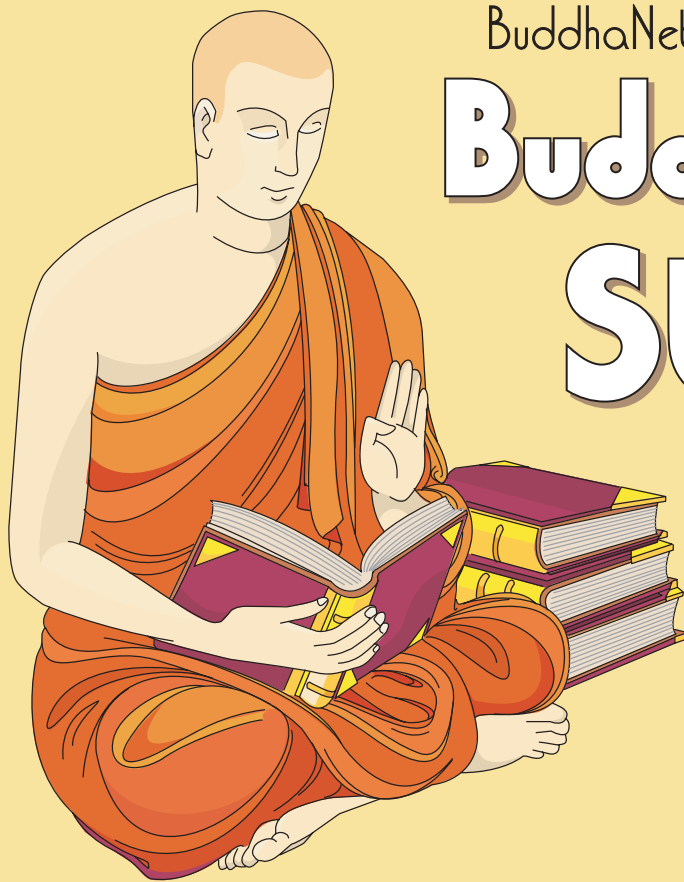


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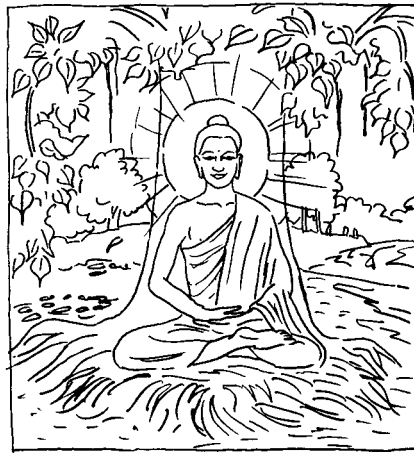
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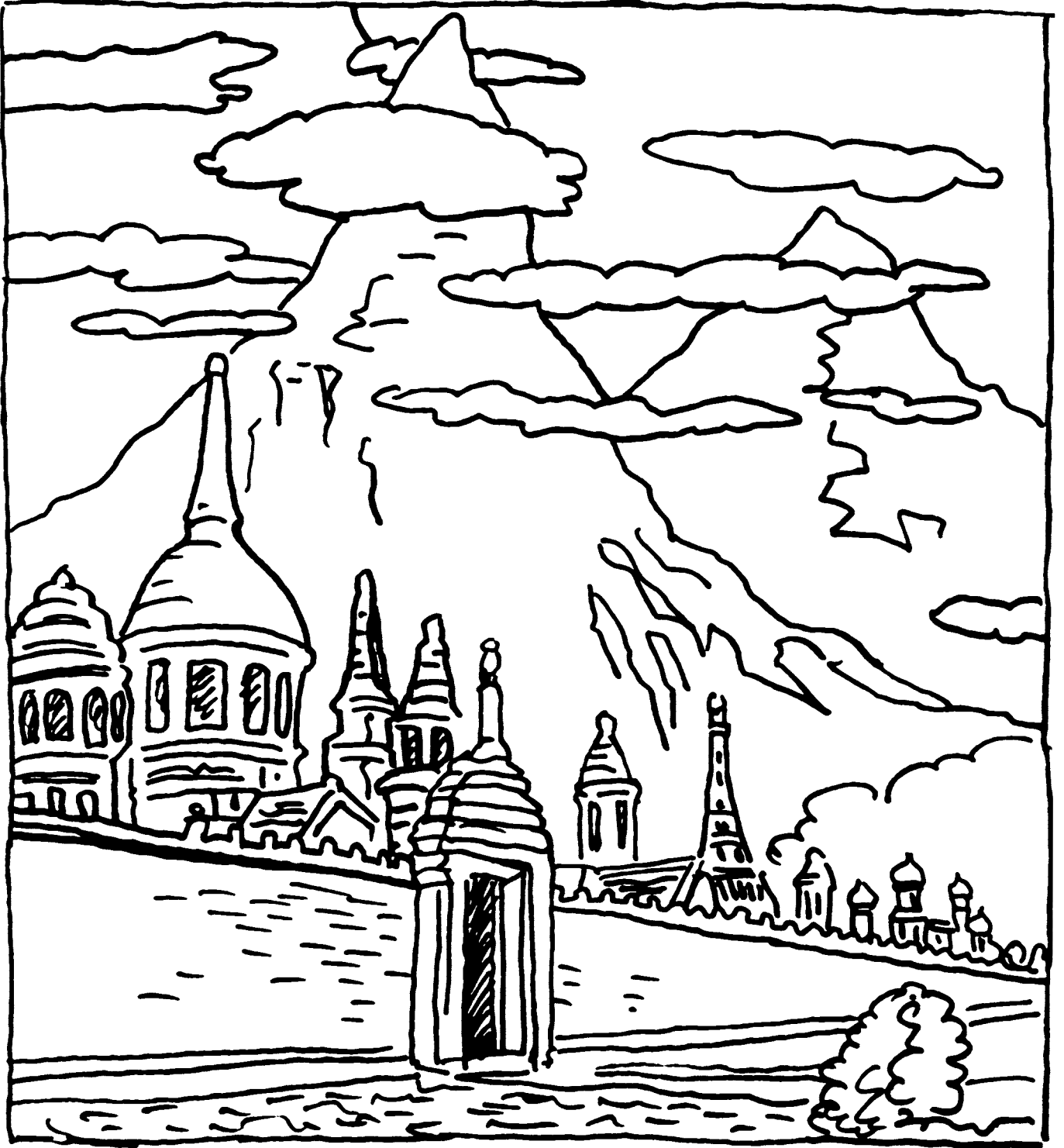
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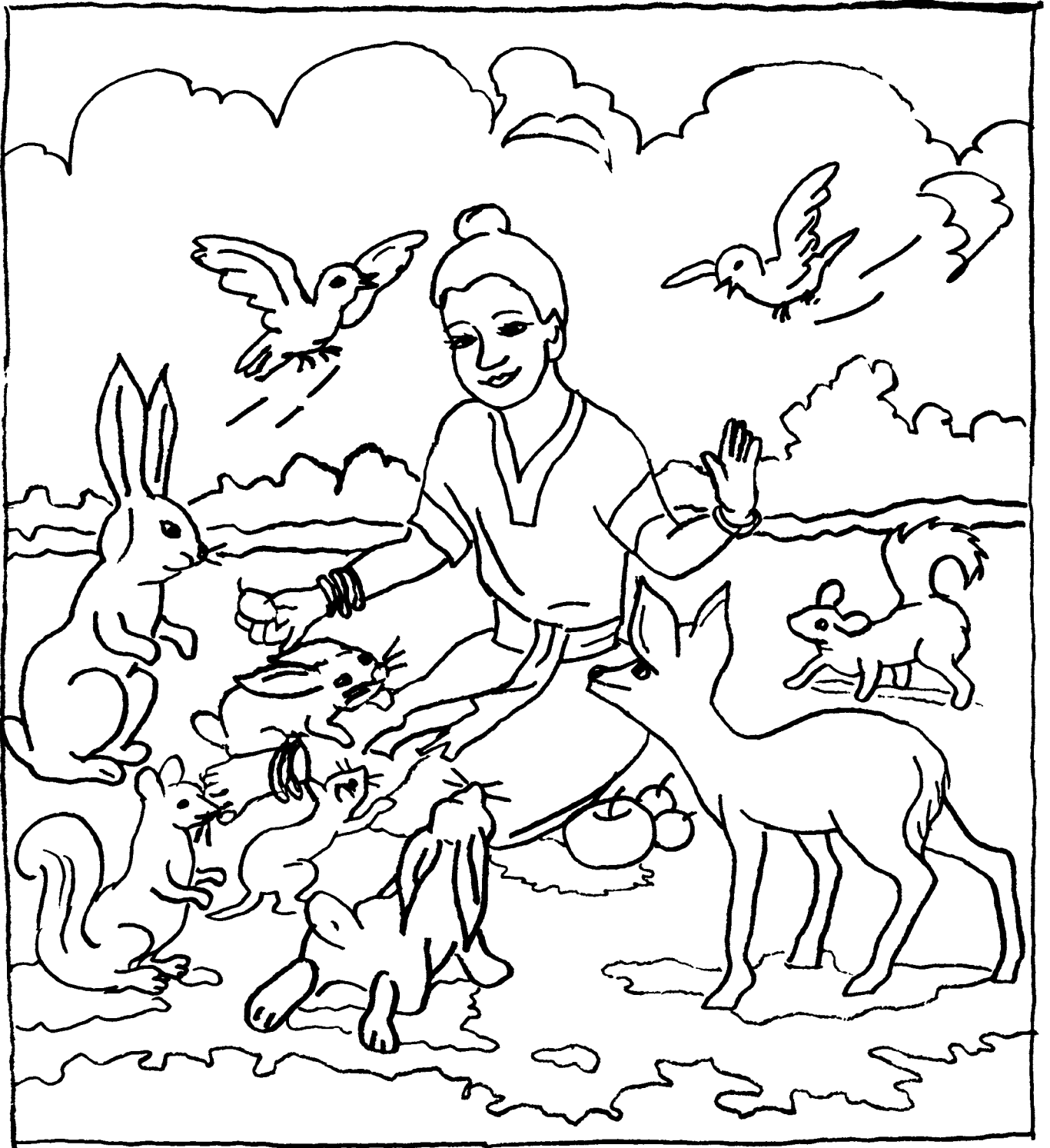
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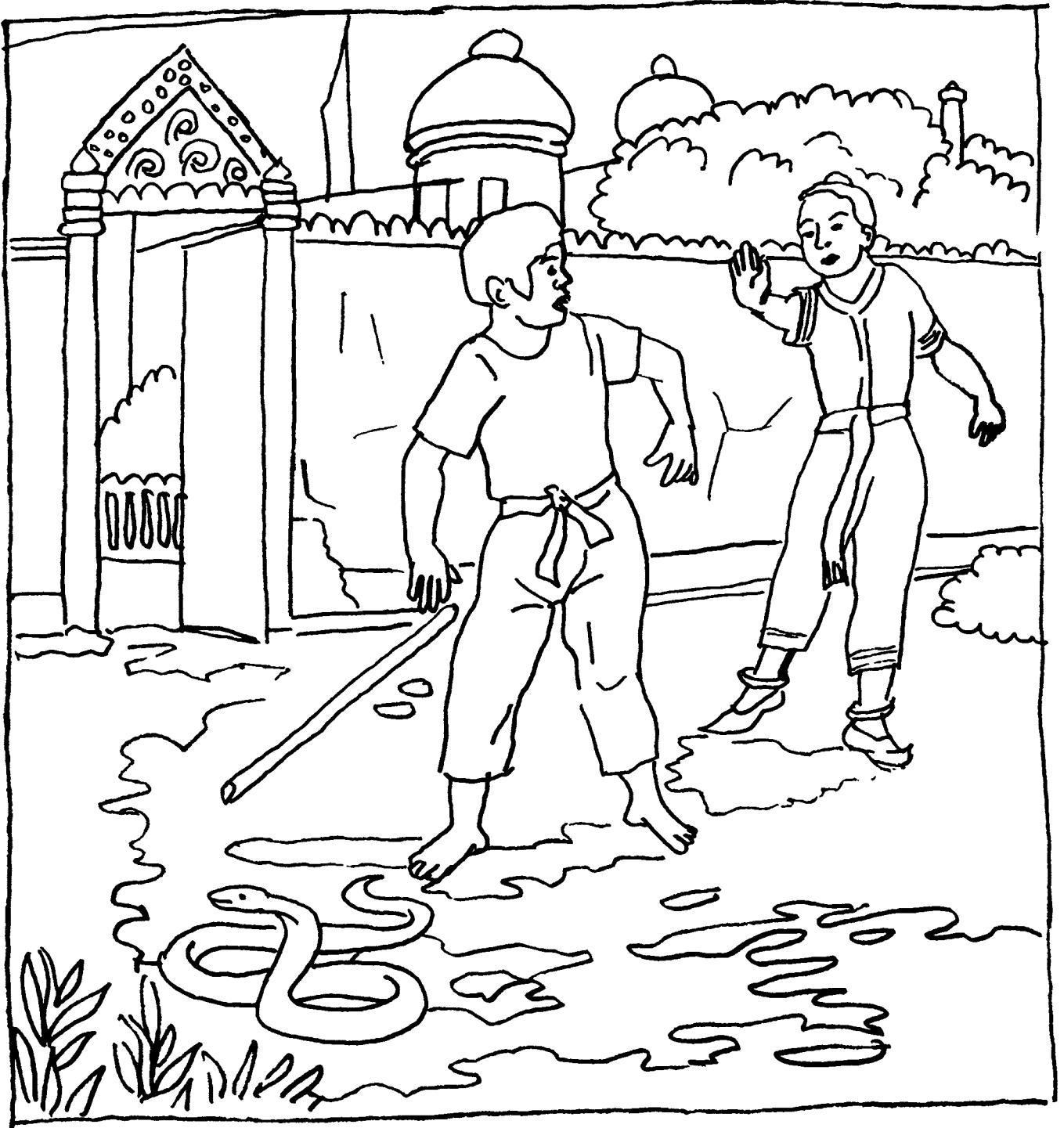
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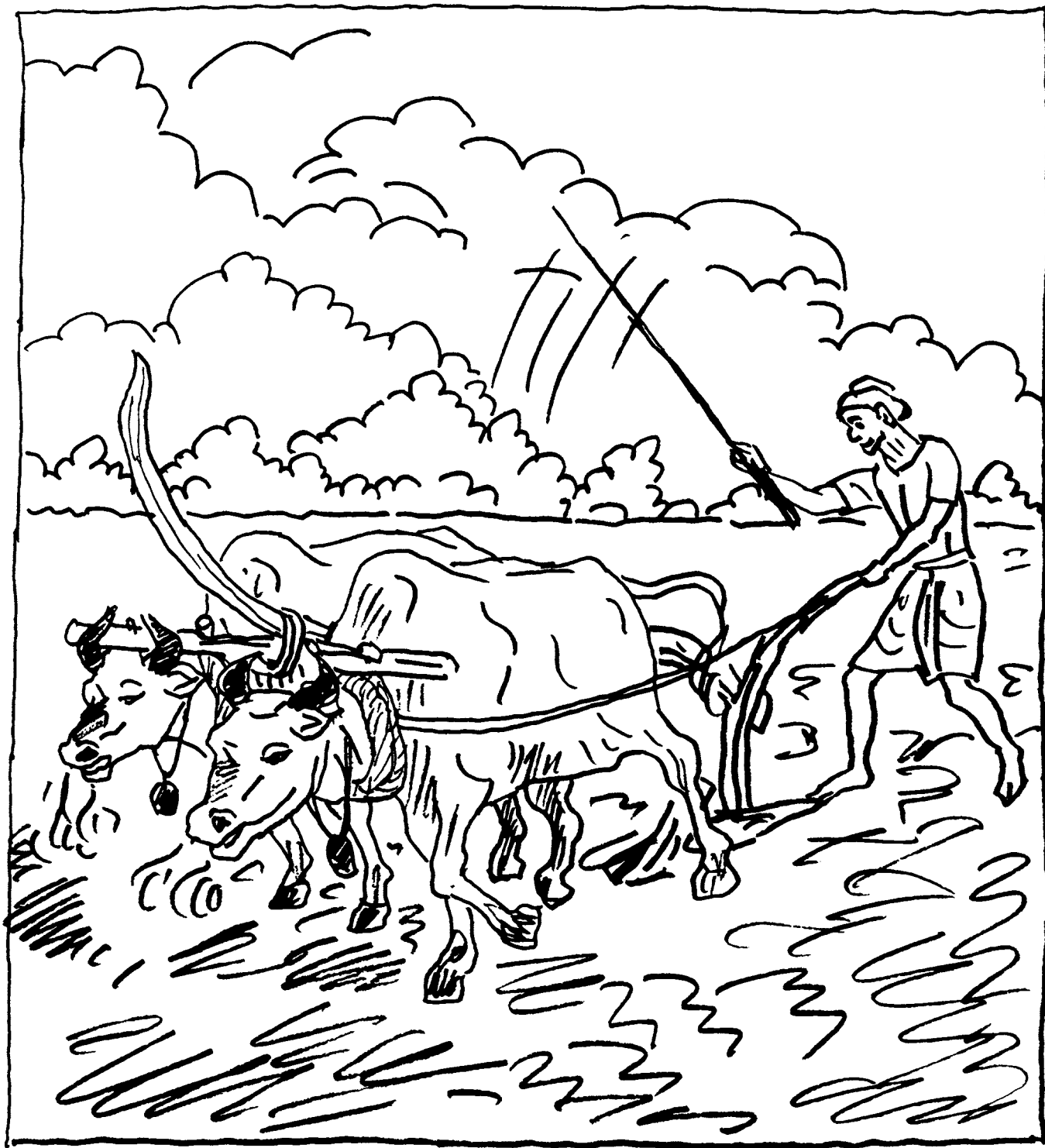
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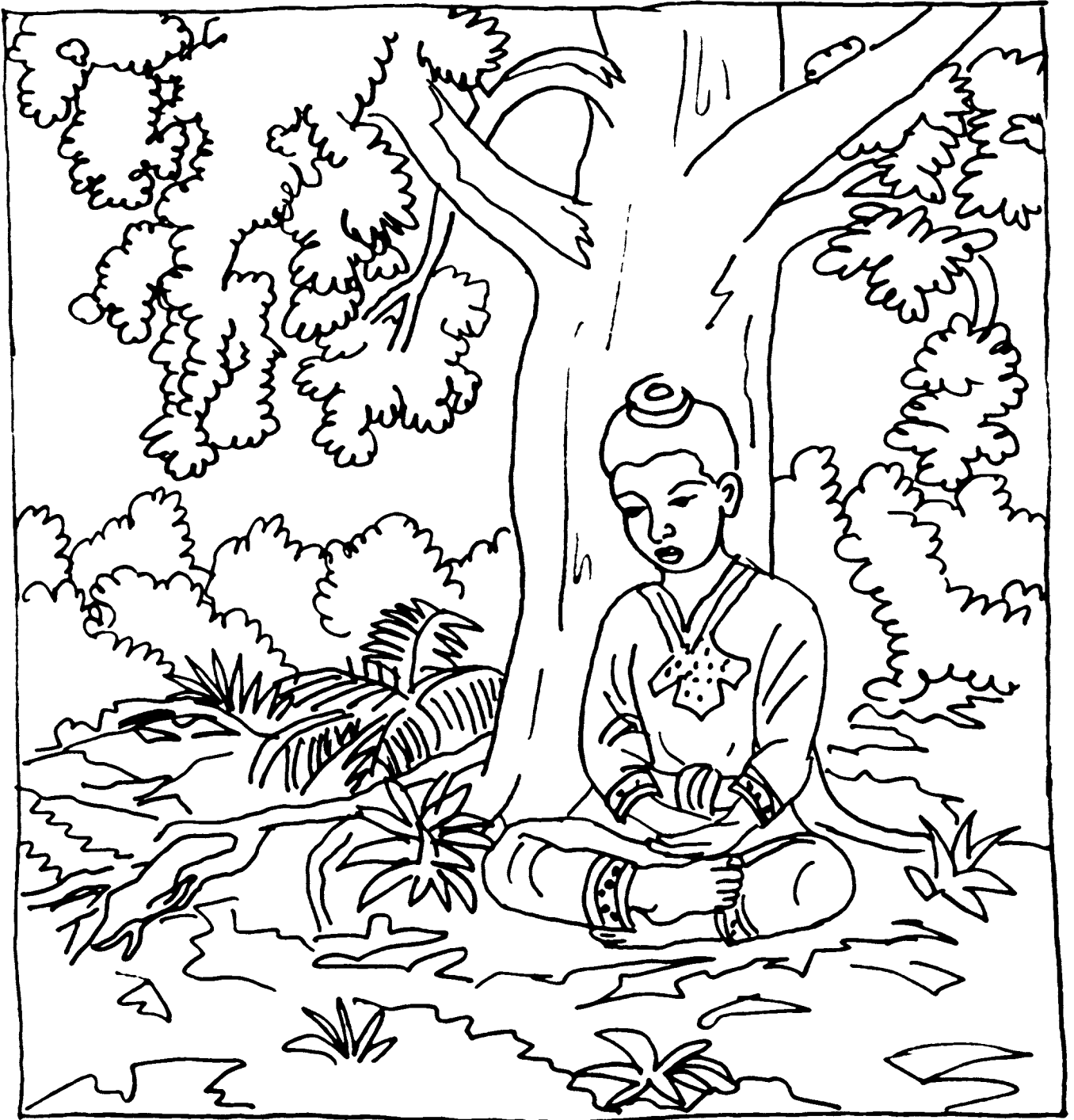
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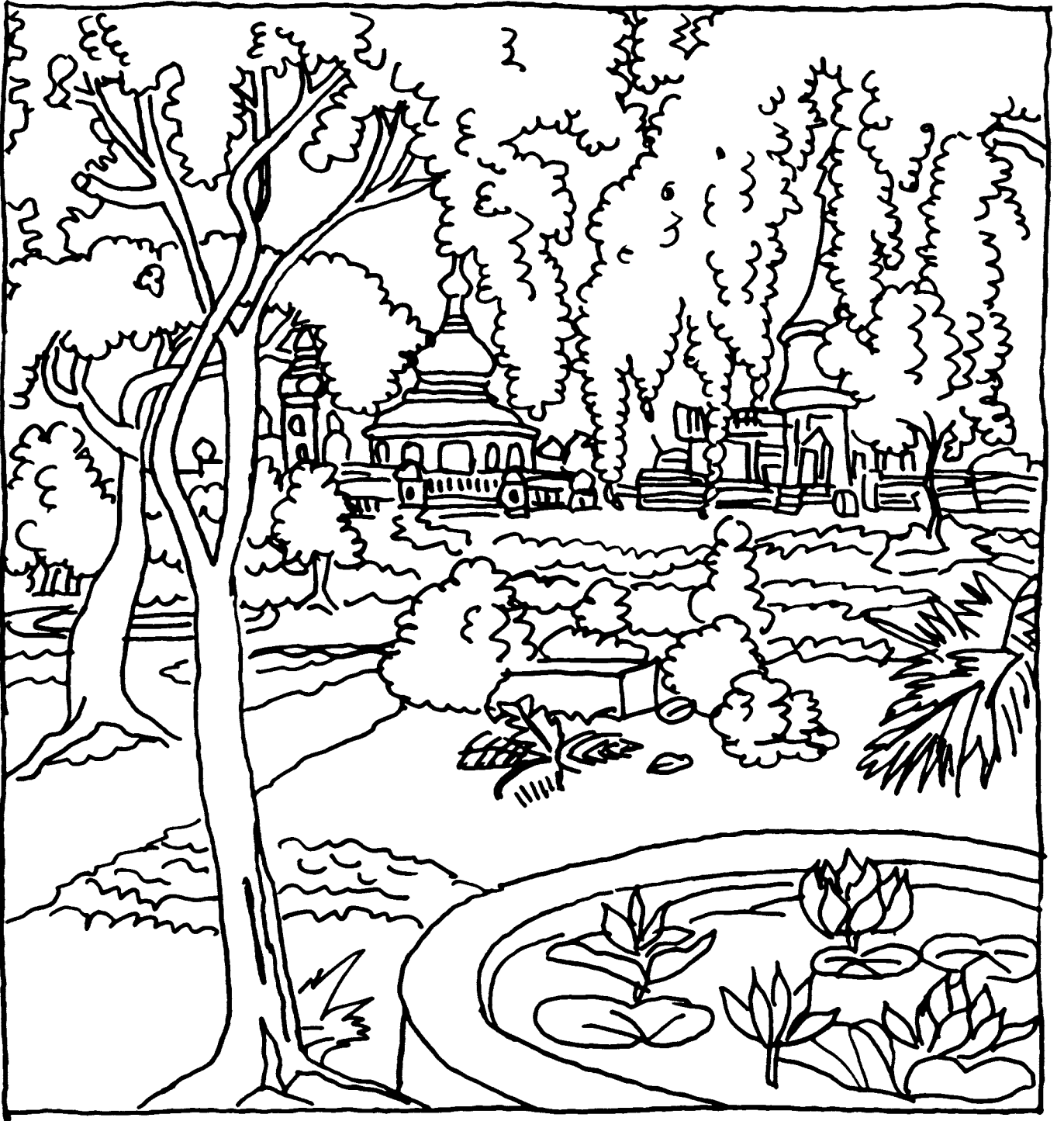
