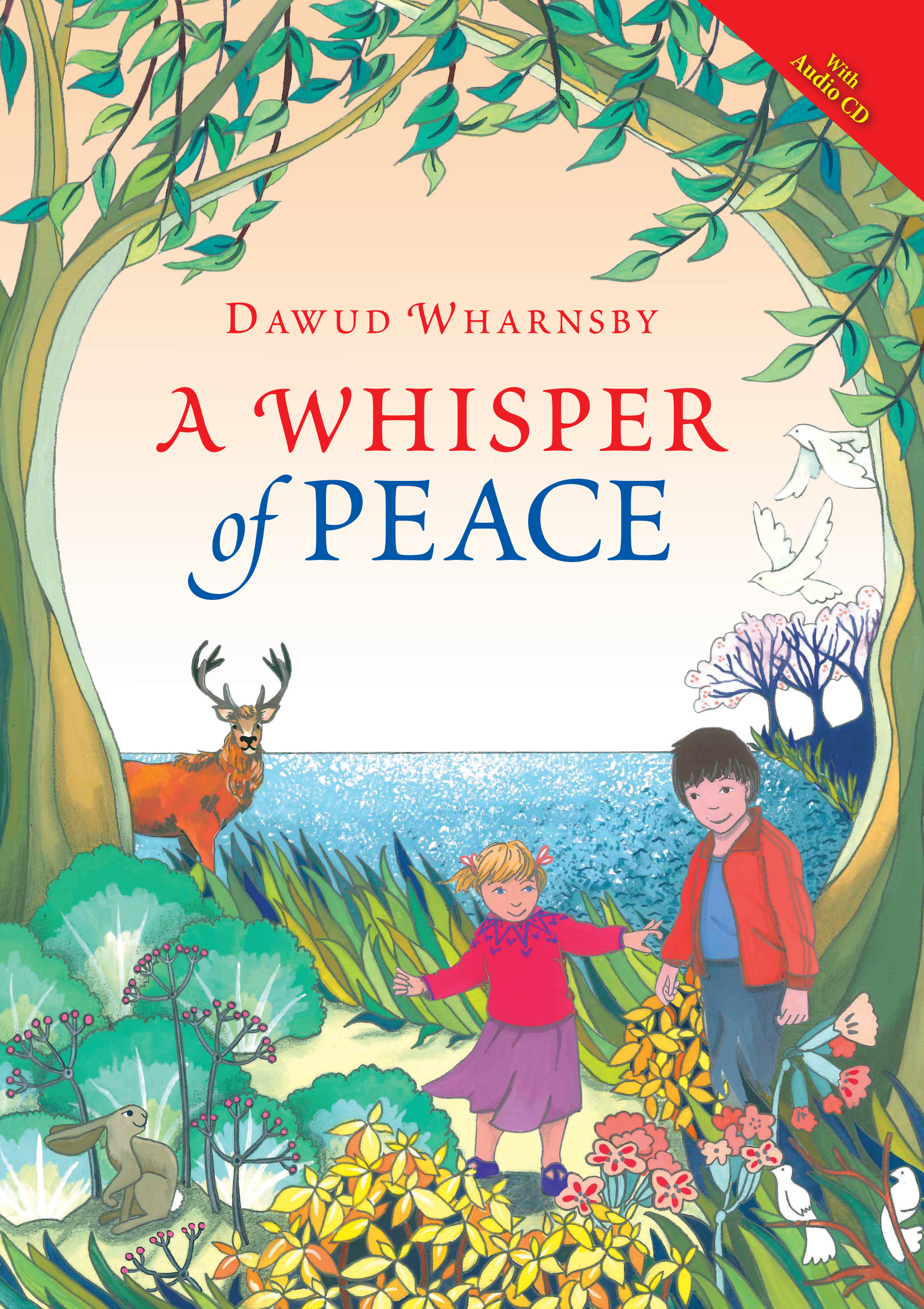


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A WHISPER
of PEACE



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*To the memory of my mother,
Mary Janet Wharnsby (1938–2012),
who guided my dreams,
stitched my cape and encouraged me to fly.*



