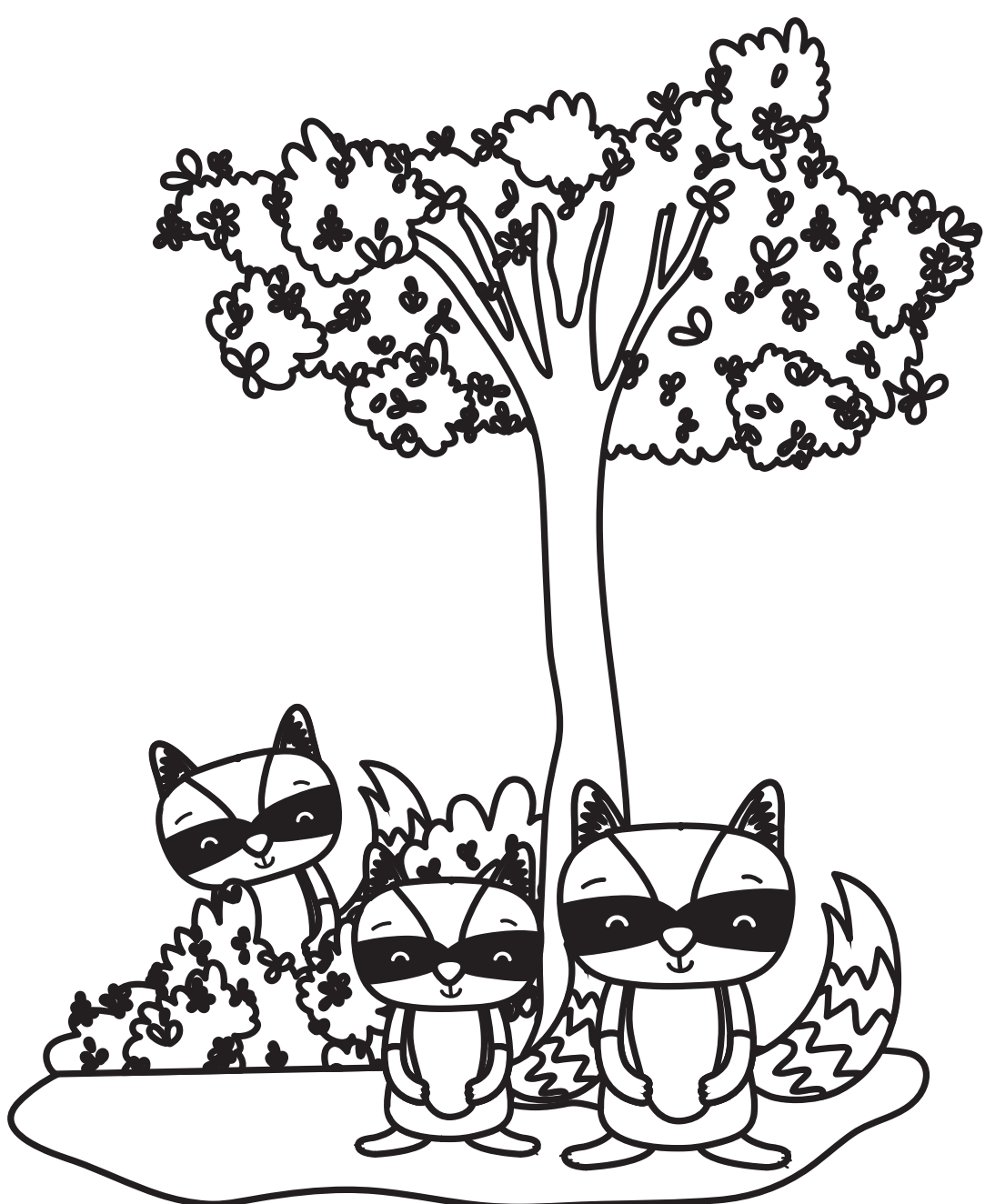
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Self Love/Compassion



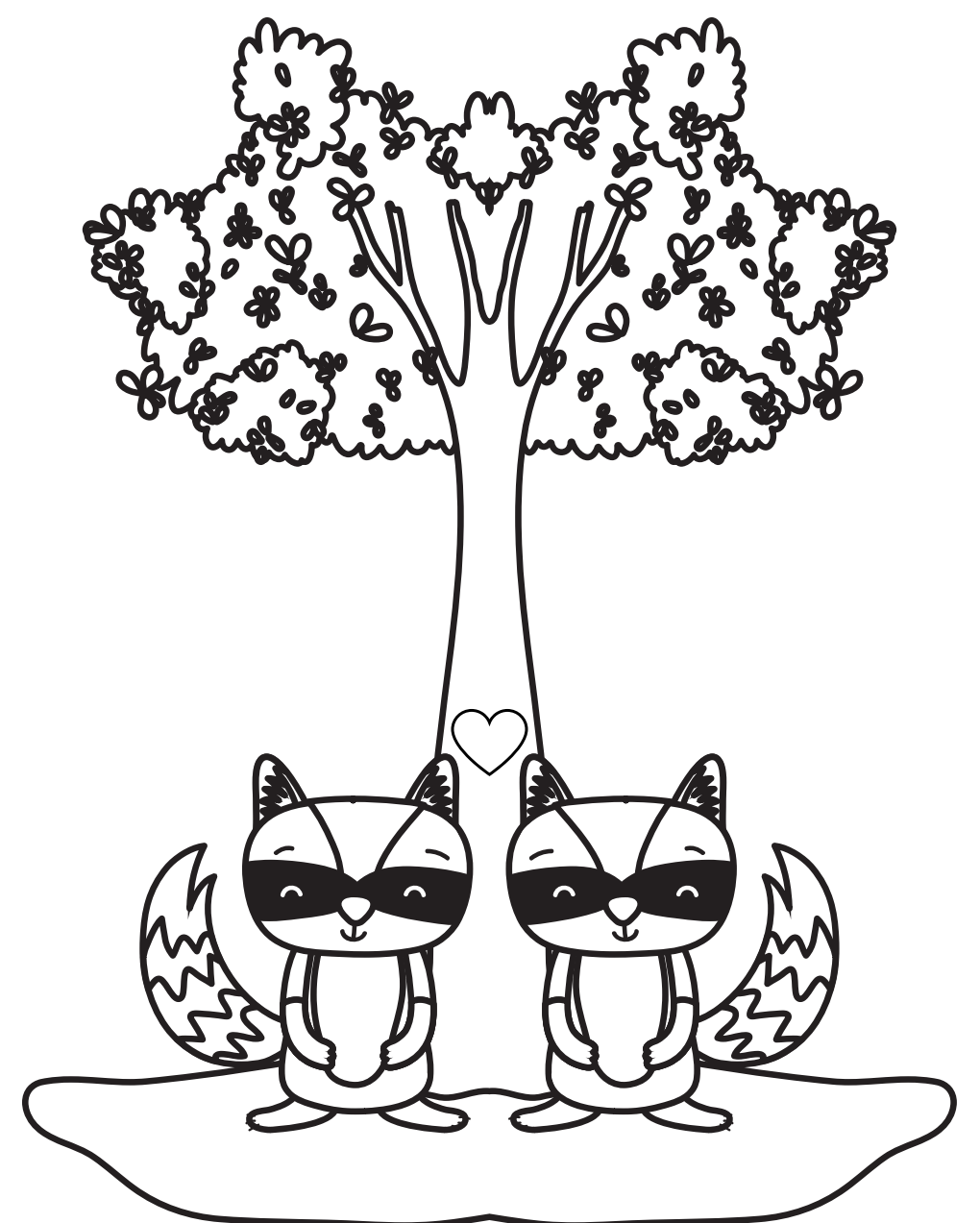
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God's Love for us