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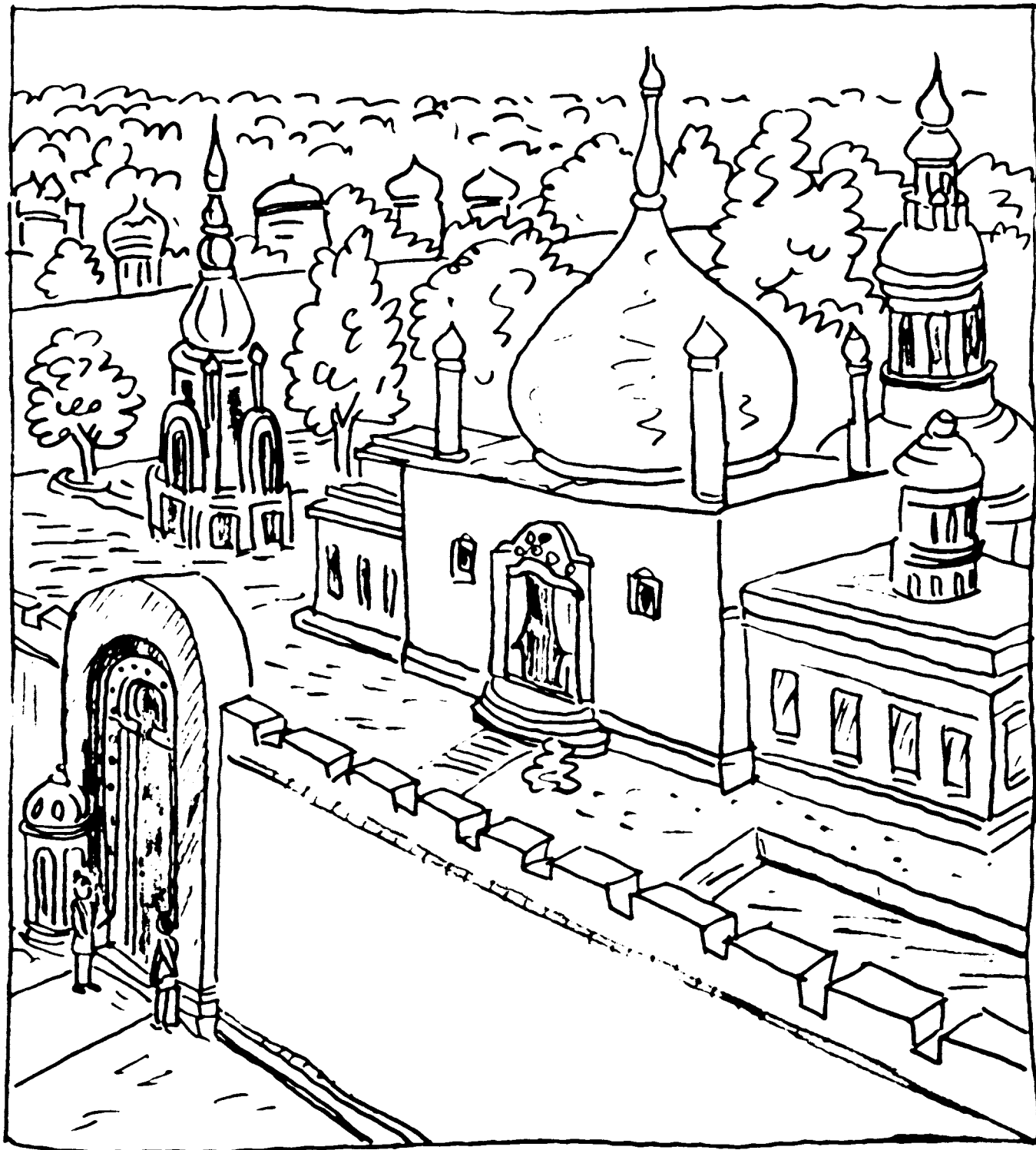
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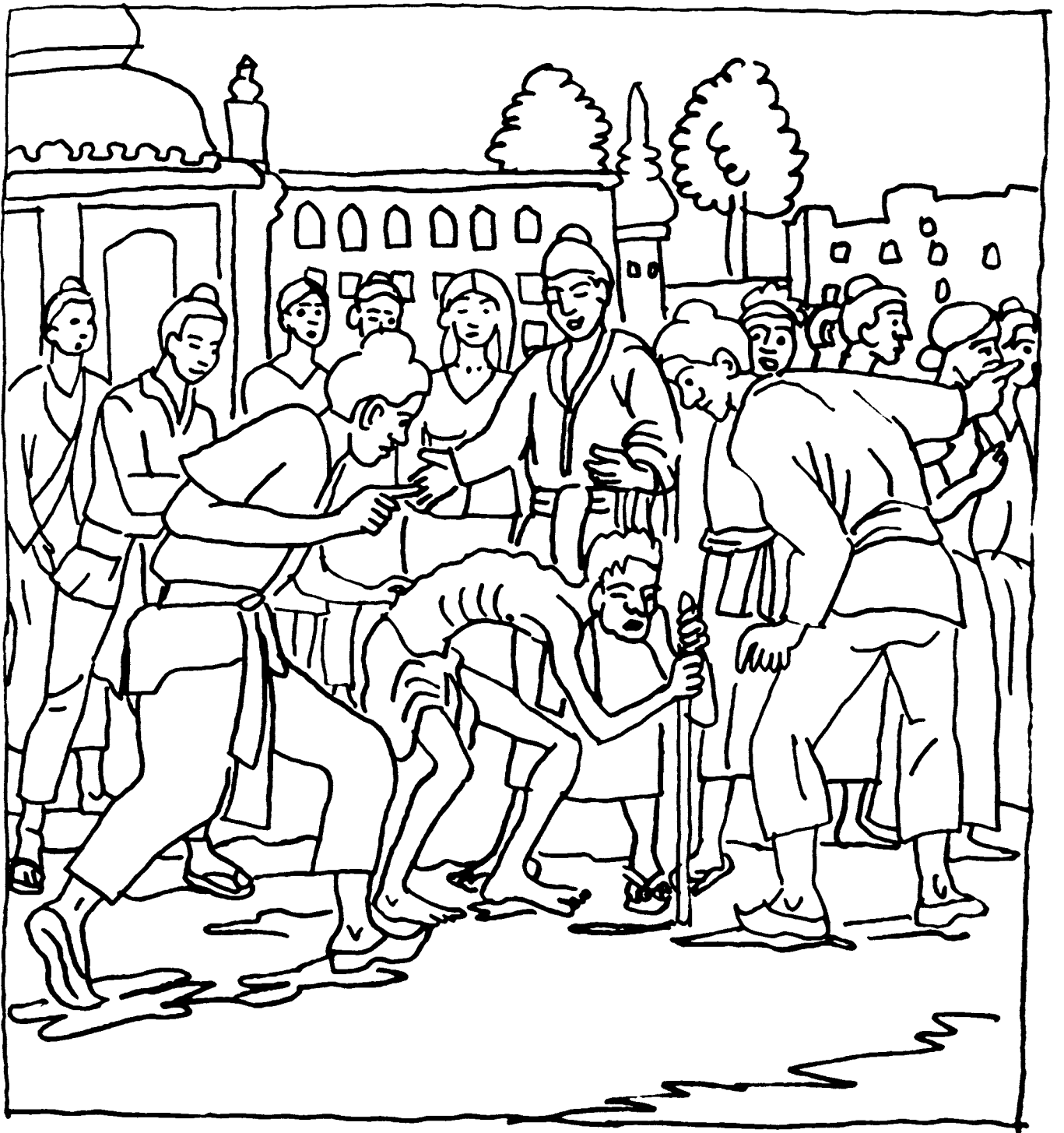
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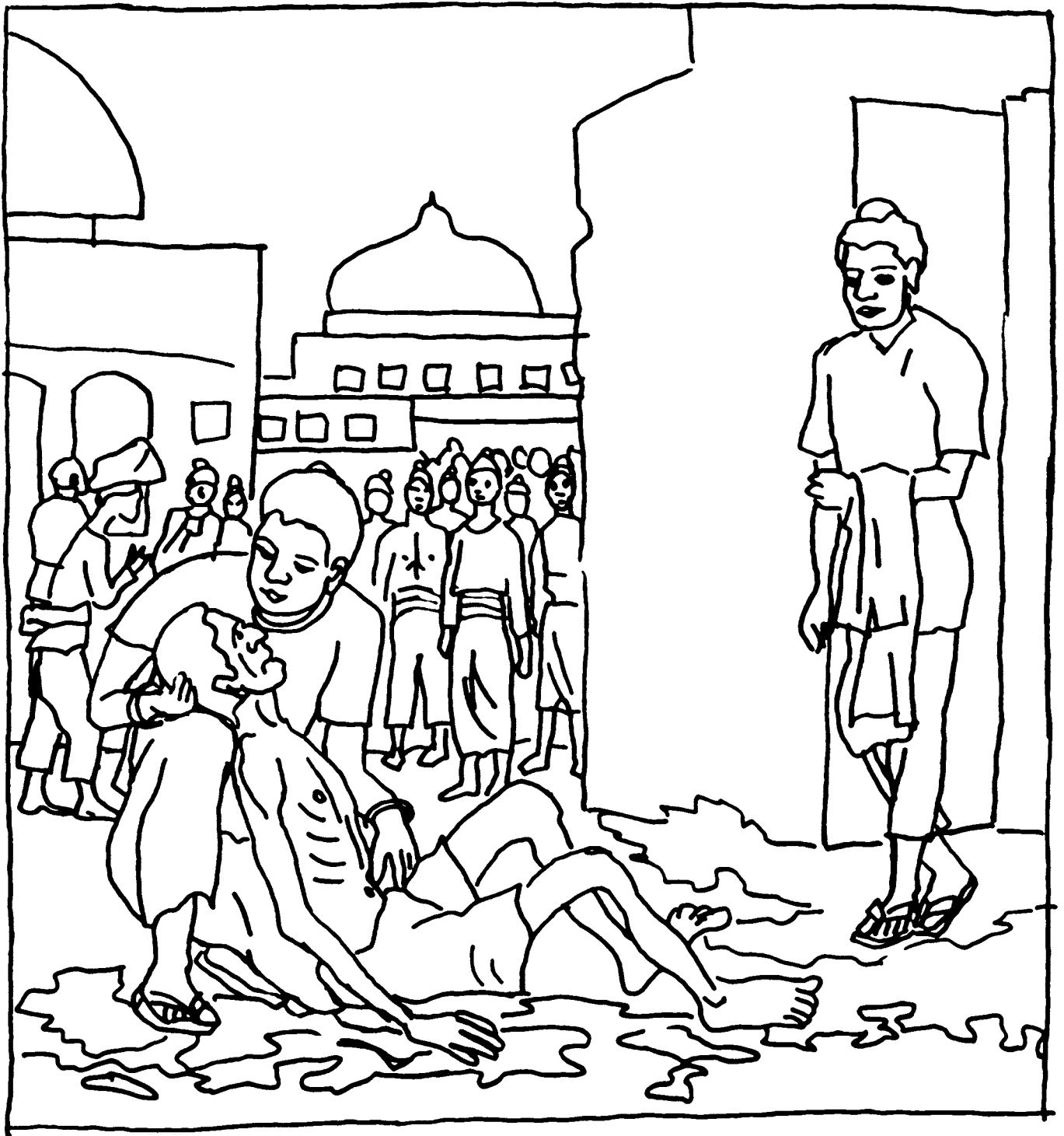
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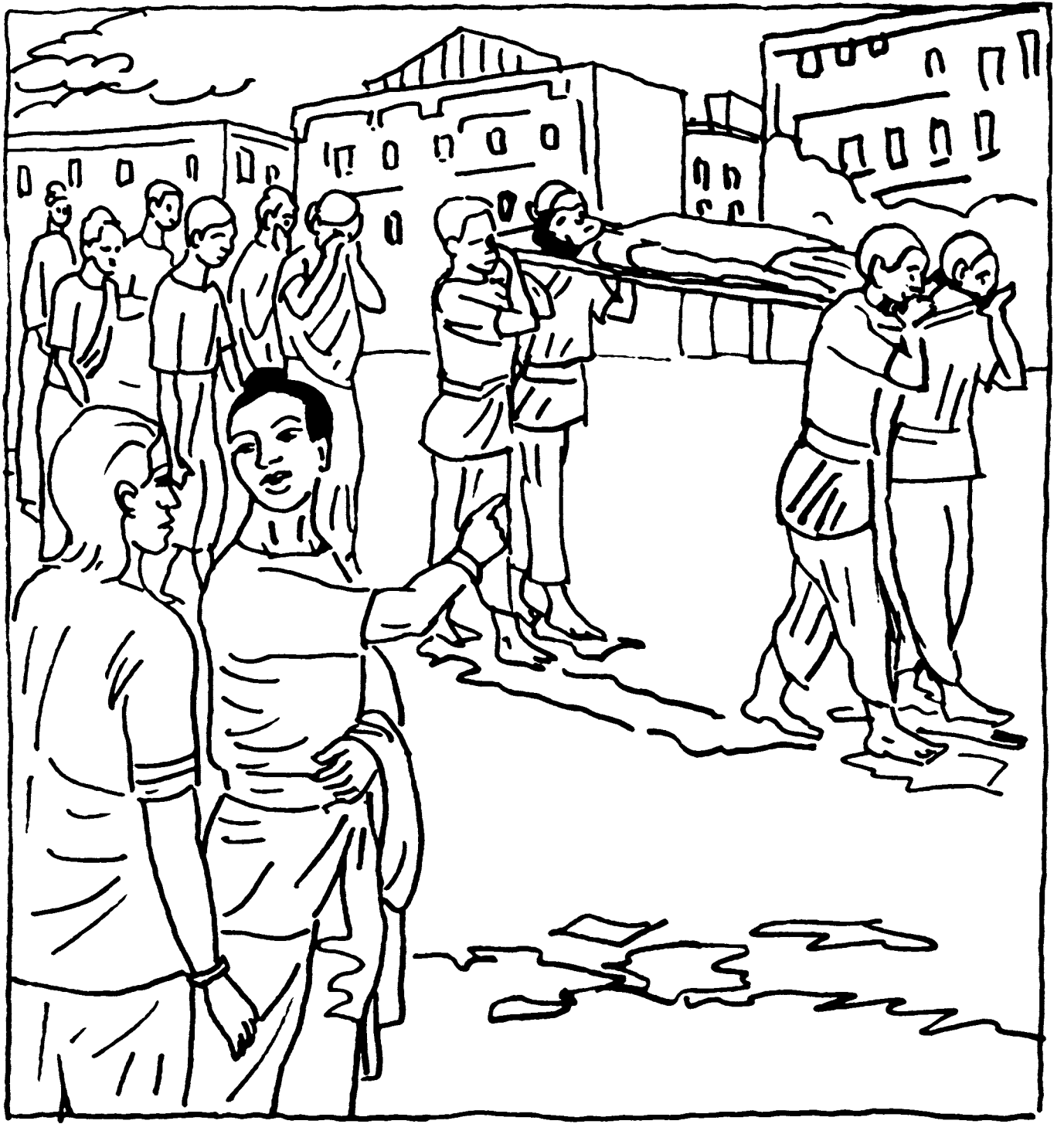
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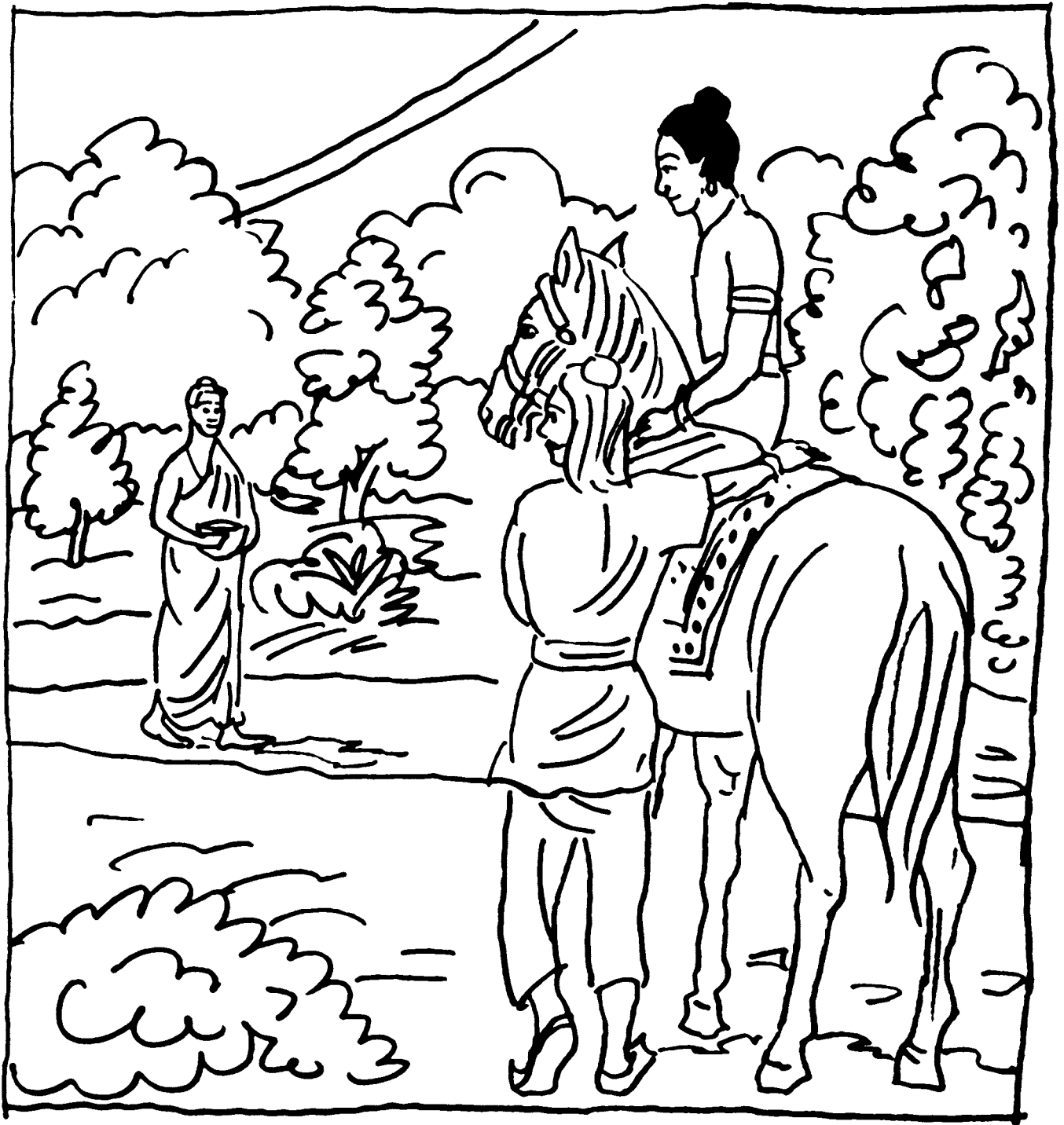
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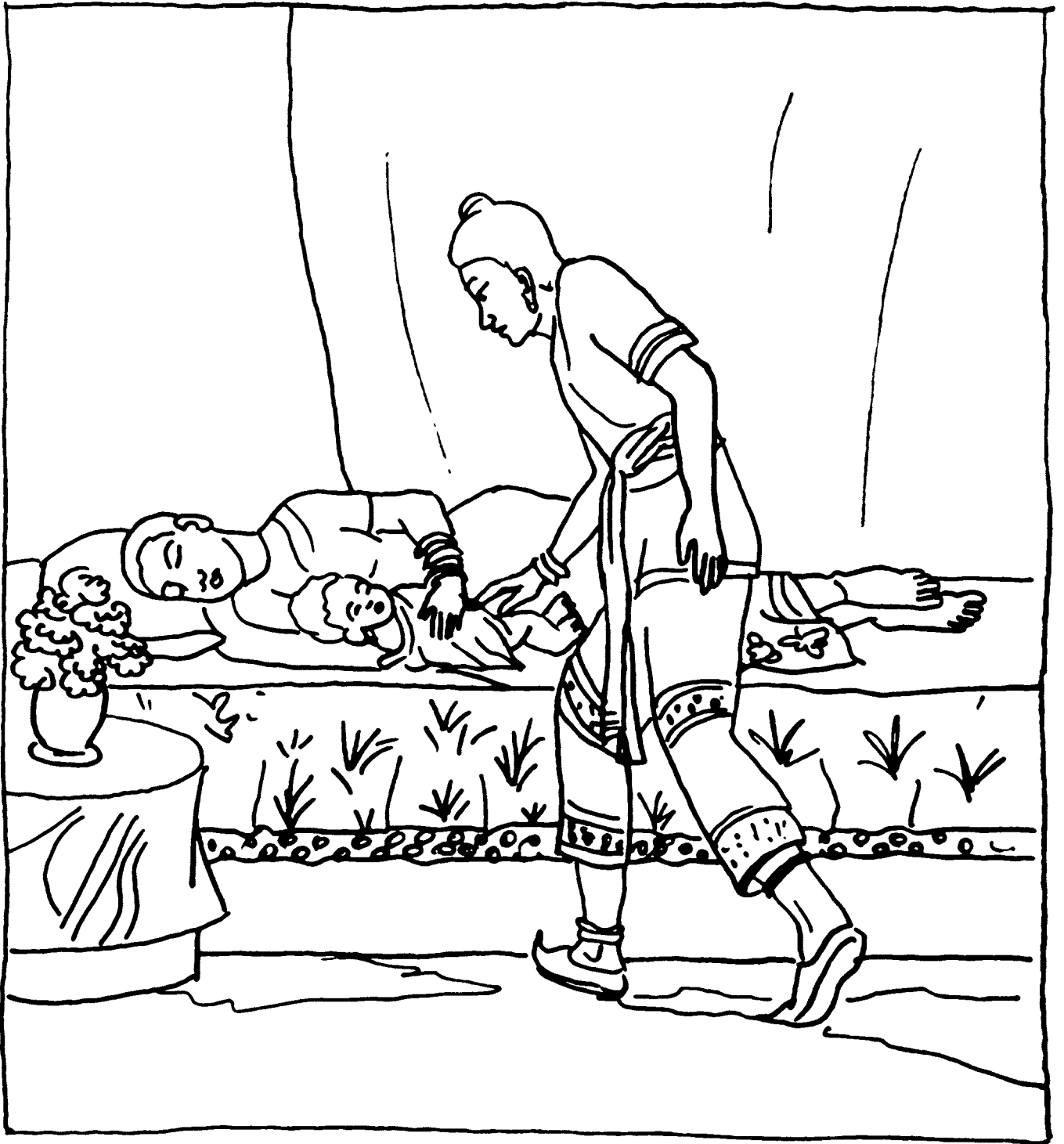
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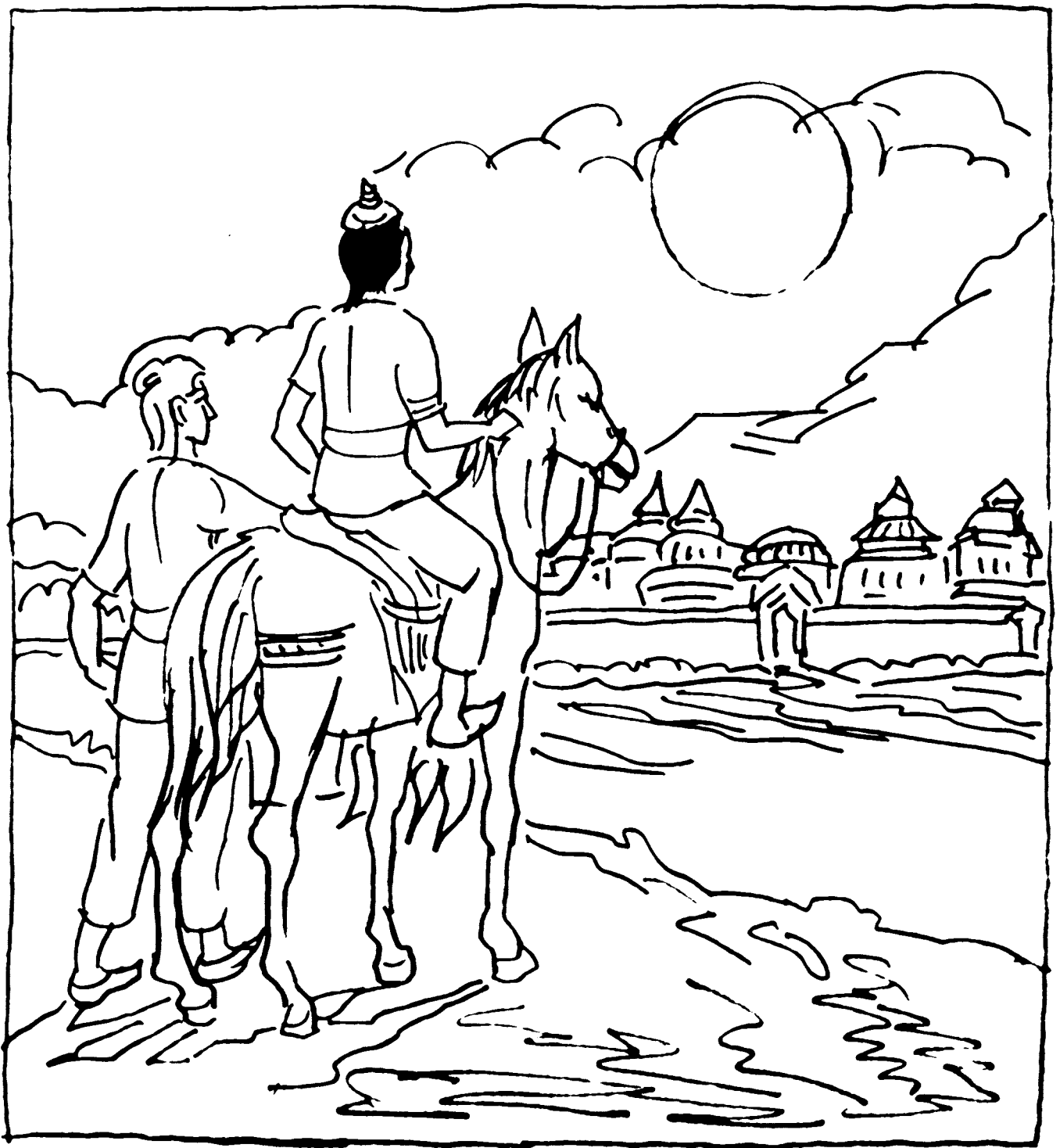
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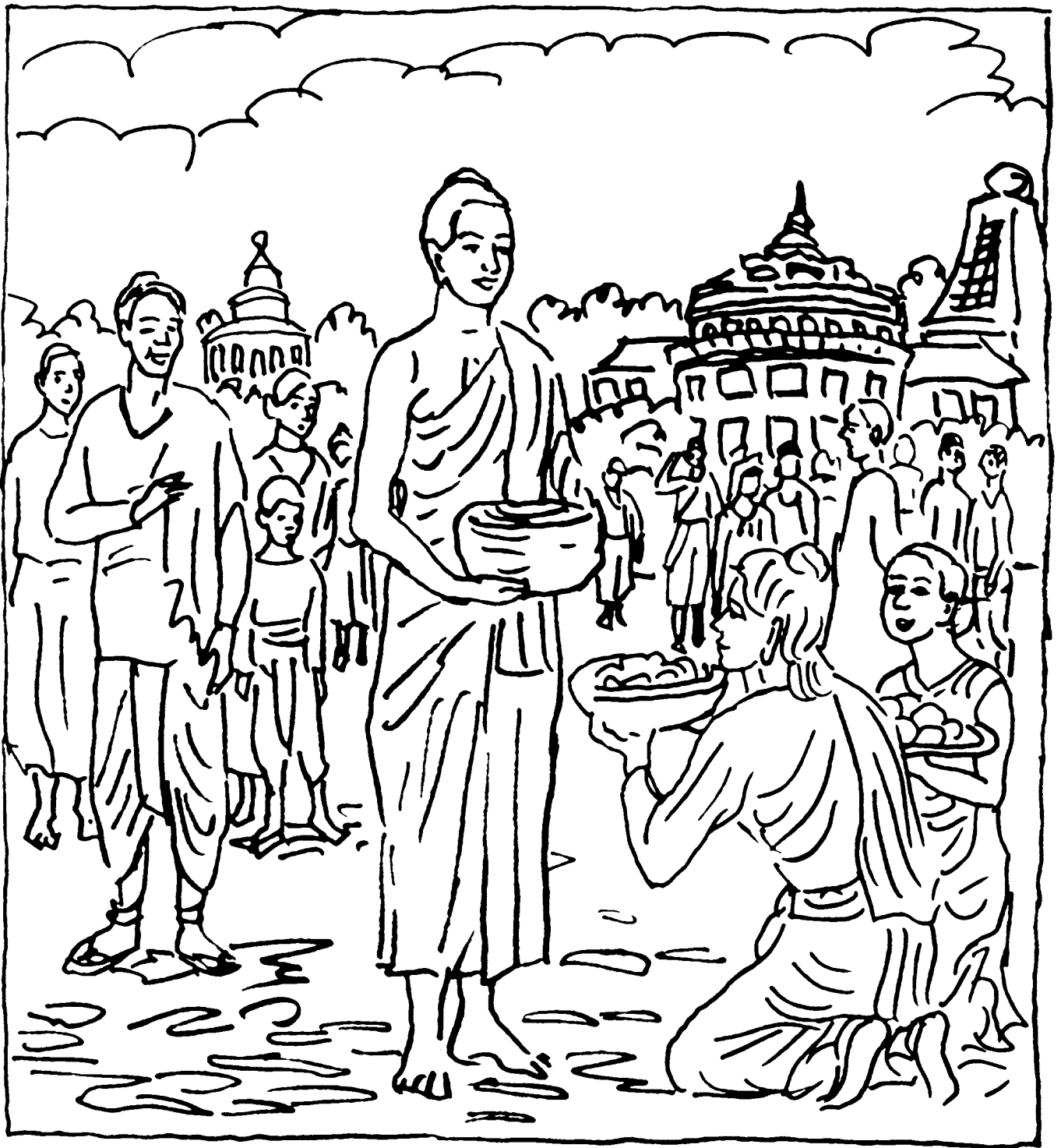
