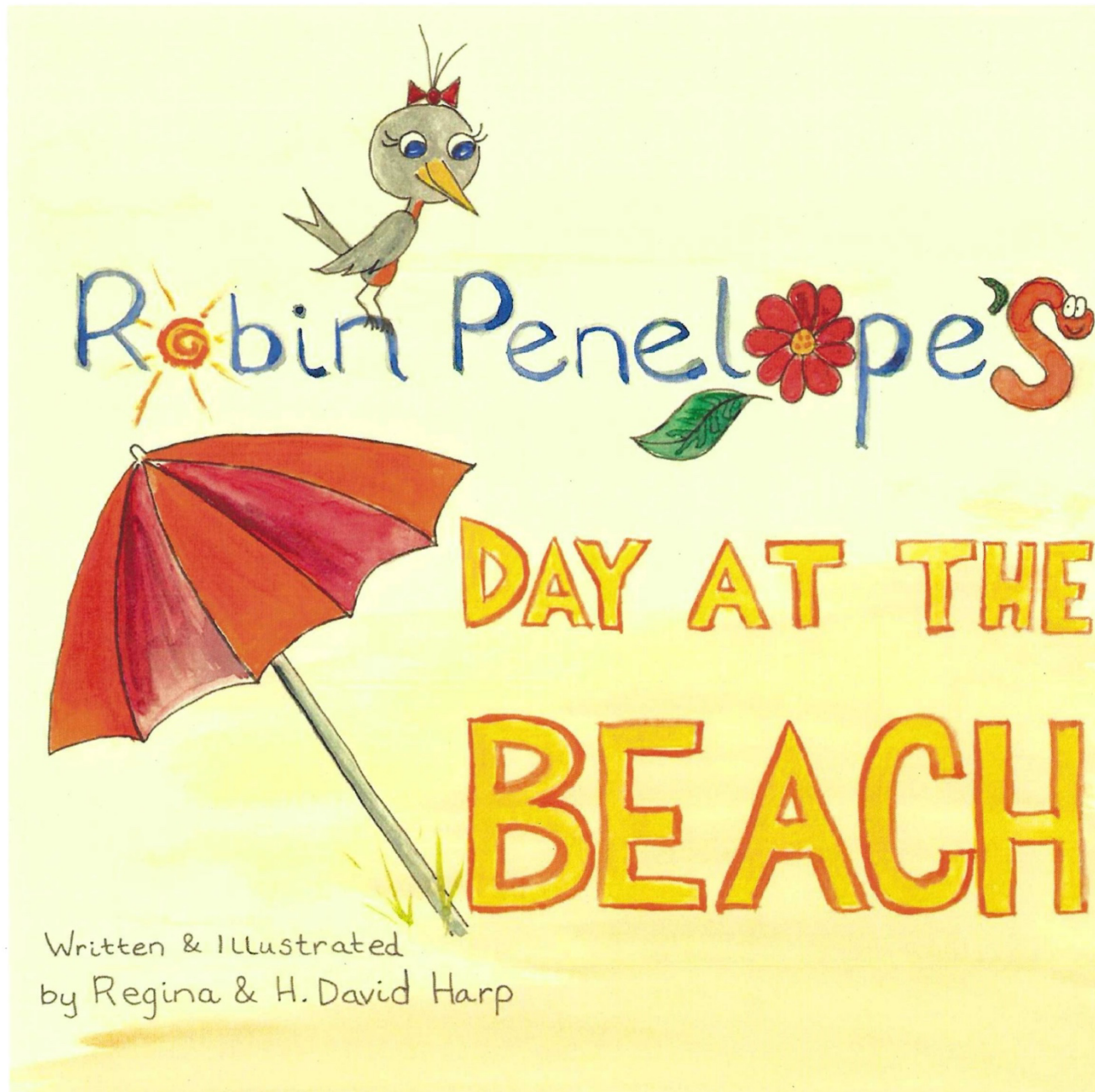
