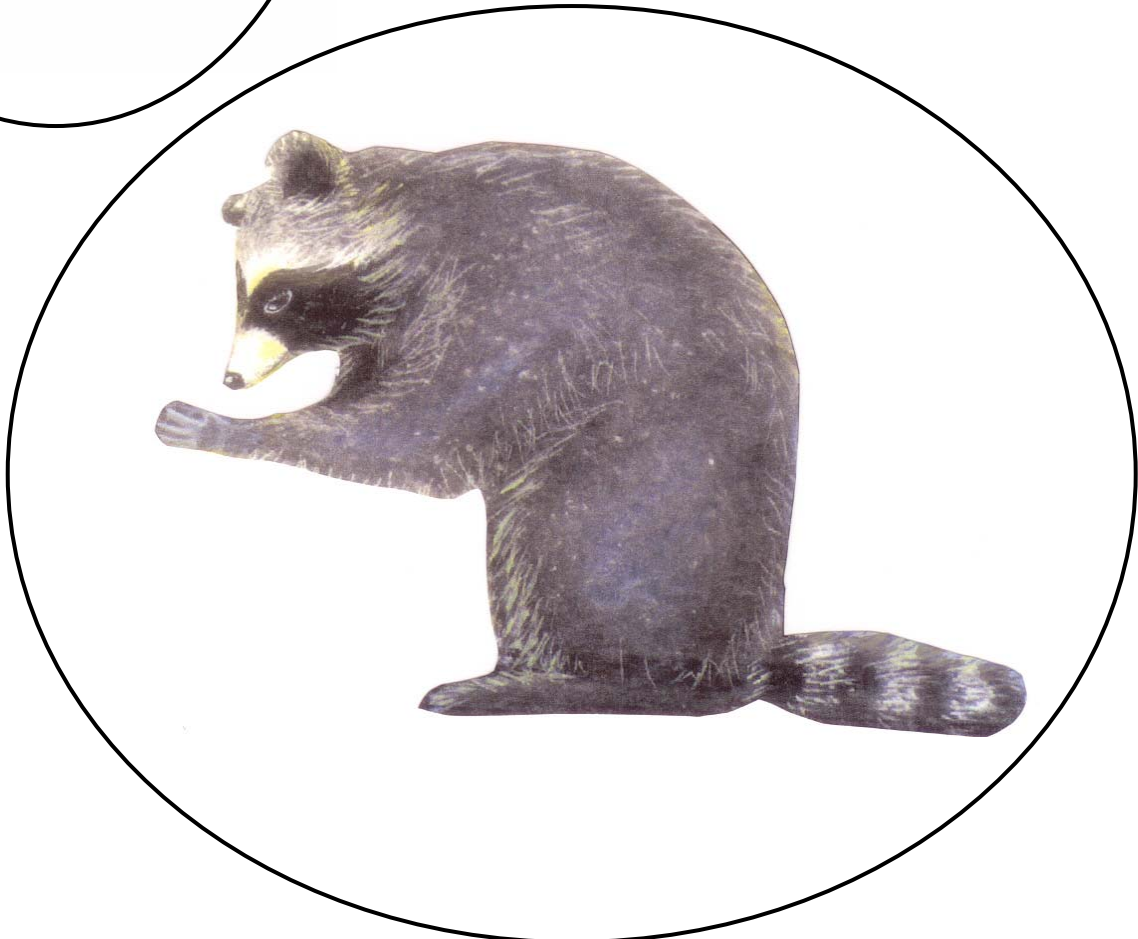
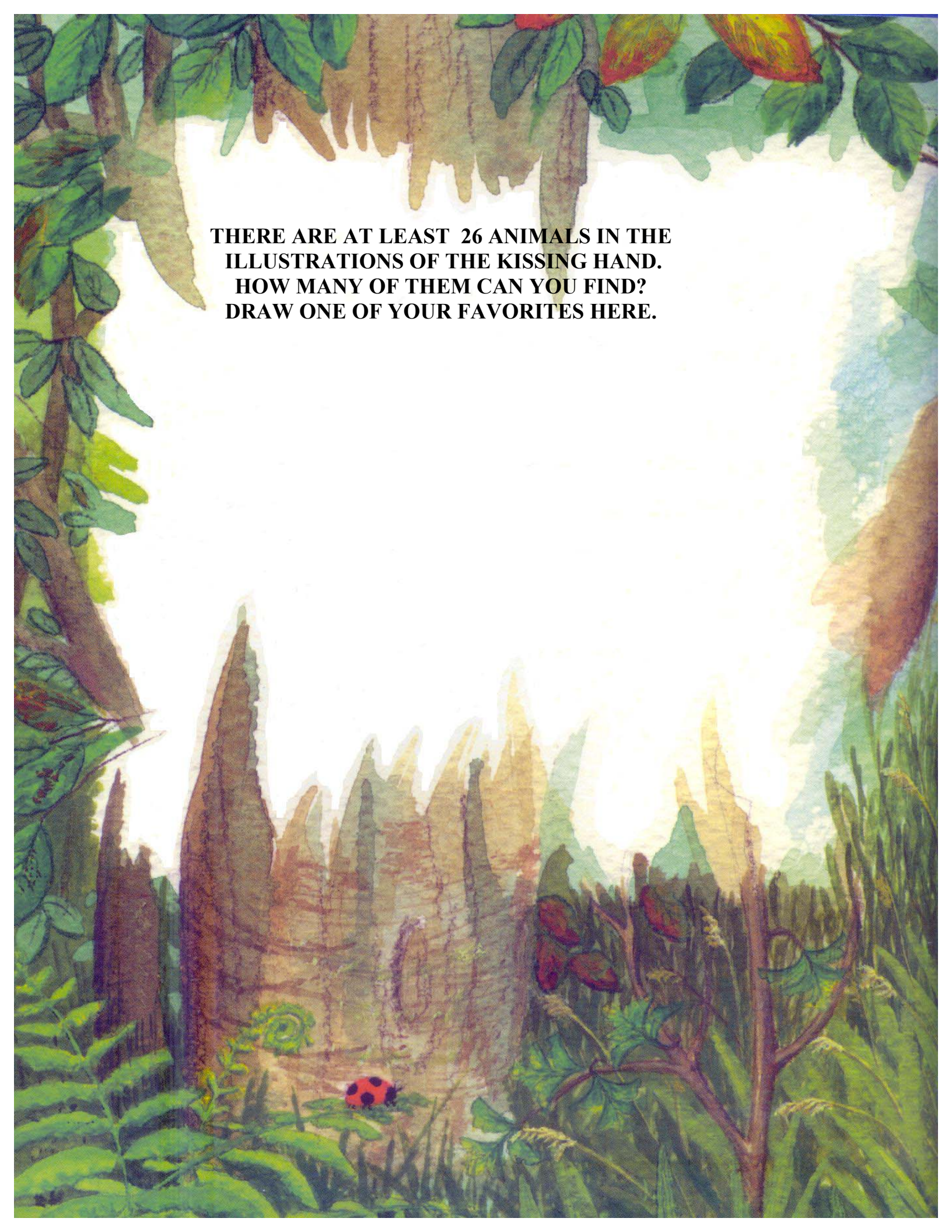


THE KISSING HAND BY AUDREY PENN

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Print this page and cut out AROUND Chester and his mother. Make them into puppets by taping them onto a popsicle stick, straw, or chopstick. Act out the story. How do you feel when your parents leave you at school or other places? Does a kissing hand make you feel better? What else feels good? Tell your grown-ups what it is like for you – they like to know!





**THERE ARE AT LEAST 26 ANIMALS IN THE
ILLUSTRATIONS OF THE KISSING HAND.
HOW MANY OF THEM CAN YOU FIND?
DRAW ONE OF YOUR FAVORITES HERE.**