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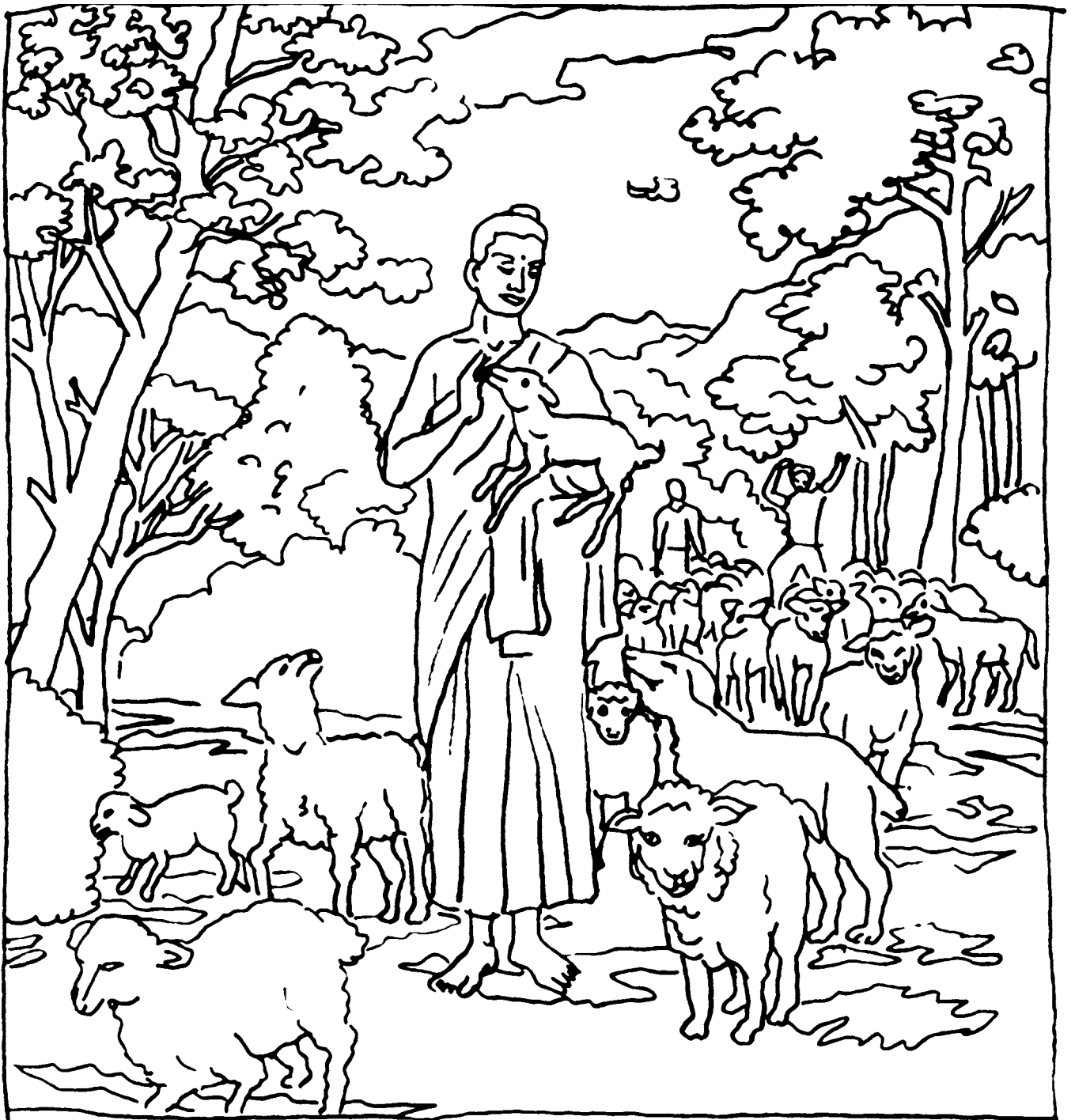
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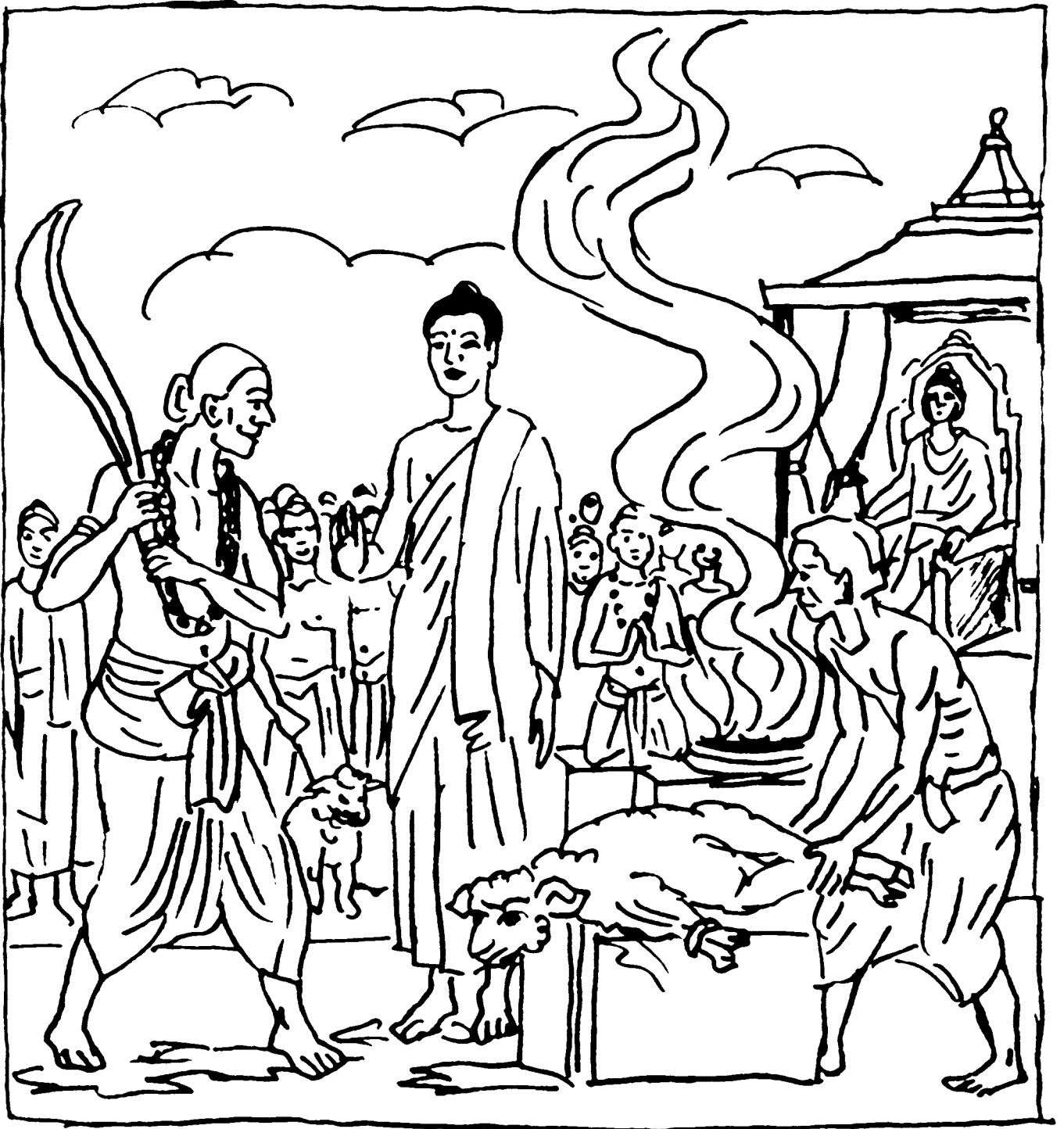
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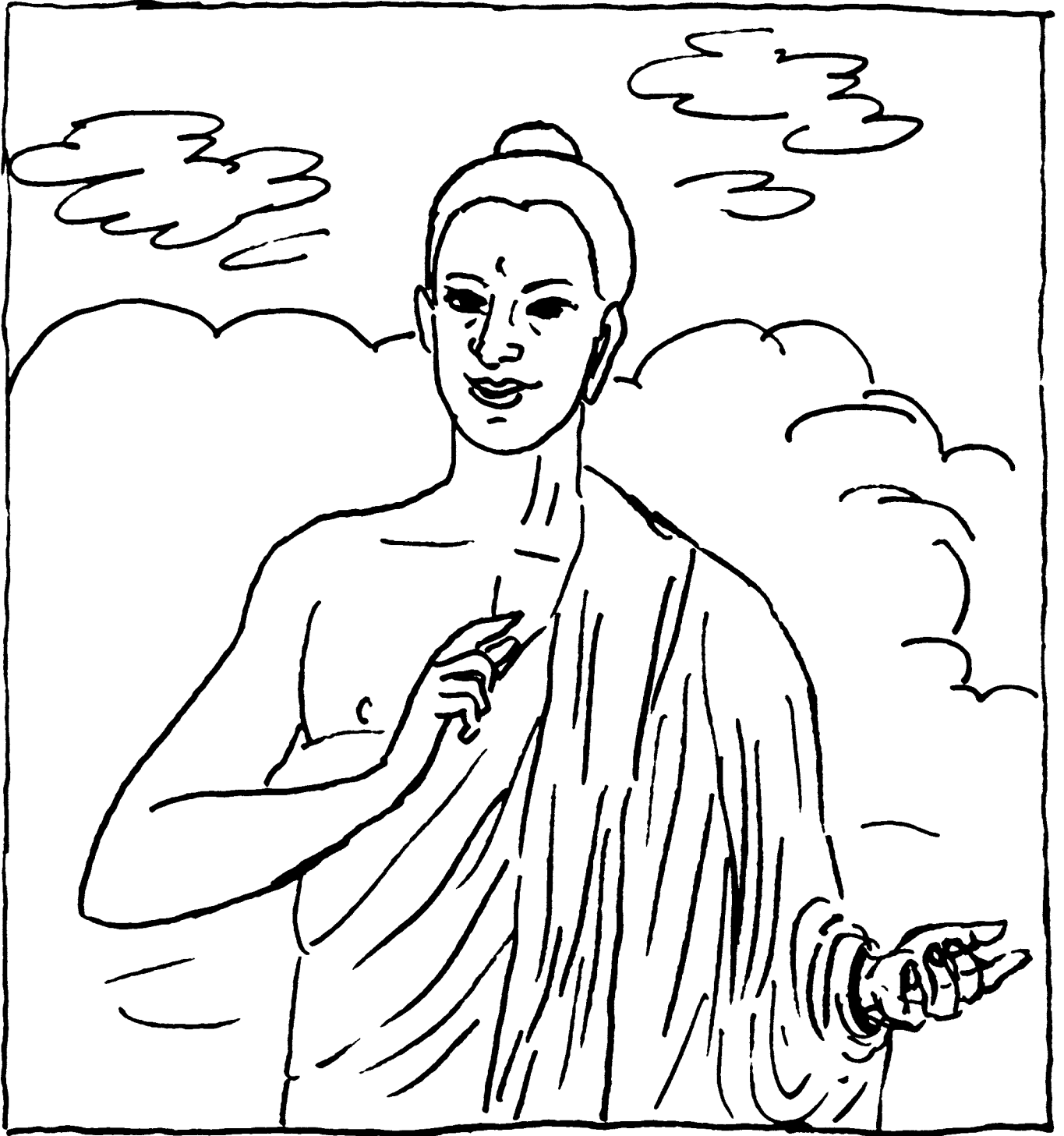
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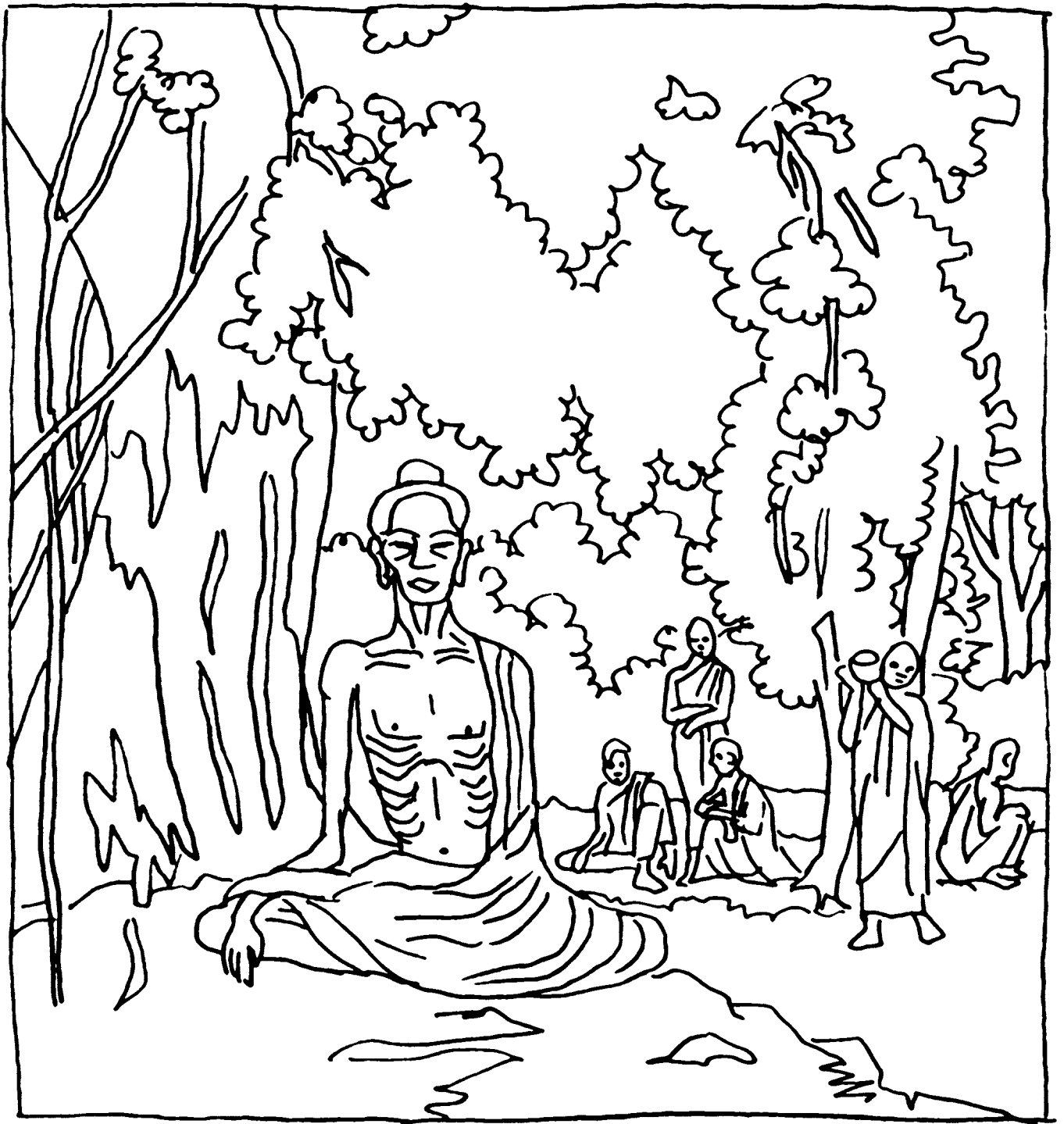
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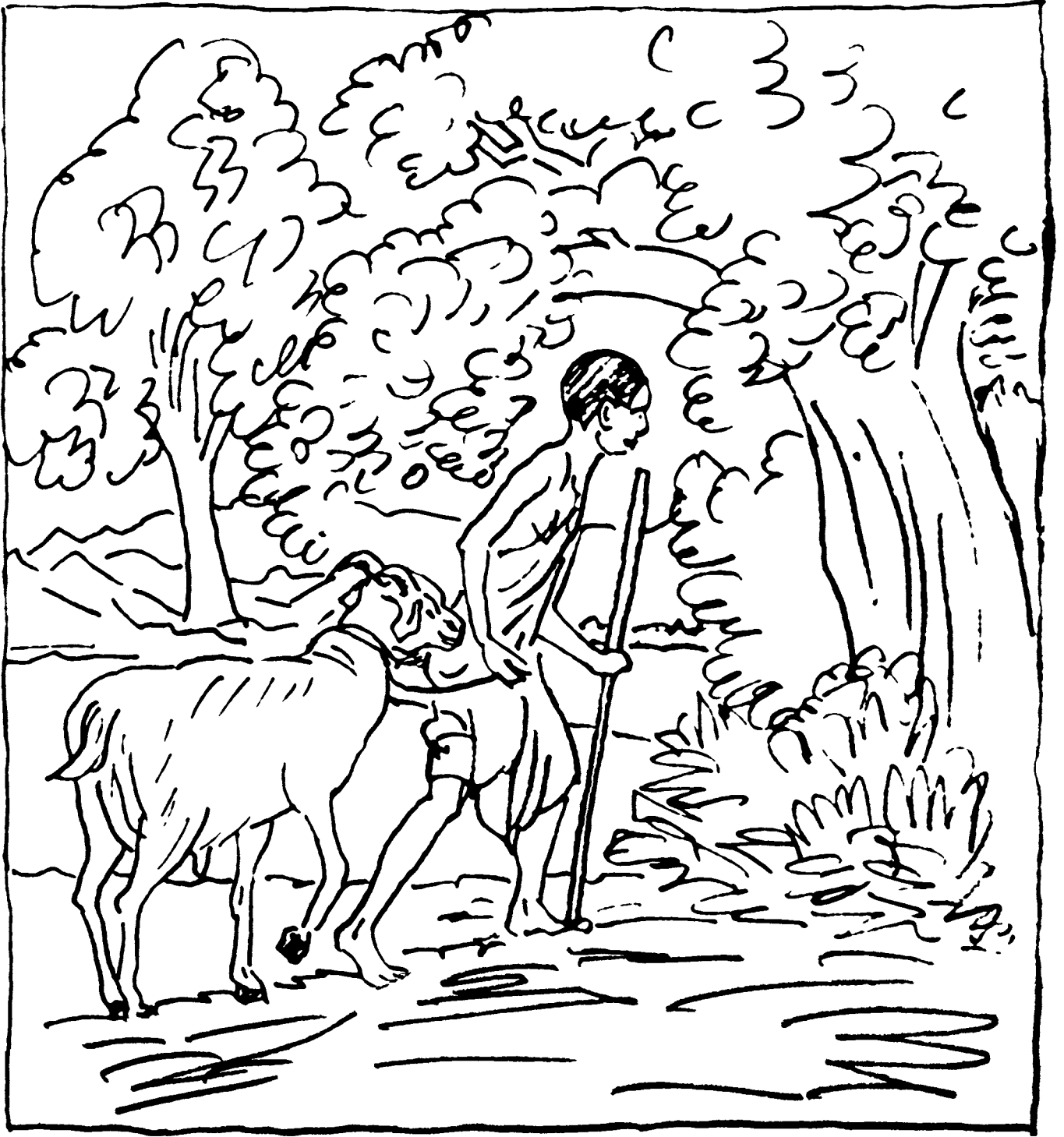
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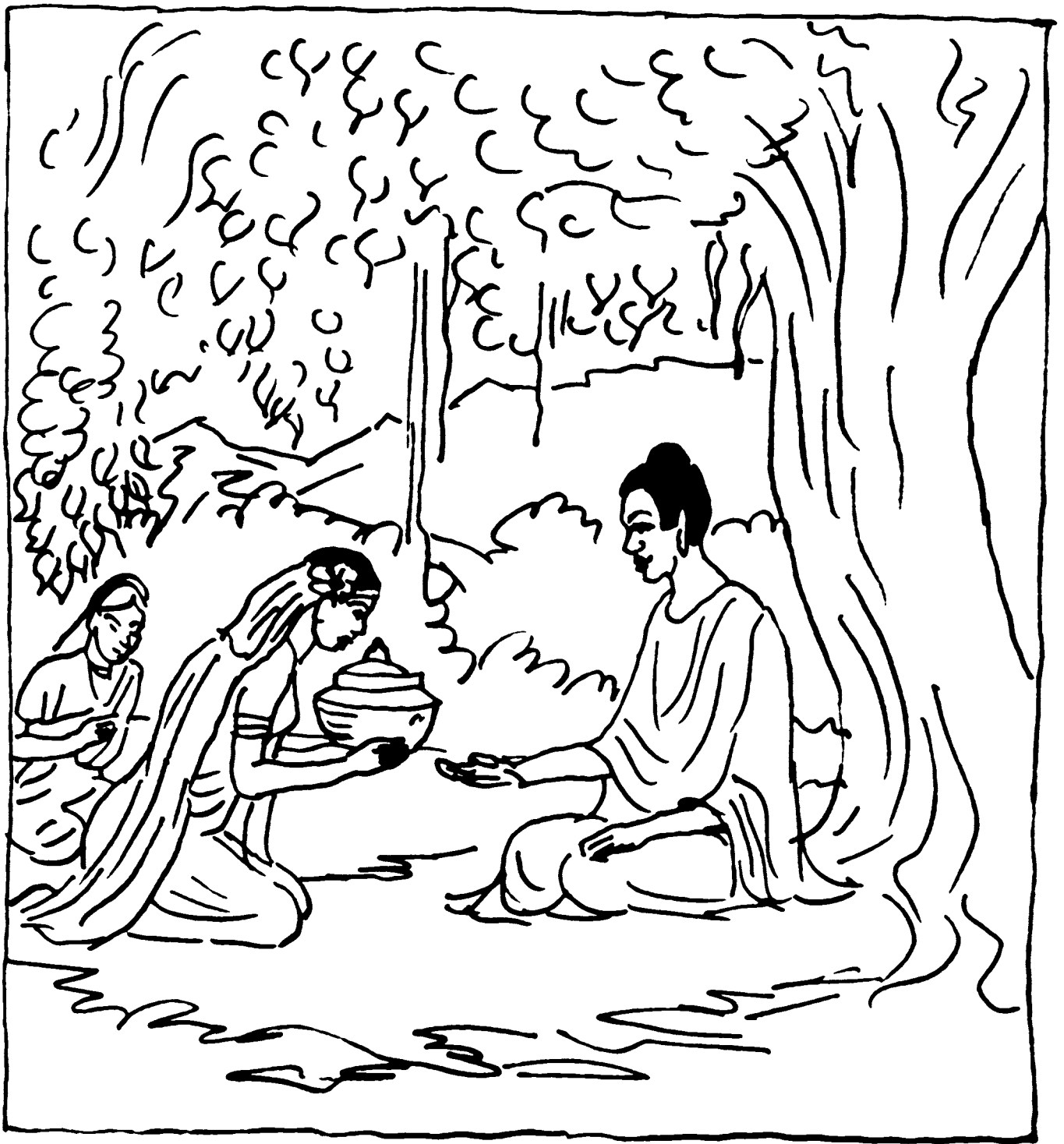
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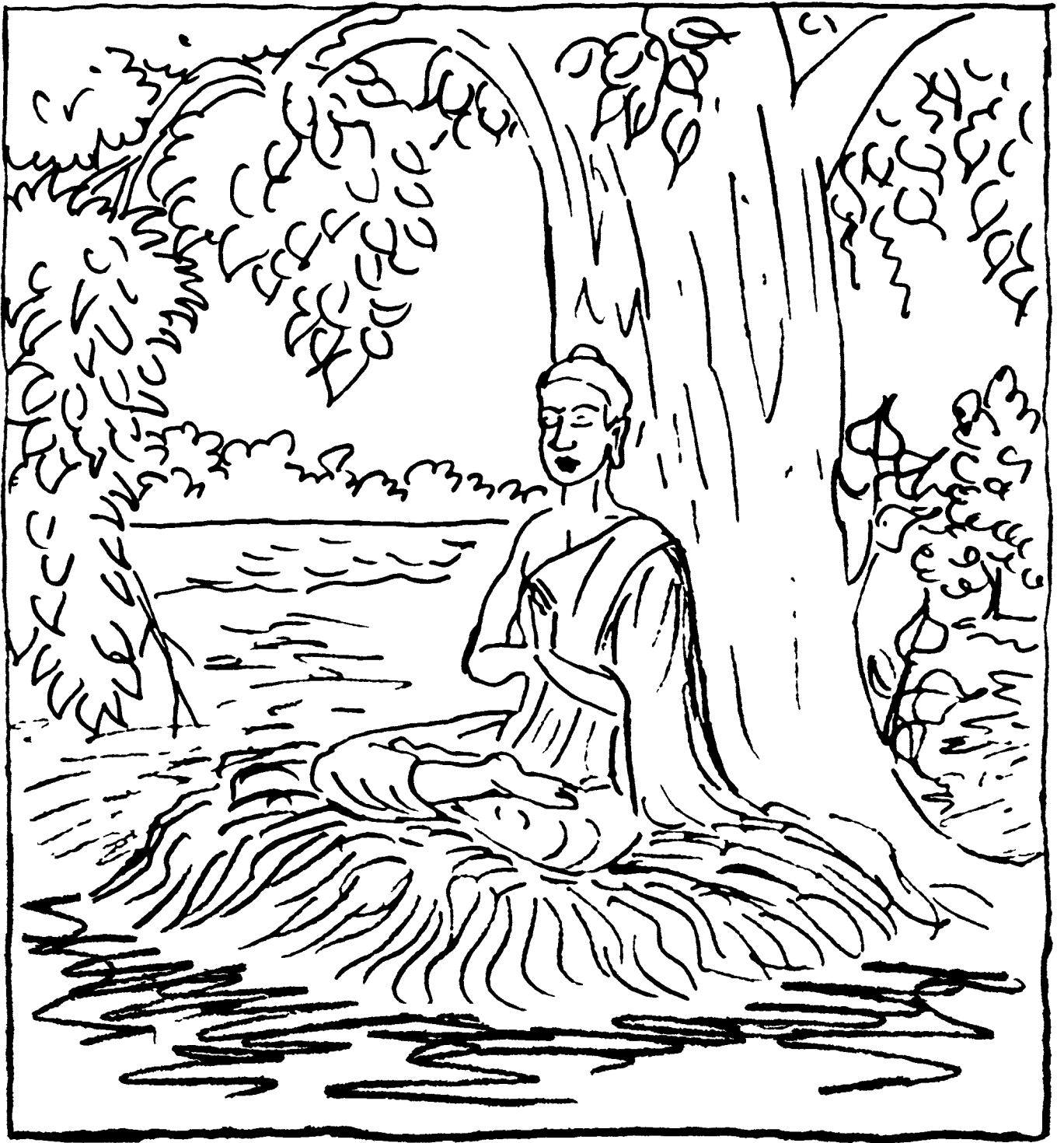
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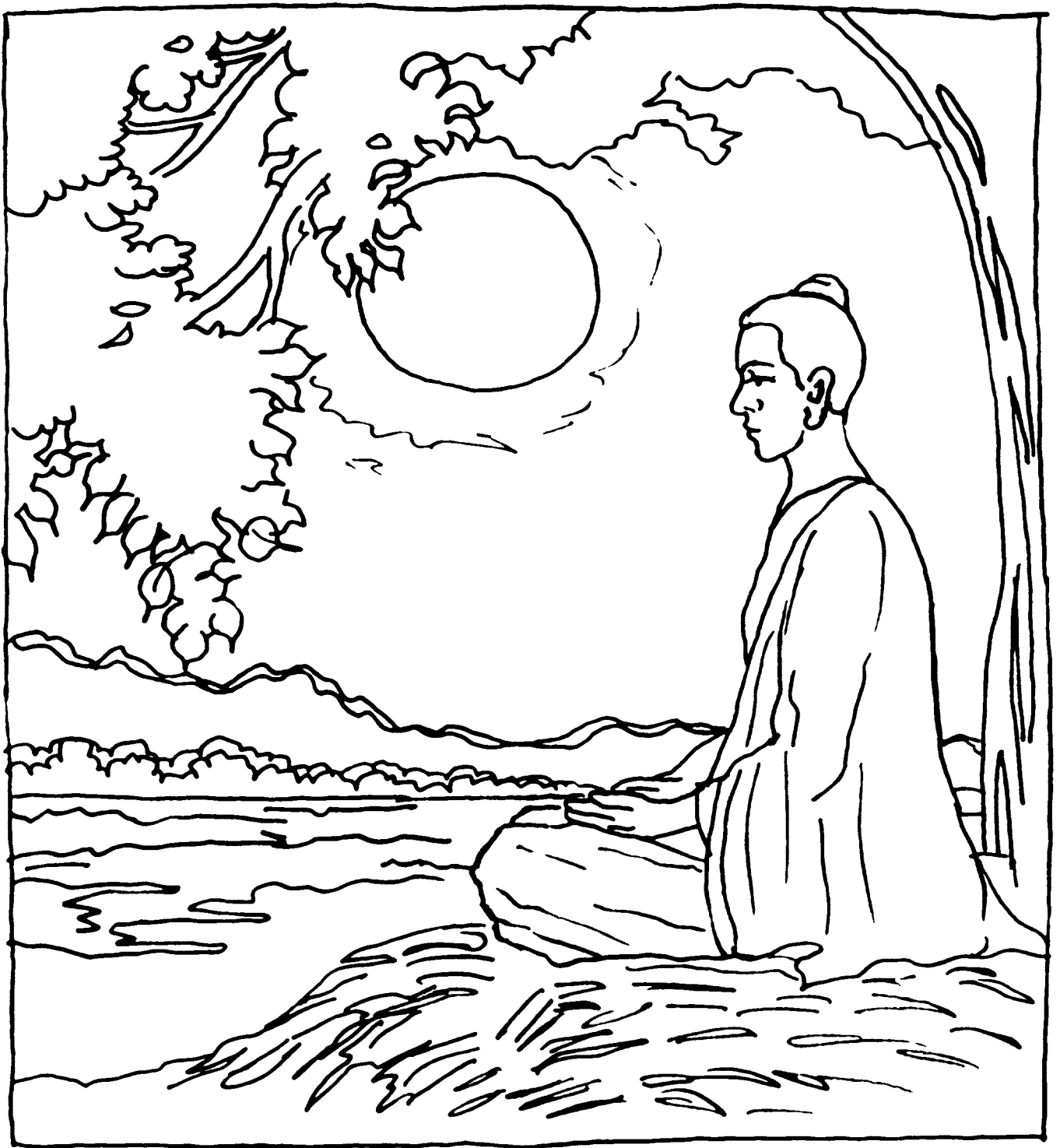
