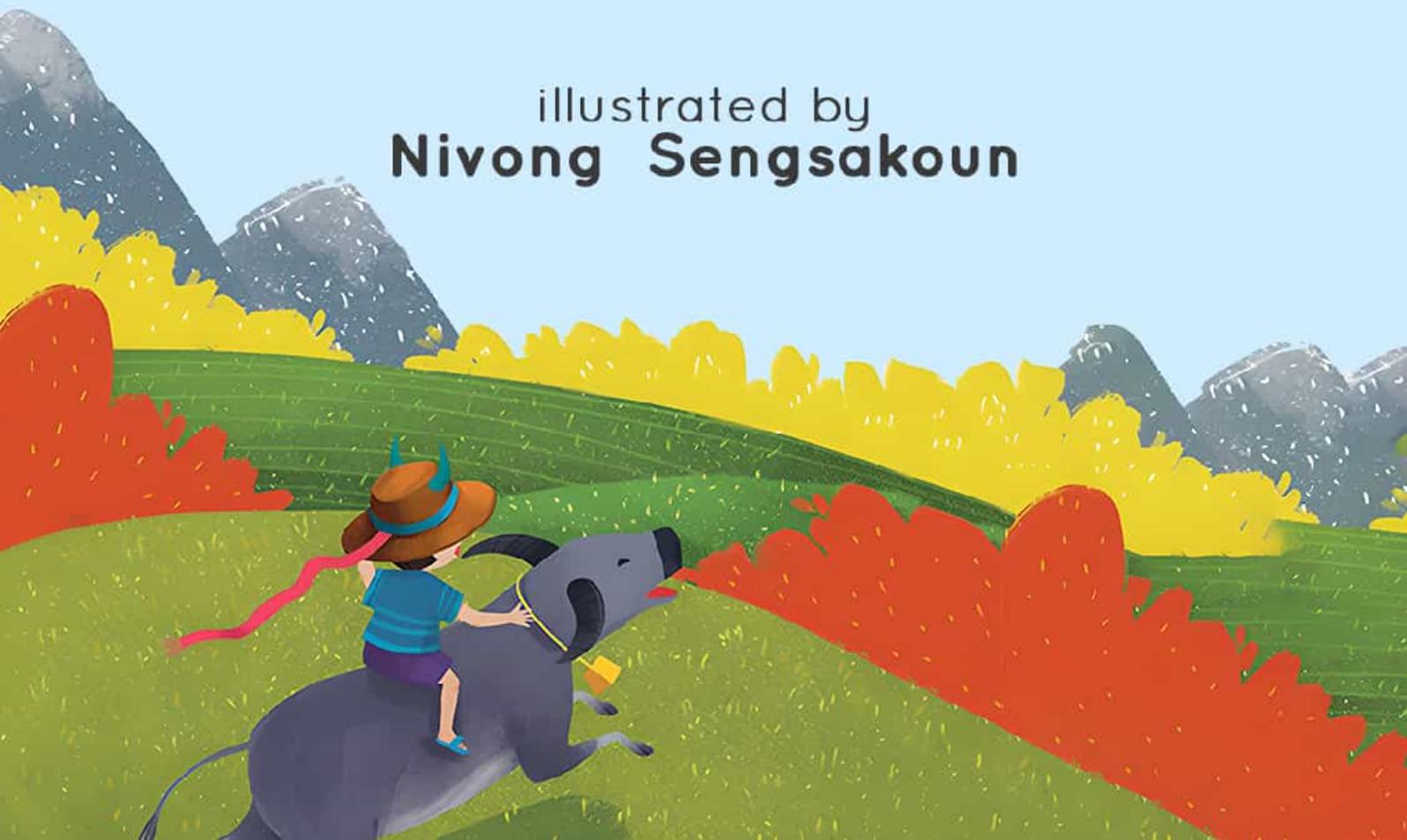


# A BOY AND HIS HAT

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My name is Ray. I  
live on a farm. This  
is my hat.

My hat has horns like  
my bull. Gran made it  
for me.



I ride my bull to the  
next farm, just for  
fun. We do some  
jumps.