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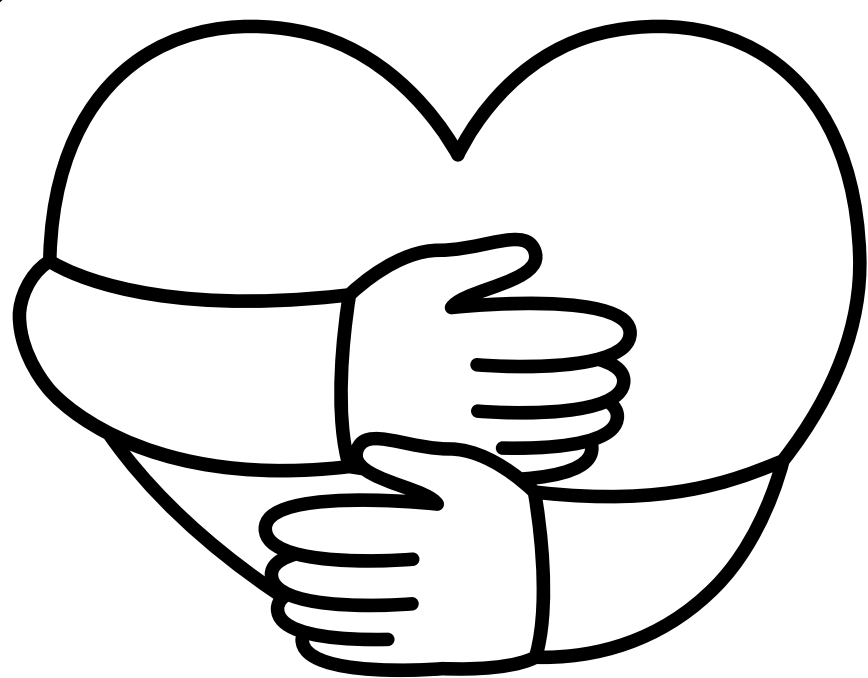
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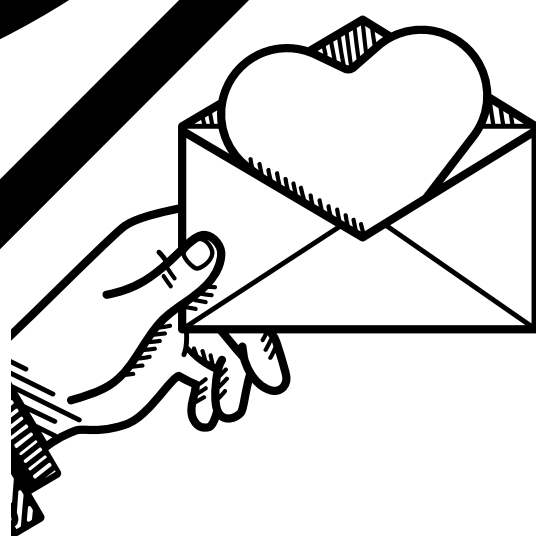
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Marriage & Romantic Love