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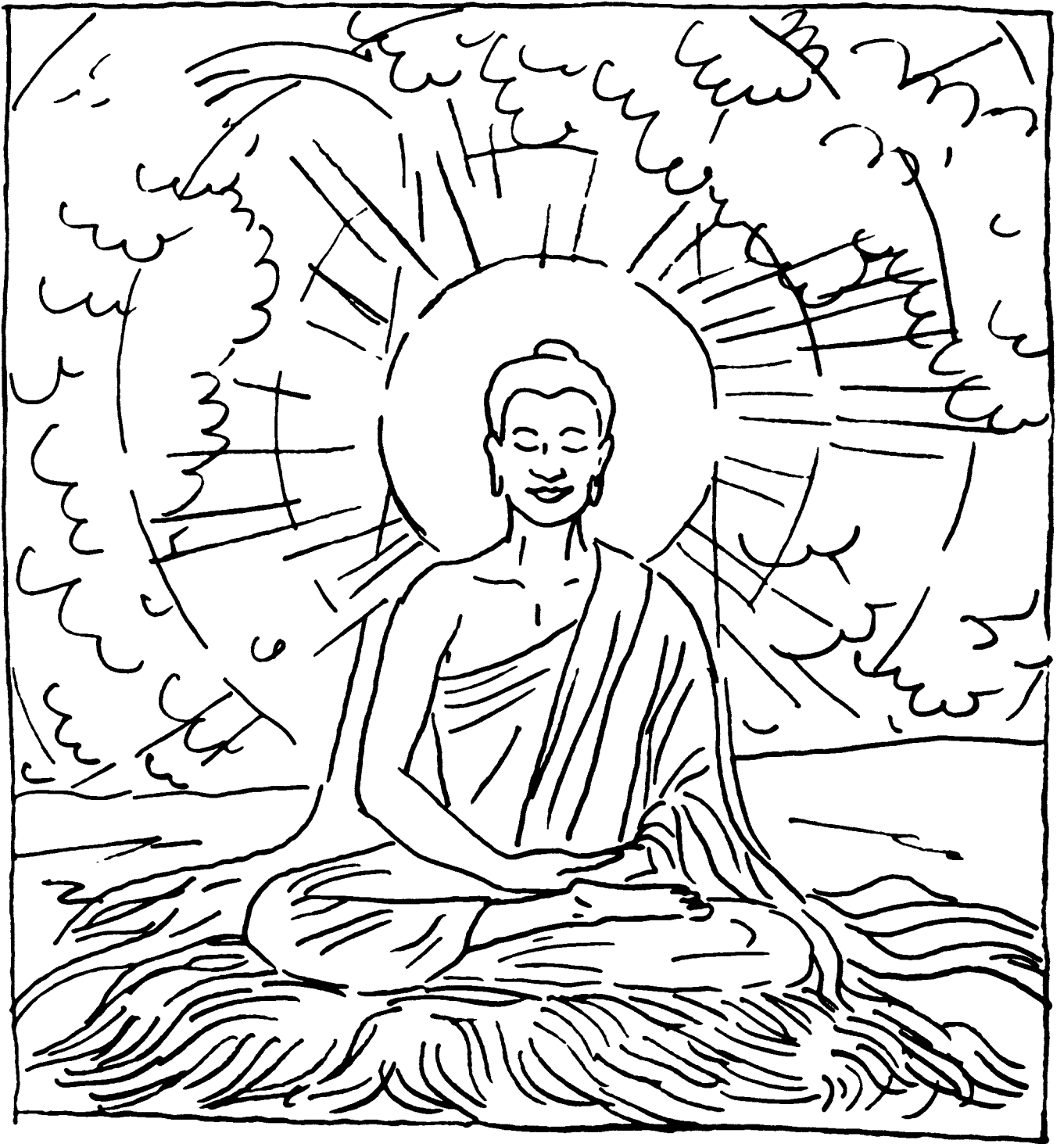
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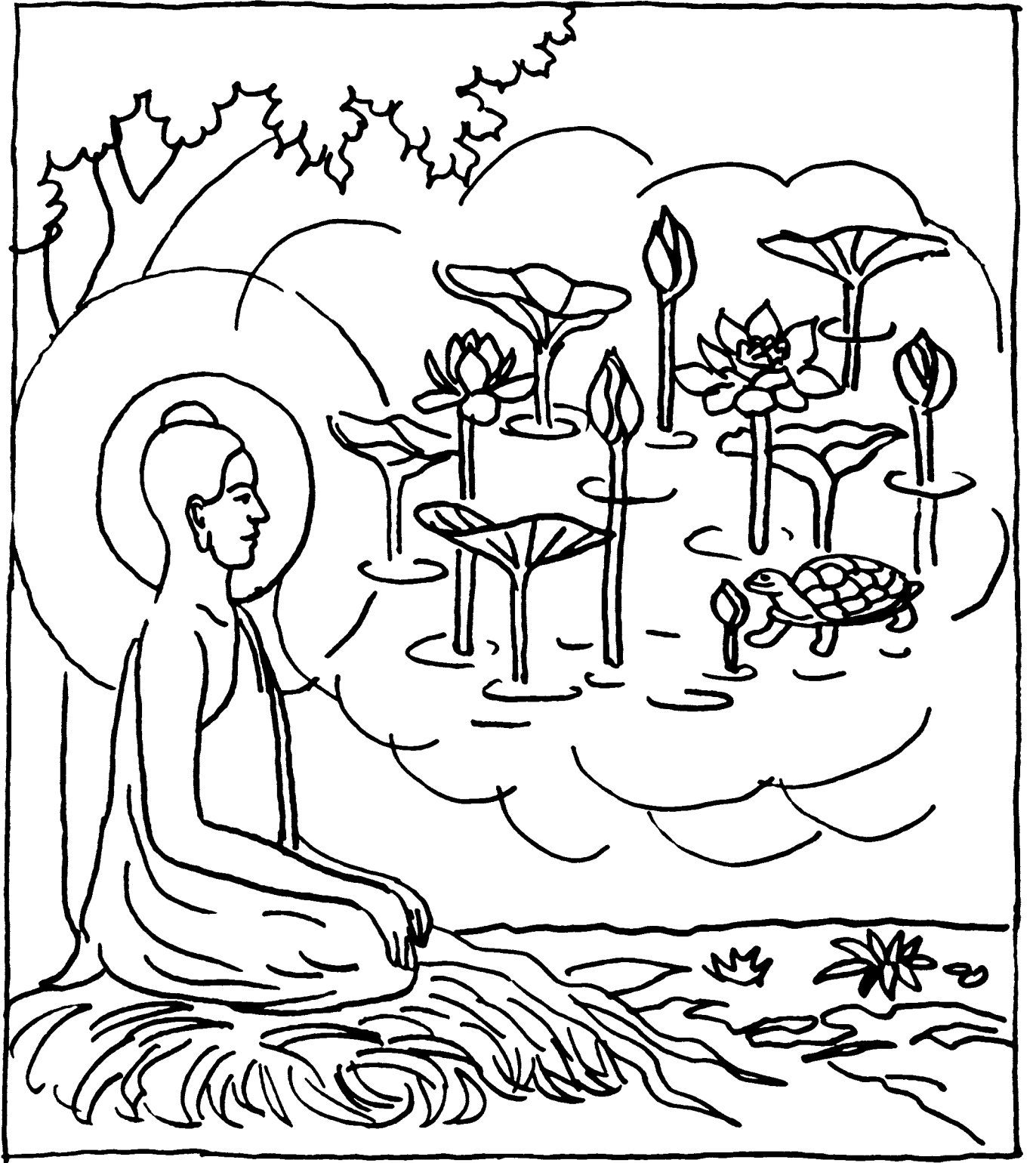
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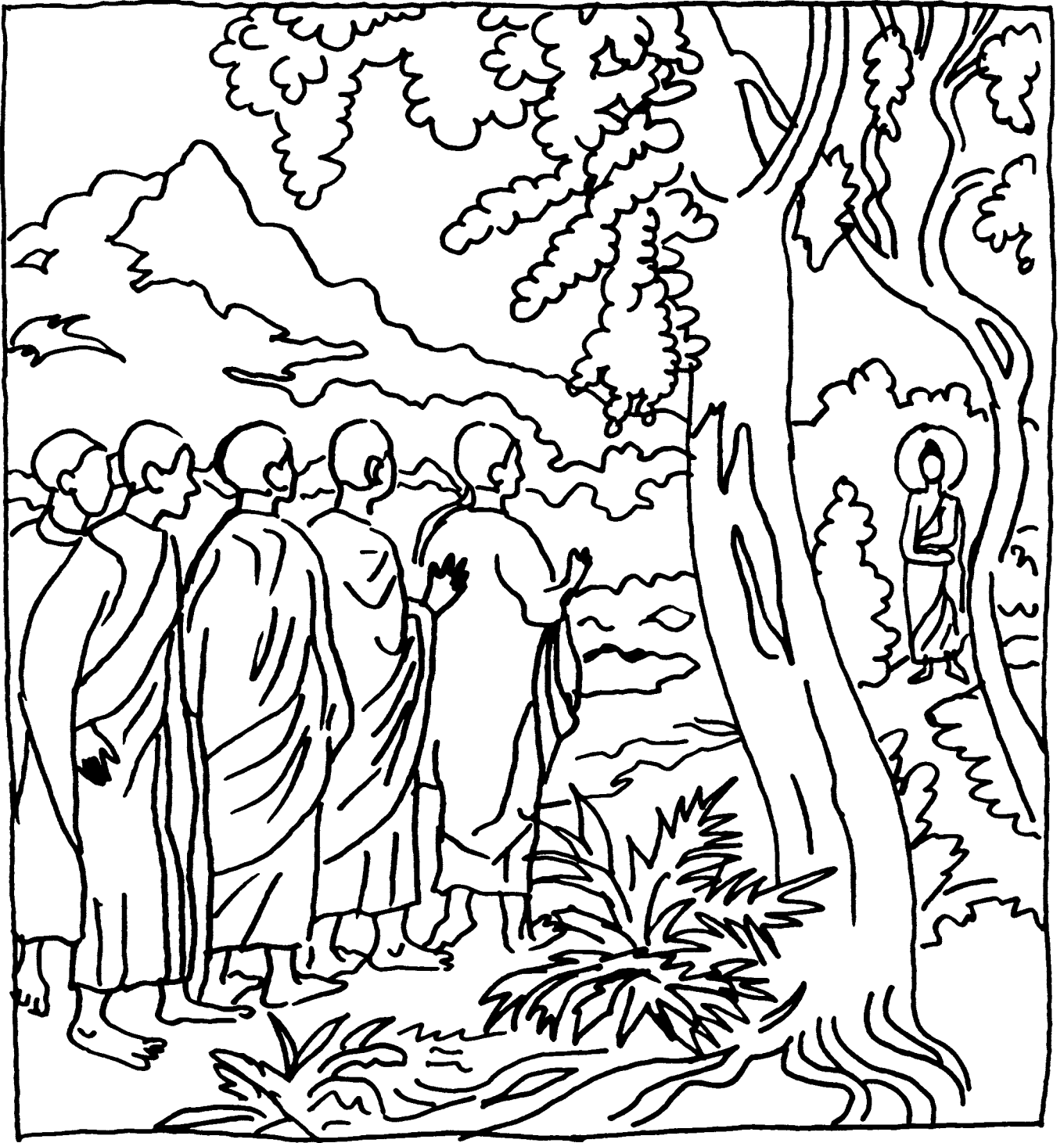
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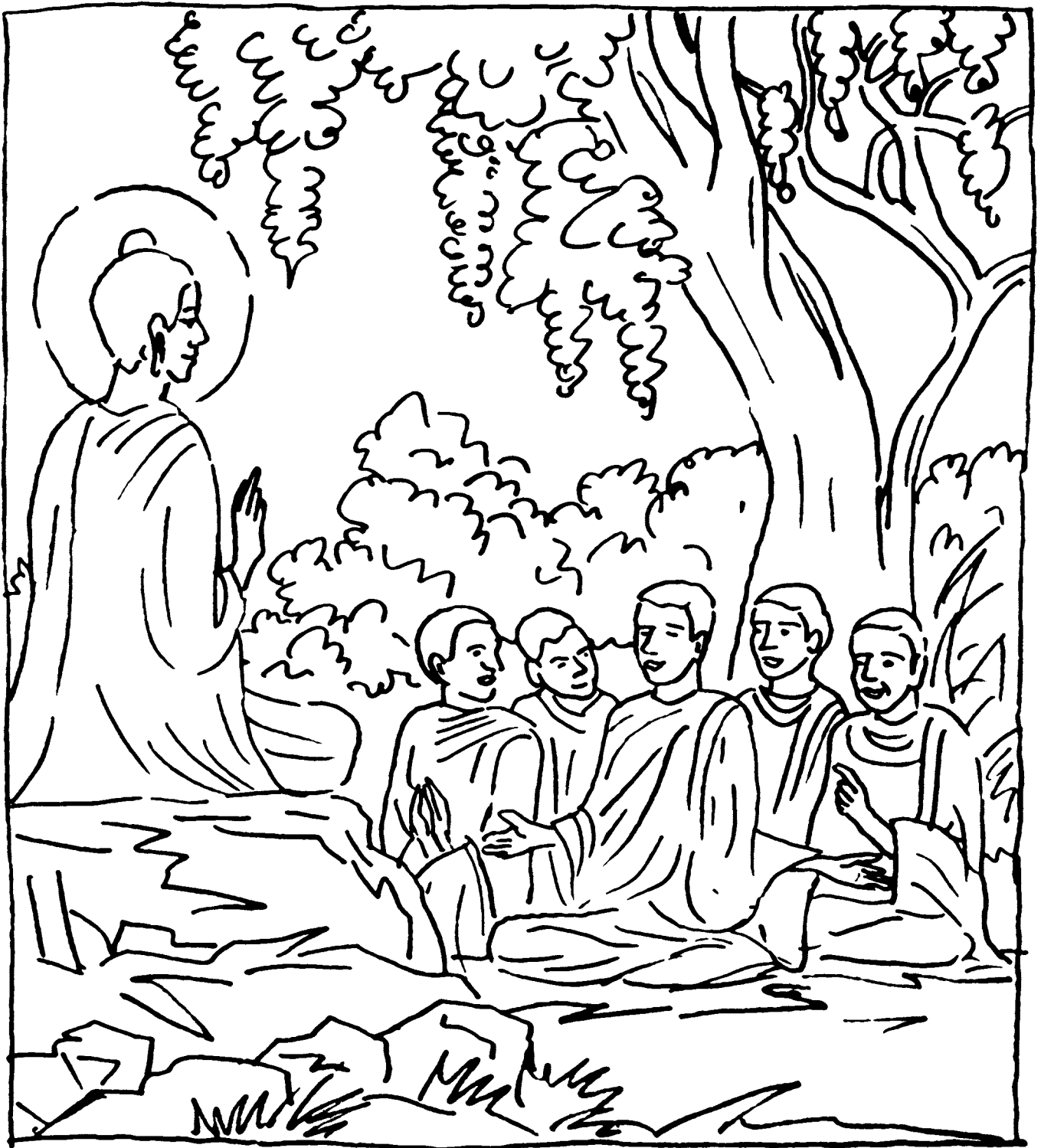
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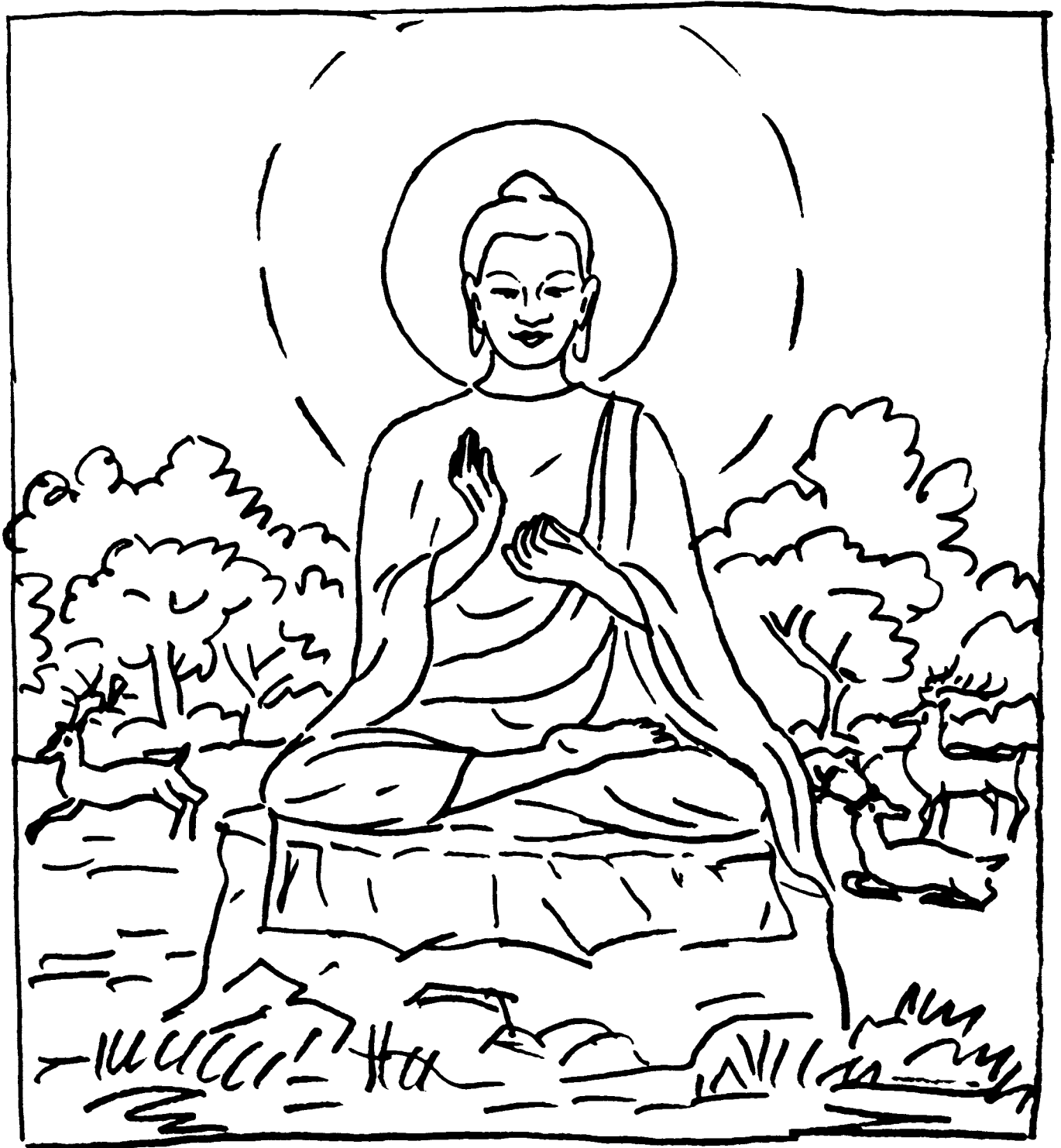
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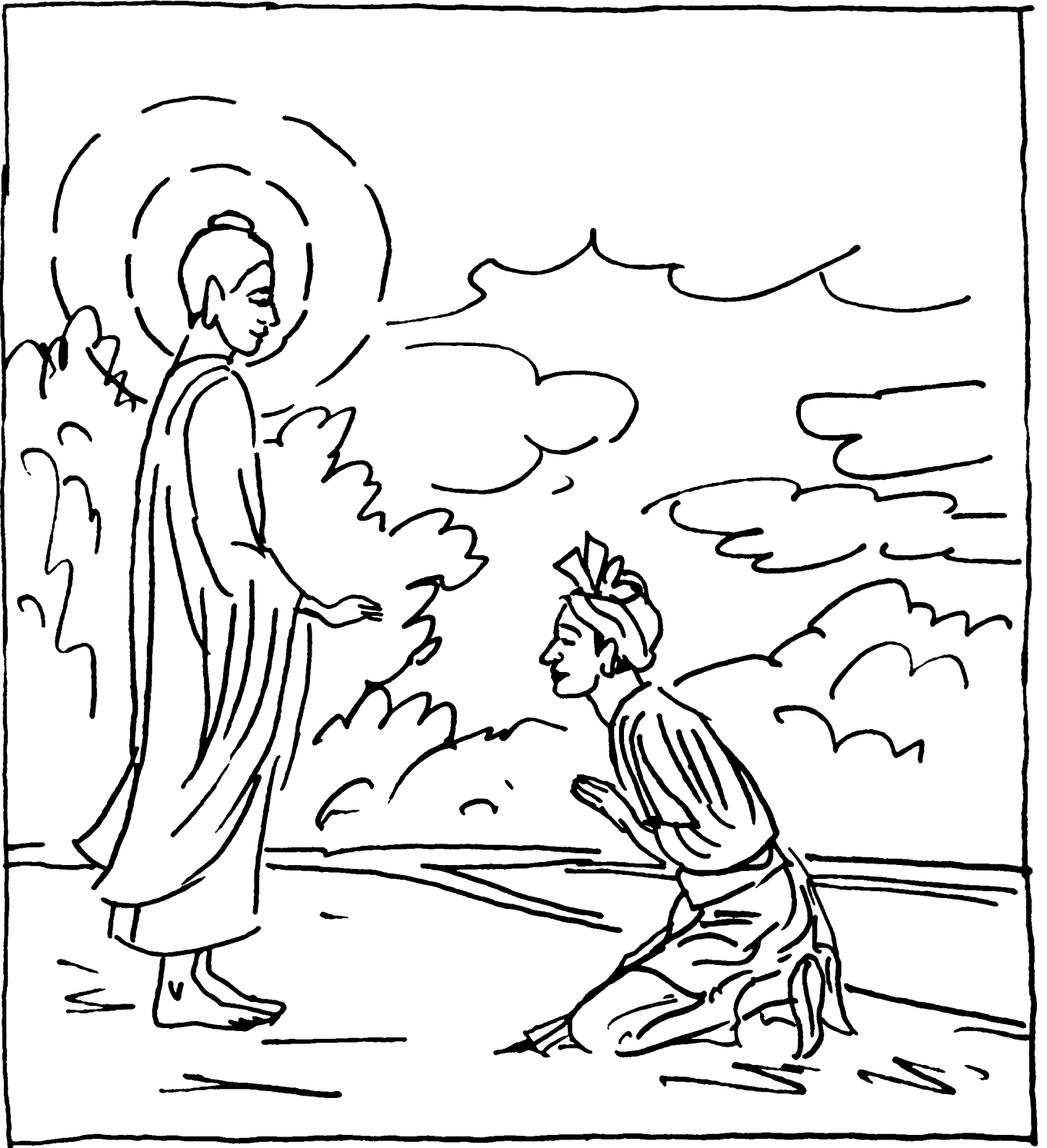
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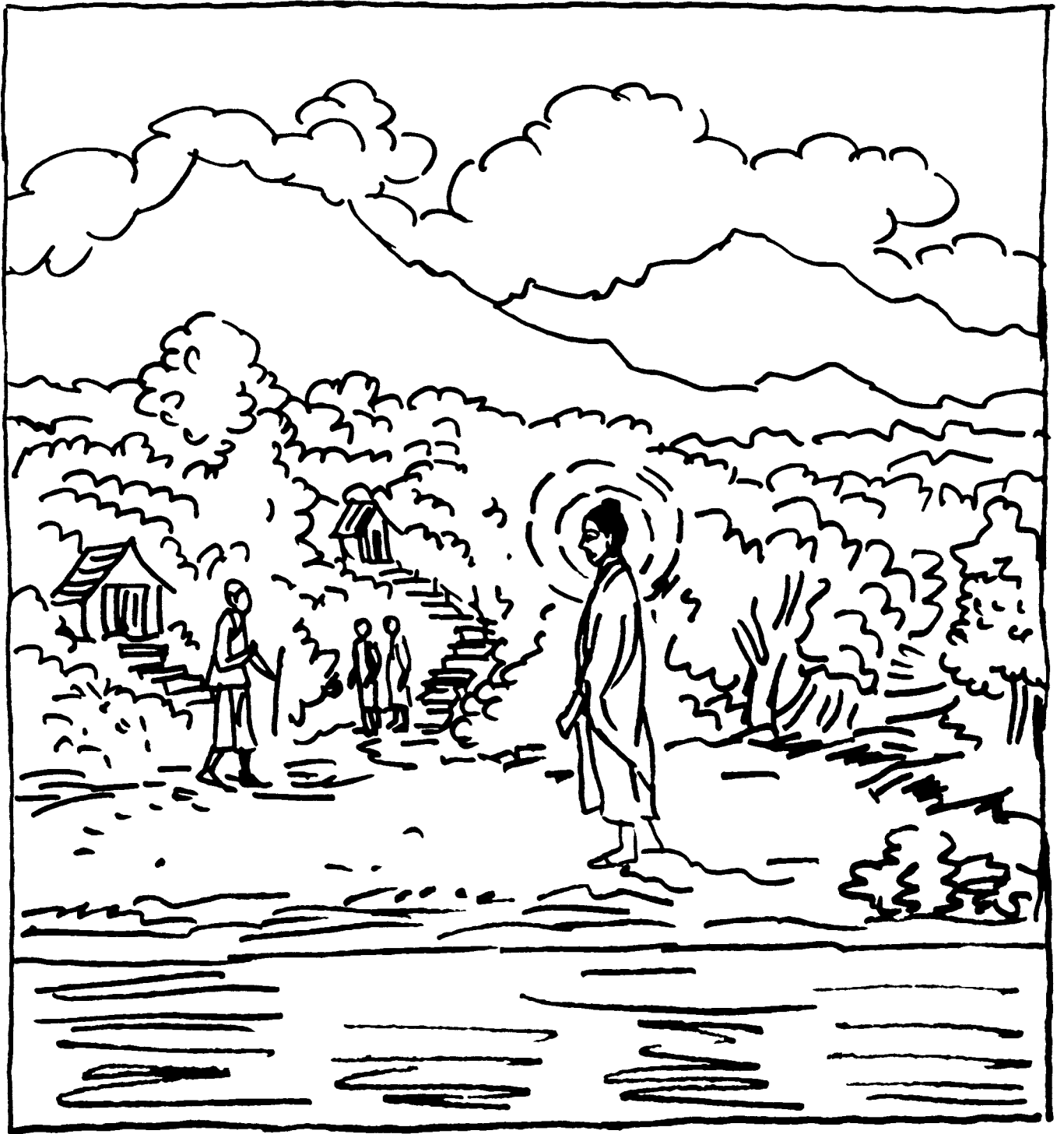
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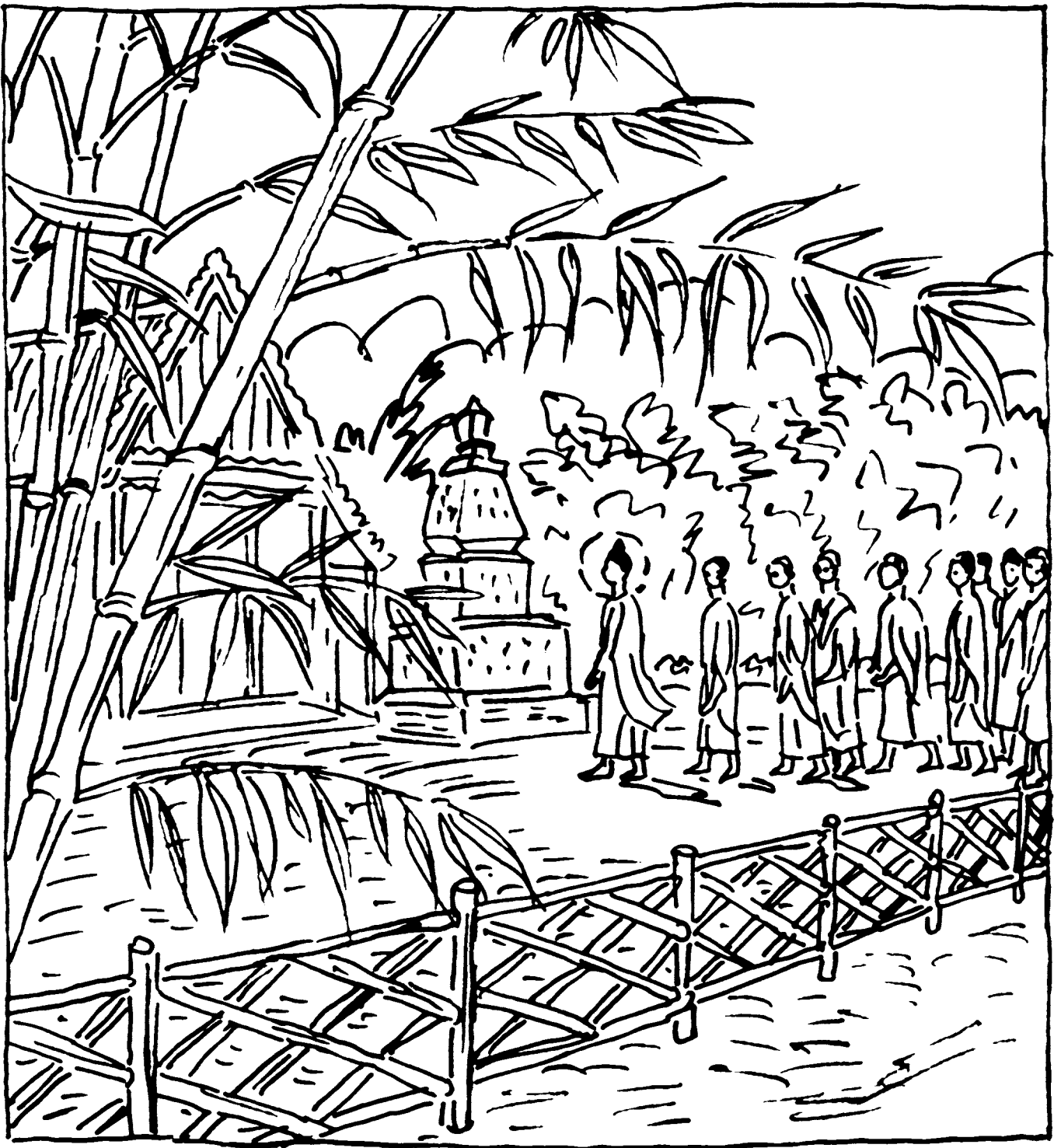