The wind picks up. I  
tell my hat to stay  
on. It wants to fly.

It lifts up and sails  
off to the next hill.  
Can we get to it in  
time?

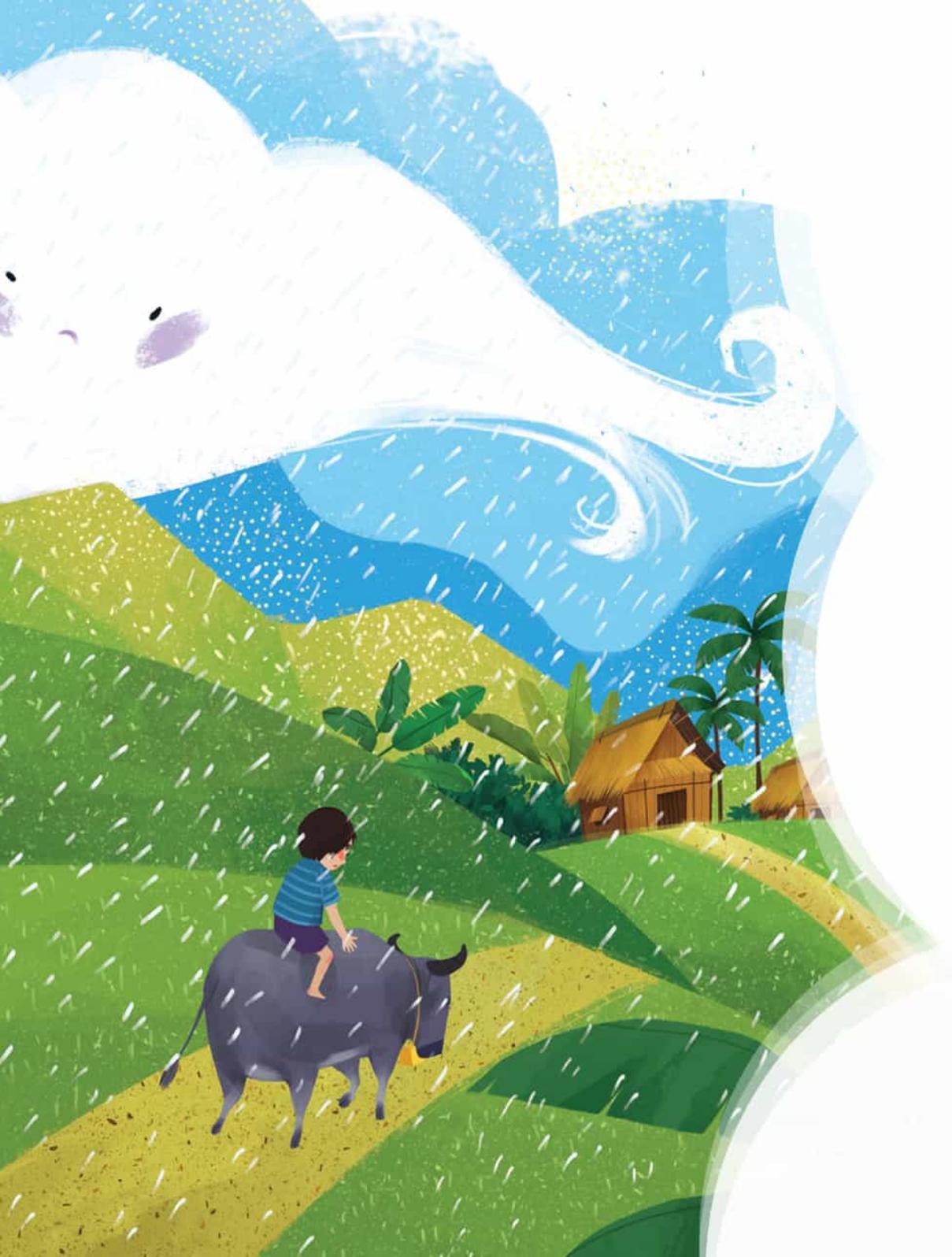


I say, this hat is on  
a quest. I want it  
to land, but it is  
way up in the sky!



