



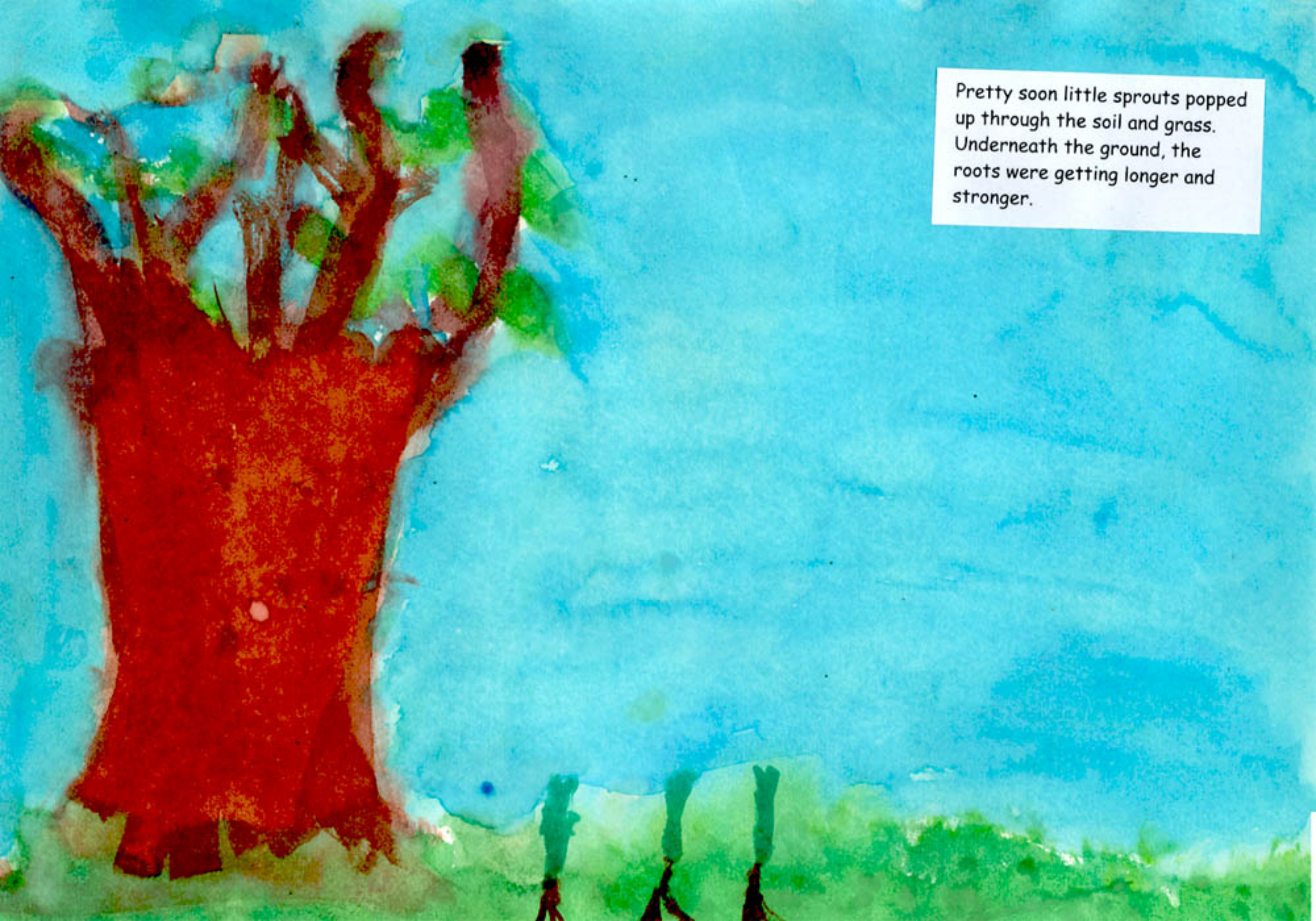
One day a bird who was carrying some seeds in his mouth flew over a grassy spot. Oops! He dropped three of the seeds.



The day after the bird dropped the seeds, it started to rain really hard. The seeds got buried under the soil because of the strong rain. The soil got soaked.




After the rainstorm the sun came out. The sun dried the rain up and shined on the grass.



Pretty soon little sprouts popped up through the soil and grass. Underneath the ground, the roots were getting longer and stronger.



The sprouts also grew longer and stronger. Buds grew at the tops of the sprouts and leaves grew on the sides of the plant stems.



Finally, they blossomed! They were three beautiful flowers - so beautiful that ...



someone picked them and put them in a vase and wrote a story about them!