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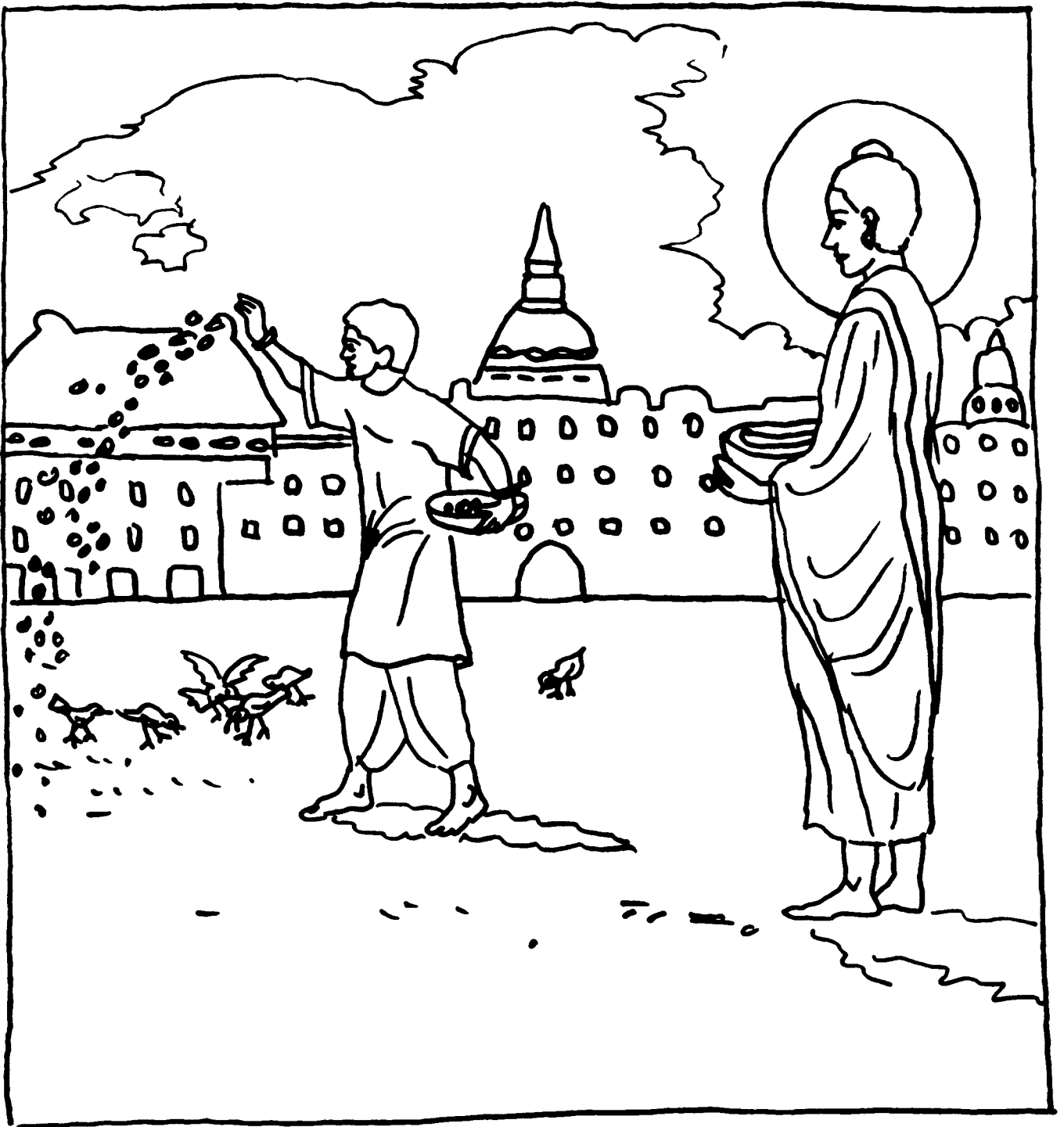
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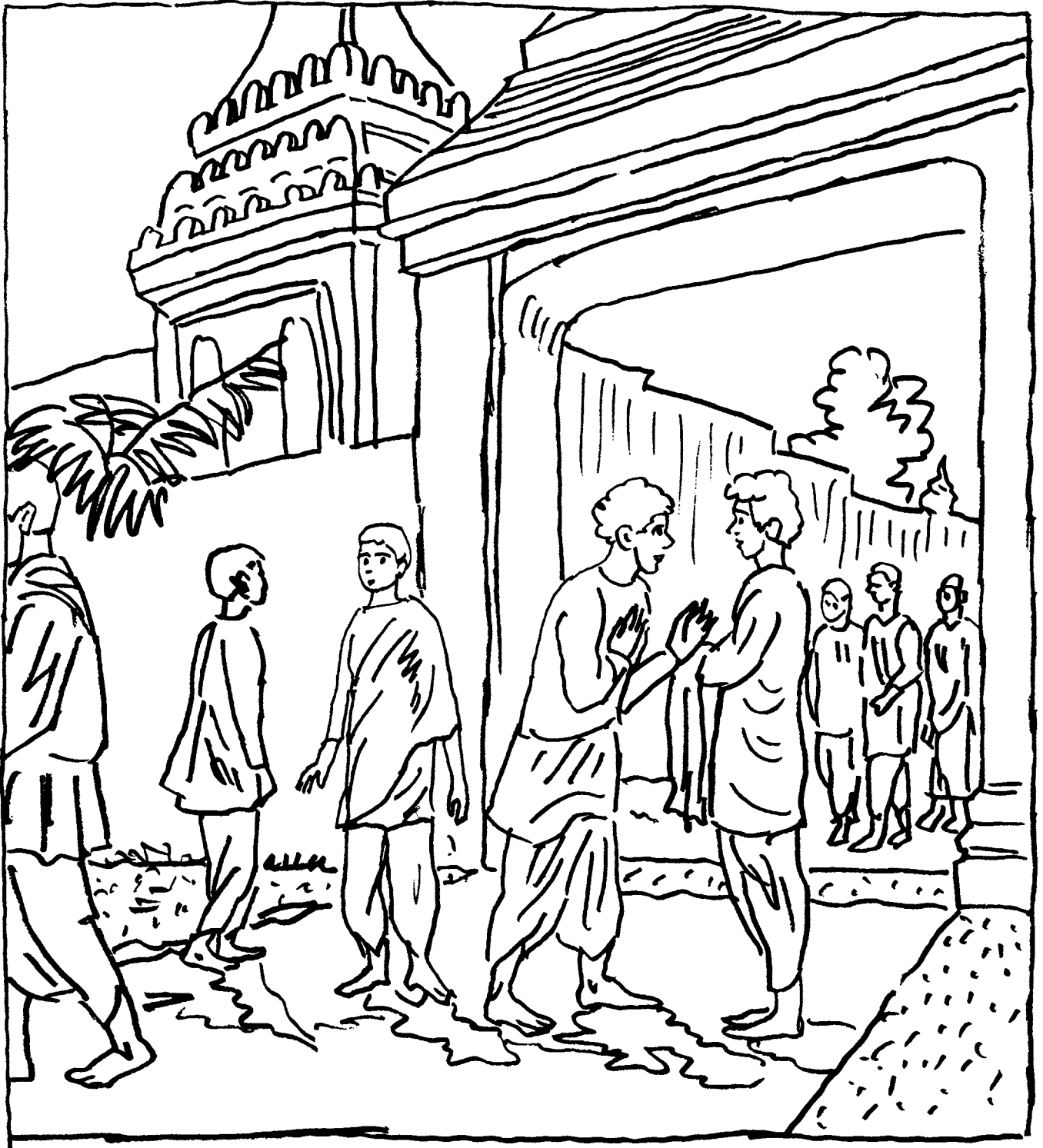
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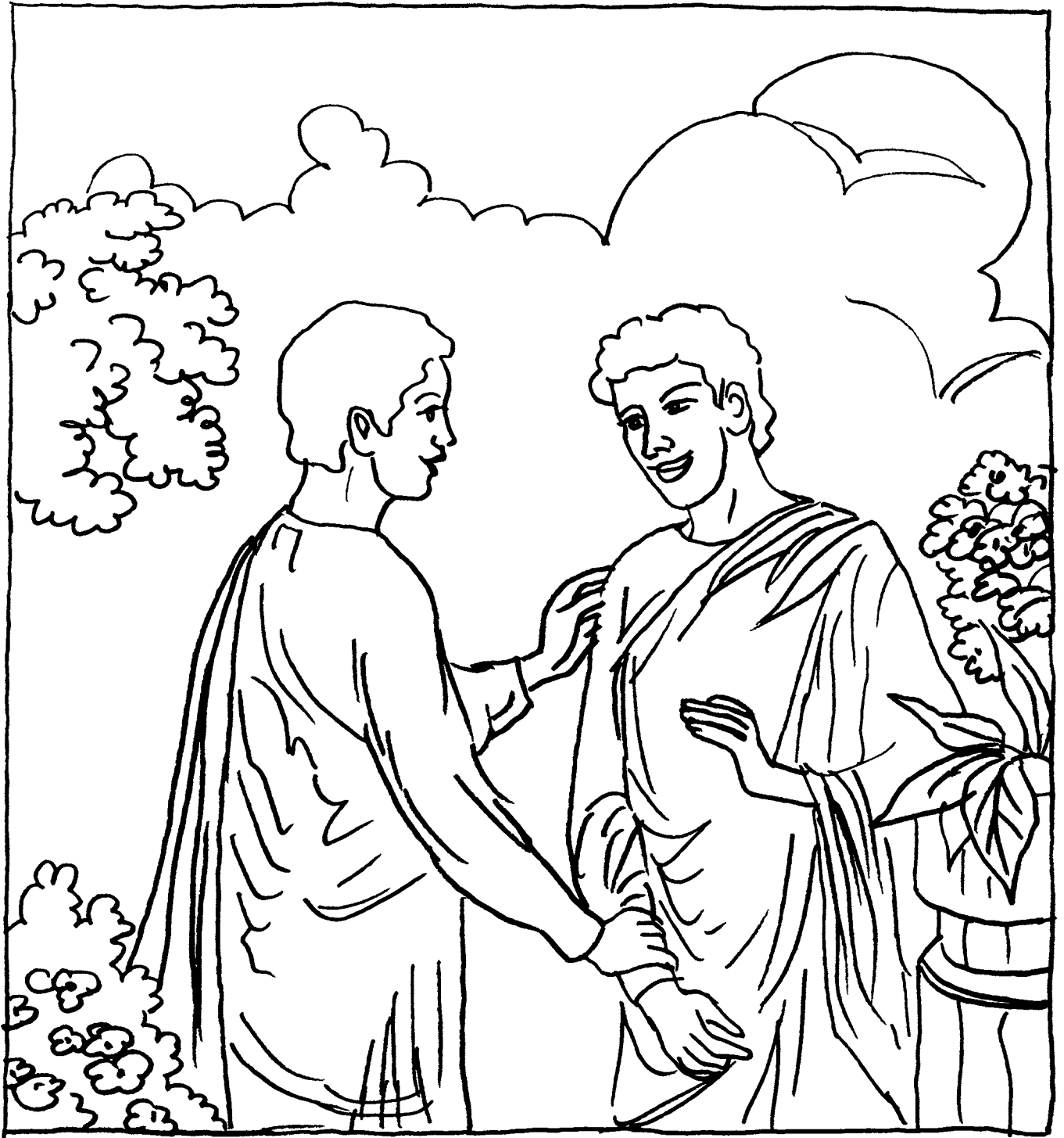
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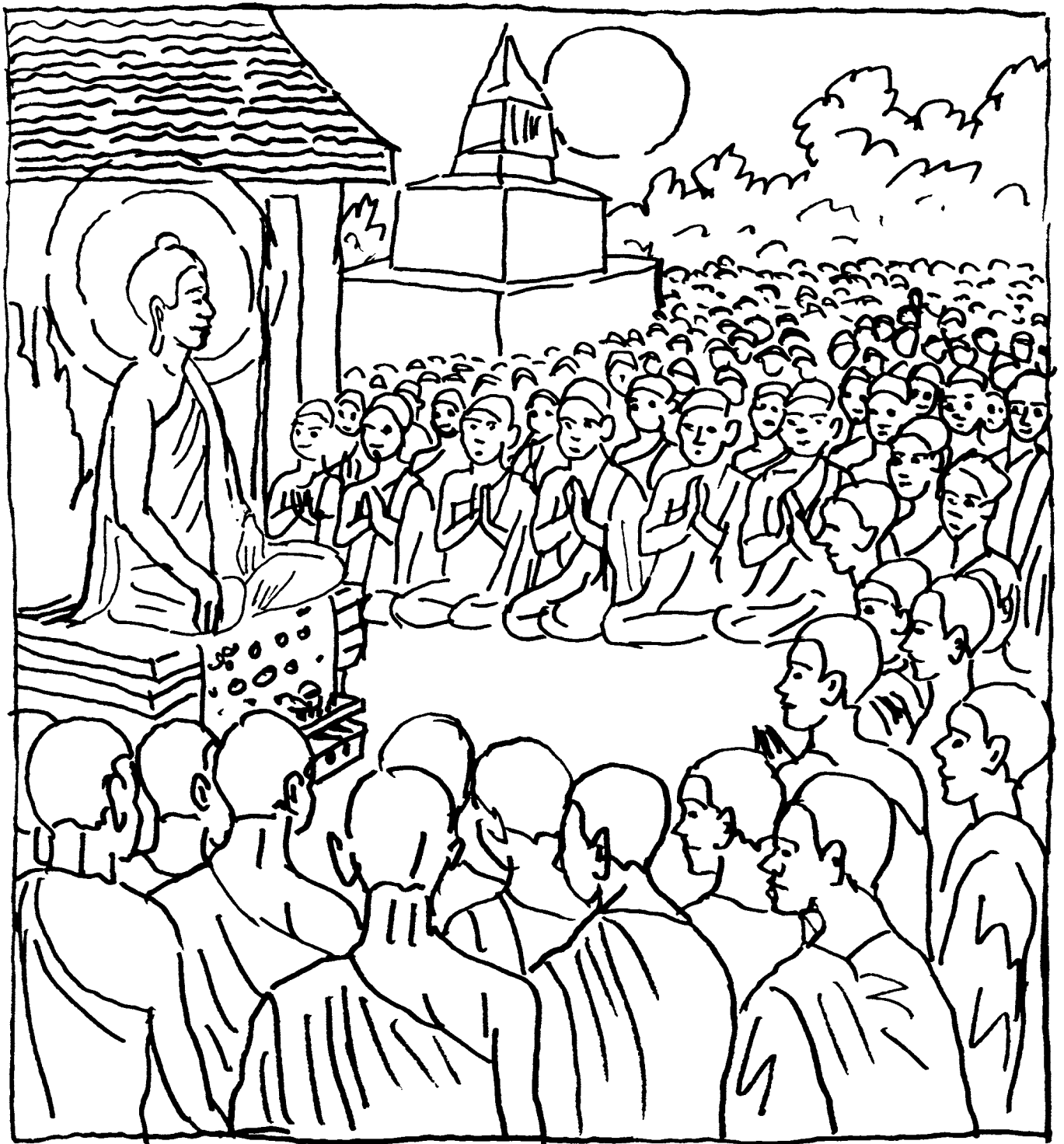
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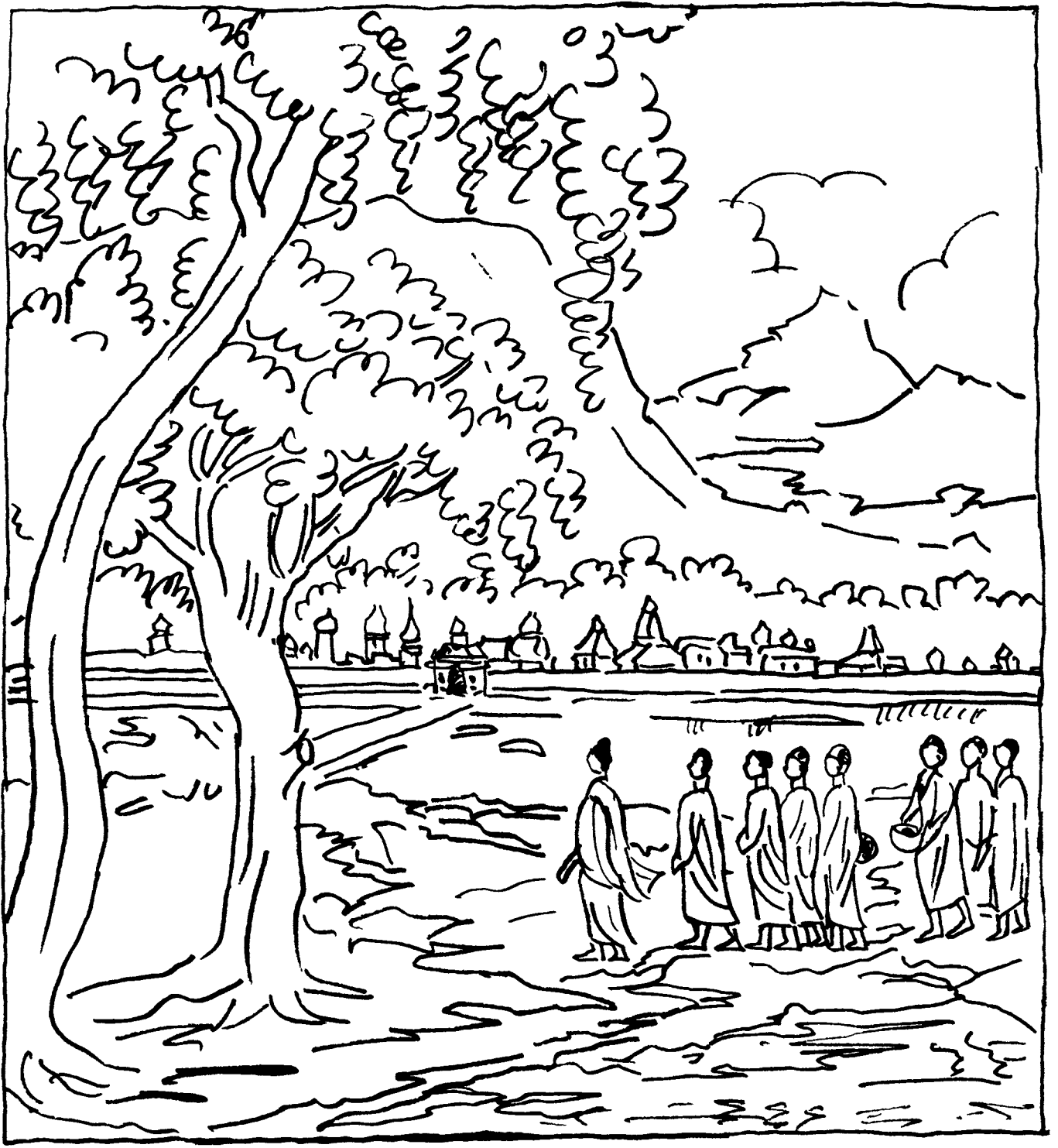
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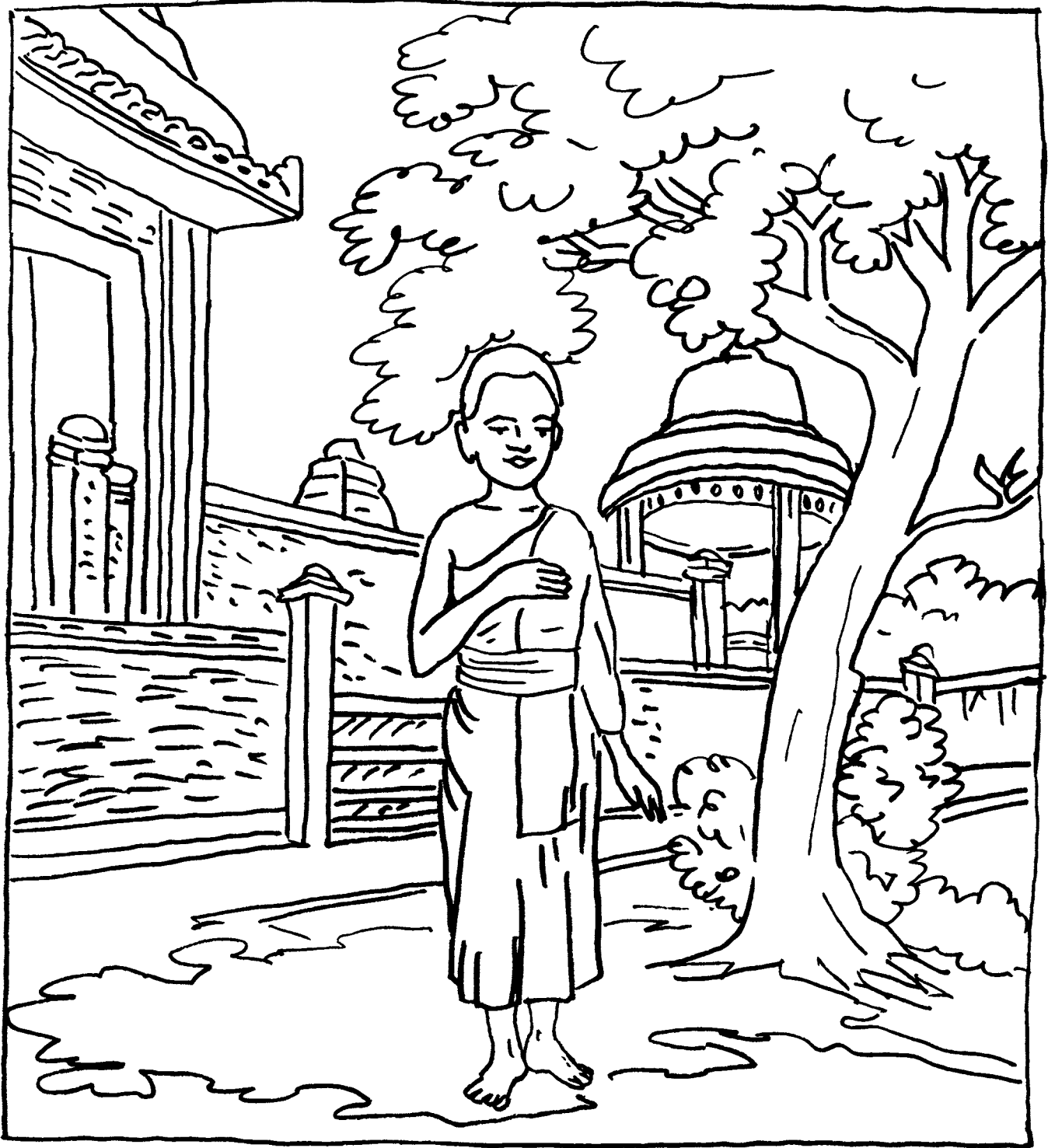
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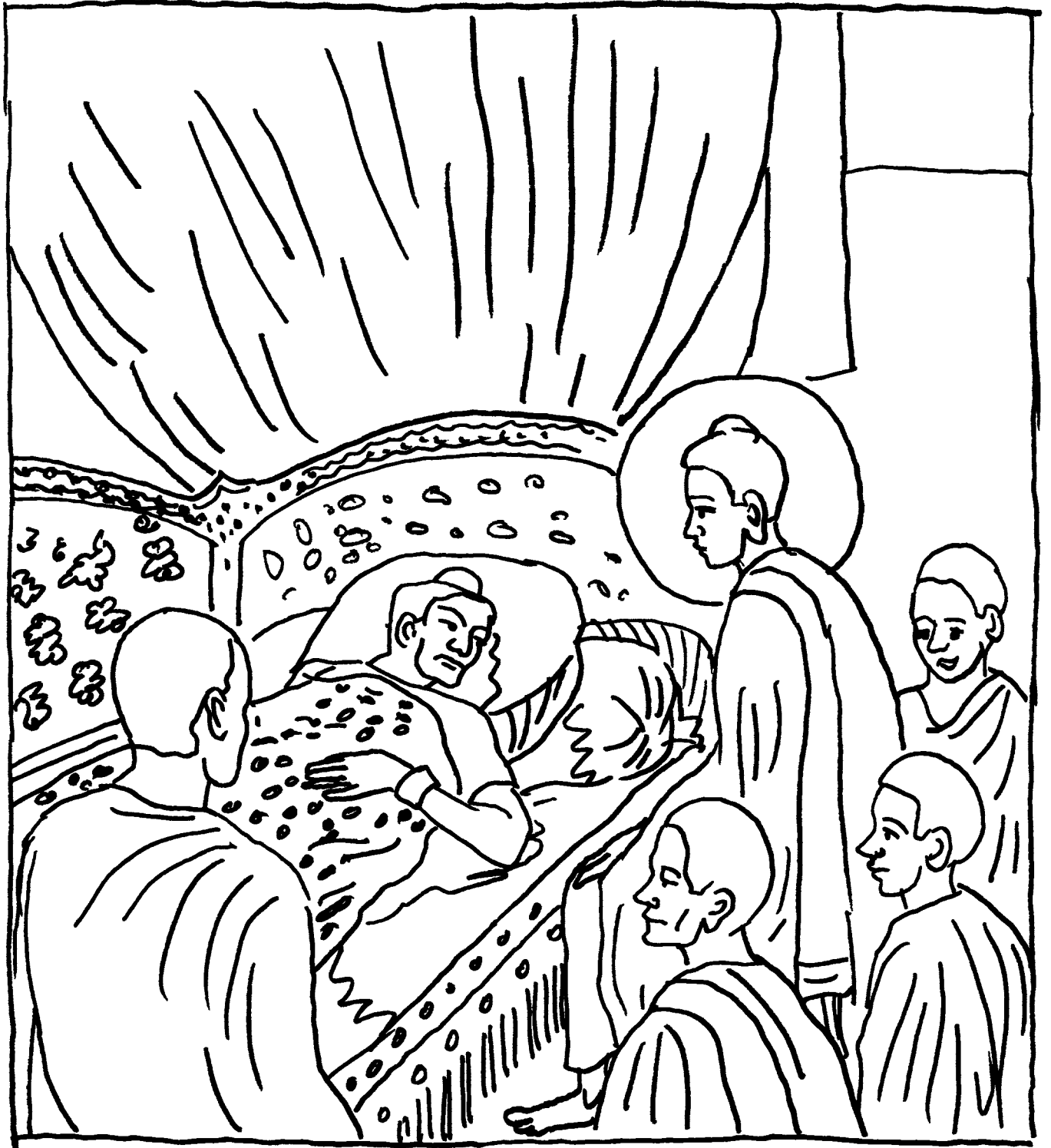
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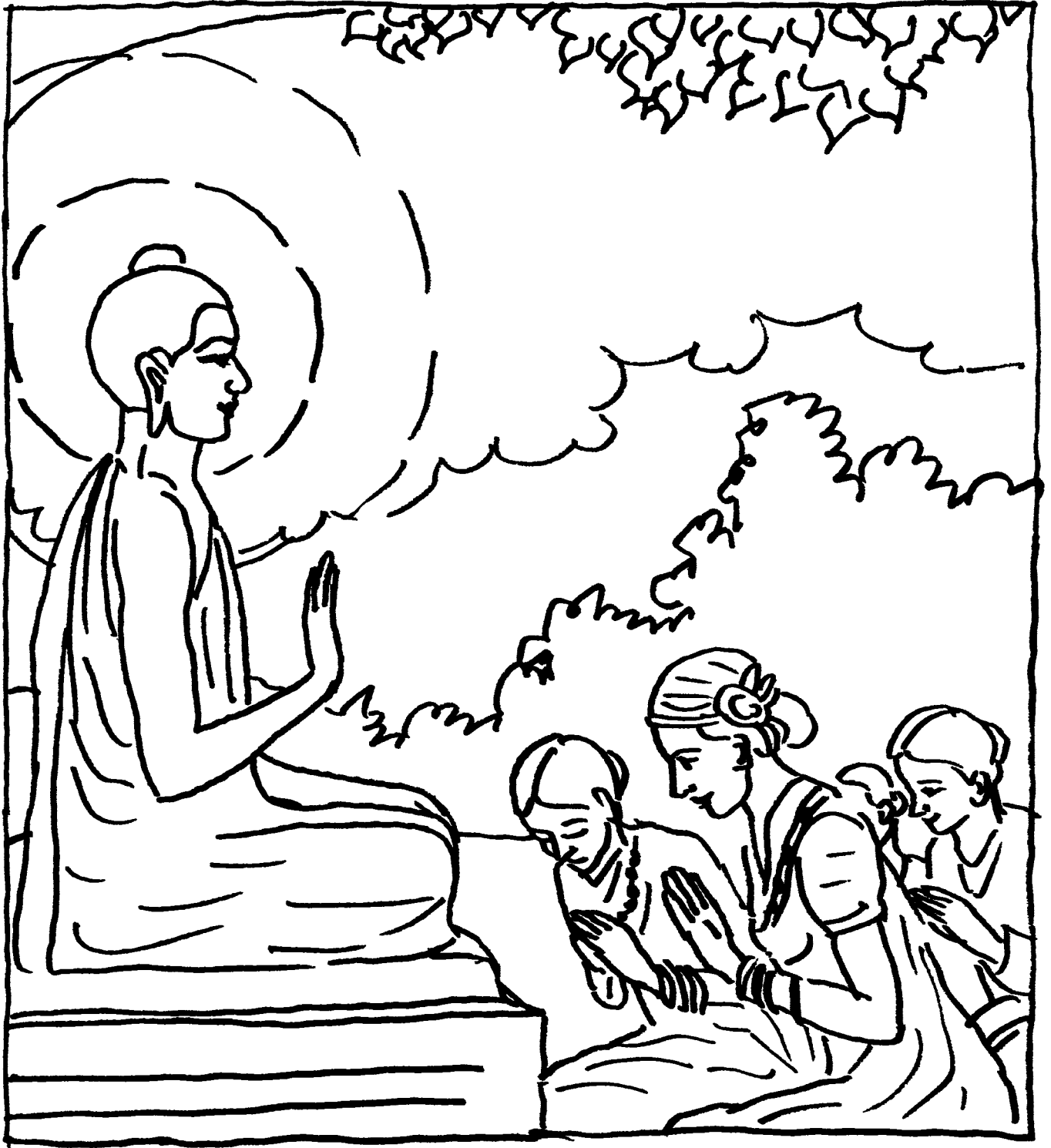
