

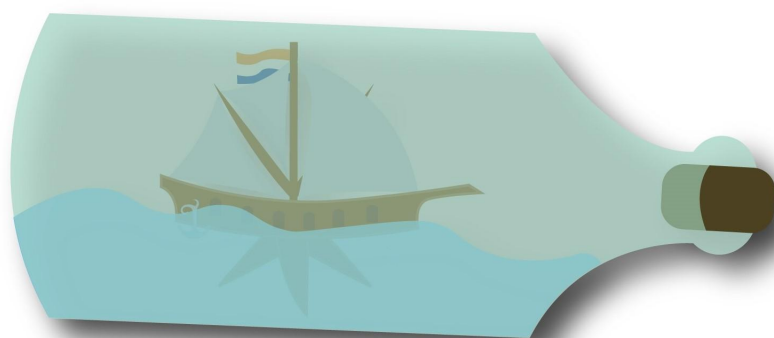
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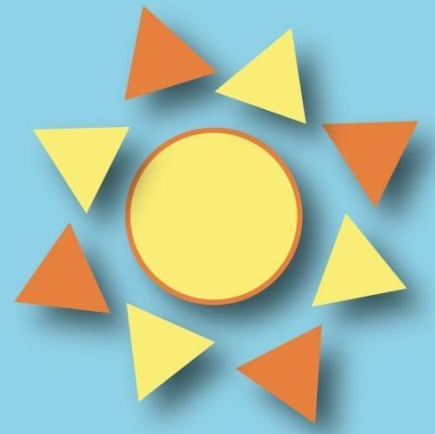


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Once upon a time in the
Netherlands, a country far, far
away,
it was time for a little boy called
Abel to start his day.



It was a nice day outside:
Abel wanted to go sailing, with a boat at sea.

But too bad! His father said:

*That will
not be!*





'Abel, you should become a carpenter!', Father said.

'Now that's a fine way to earn your bread.'





And that made young Abel ponder.

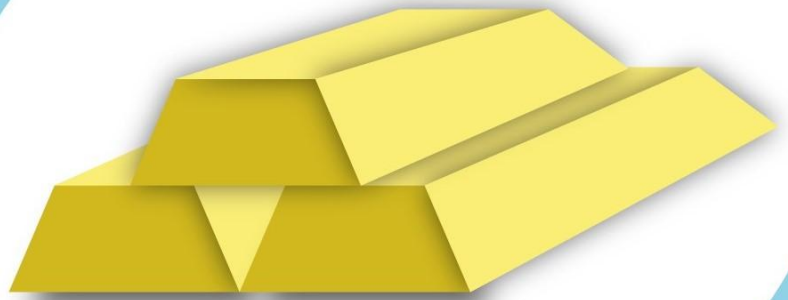
He'd rather go on a journey, filled with miracle and wonder!

But when he grew up did
Abel fulfill his dream.