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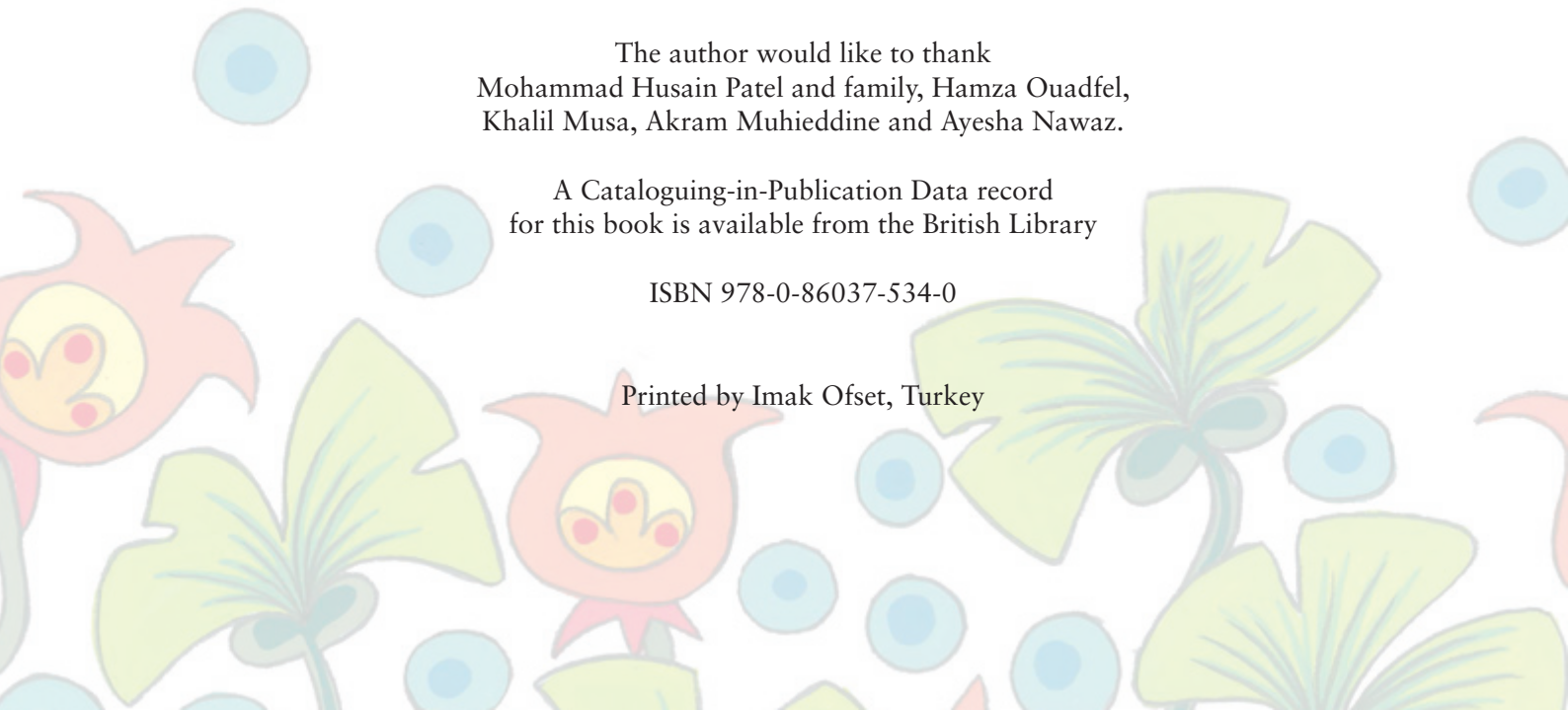
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