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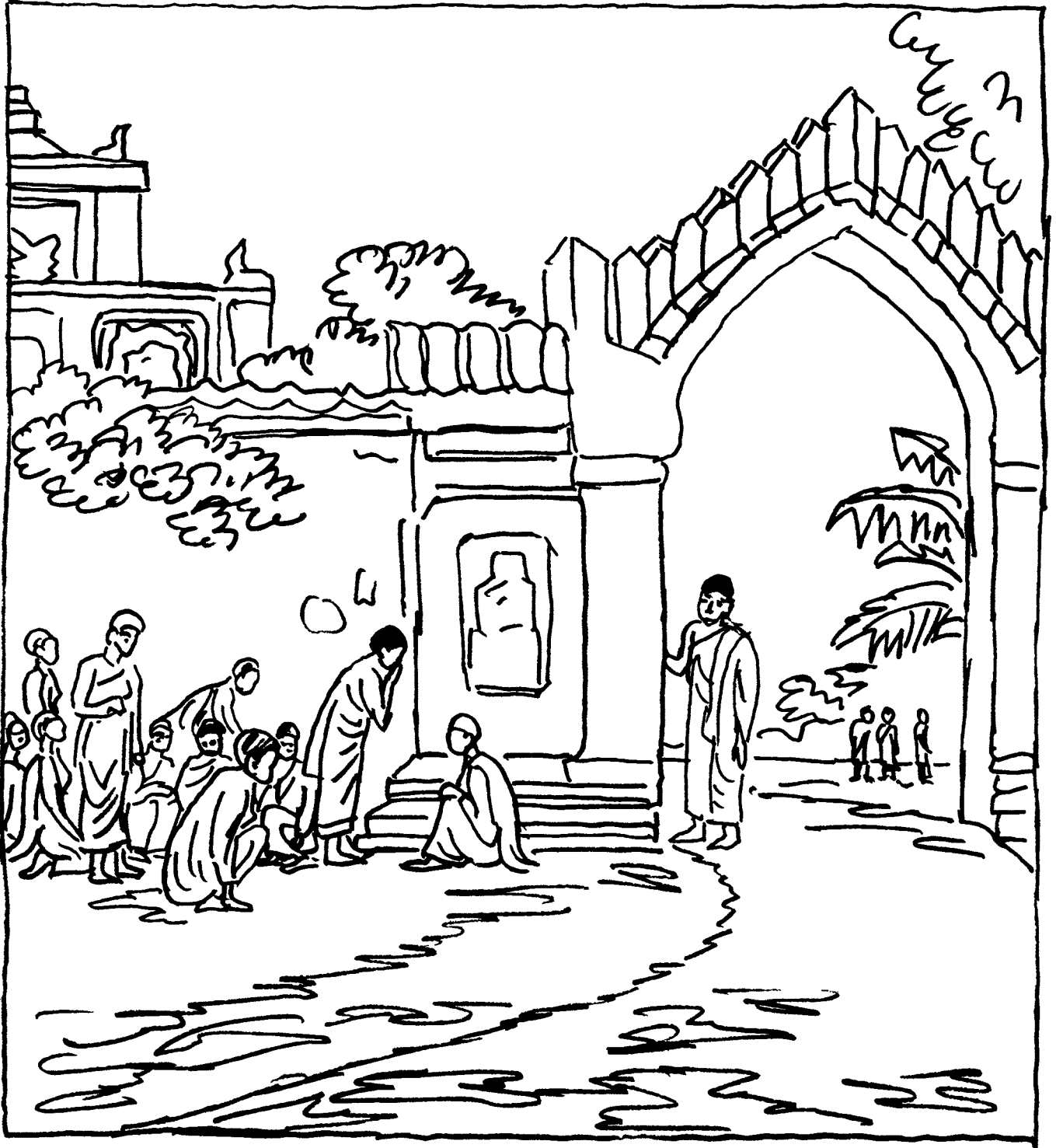
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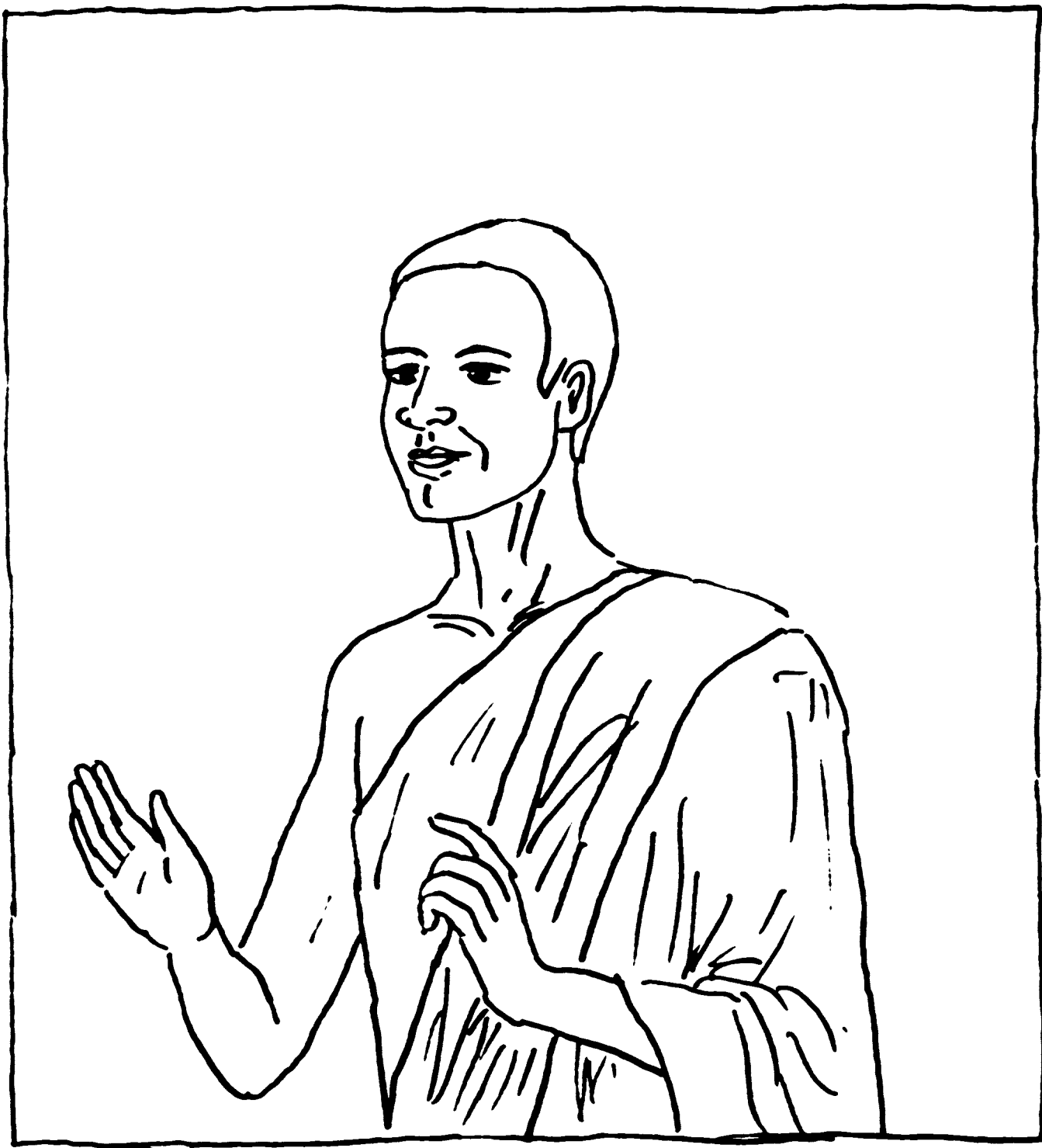
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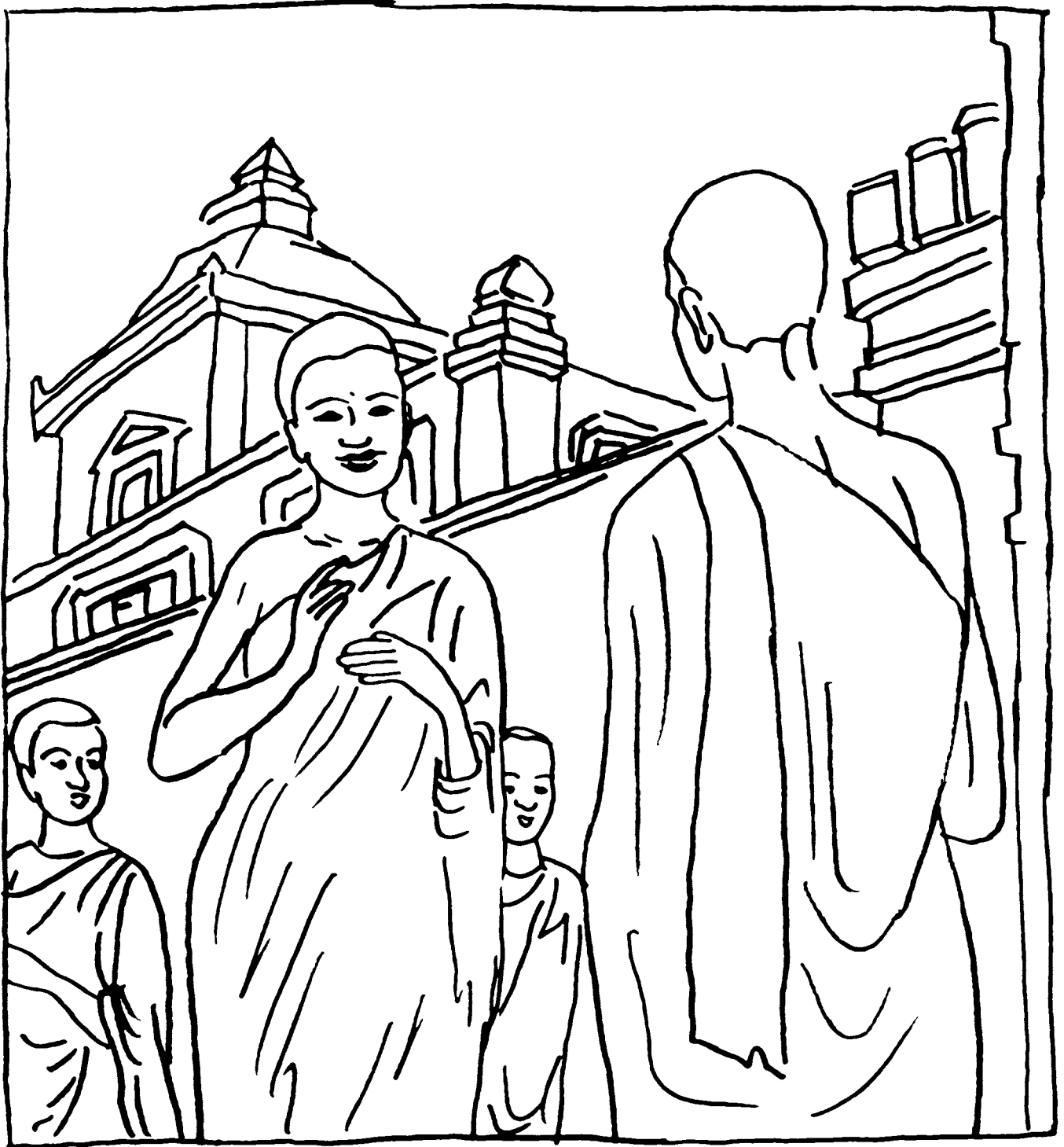
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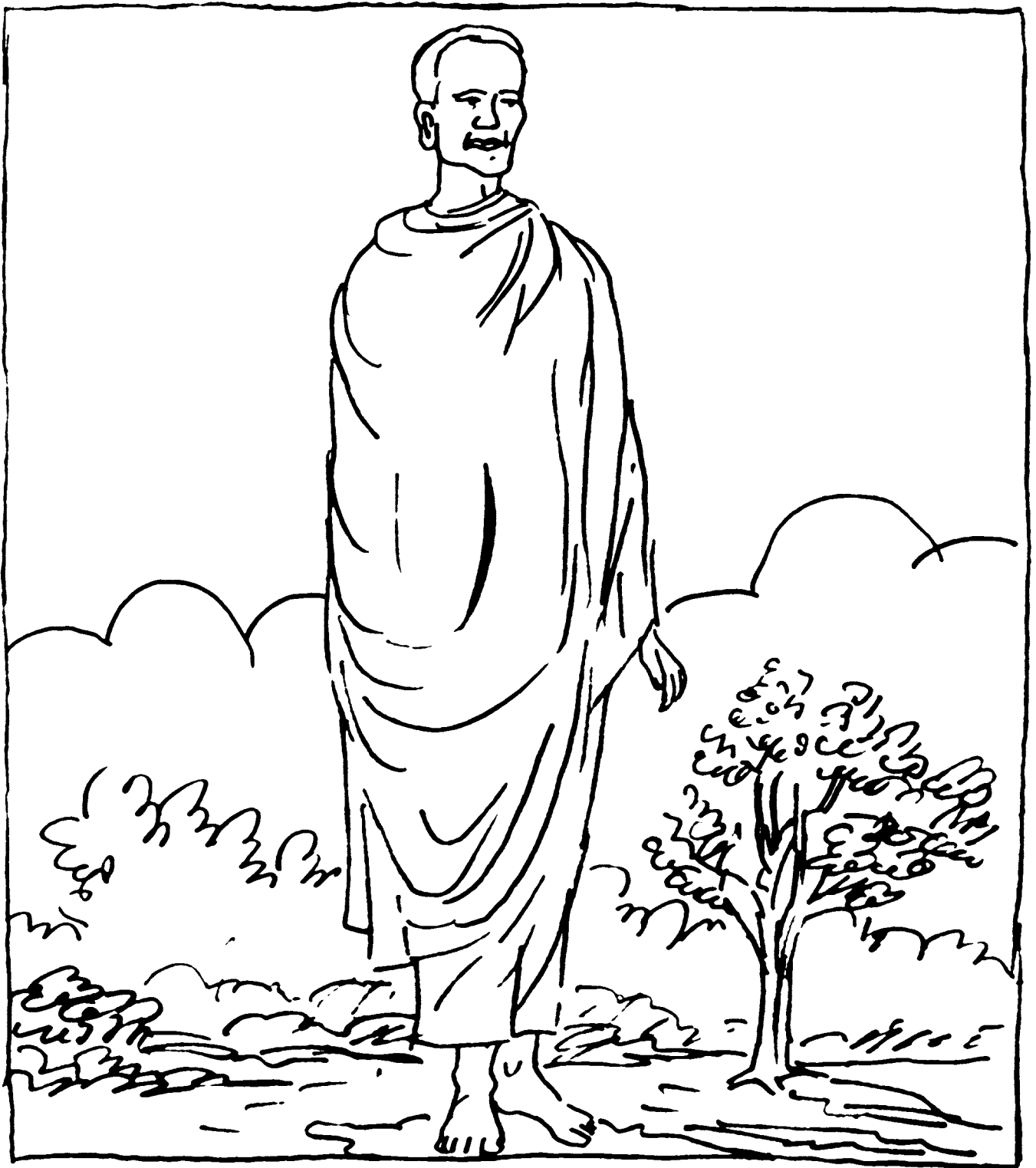
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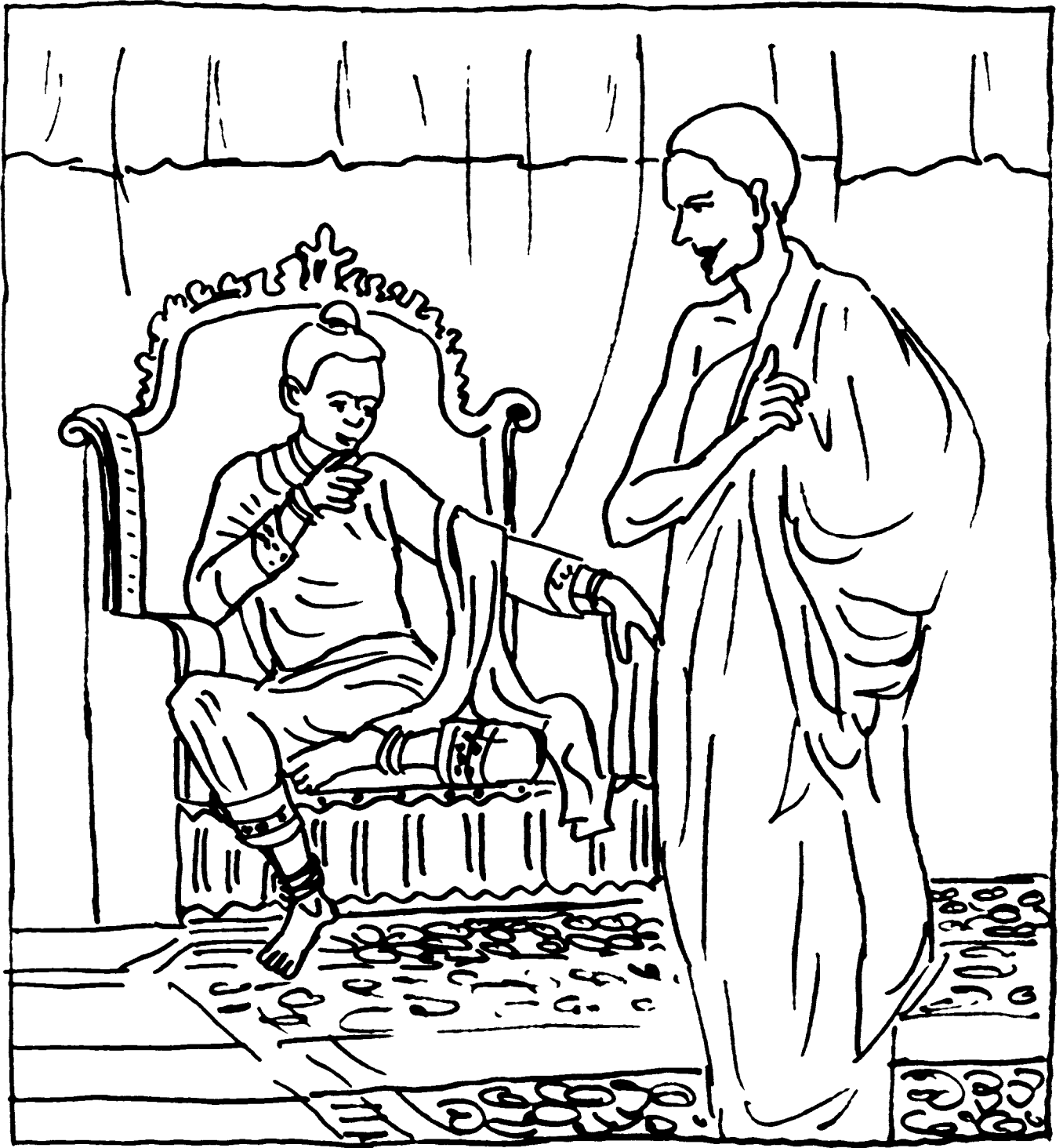
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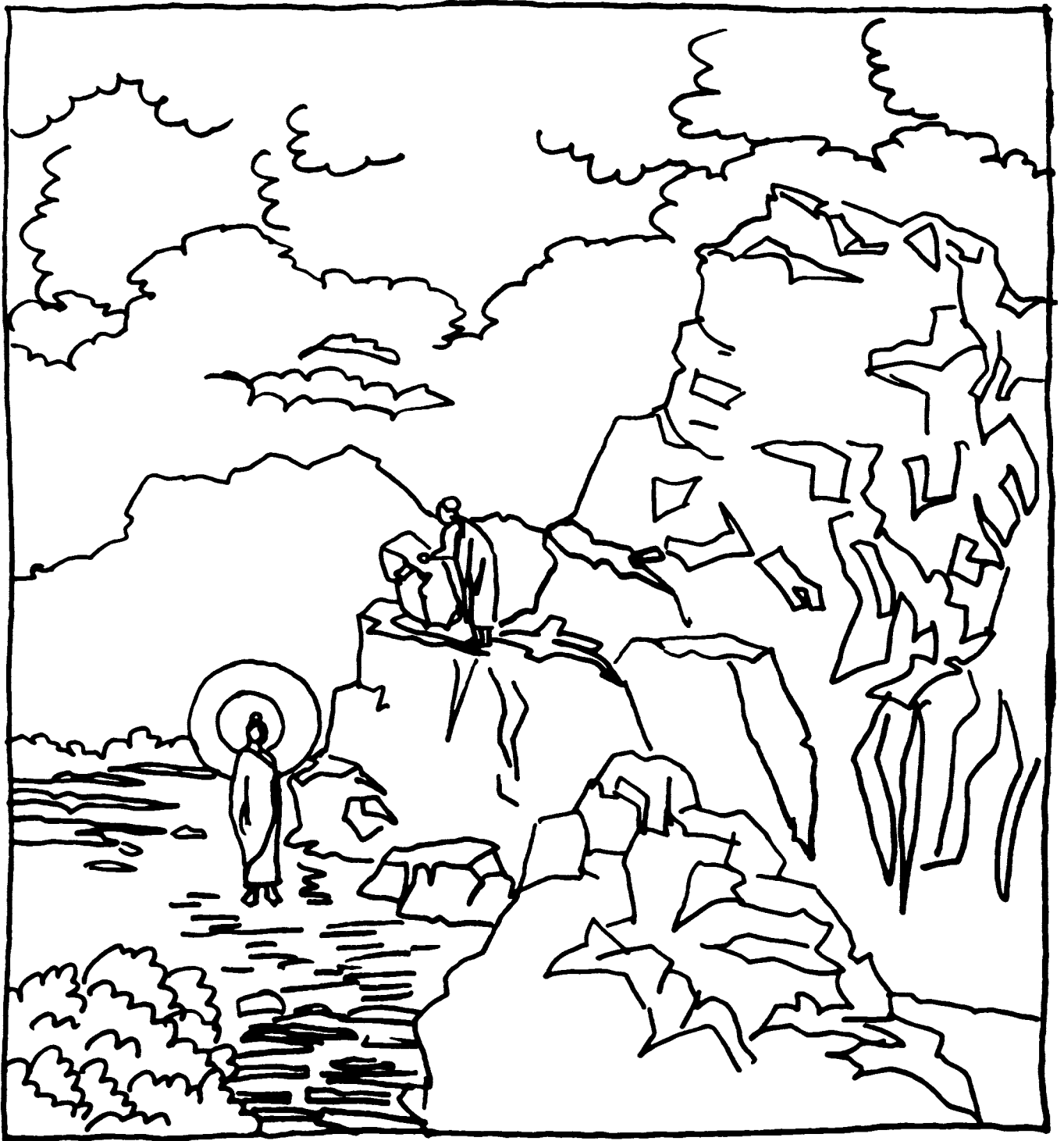
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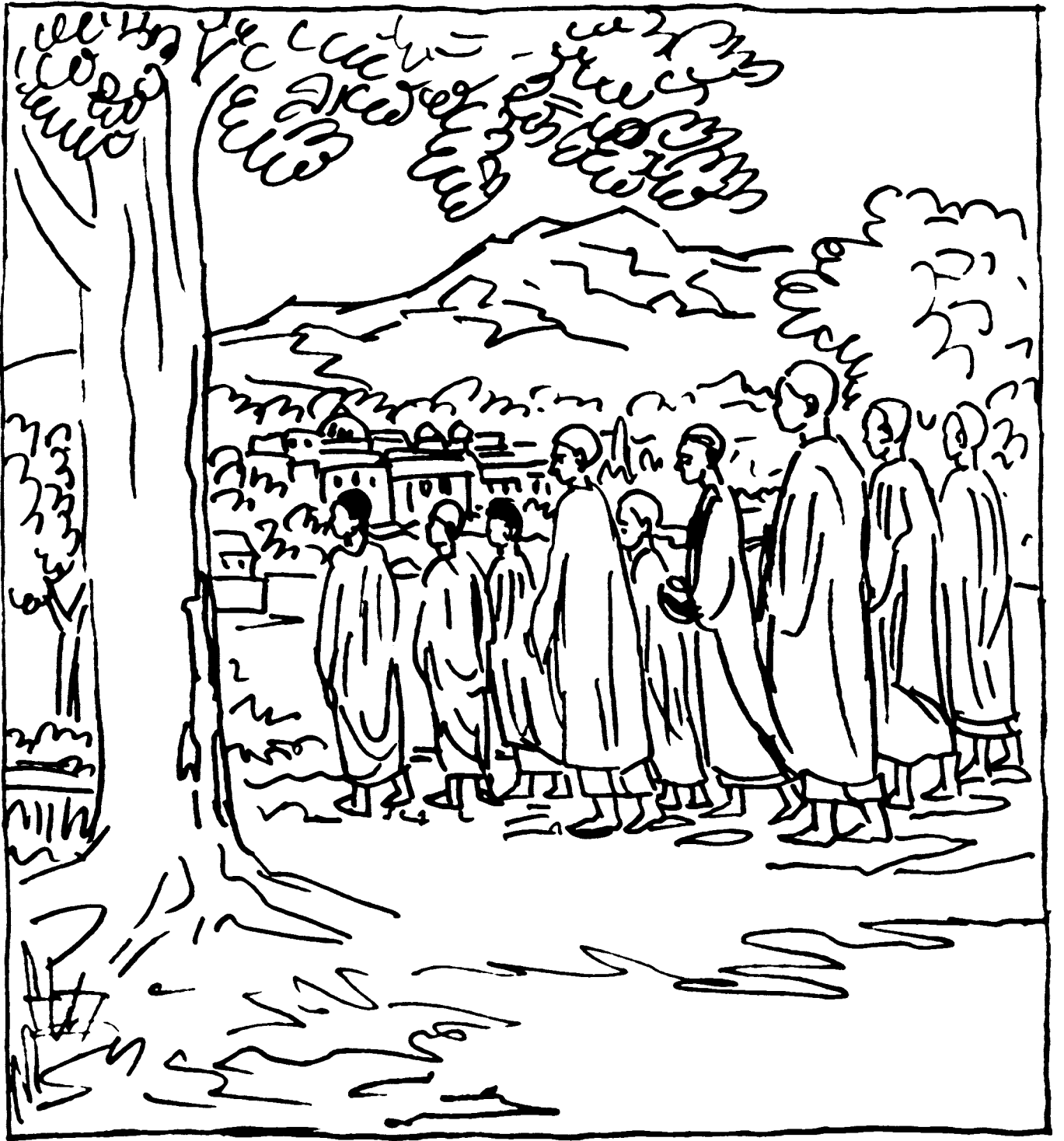
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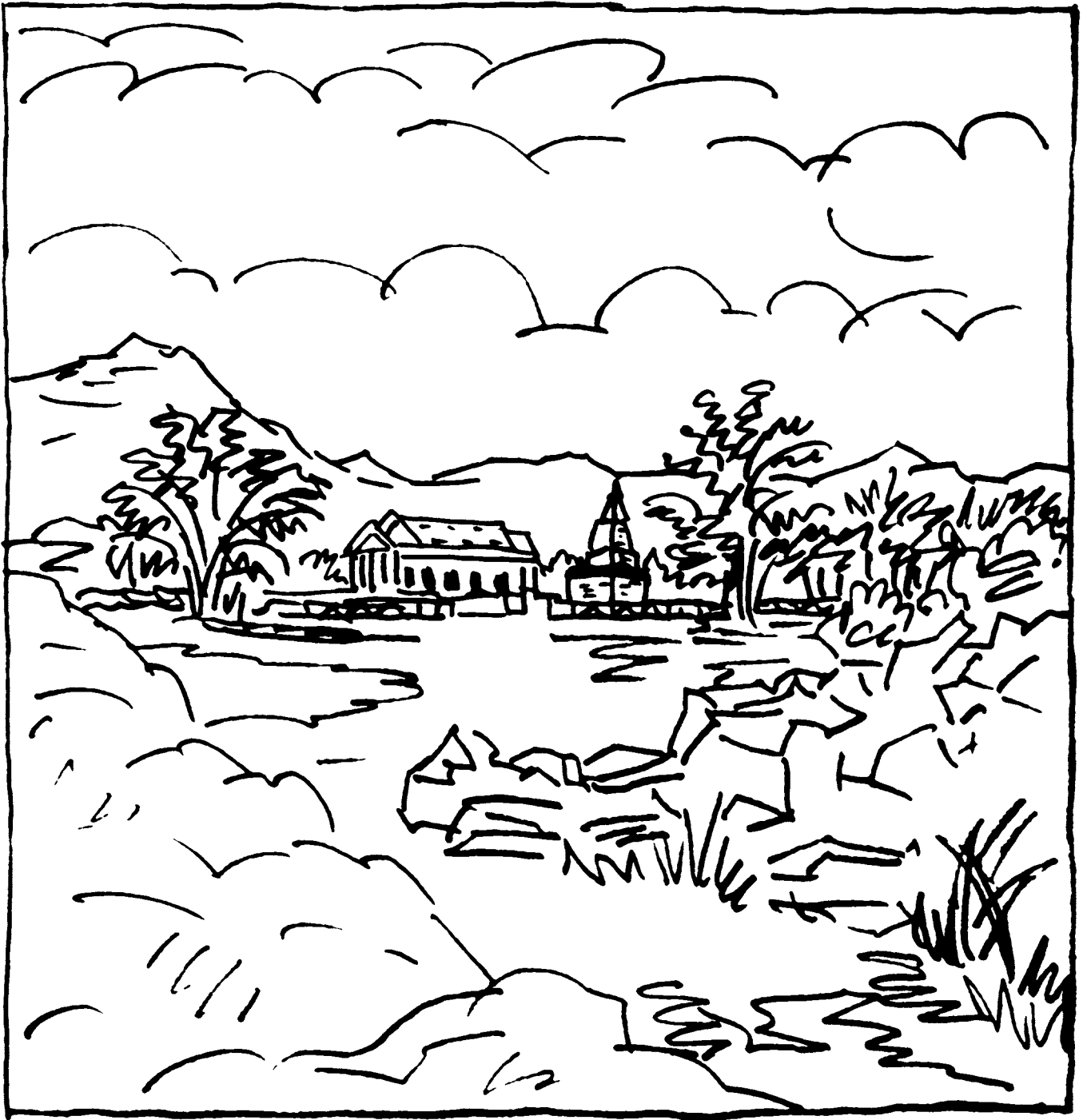