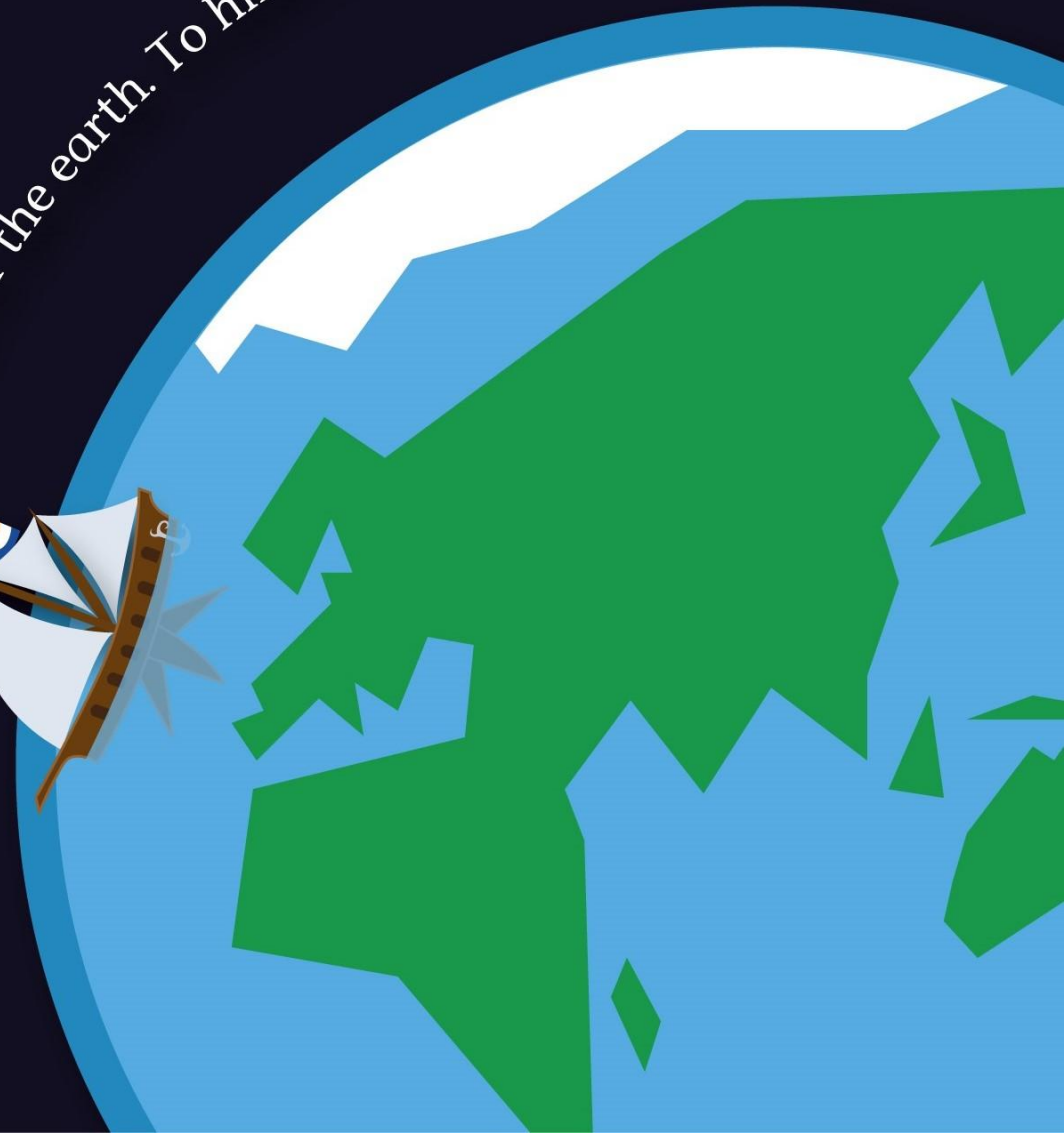
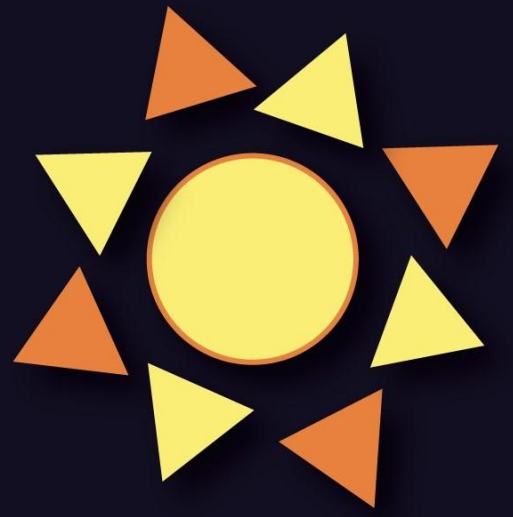
He built a gorgeous ship and sailed in it,
together with his team.

Abel sailed to
Tasmania, an island
not too far from here.



He was told: "There be
gold, left there by
buccaneers!"

And so he sailed to the other side of the earth. To him, his ship was home and hearth.





On Tasmania, Abel and his mates started digging on the shore.

Deep..

Deeper..

And deeper..

.. he had to dig, before
he found that which he longed for.



The treasure was found
and was pulled up
without further ado.

Abel was happy:
he had done what he set
out to do.



Abel was someone truly special; the Tasmanians still remember him very well.

He was a man both strong and smart: Abel had the courage to follow the compass of his heart.

Tasmania



The end

De reis van Abel naar Tasmanië
Abel's journey to Tasmania



Noord-Amerika
-
North-America

Zuid-Amerika
-
South-America

Afrika
-
Africa

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Australië
-
Australia