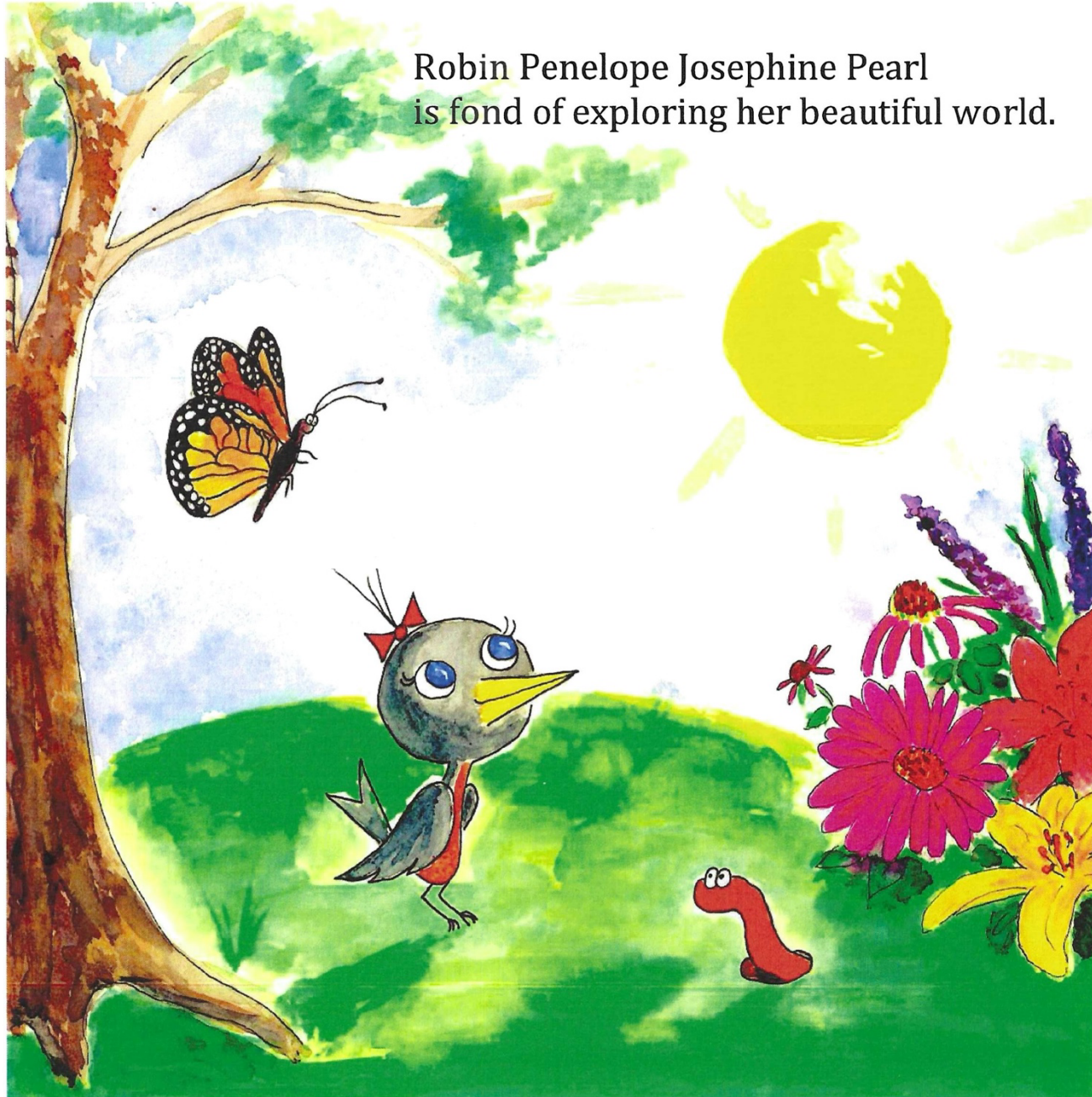