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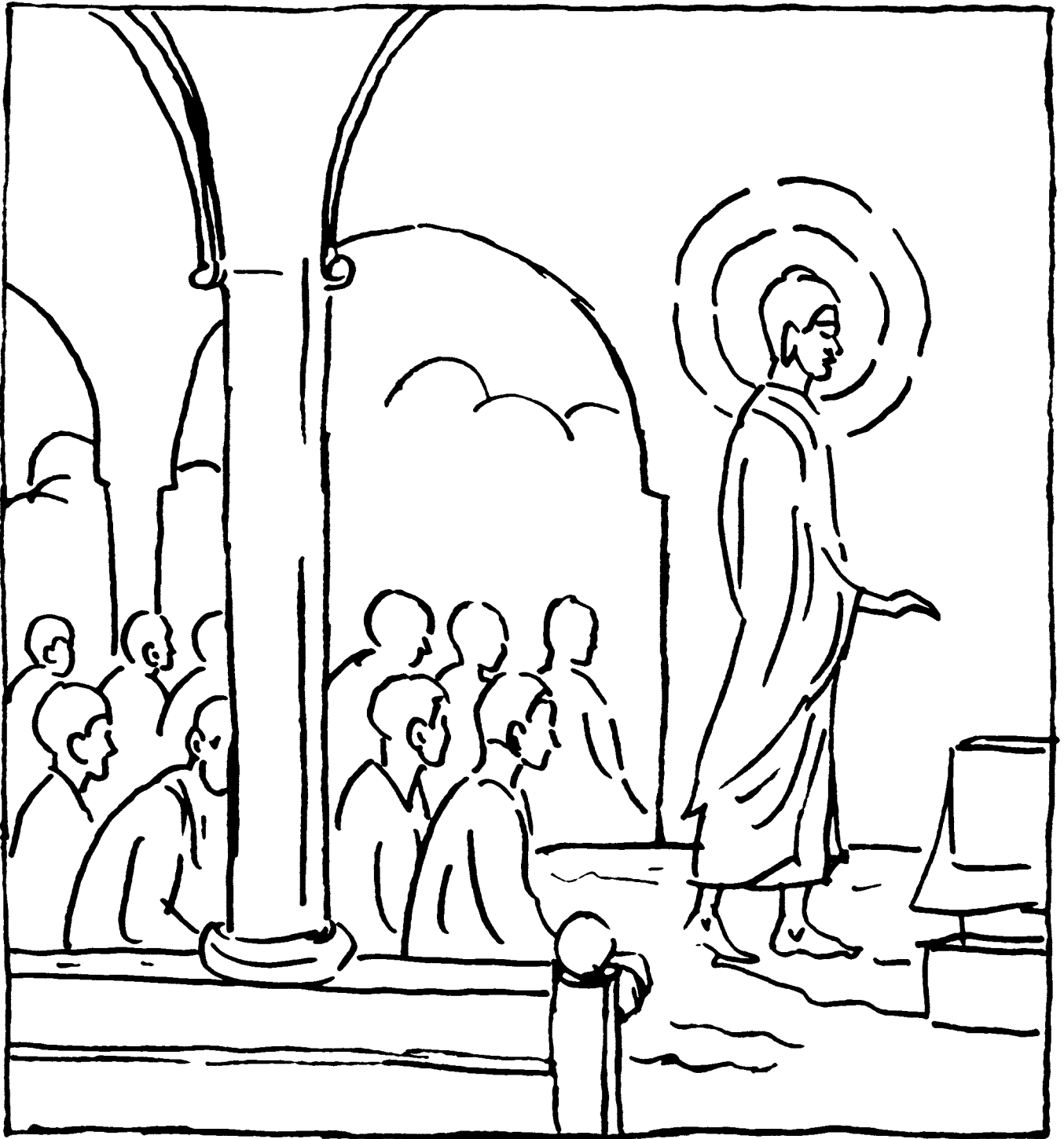
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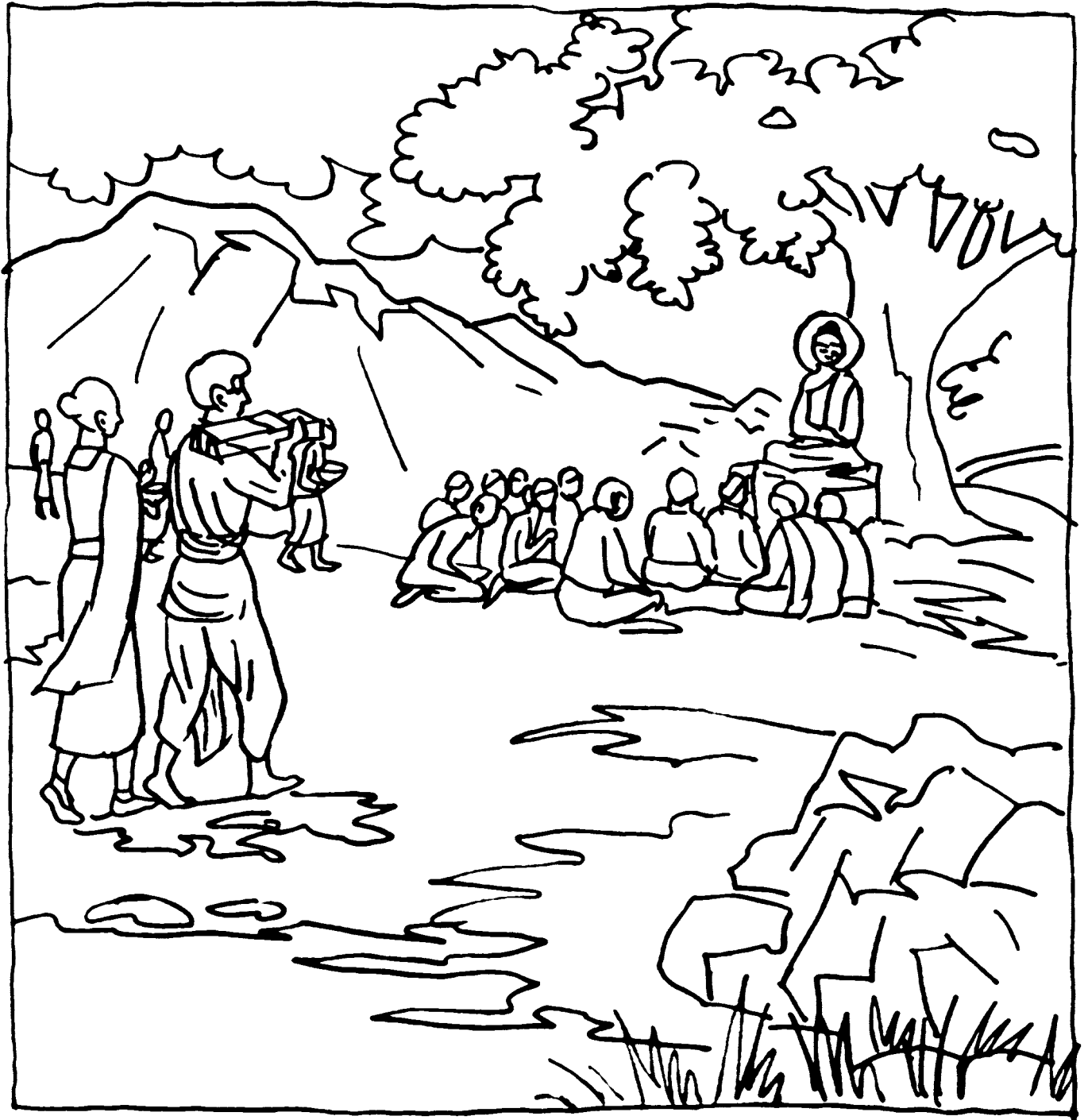
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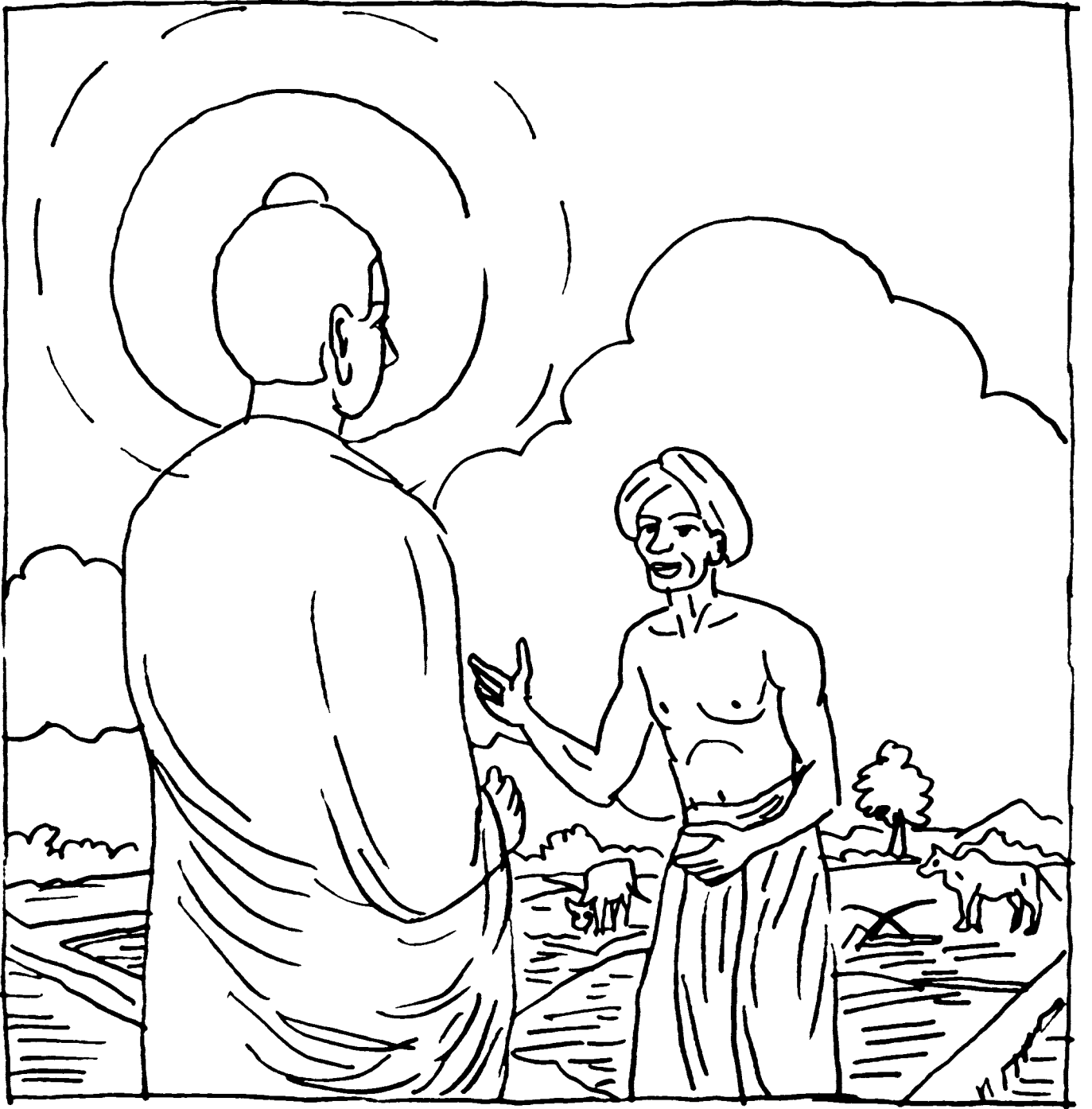
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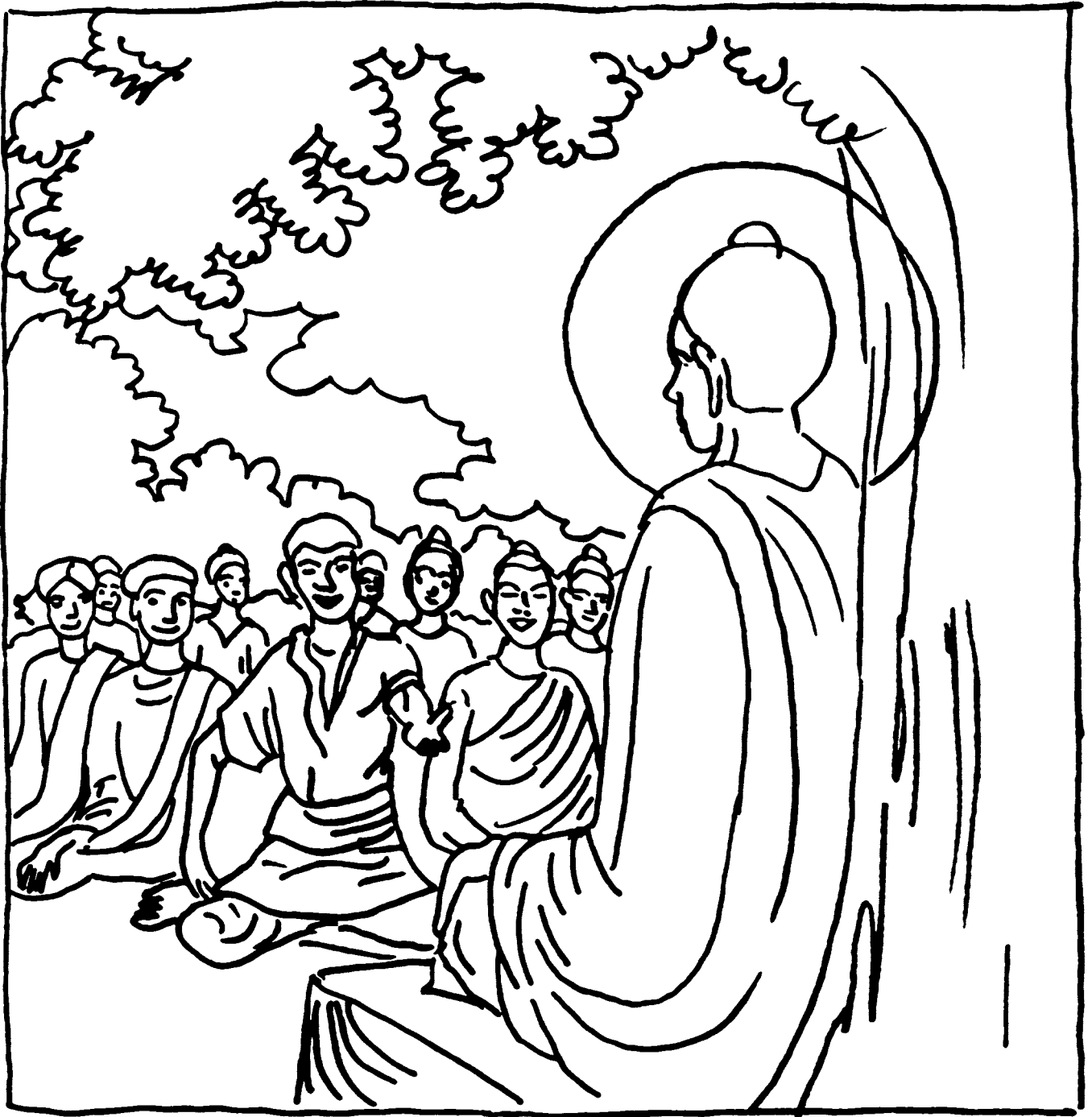
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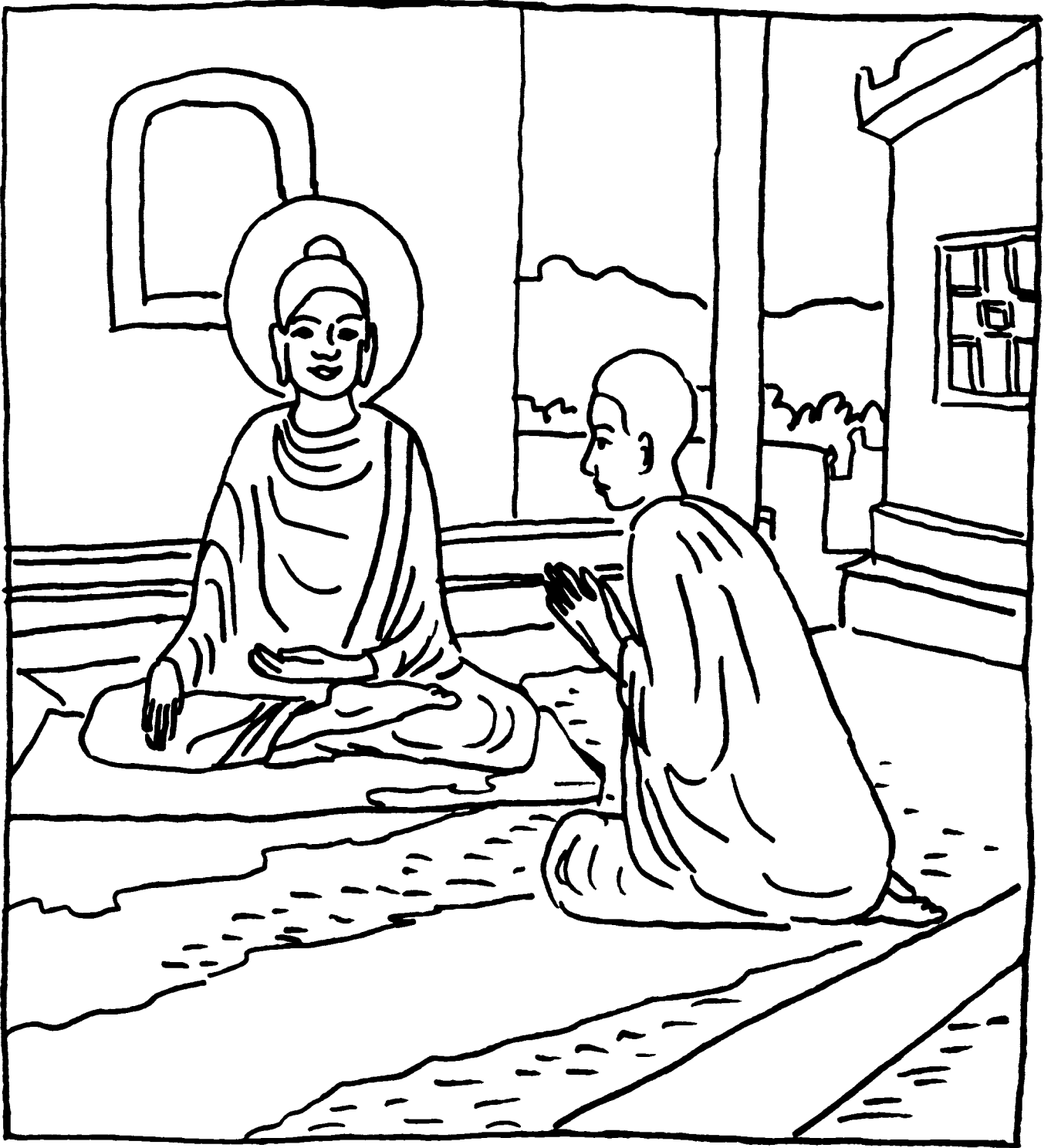
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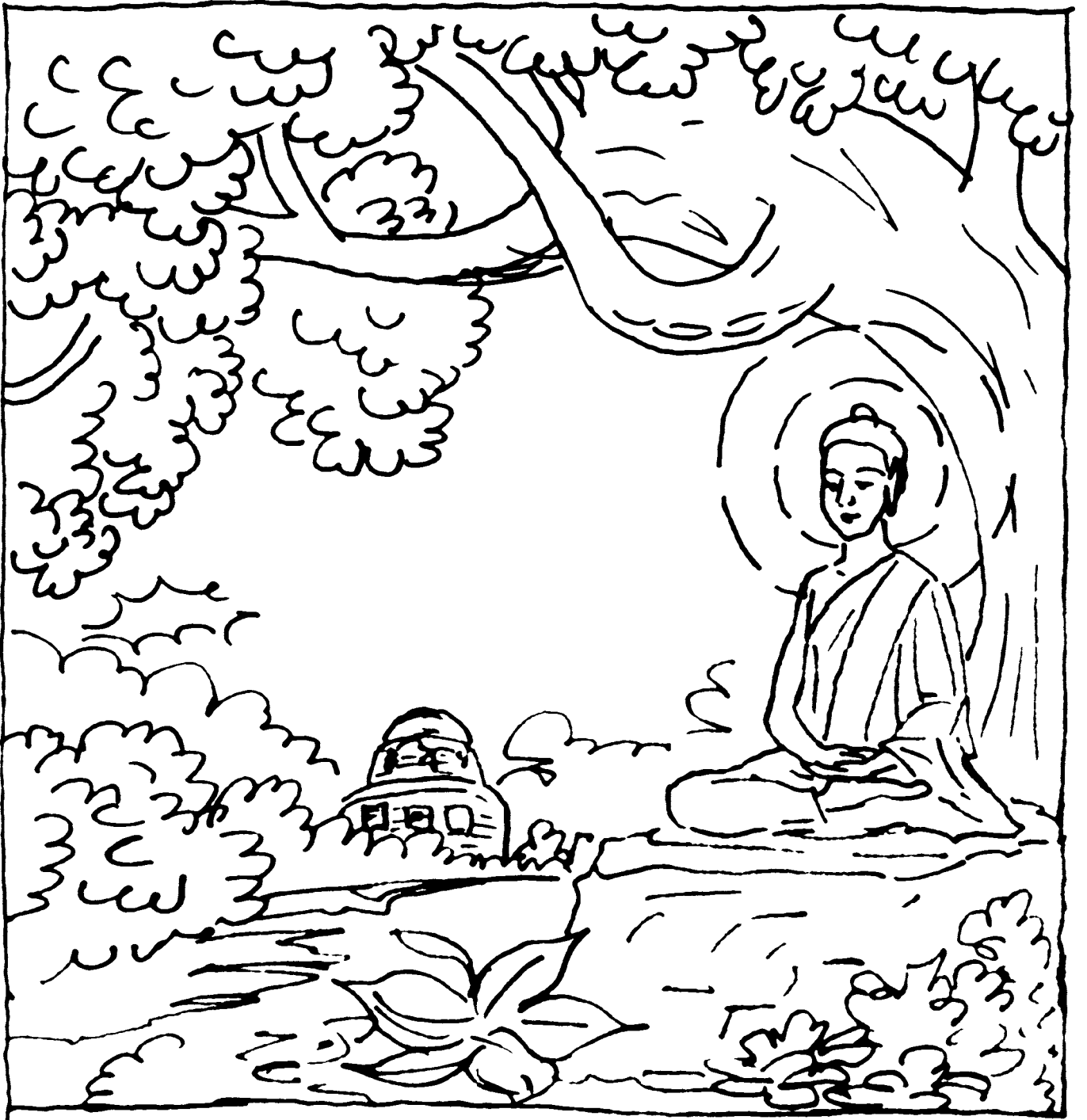
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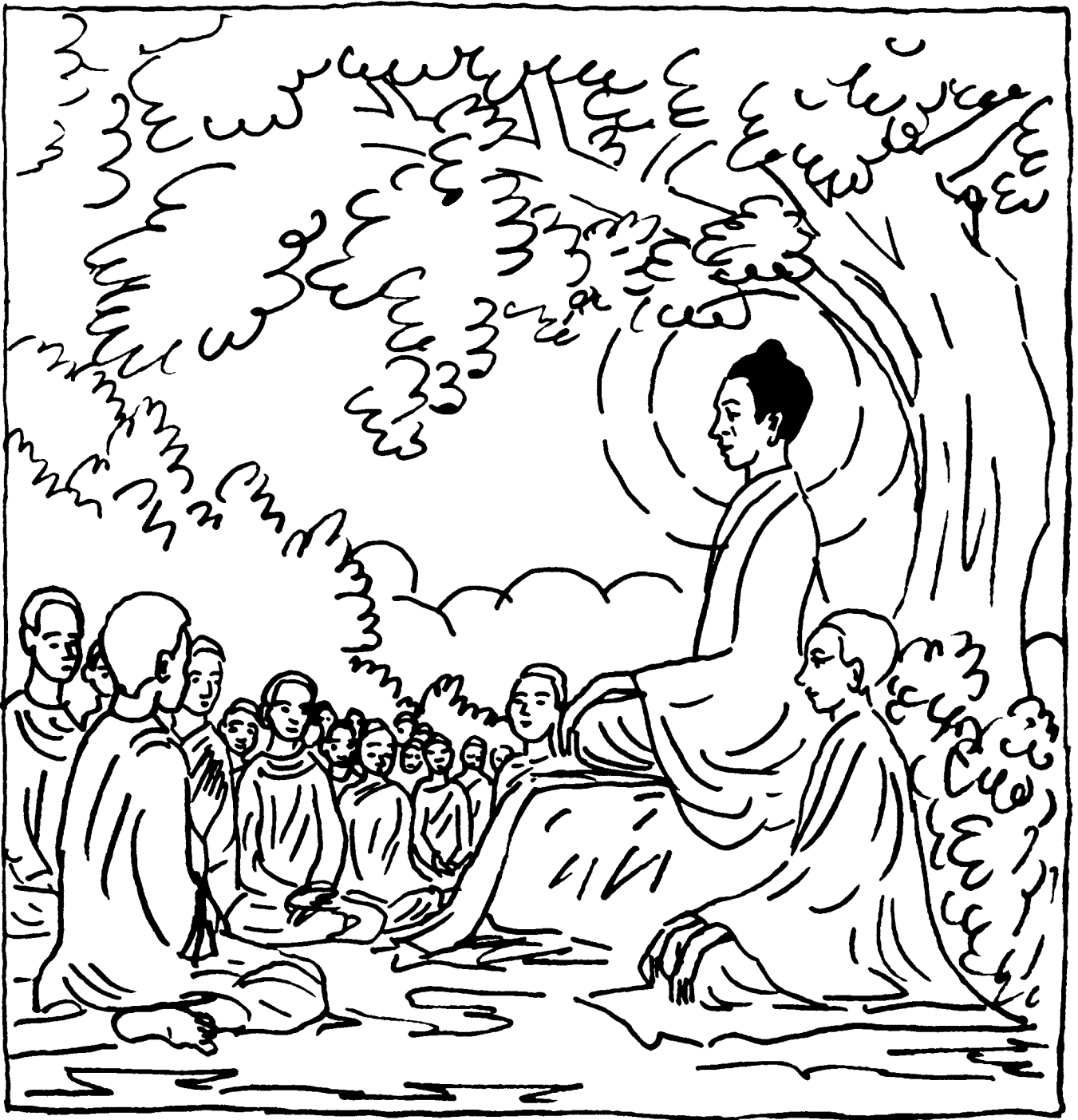
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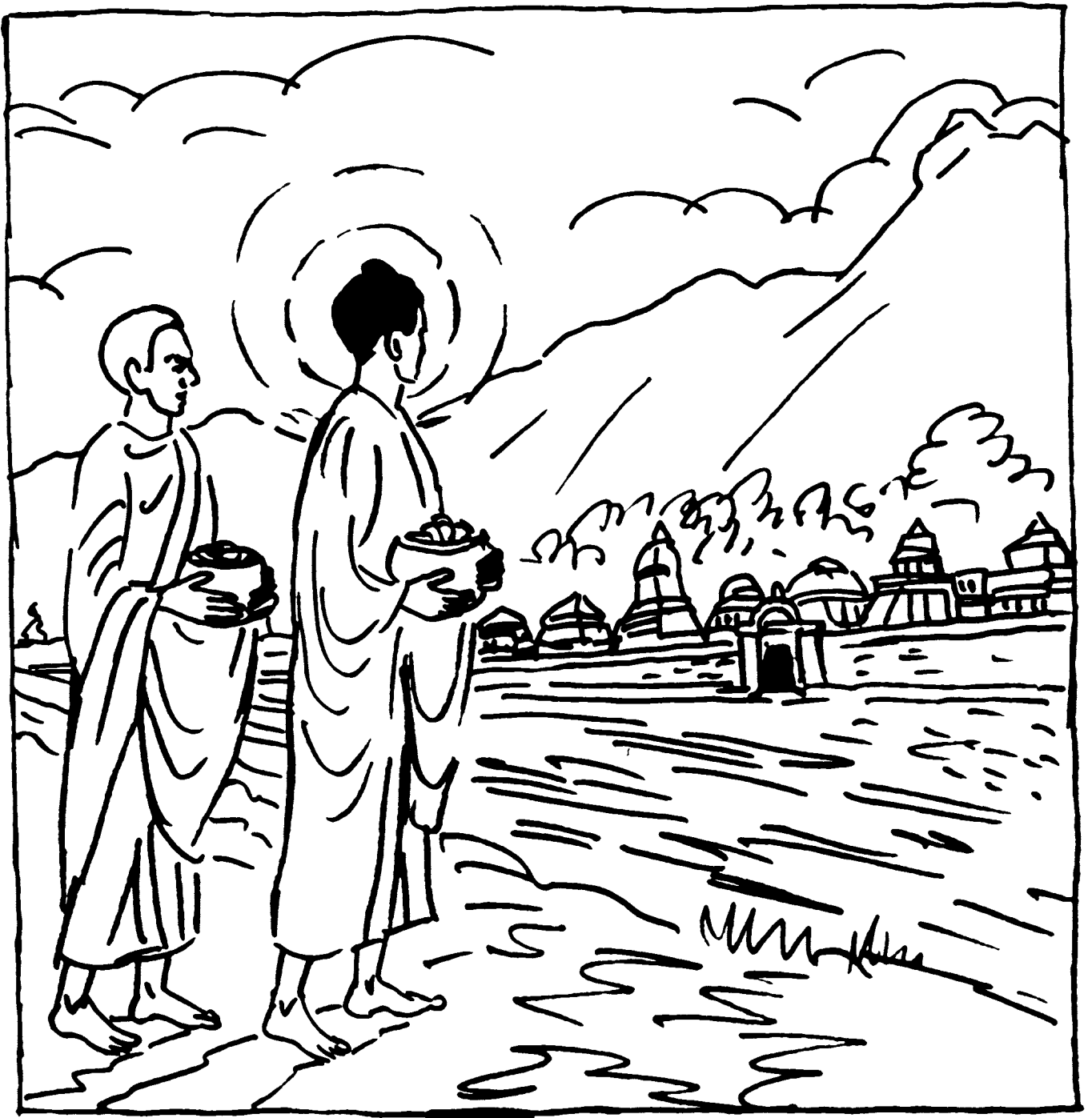