How we express & show Love to others



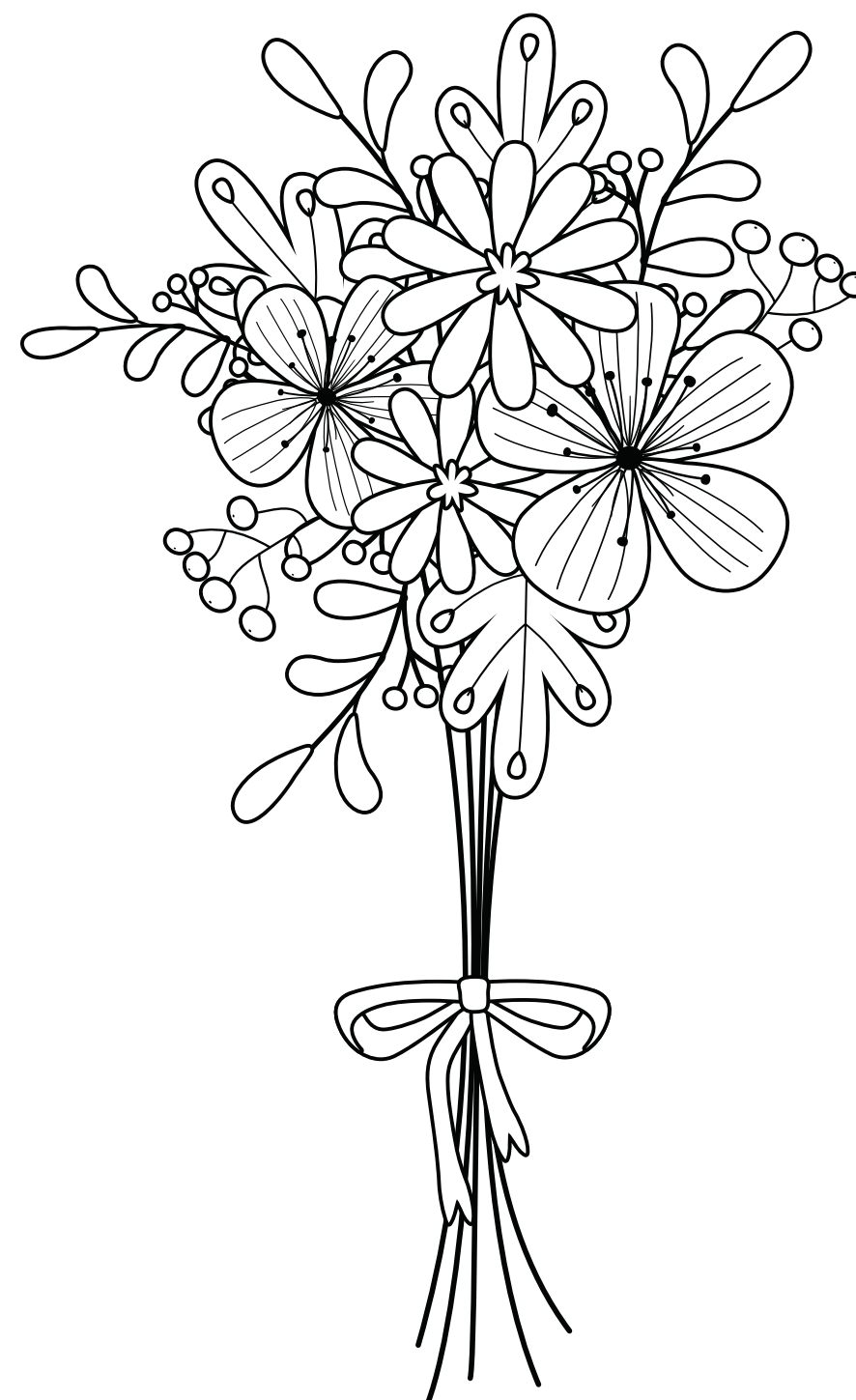
Touch/Hug

Always ask first before giving some one a hug



Words

Sometimes our words are the most powerful thing



Gifts

Gifts can be handmade, found in nature or bought but whatever it is should be done with the other person in mind



