

## The Prophet (s.a.s.) was kind and caring

There are many things we can learn from the example of Prophet Muhammad. We can learn much from what he said and what he did as the Messenger of Allah.

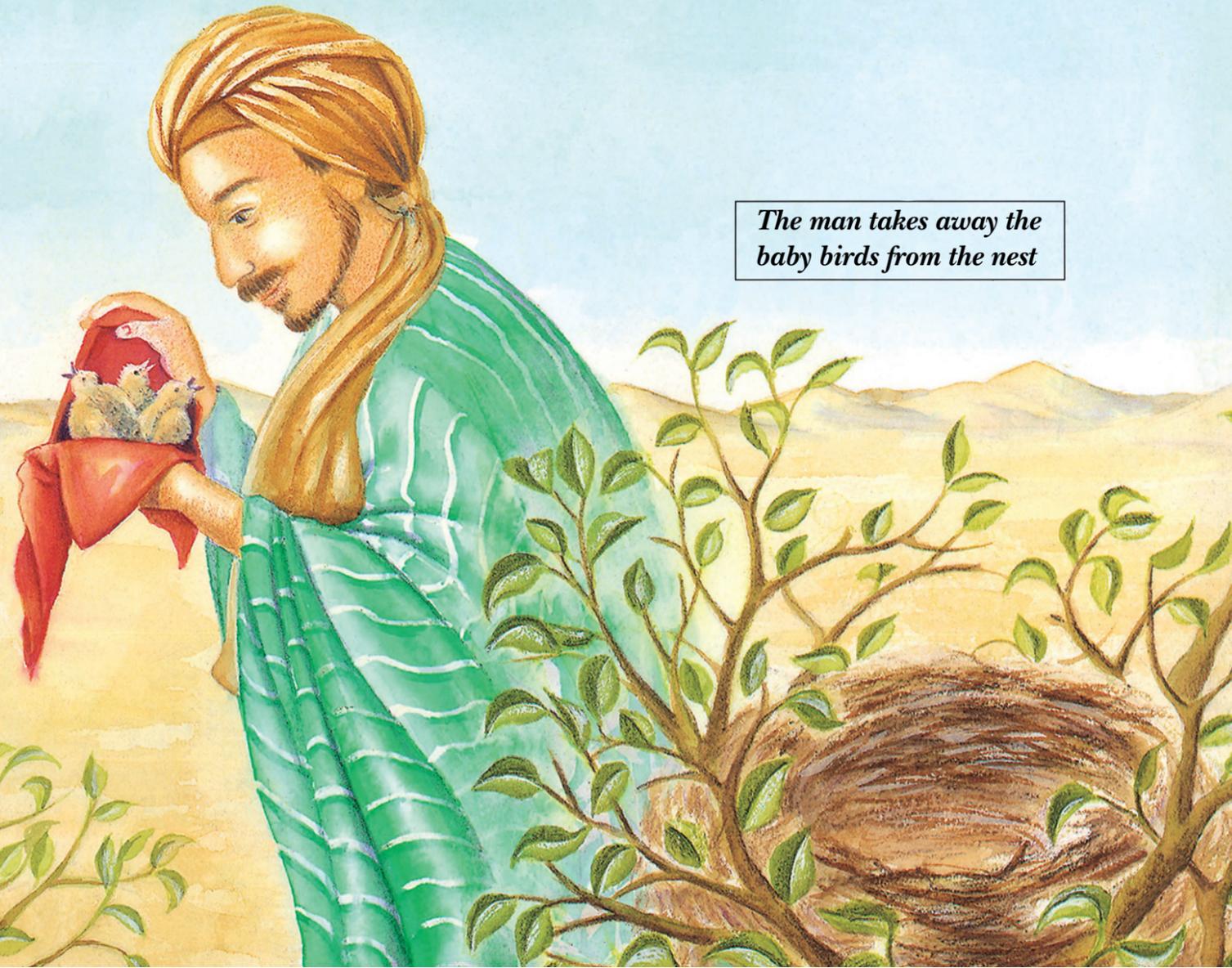
The Prophet was a very kind and caring person. He treated people politely, whether they were young or old, rich or poor. He taught Muslims to care for one another. He also told them to be kind and gentle to animals.



