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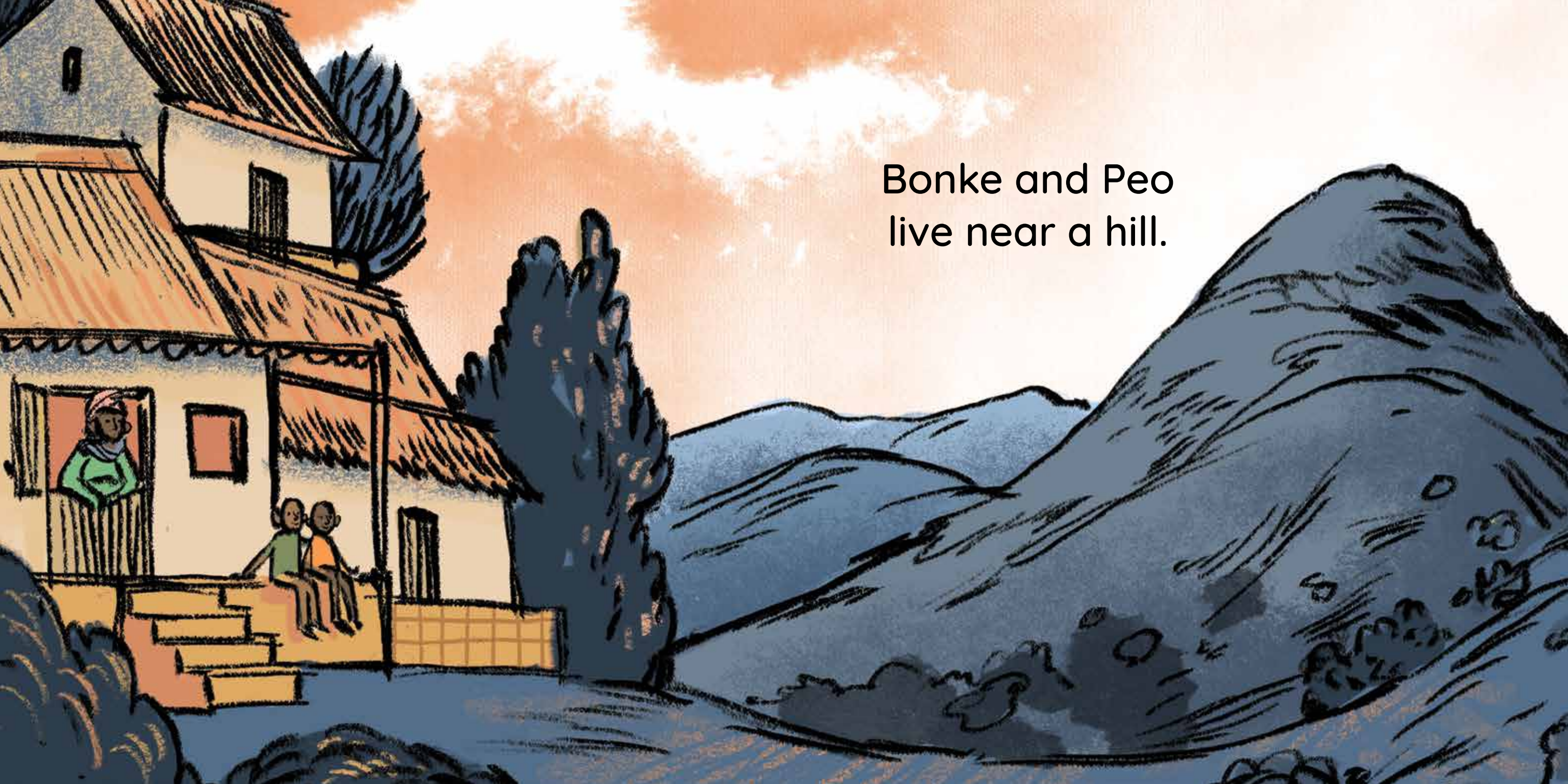
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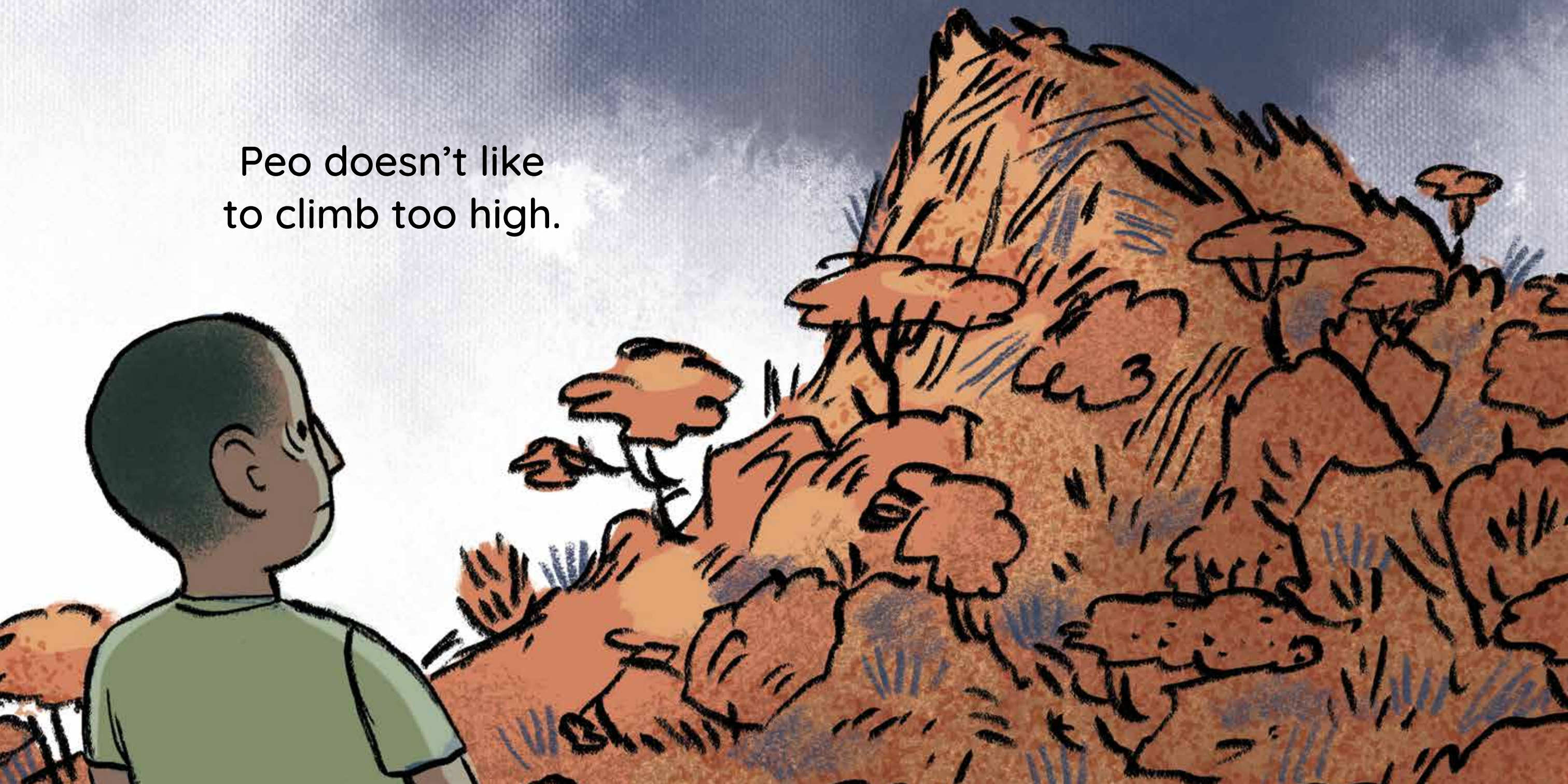
Bonke and Peo
live near a hill.



They like to run,
hide and climb.



Peo doesn't like
to climb too high.



An illustration of a young boy with dark skin and short dark hair, looking up with a curious expression at a large, round, white berry. The berry is positioned on the left side of the frame. The background is filled with dark blue leaves and branches, suggesting a forest or garden setting. The boy is wearing an orange shirt. The overall style is simple and illustrative, with bold outlines and flat colors.

Sometimes
they are lucky
enough to
find berries.

‘Did that meerkat
just wave at me?’ asks Peo.

Bonke laughs.
‘That’s impossible!’ he says.





The meerkat
scampers up, **up**, **up**...

‘Let’s go!’





‘Bonke,
I’m scared.’



‘It’s okay,
I’m here.’