Help


Helping someone do something




Spending Time

Sometimes the best thing we can do for someone is to spend time with them

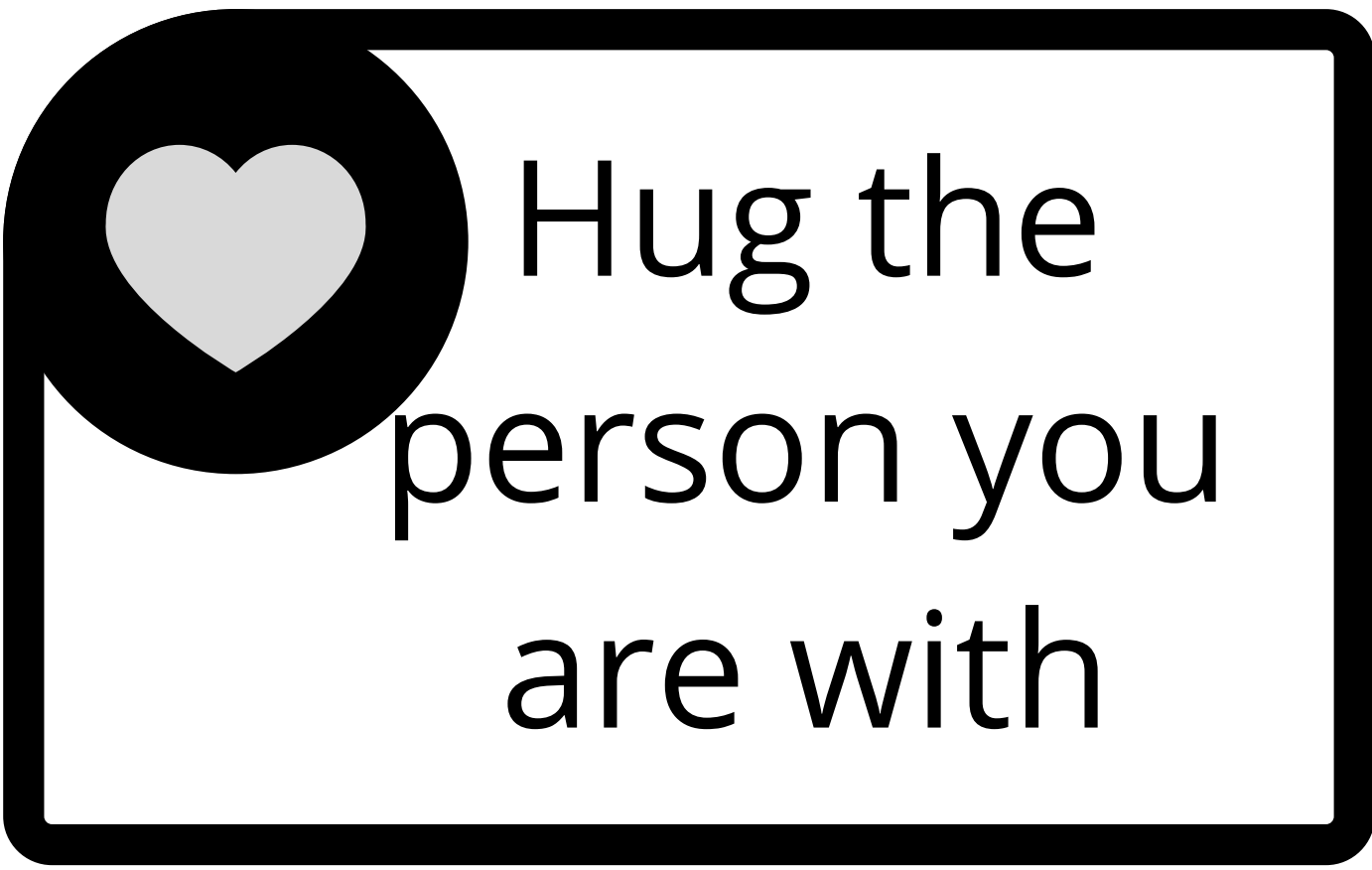
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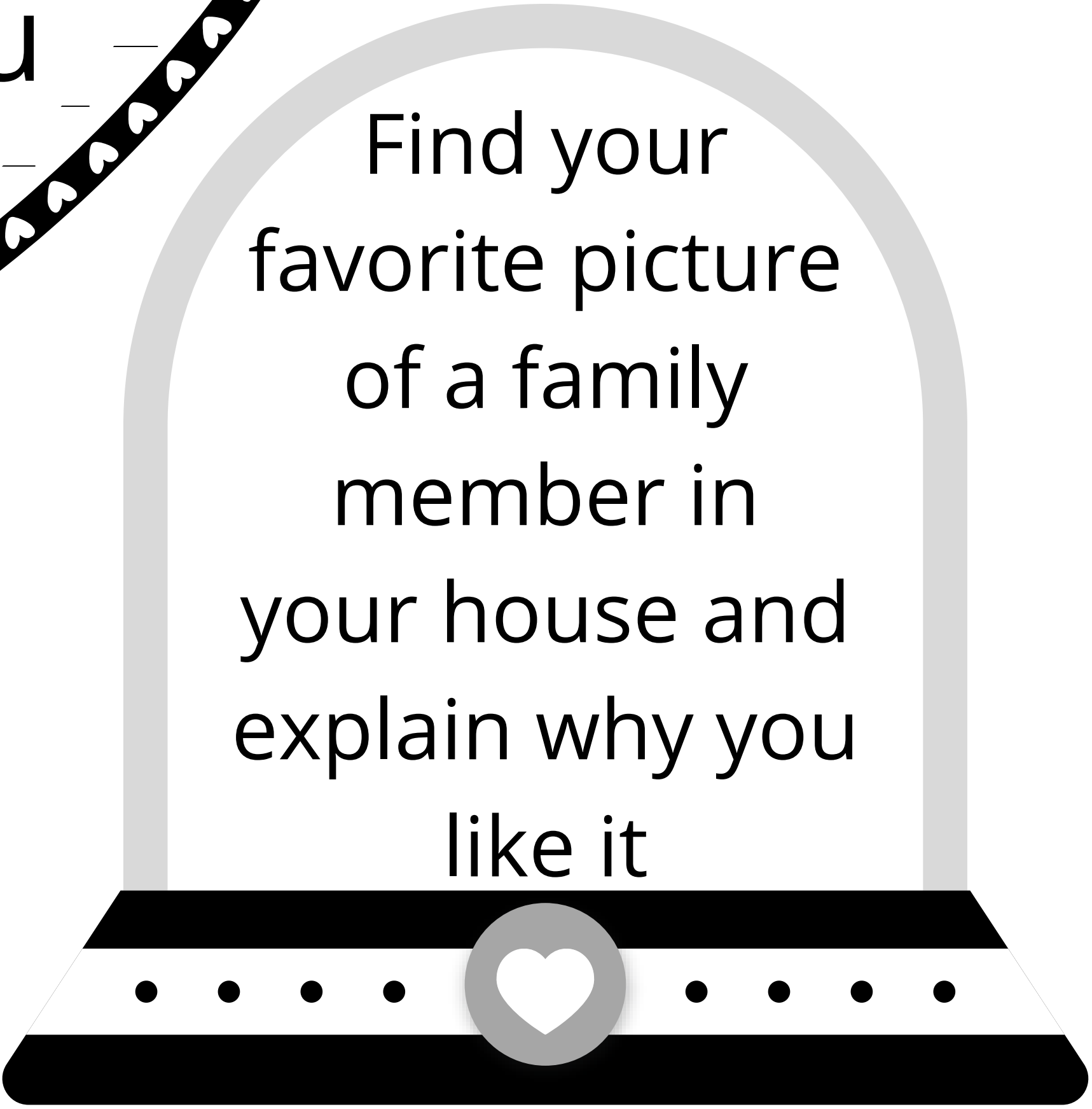
Say what you
think God loves
about you