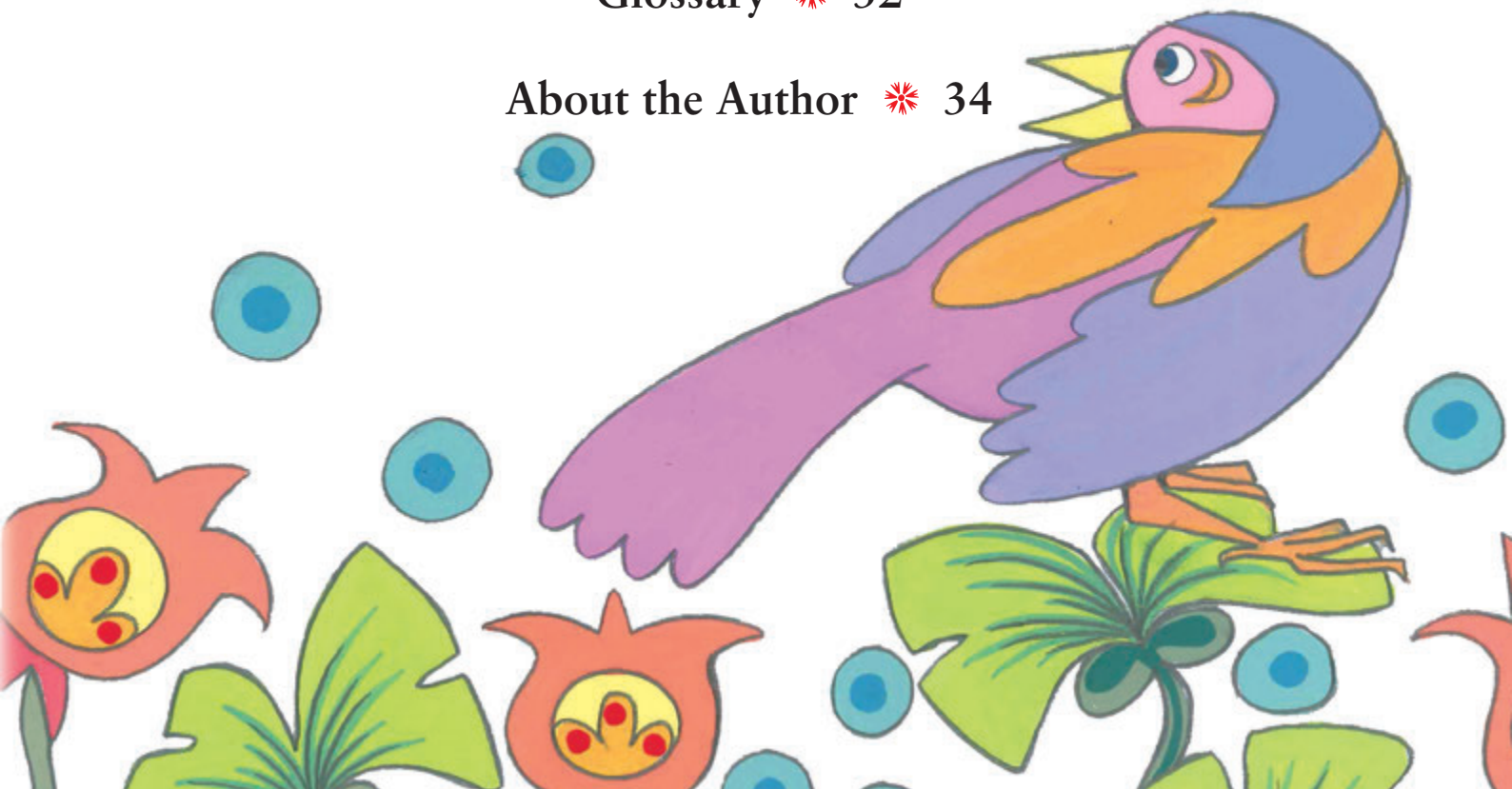
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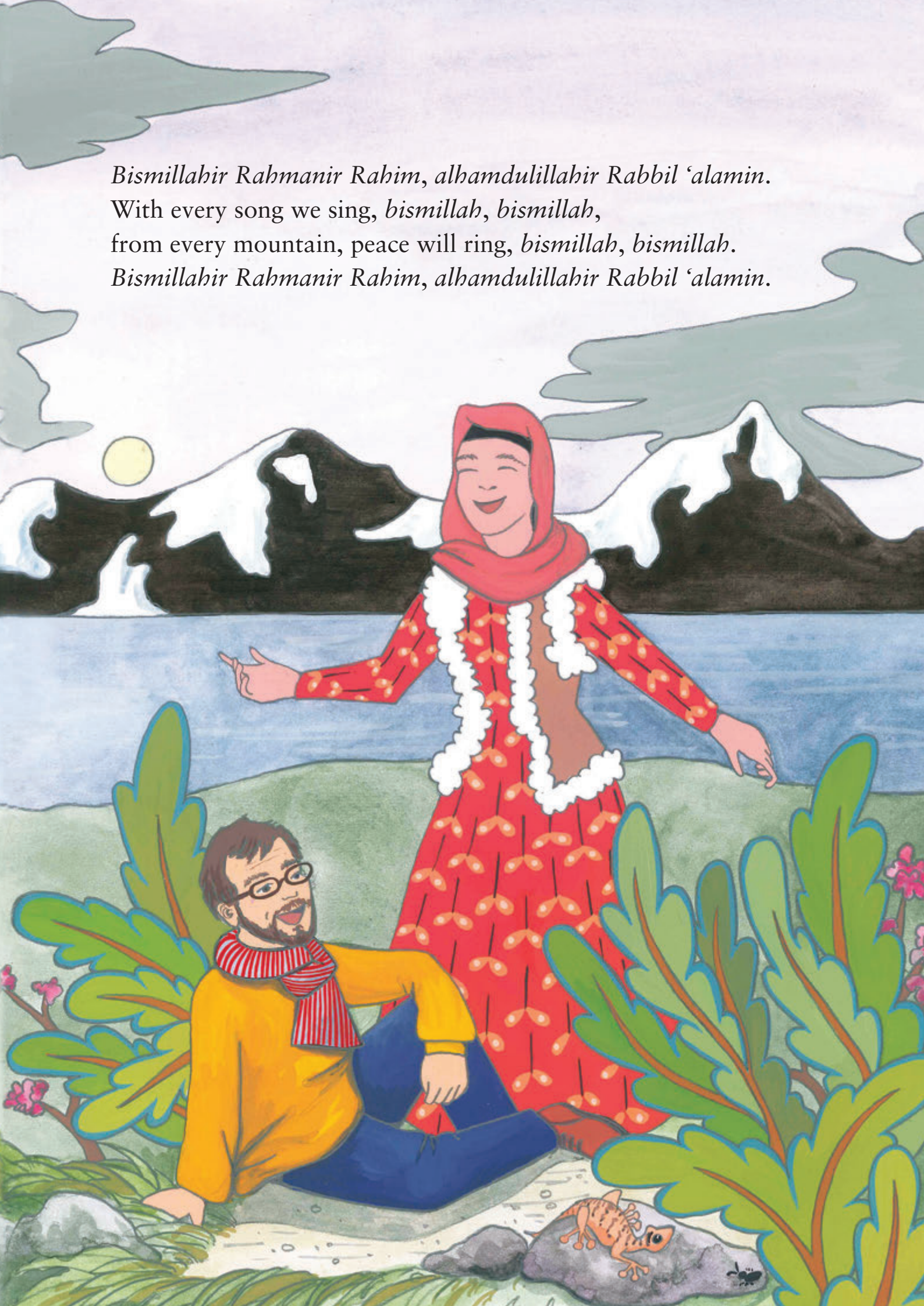
Bismillah

Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim, alhamdulillahir Rabbil 'alamin.
In the morning when we wake, *bismillah, bismillah,*
with every step we take, *bismillah, bismillah,*
with every word we say, *bismillah, bismillah,*
and every game we play, *bismillah, bismillah.*
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim, alhamdulillahir Rabbil 'alamin.

With everything we do, *bismillah, bismillah,*
with everything that's new, *bismillah, bismillah,*
with every place we go, *bismillah, bismillah,*
and every friend we know, *bismillah, bismillah.*
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim, alhamdulillahir Rabbil 'alamin.



*Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim, alhamdulillah Rabbil 'alamin.
With every song we sing, bismillah, bismillah,
from every mountain, peace will ring, bismillah, bismillah.
Bismillahir Rahmanir Rahim, alhamdulillah Rabbil 'alamin.*



Even Animals Love Qur'an

There was a chipmunk climbing up a tree,
I stopped to look at him and he stopped to look at me.
When I said "hello", he didn't understand and he went to run away,
I recited from Qur'an and he decided to stay.

Animals love to hear Qur'an, try it out some day,
they'll stop and listen carefully to every word you say.
Allah created animals, Allah created man,
and He sent a book to guide us all, even animals love Qur'an.



Sitting by a window to ponder at the sky,
I saw a little bird as it flew by.
I recited from Qur'an and it wasn't very long,
'til the bird sat near my window and it started to sing along.

Animals love to hear Qur'an, try it out some day,
they'll stop and listen carefully to every word you say.
Allah made the chipmunks and the birds, Allah created man,
and He sent a book to guide us all, even animals love Qur'an.





Playing in the yard on a warm, sunny day
a shy little kitten watched me play.

