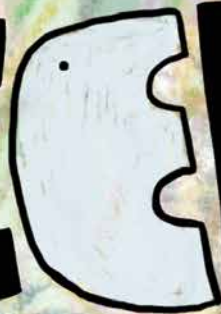


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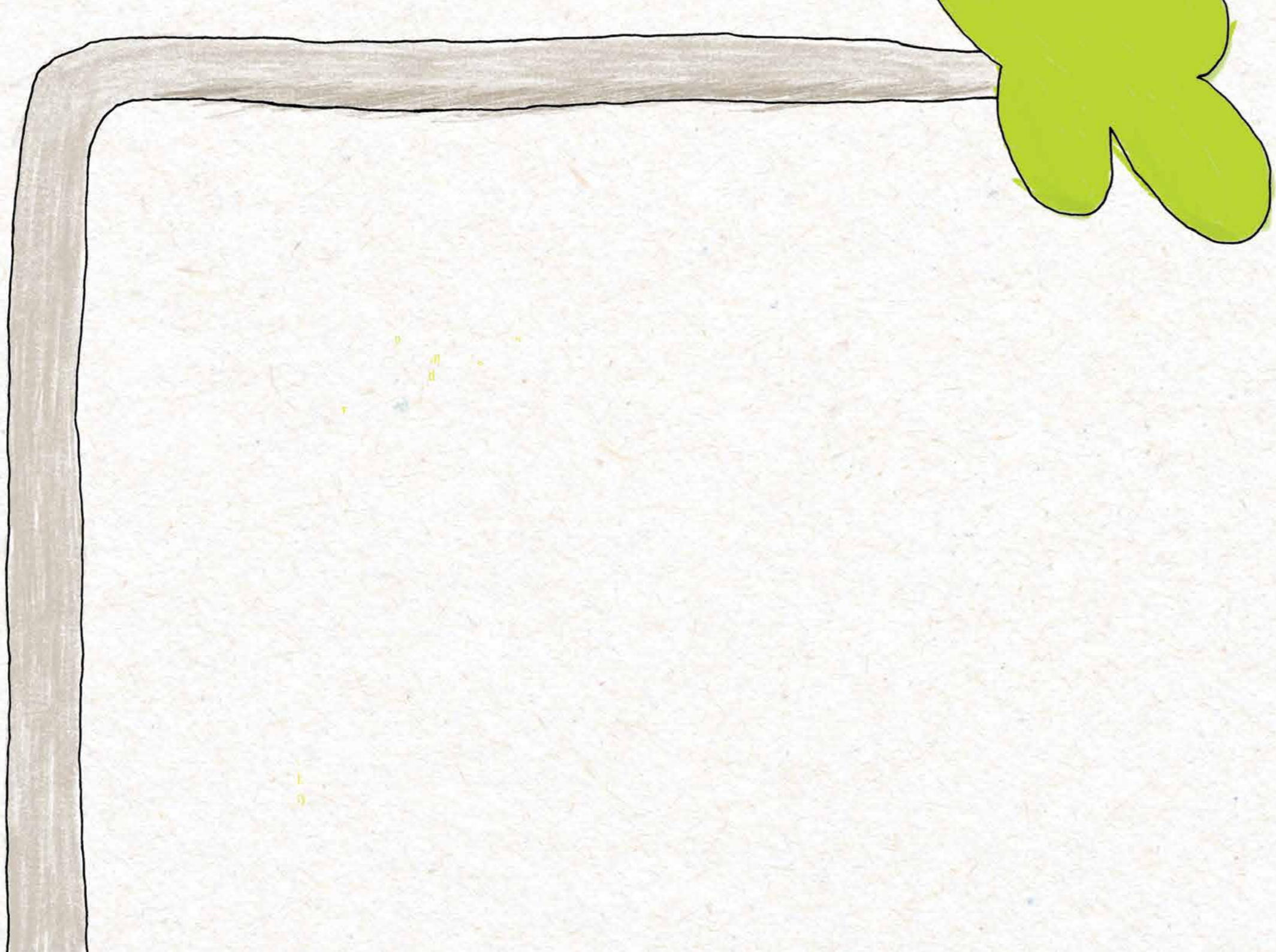
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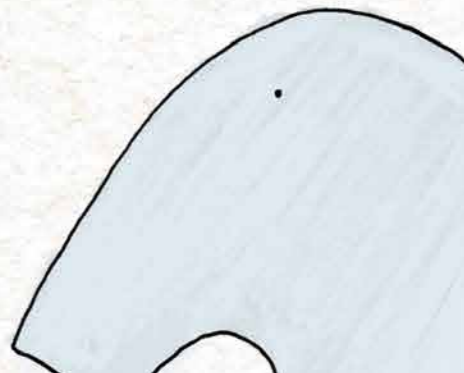