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Robin Penelope Josephine Pearl
is fond of exploring her beautiful world.

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On this fine day,
she is off to the beach.



"Here's my swimsuit," she says,
"Towel, water, and peach!"

She and her daddy and pet worm all run
down to the ocean. The waves are such fun!

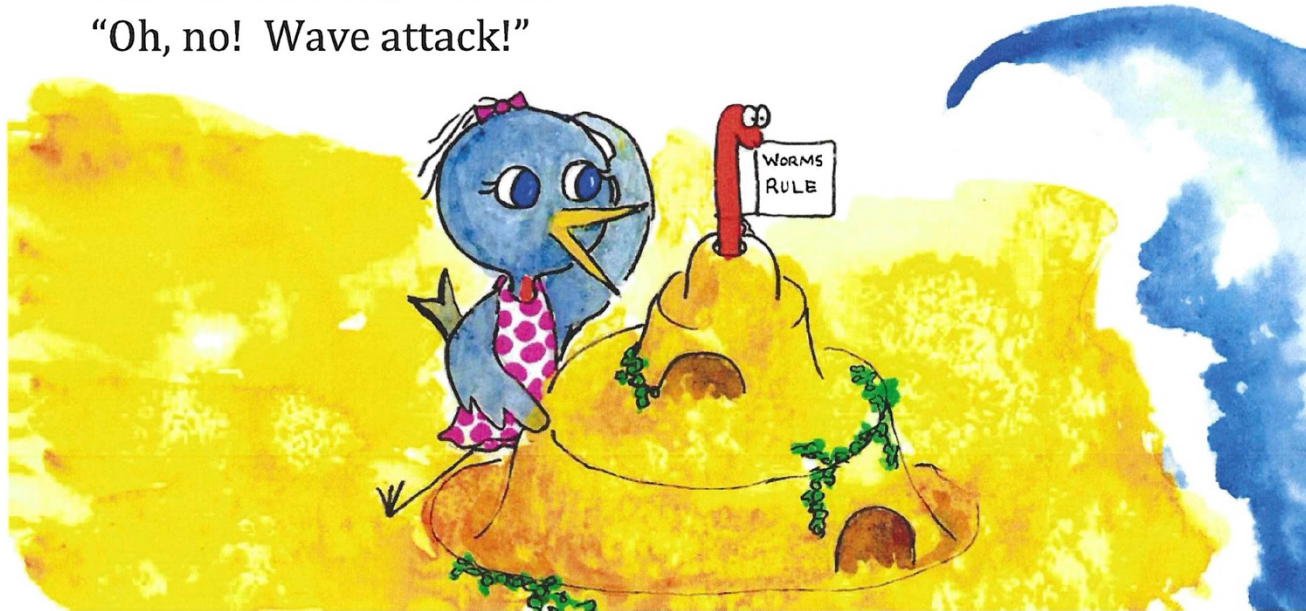
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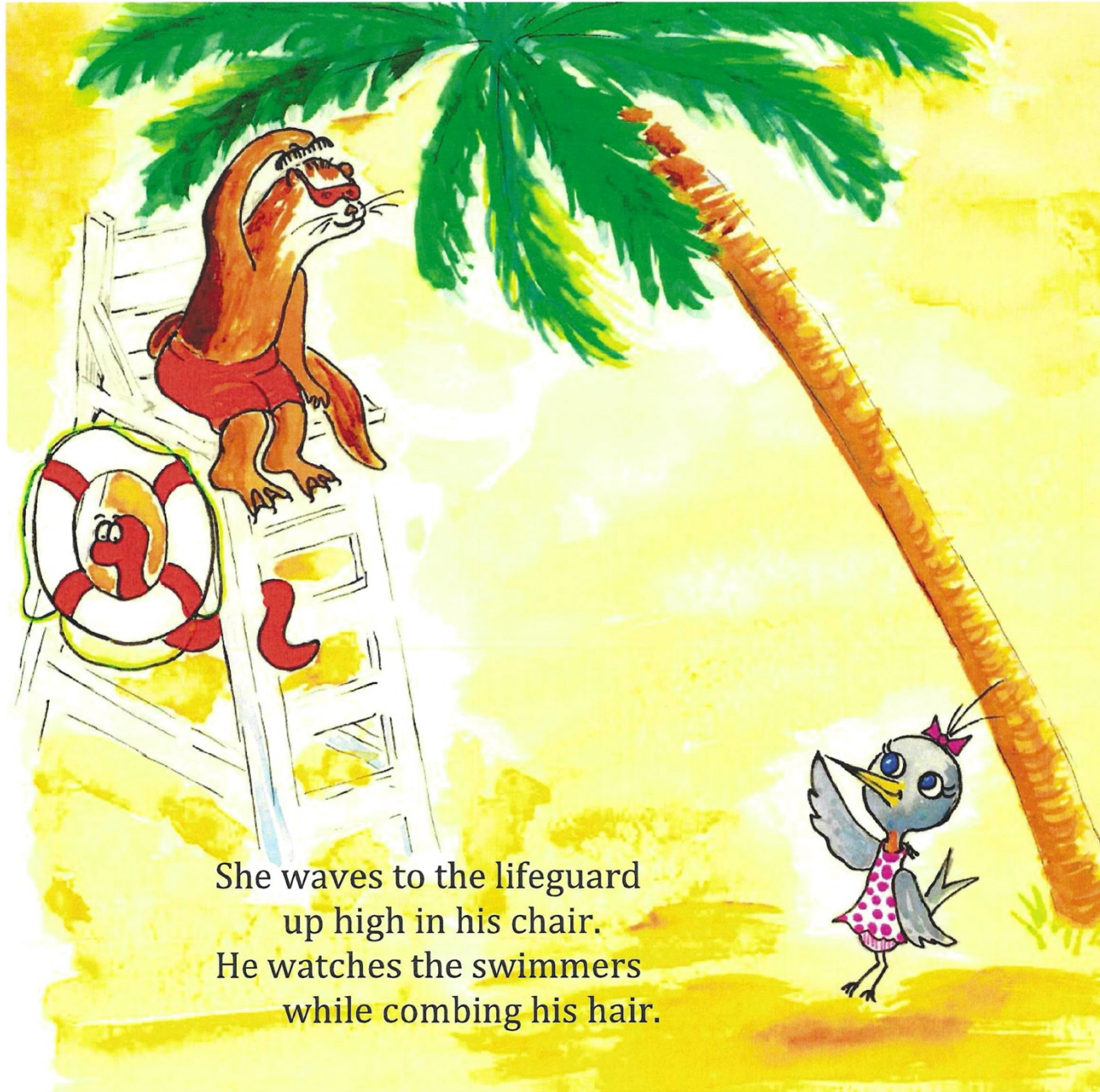