Think of someone
you don't like and
try to think of
something nice
about them



Hug the
person you
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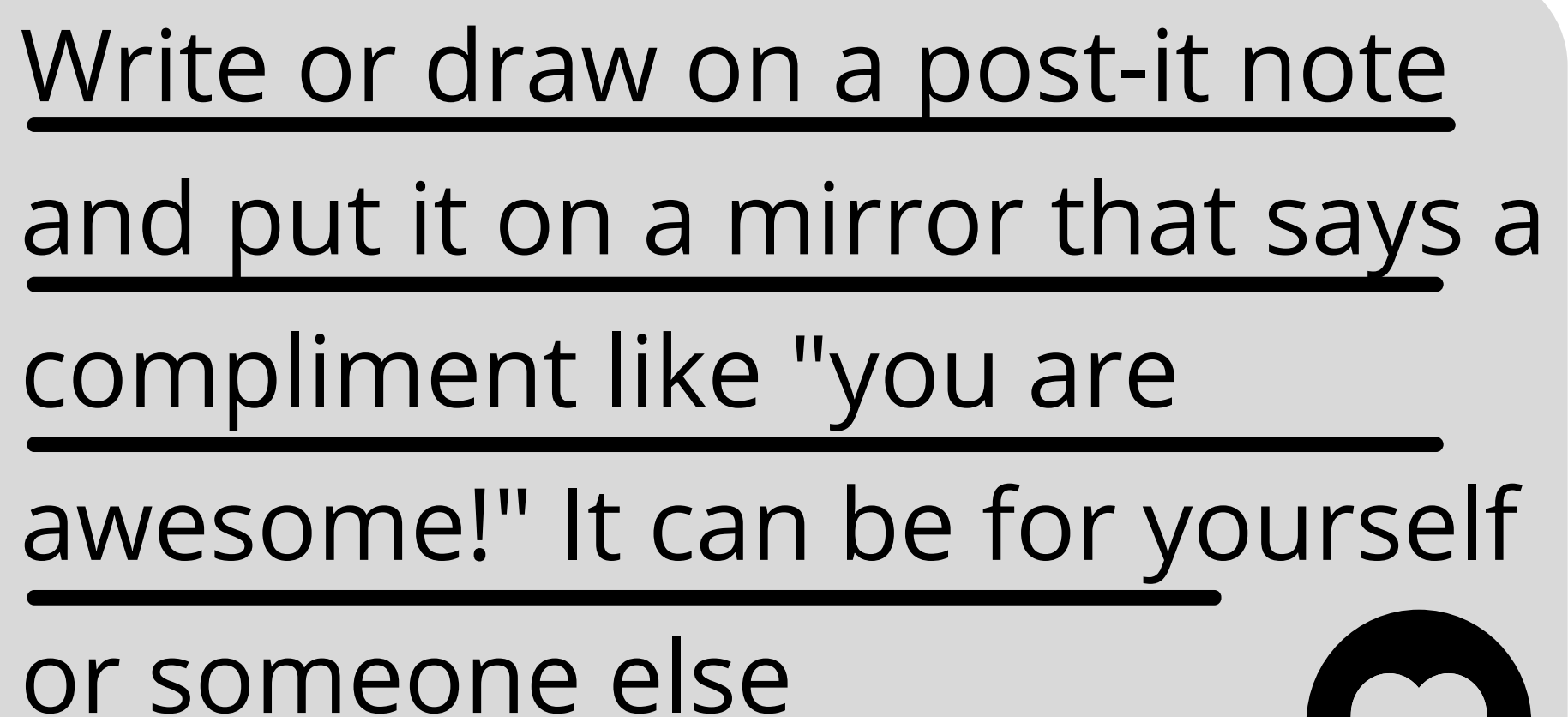