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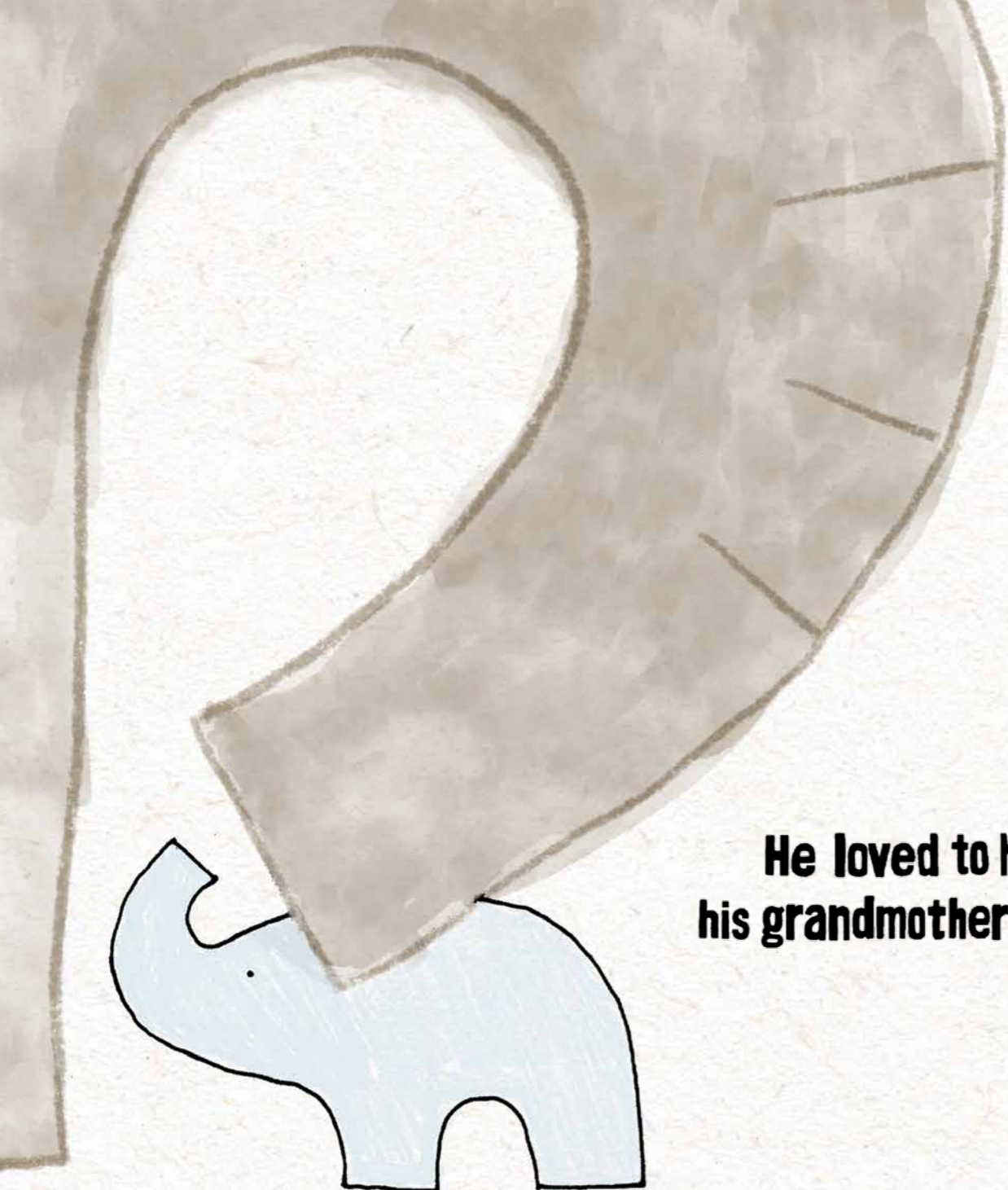
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who lived in the forest.**



