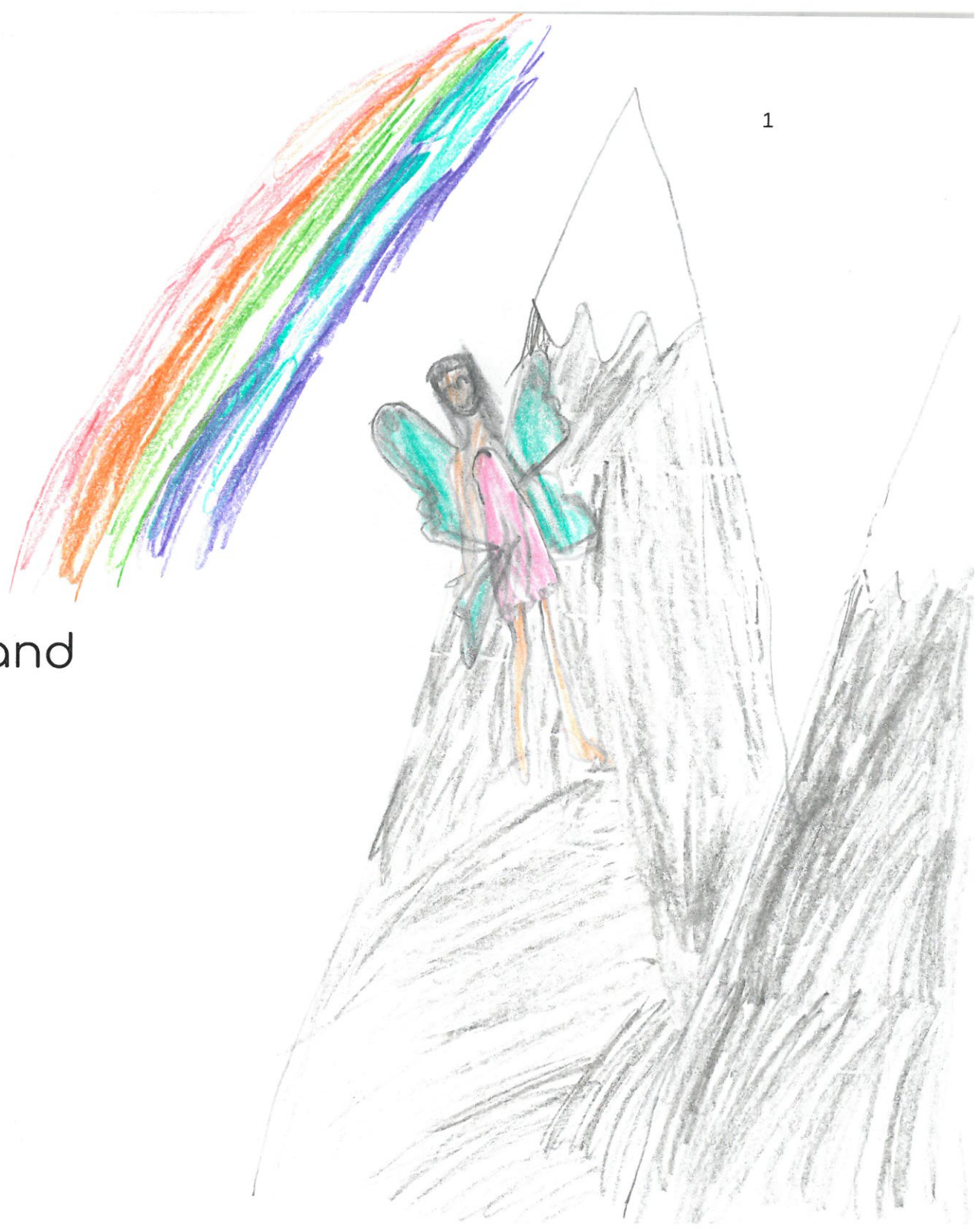
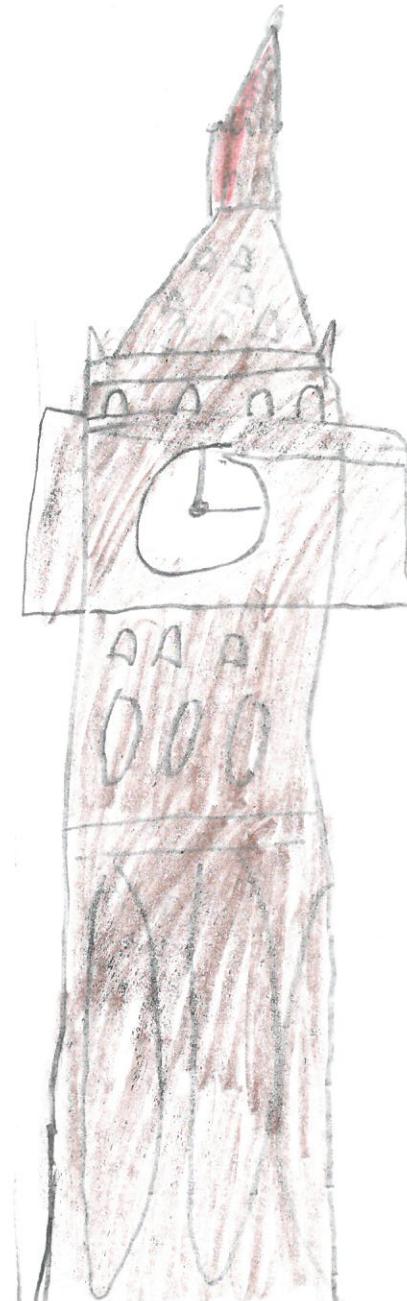


Mary's Trip to Fairyland

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Mary was excited because it was her birthday! Her parents told her that she was going to London! Mary's parents said, "What would you like to do in London?" She immediately said, "Queen Mary's dollhouse at Windsor Castle."