Find your
favorite picture
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explain why you
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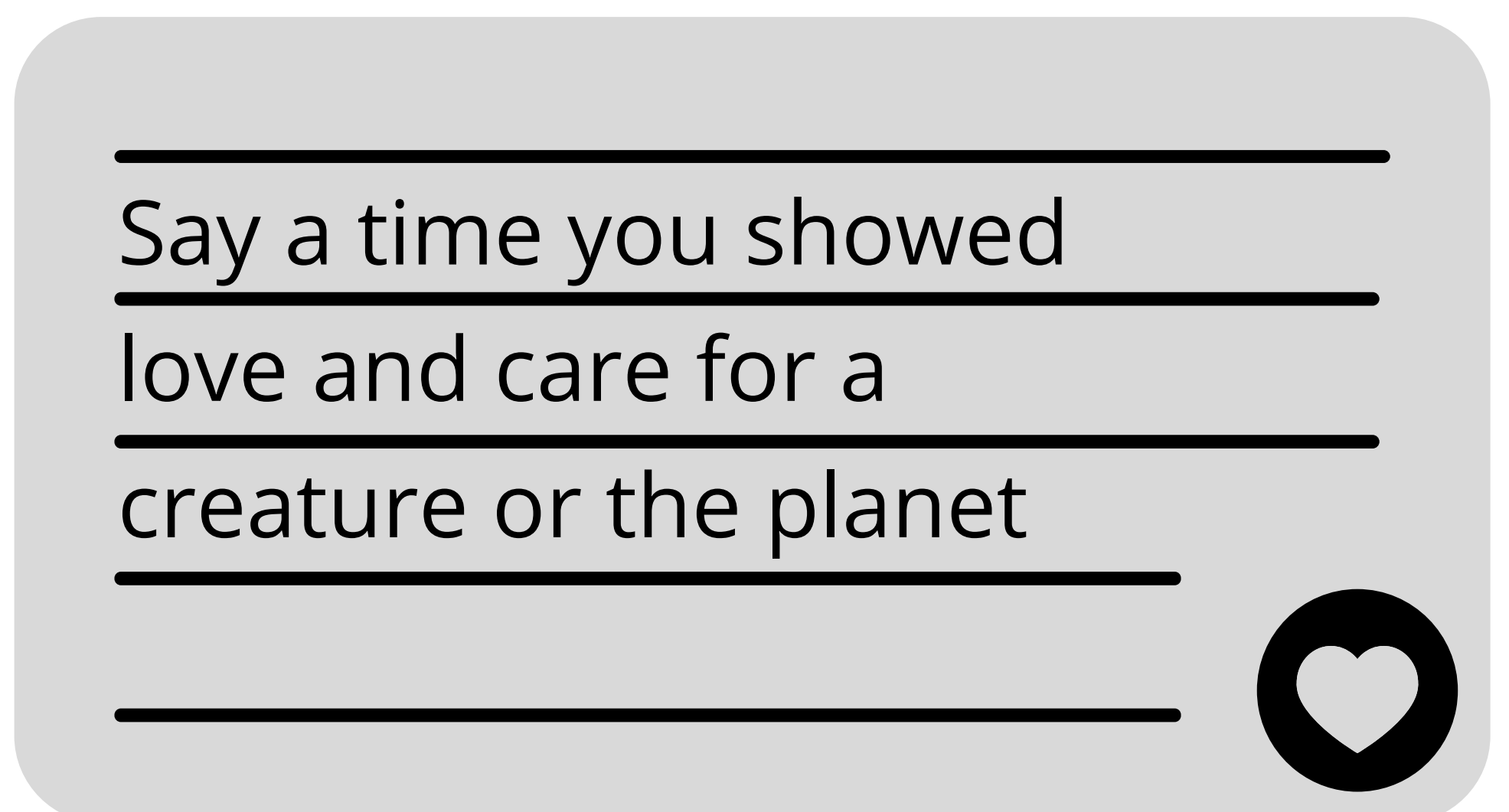