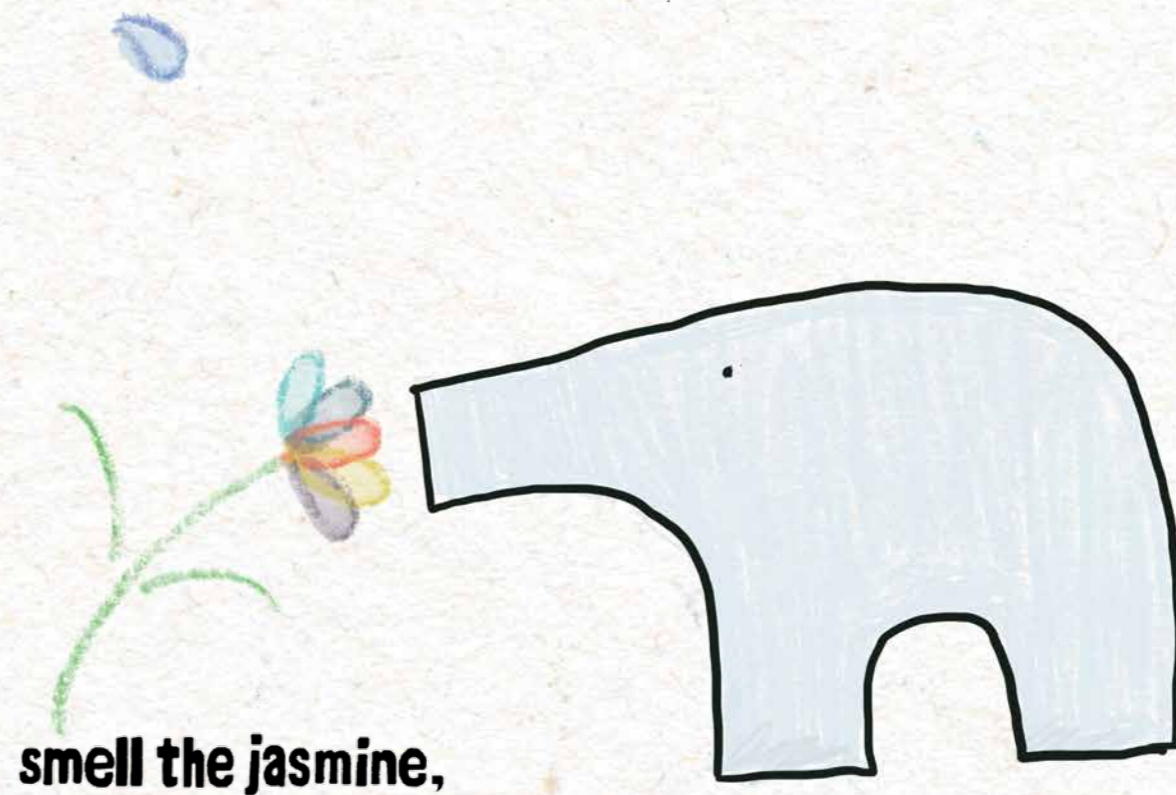


**He loved to hear
his grandmother's tales,**

he loved to wander free.