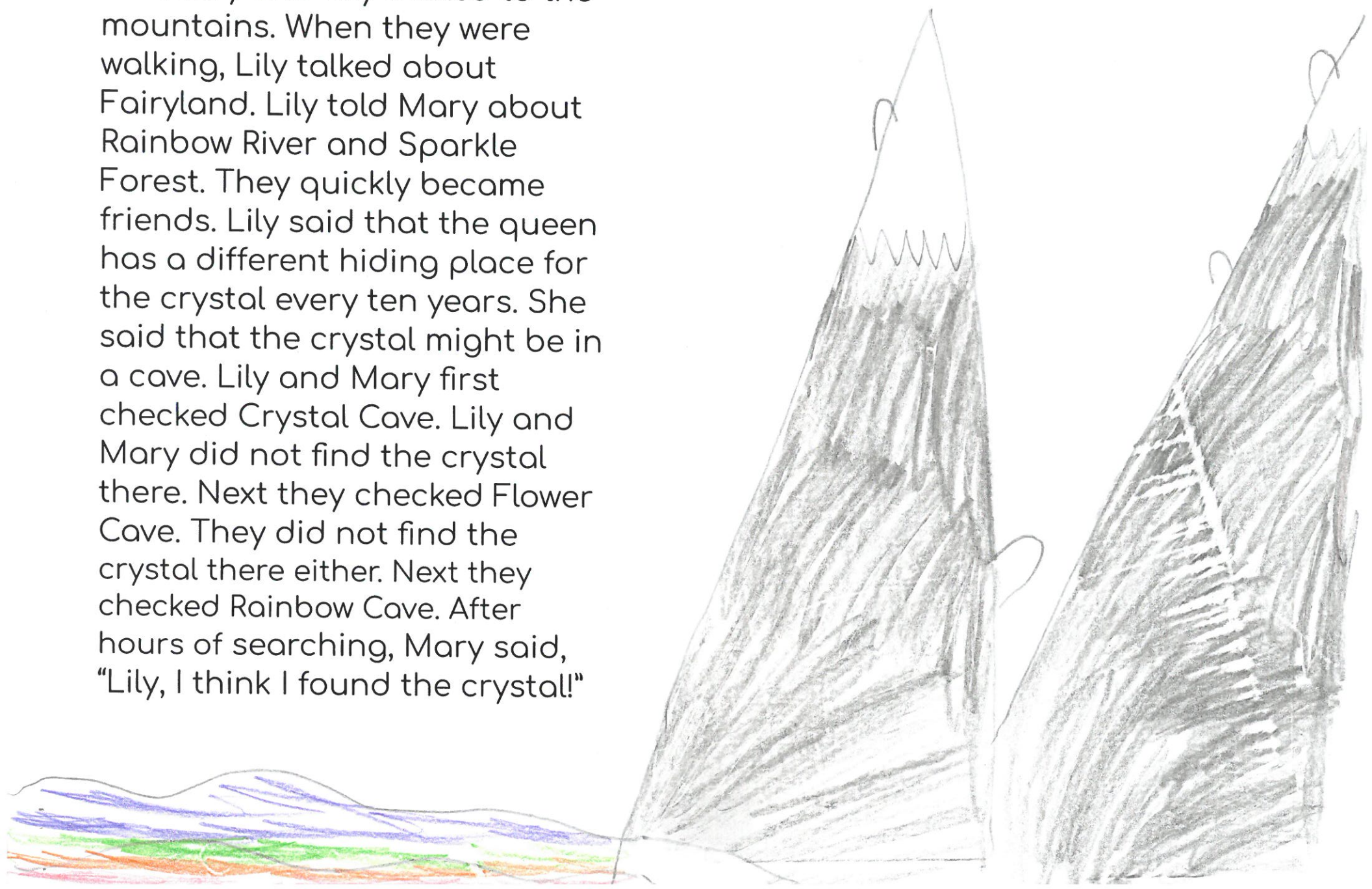
There were so many fun things to see in London. The Tower of London, the Jewels, and the big clock called Big Ben. Mary was most excited to see Windsor Castle because that is where the doll house is. When Mary saw the dollhouse, she wanted to look at all of the details. When she was looking at it, she leaned on the wall. Then she felt a small door open. Mary fell through it and the door closed behind her. Mary was in Fairyland! Mary saw fairies everywhere.



Mary saw a beautiful fairy and she said her name was Lily. Then she said that when you are in Fairyland time freezes. Mary asked how to get home and she said that you need a crystal to get home. The crystal is in the Glitter Mountains where our queen lives. Lily said she would help Mary get there.



Mary and Lily walked to the mountains. When they were walking, Lily talked about Fairyland. Lily told Mary about Rainbow River and Sparkle Forest. They quickly became friends. Lily said that the queen has a different hiding place for the crystal every ten years. She said that the crystal might be in a cave. Lily and Mary first checked Crystal Cave. Lily and Mary did not find the crystal there. Next they checked Flower Cave. They did not find the crystal there either. Next they checked Rainbow Cave. After hours of searching, Mary said, "Lily, I think I found the crystal!"



On the way back, Mary and Lily talked about when they were going to meet each other again. Mary said that she would love to visit Fairyland again. When she went back to the secret passageway, Mary said goodbye. She went through the door and back to Queen Mary's doll house. Mary will always remember her friend in Fairyland.