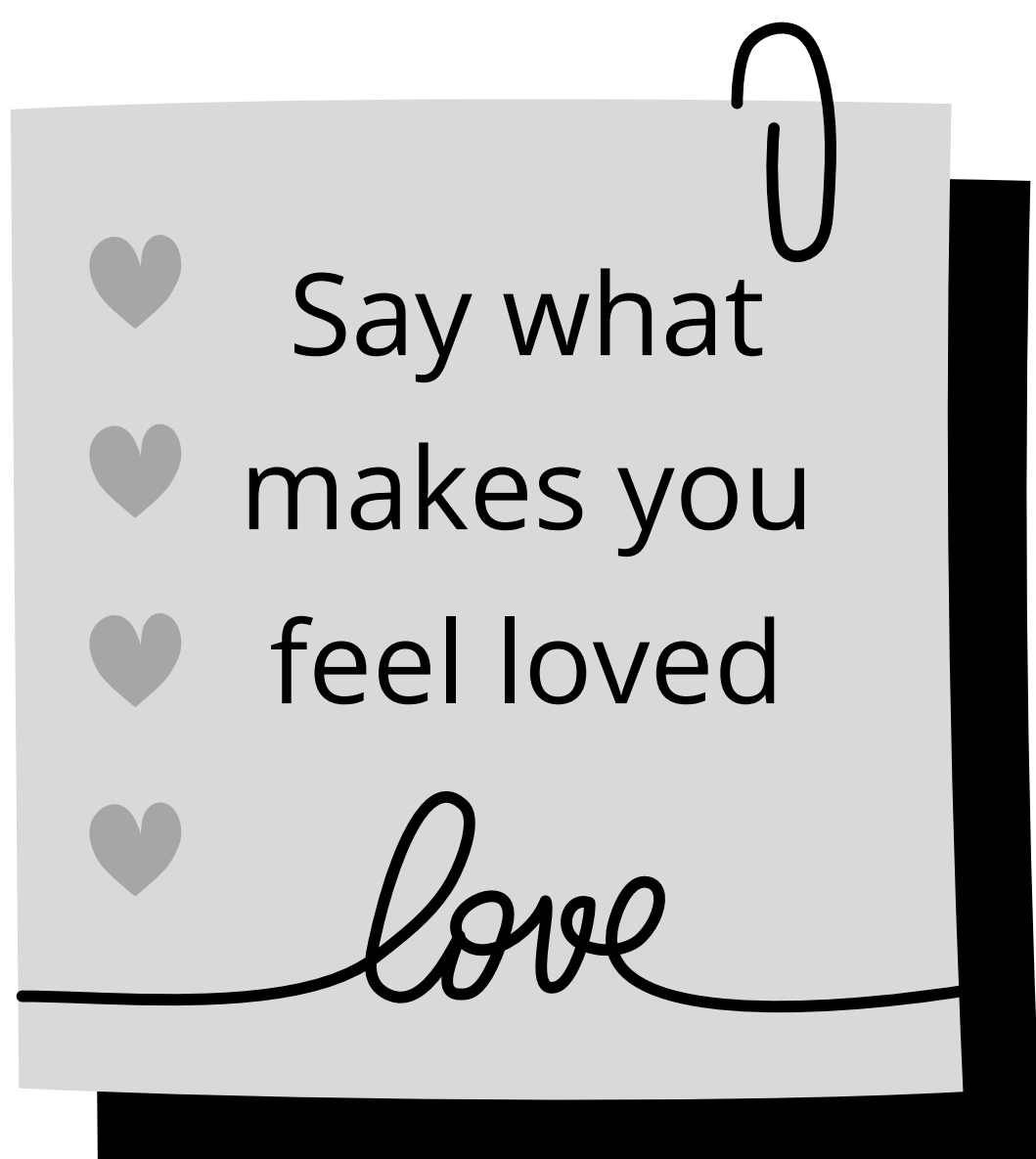
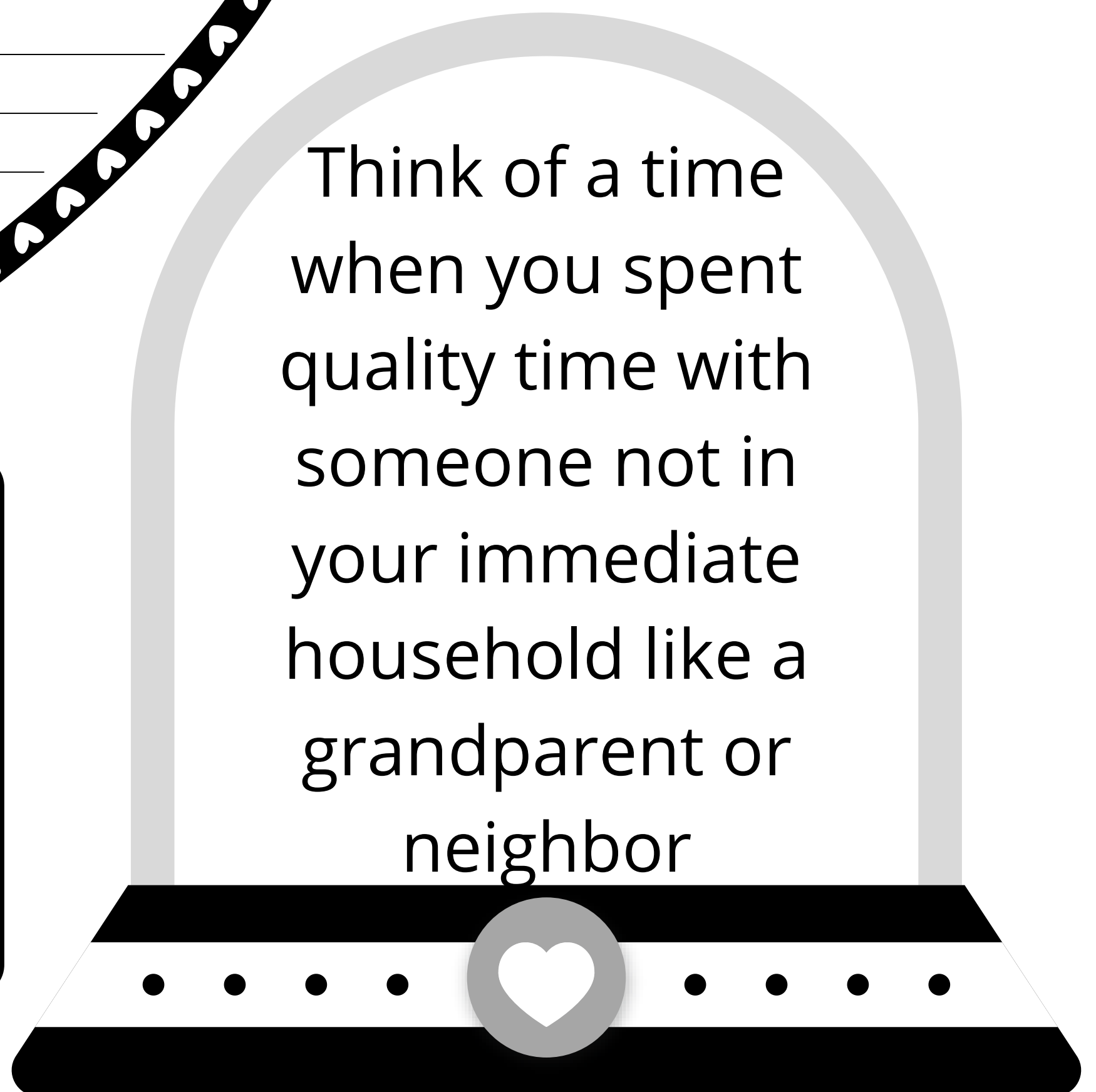
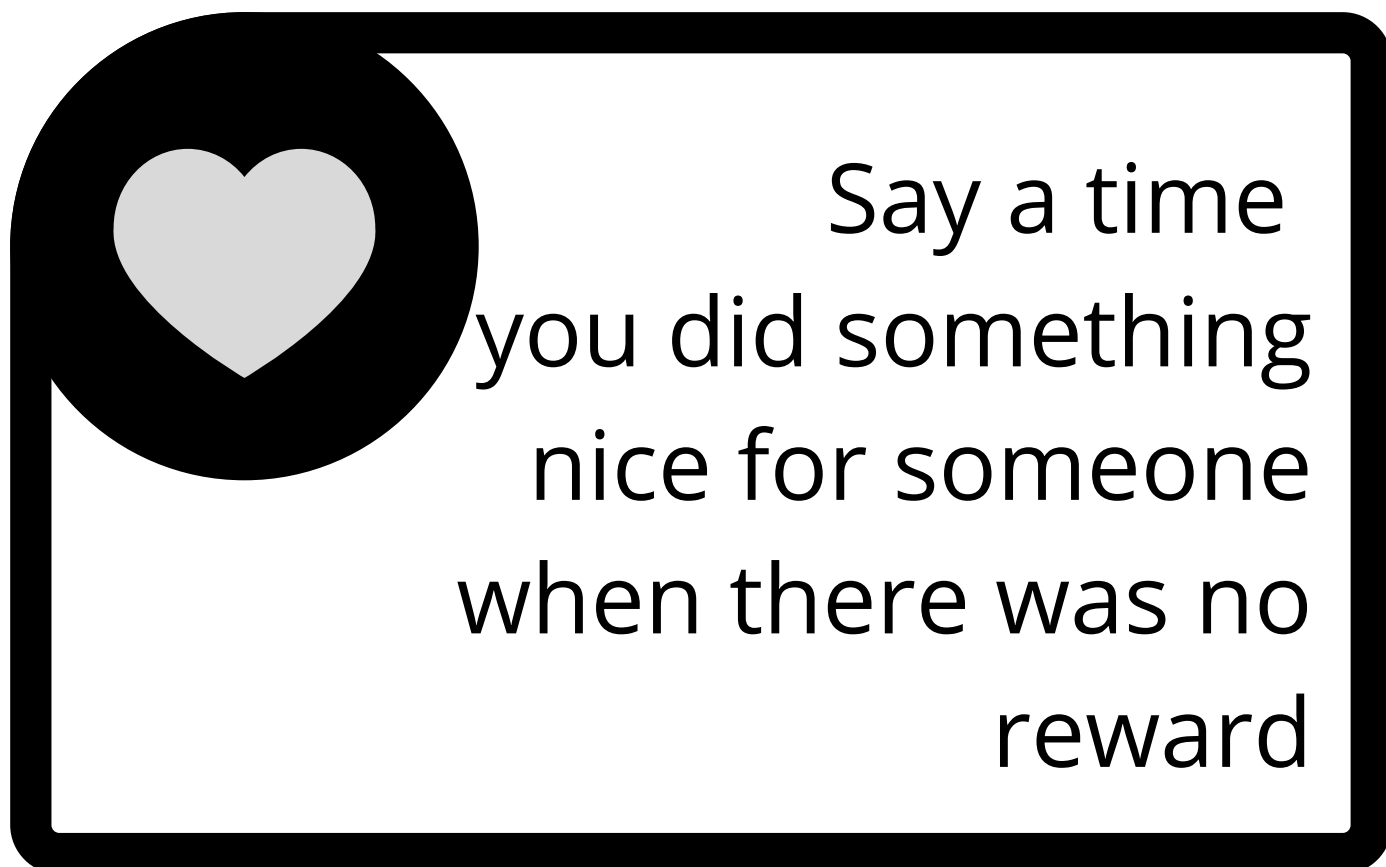
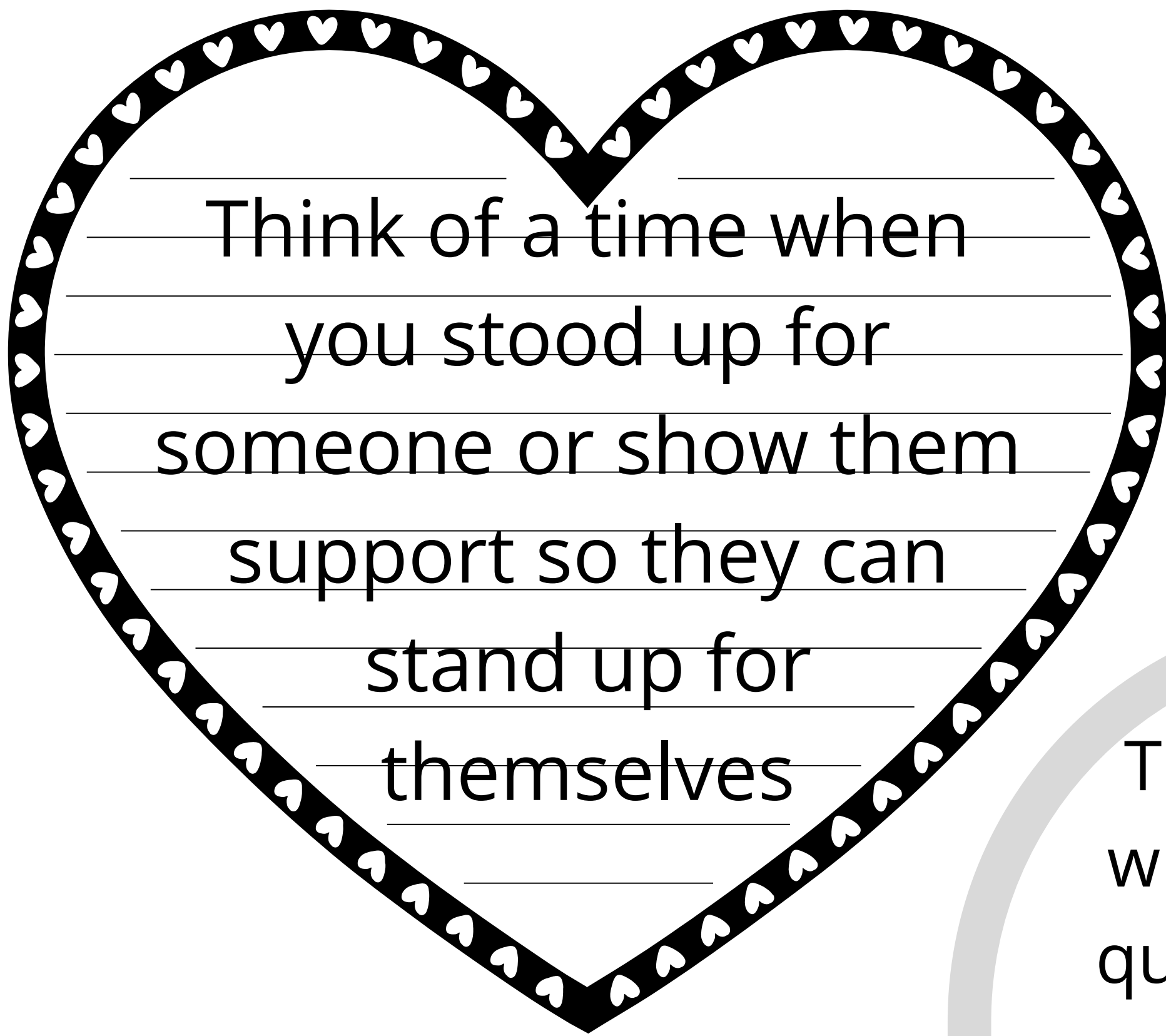
Say 3 things you
love about
yourself