One day, a man came across a nest in a bush. Hidden inside the nest were some baby birds. The man decided to take the birds with him. So he picked each one up and placed them on a piece of cloth.

Just then, the mother of the baby birds came along. She saw the man carrying away her little ones and tried to stop him. She flew around him, flapping her wings wildly. But the man did not free the baby birds.

*The man takes away the baby birds from the nest*

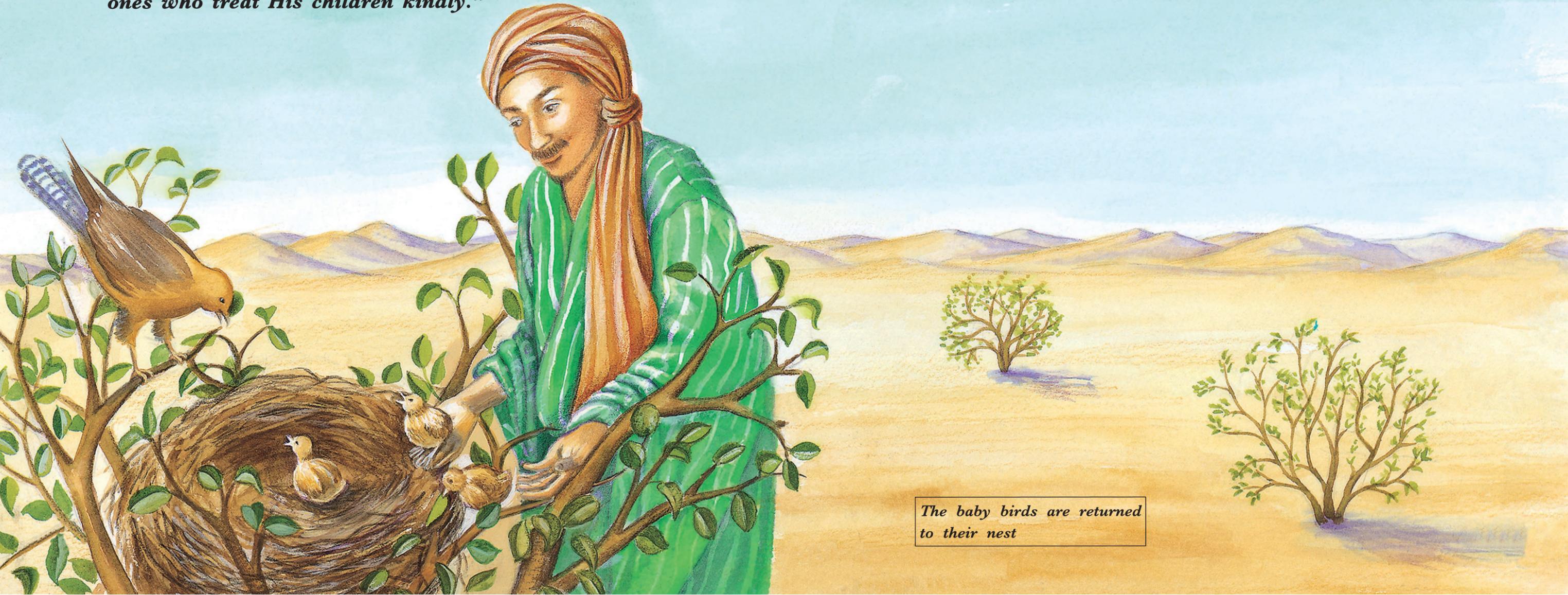


The man took the baby birds to Prophet Muhammad.  
“Look what I have found, O Messenger of Allah,”  
he said. He thought that the Prophet would be  
pleased to see the birds.

But the Prophet was not at all happy.  
He saw the mother bird flying above.  
He knew that she was missing her young ones.  
So he asked the man to return the little birds to  
their nest at once.

Prophet Muhammad has said:

***“All creatures are Allah's children,  
and those dearest to Allah are the  
ones who treat His children kindly.”***



*The baby birds are returned  
to their nest*