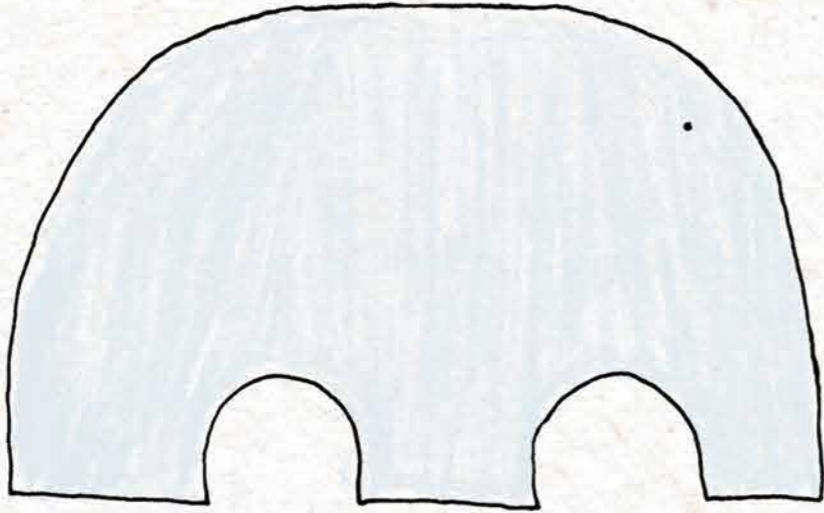
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smell the jasmine,

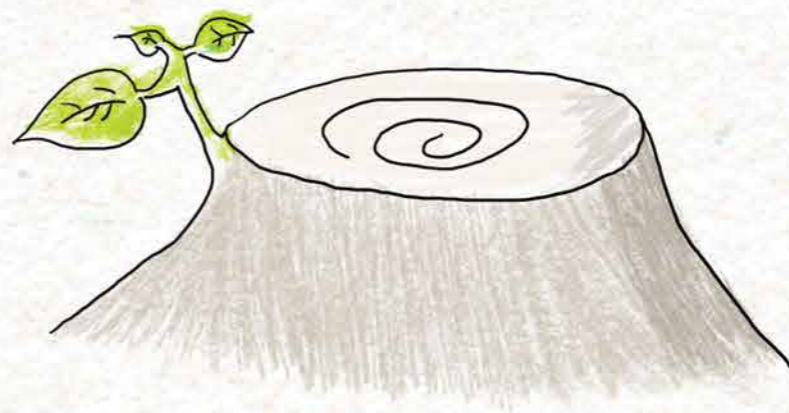


to play with



other company.





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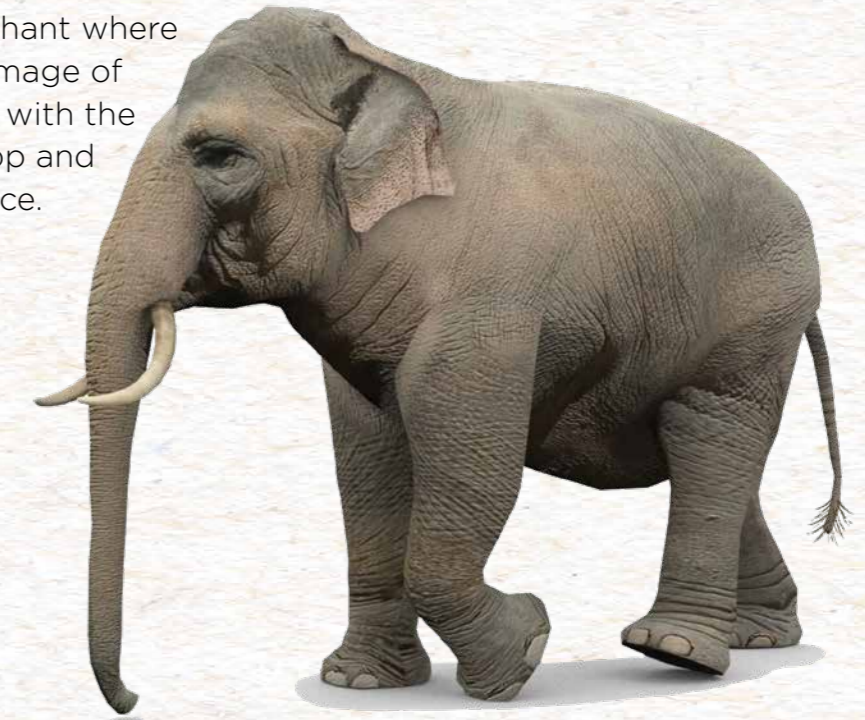
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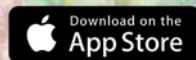
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