

It may have been
a silent night
when Jesus
came to earth,
or ...

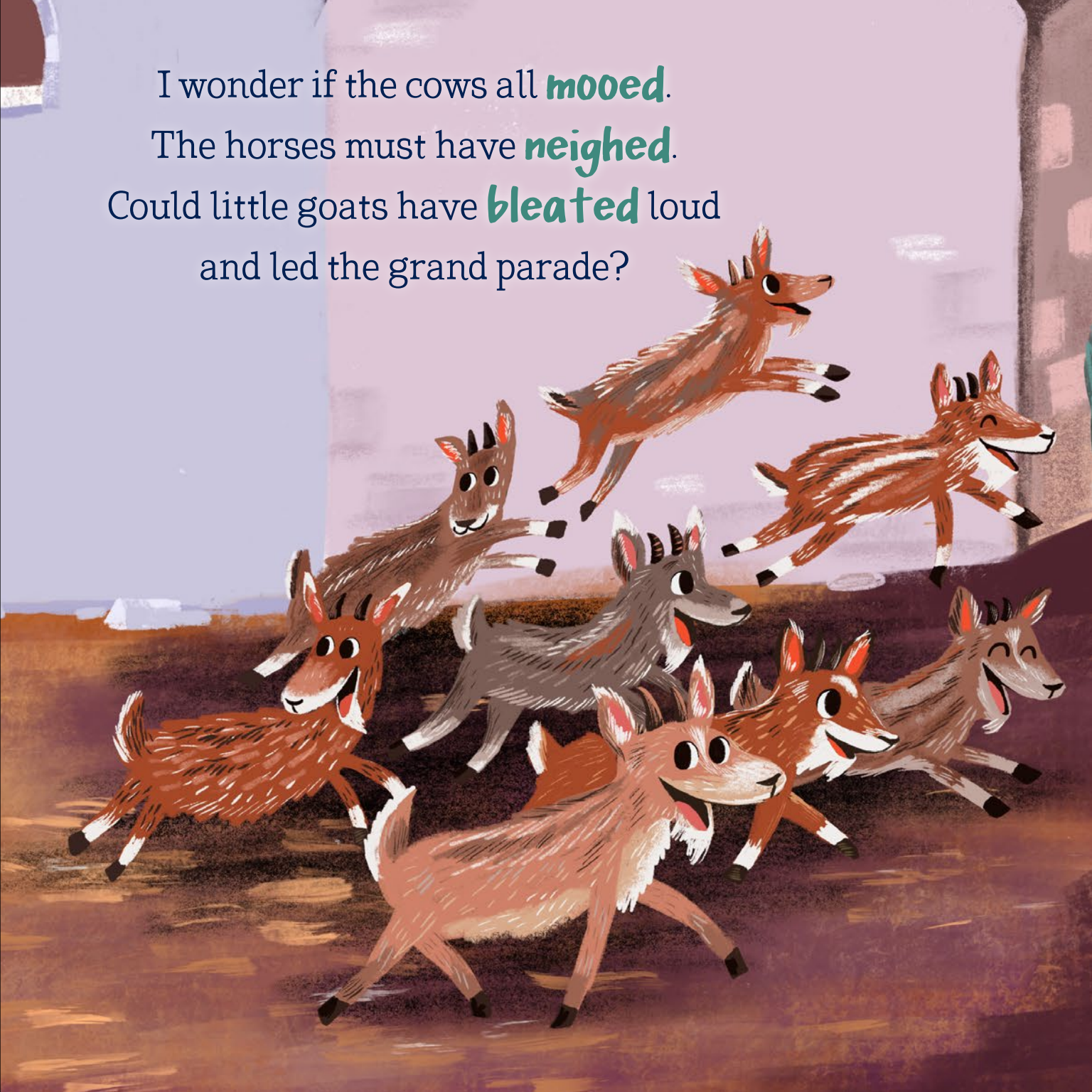


it may have been
a **NOISY** night to
celebrate His birth.





I wonder if the cows all **mooed**.
The horses must have **neighed**.
Could little goats have **bleated** loud
and led the grand parade?





While chickens **clucked**
and duckies **quacked**
to celebrate the boy,
the birdies **chirped**
and donkeys **brayed**
and mice all **squeaked**
with joy!



The angels broke the silence
on the hillside with their song.

They sang their
alleluias as
the shepherds
hummed along.

I think the sheep began to **baa**
and raccoons made a **peep**.



The crickets **chirped**.
Coyotes **howled**.
No creature stayed asleep!



The shepherds must
have **hollered**
as they spread the
news around.

Perhaps
the townsfolk
danced and sang
and added to
the sound.





The camels must have **snorted**
when the Eastern star appeared.

And when the kings arrived at last,
I wonder if they **cheered**?



With **moos** and **neighs**
and **bleats** of joy,
with **clucks** and
quacks of praise,



the animals all celebrated
in their special ways.





With **chirps** and **squeaks**
and **brays** and **peeps**
and angels singing proud,

with **shouts** and dancing,
snorts and **cheers**,
it must have been quite loud.

Yes, Jesus is our Savior and
a gift from God above.
He brings us hope and peace and joy
and everlasting love!



It's hard to stay so silent when
we've heard the greatest news.
Let's celebrate our Savior's birth
with **neighs** and **chirps**
and **moos!**

But that's not right, 'cause we are not
those horses, cows, or birds.



But we can celebrate our Lord
with actions, songs, and words!





Let's spread the love
of Jesus Christ and
good news with delight!
Let's share His peace
and joy like that
first **NOISY**
Christmas night.

MOOOO!
and
MERRY
CHRISTMAS!