She splashes and swims,
and floats on her back...



Then builds a sandcastle –
“Oh, no! Wave attack!”





She waves to the lifeguard
up high in his chair.
He watches the swimmers
while combing his hair.

What colorful seashells
are found at the shore.

She picks up a bagful –
But look! There are more!

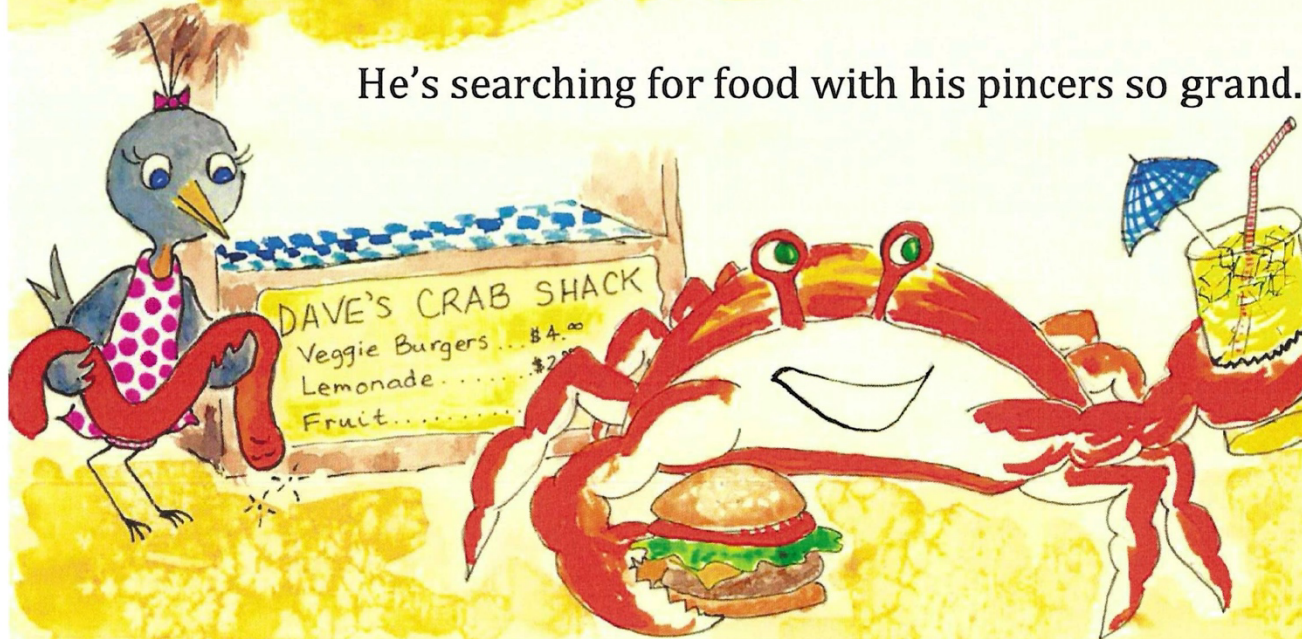


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She sees a crab scurry across the hot sand.



He's searching for food with his pincers so grand.



A seagull, a tern, and a pelican play
Giving rides to the fish in the ocean today!

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What a wonderful day our young Robin has had.
She sits on her towel with her mom and her dad.

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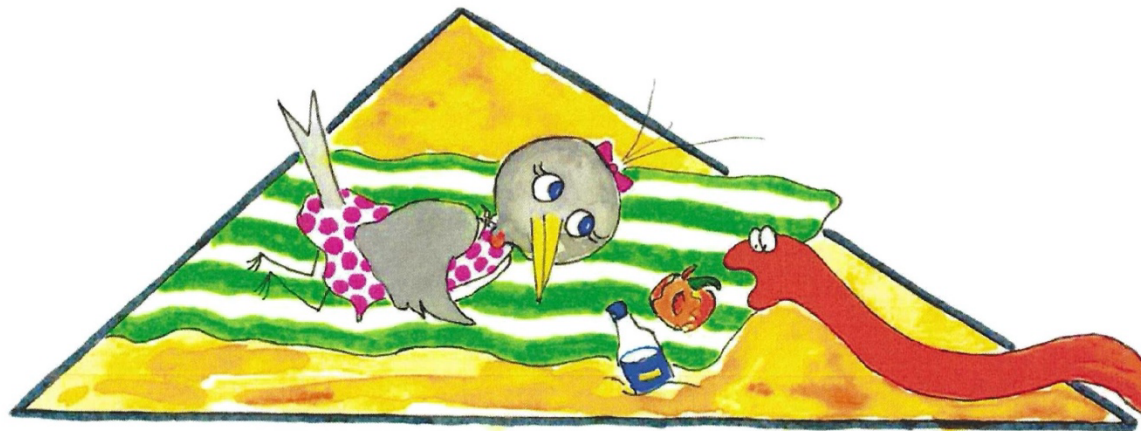
She gulps down
her water...