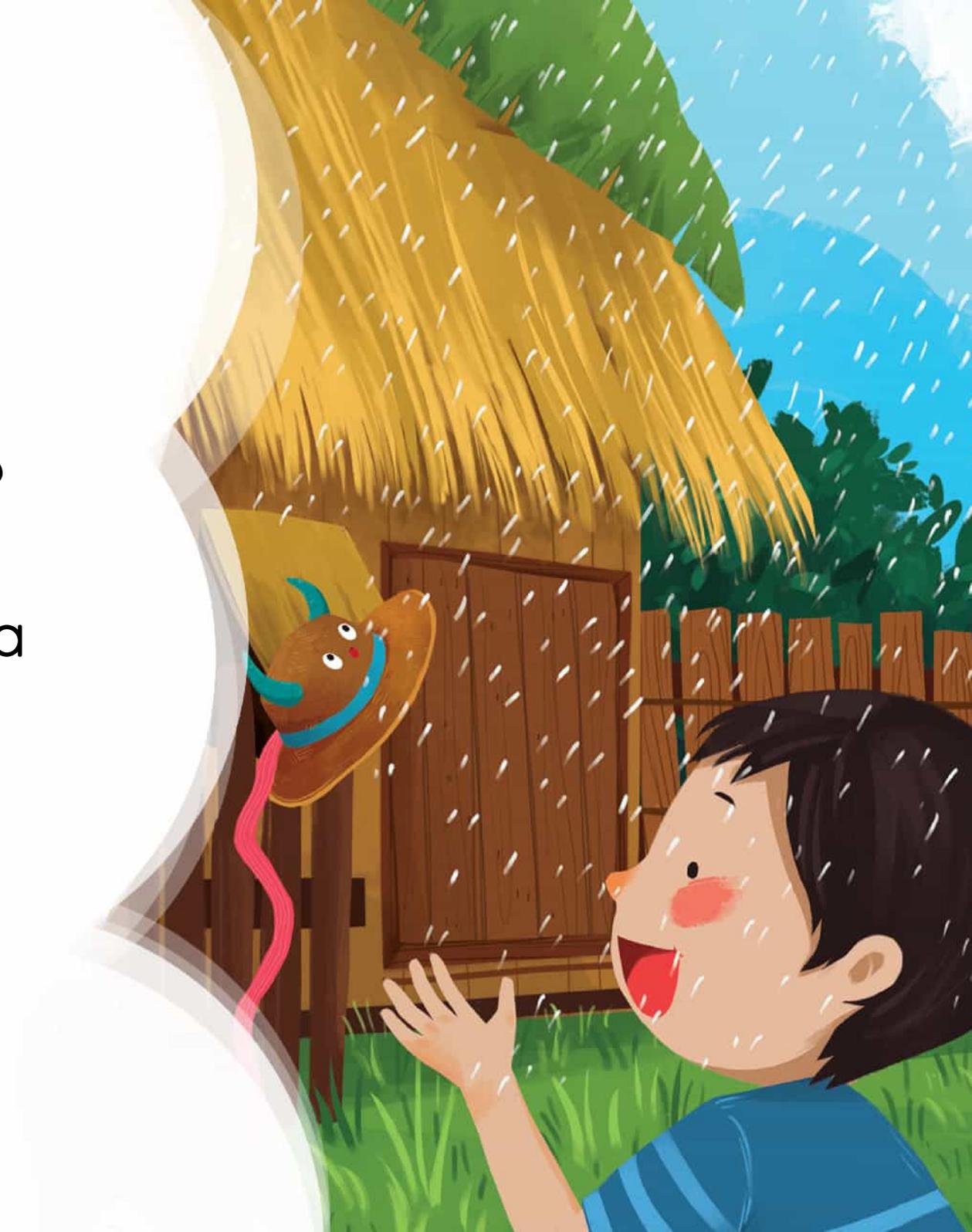
It starts to rain. I  
must go home for  
the day, hat or no  
hat.





We stay on the  
trail. The drops of  
rain make my scalp  
all wet.

My hat! Did it  
snag on the gate?  
A ray of sun on a  
day of rain.





I jam my hat back  
on, and we play as  
the sun sets.



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