love



Write or draw on a post-it note
and put it on a mirror that says a
compliment like "you are
awesome!" It can be for yourself
or someone else

Scavenger Hunt on Love



Jesus Talks about Love

BASED ON LUKE 6:27-38



Jesus often talked about love to his friends. "That's because loving is the most important thing we do," he said to them.

"But who should we love?" asked Mary.

"Yeah," said Peter. "We can't just love everybody."

"We can, Peter. But it's hard," said Jesus. "So why don't we all sit down here on the grass. I'll tell you some things about love."

"Love the people who don't like you," said Jesus. "Love the people who say mean things to you. When you pray to God, talk about those people. Say to God, 'Please help me love them.'"

"Suppose someone hits you. Don't hit them back. Be kind to them instead."

"If someone takes something away from you, don't yell and fight. Give them something else."

"Be kind to others, the way you would like them to be kind to you."

"Those are very hard things to do, Jesus!" said Peter.

"I know," said Jesus. "It's easy to love the people who love you. It's easy to love your friends. But God wants you to do more than that - something that is really hard."

"Will God help us love people that are hard to love?" asked Mary.

"For sure," said Jesus. "When someone does something you don't like, try this. Don't do or say anything for a little bit; just breathe in and out a few times. Then, in your mind, ask, 'God, what should I do?' Then breathe in and out a few more times. Then God will put an idea in your head, and that idea may be to go and talk it over with some other people."

Mary and Peter looked at each other. It still seemed impossible.

"Do you know *why* you should do that, Peter?" Jesus looked at his friends. "Do you know *why* you should love like that, Mary?"

Both of them shook their heads. They didn't know.

"Because that is what God does," said Jesus.

"But I thought you said God was sad when someone is mean, or steals something," said Mary.

"Yes," said Jesus. "God is sad, just as you feel sad when someone does something bad. But even when God is sad about the things we do, God keeps on loving us. People do many things that make God sad, but God never stops loving them."

"Is that what you mean when you talk about living God's way?" asked Peter.

"Yes, that's what I mean. It's not an easy thing, but you *can* do it. God gives you so much love, you have lots to share with people who are mean, or who hurt you or steal from you."

"And you know something else?" Jesus looked around at his friends. "When you give away lots and lots of love, you'll find it all comes back to you. When you give love away, you always find you have more love than you started with."

"Does that mean we have to kiss and hug everybody?" asked Peter.

Jesus laughed. "No. Some people don't really like to be hugged and kissed. When you love someone, you think about the good things they do. You do kind things for them whenever you can. You say kind things about them. You try really hard to be their friend."

"But what if they just laugh at you?" asked Peter. "What if they say you're stupid and just walk away. Or maybe they even hit you?"

"I didn't say it was easy," said Jesus. "And it may take a long time - maybe years - before they stop acting that way. But you keep trying. Over and over and over. And it's a good thing to talk to God about it in your prayers. That way you'll become a stronger person each time you show that kind of love."

Word Search - Love

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EXCLUDE
REWARD
POOR
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JESUS
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