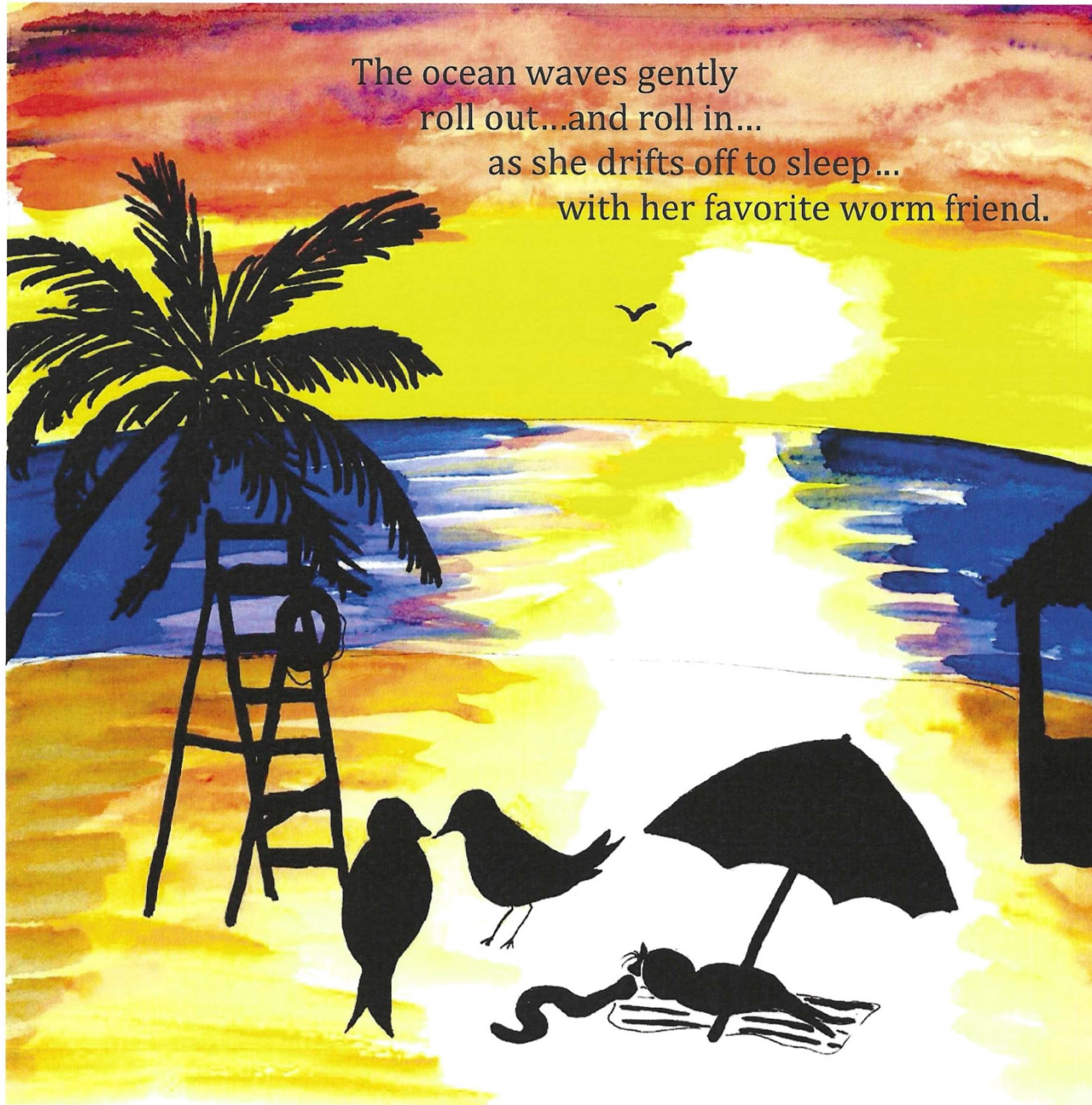
And nibbles her peach...



...then lays her head down on the towel, on the beach.



The ocean waves gently
roll out...and roll in...
as she drifts off to sleep...
with her favorite worm friend.



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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS:

1. Where did Robin Penelope go with her parents?
2. Does Robin like the ocean? How can you tell?
3. What colorful objects did she pick up on the beach?

PROJECT:

Psalm 24:1-2 says, “The earth is the Lord’s, and everything in it. The world and all its people belong to him.

For he laid the earth’s foundation on the seas and built it on the ocean depths.”

GOD made the earth, the ocean, and everything we see. He owns everything and everyone! We all are part of GOD’s work of art. It’s fun to explore nature and see all the things GOD made. Ask your mom or dad or another adult if they can take you out in nature to explore our beautiful world. You could go to the forest, the beach, a lake, or a park. While exploring, tell GOD “Thank You!” for all the lovely things you see and experience. When you get back, you could write a story about your adventures and illustrate it!