I bent down to pat him on the head but I think he was scared of me,
I recited from Qur'an, he smiled and brushed against my knee.

Animals love to hear Qur'an, try it out some day,
they'll stop and listen carefully to every word you say.
Allah made the chipmunks, birds and cats, Allah created man,
and He sent a book to guide us all, even animals love Qur'an.

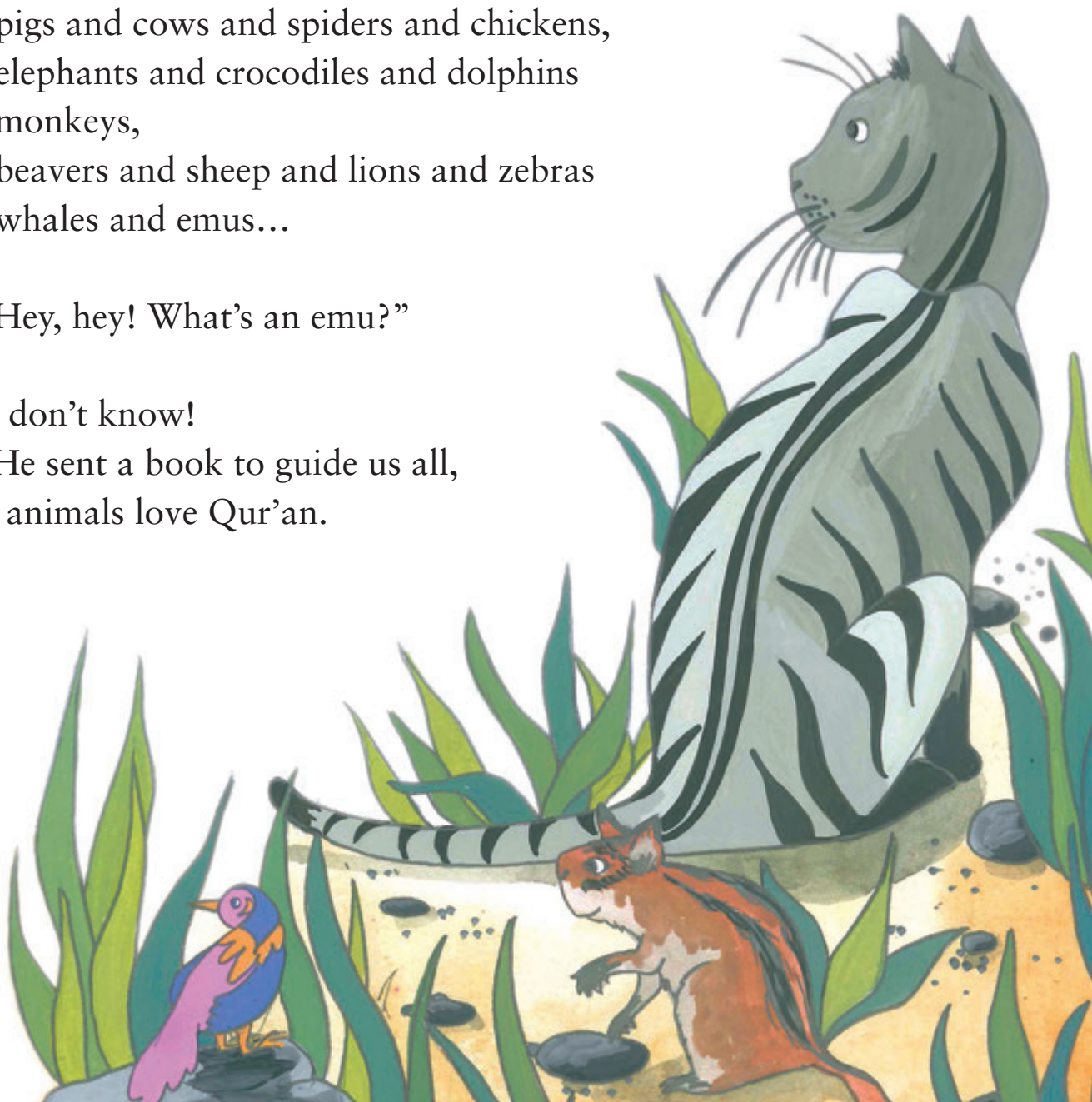
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they'll stop and listen carefully to every word you say.
Allah created animals, Allah is *Ar Rahman*,
'cause He sent a book to guide us all,
even animals love Qur'an.