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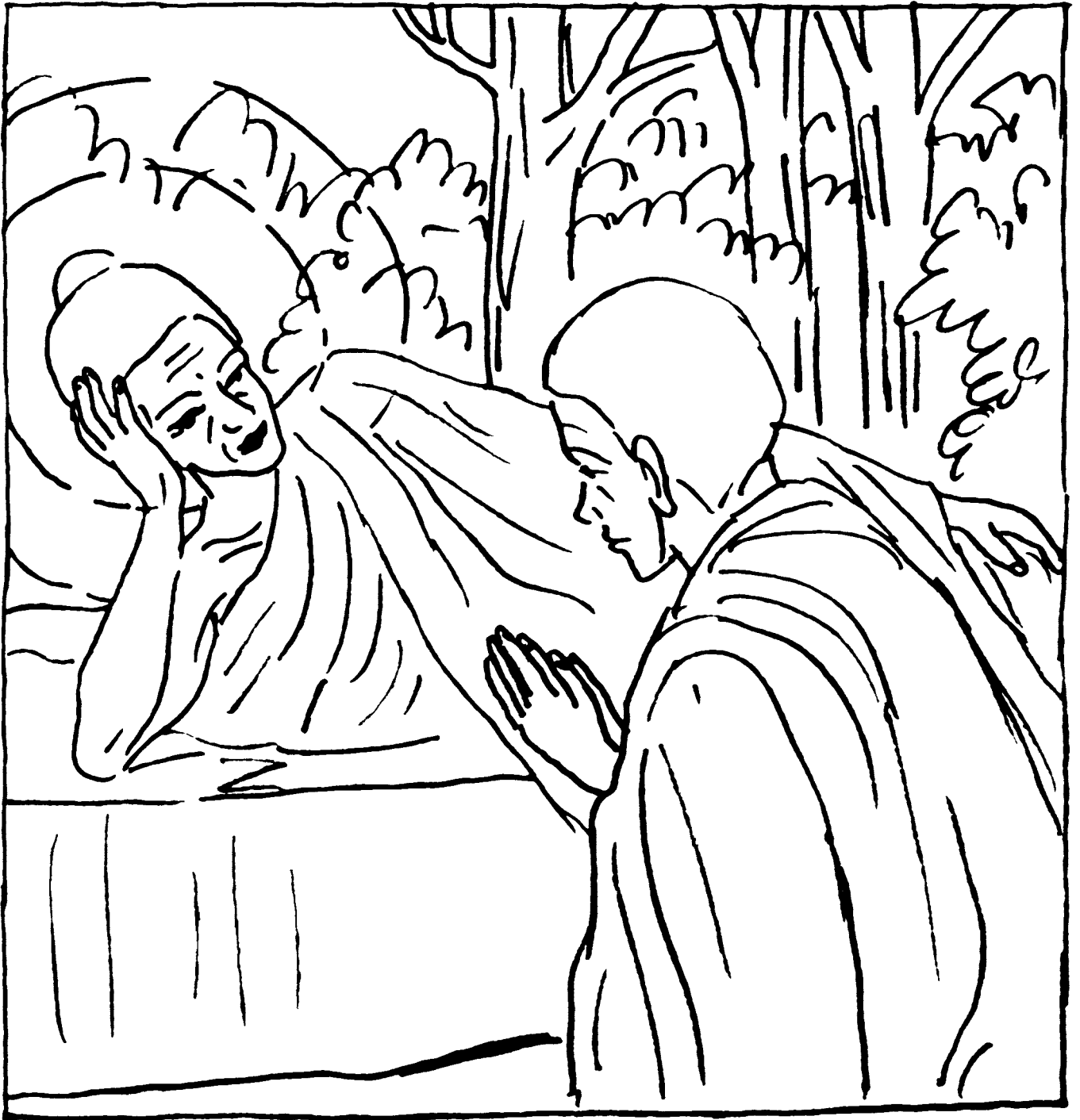
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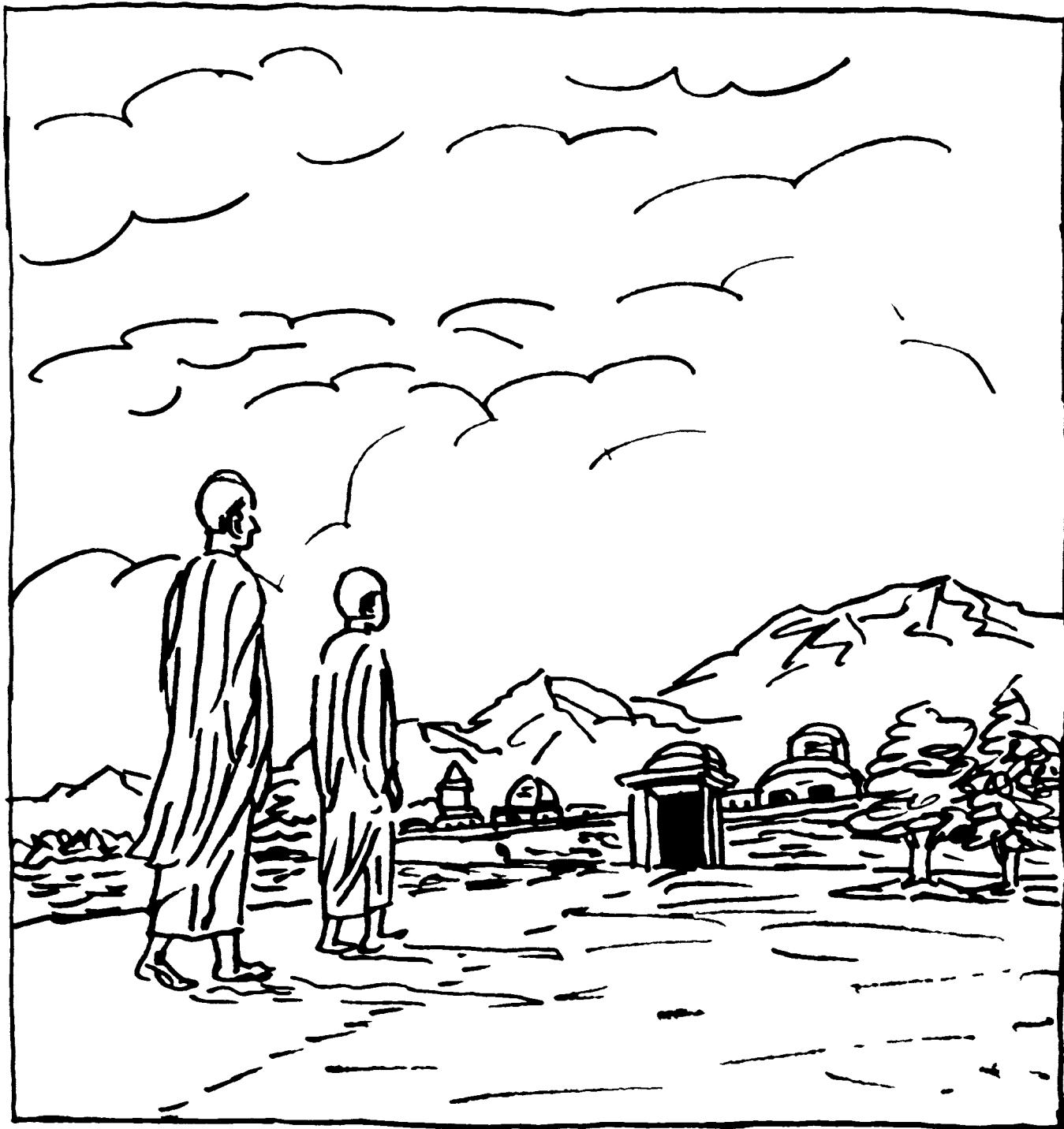
85. FINAL RESTING PLACE BETWEEN TWO SAL TREES



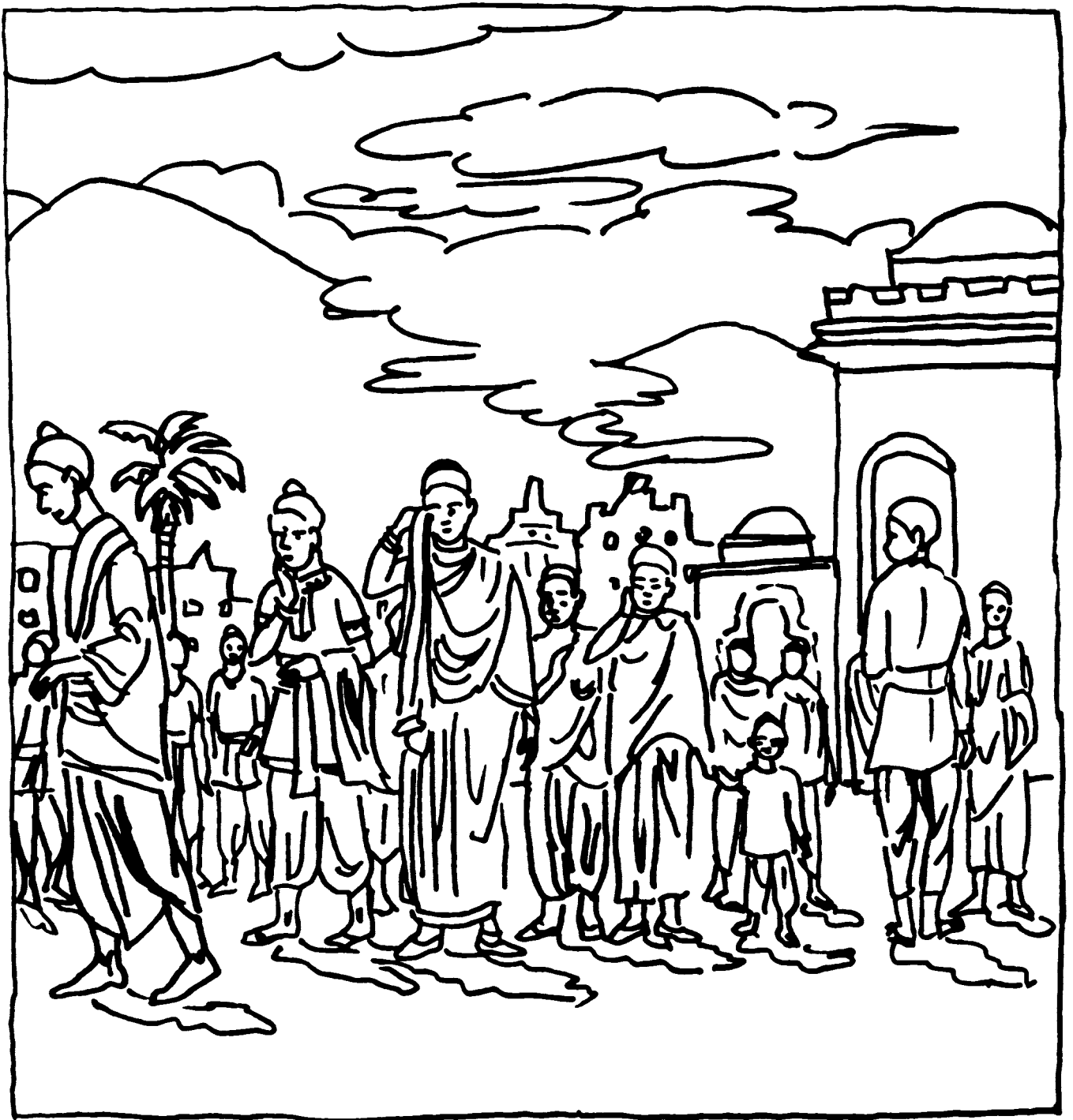
86. ANANDA IS OVERCOME WITH GRIEF



87. ANANDA IS GIVEN WELL-DESERVED PRAISE



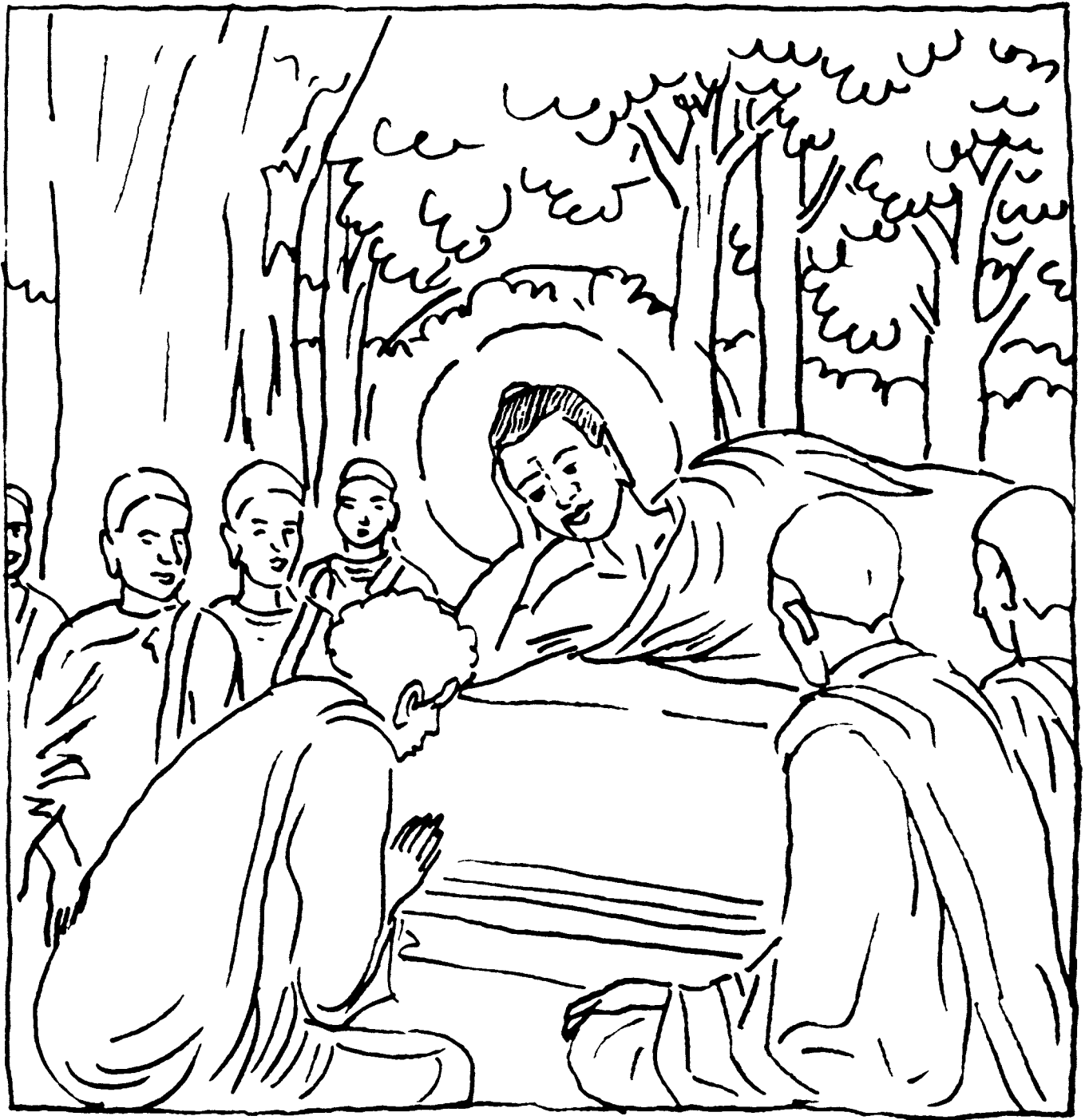
88. ANANDA TELLS THE PEOPLE IN KUSINARA



89. PEOPLE IN KUSINARA GRIEVE FOR THE BUDDHA



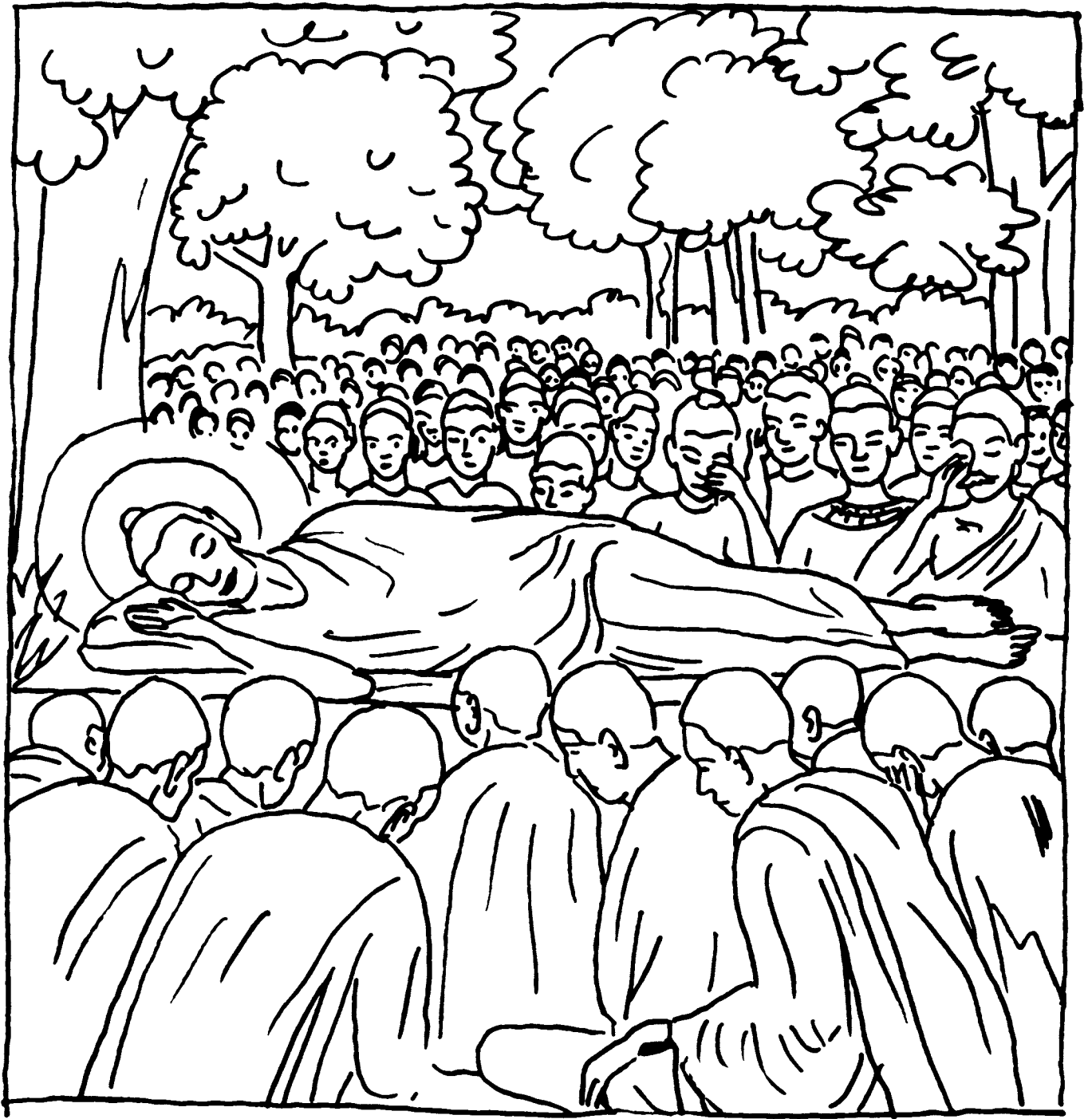
90. SUBHADDA SEEKS A MEETING WITH THE BUDDHA



91. THE BUDDHA'S INSTRUCTIONS TO SUBHADDA



92. THE LAST WORDS OF THE BUDDHA



93. THE FINAL NIRVANA

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