Allah made horses and dogs and bats,
and camels and gnats,
and pigs and cows and spiders and chickens,
and elephants and crocodiles and dolphins
and monkeys,
and beavers and sheep and lions and zebras
and whales and emus...

... "Hey, hey! What's an emu?"

Oh I don't know!
But He sent a book to guide us all,
even animals love Qur'an.



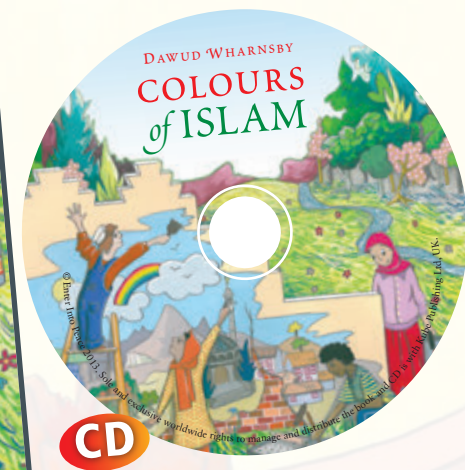
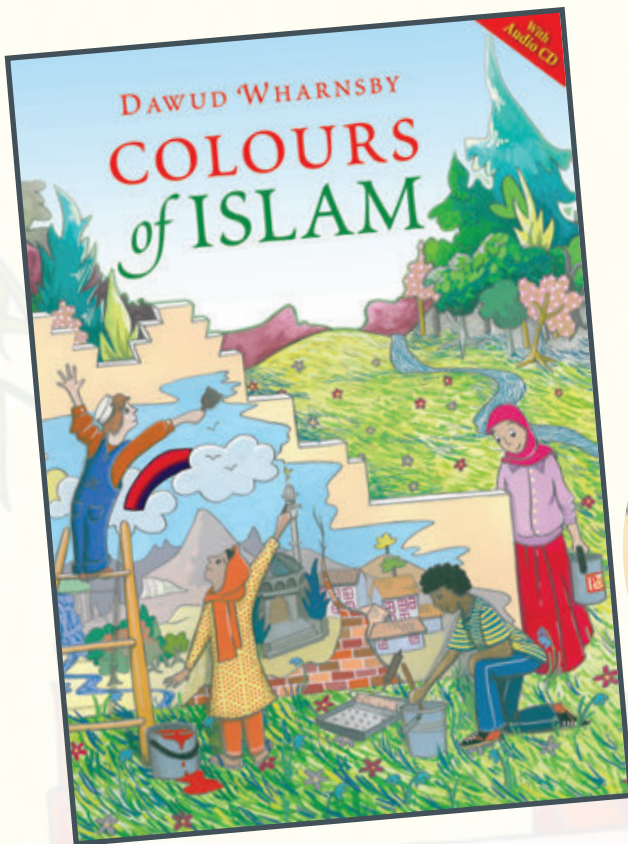
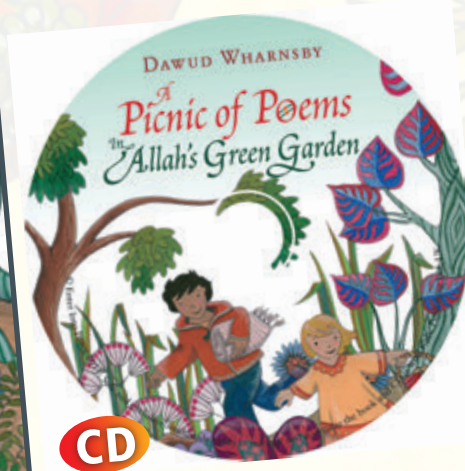
About the Author

Dawud Wharnsby was born in Canada in 1972. He has been writing stories, songs and poems for people of all ages for many years. When he is not travelling to sing with audiences around the world, he loves being with his family – growing vegetables, farming bees and fixing things that get broken around the house. Dawud loves adventures and being outdoors so much that he is an official Ambassador for Scouting (UK), encouraging young people to take care of the earth and build strong communities. Dawud also serves as an Ambassador for the UK based charities MADE in Europe and Trees 4 Life. The Wharnsby family lives seasonally between their homes in Pakistan, Canada and the United States.

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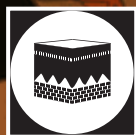
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