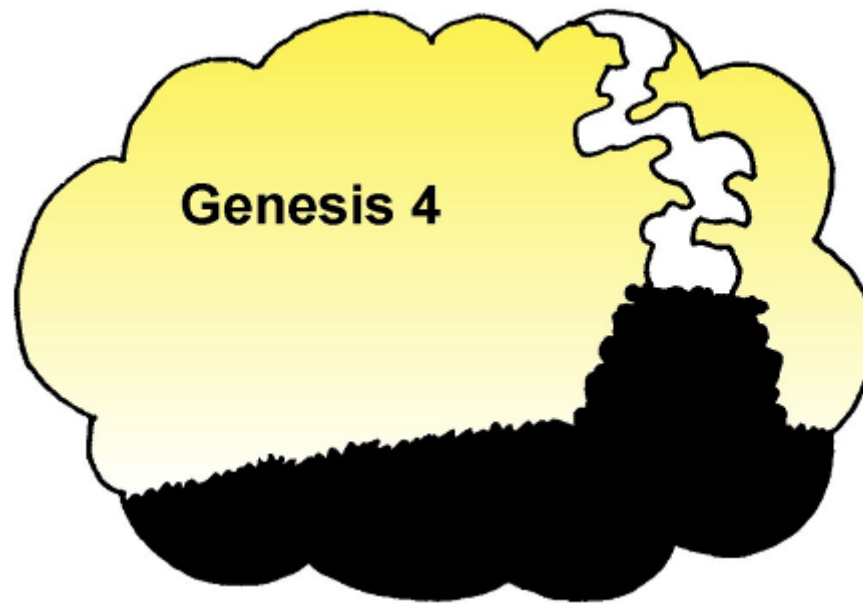
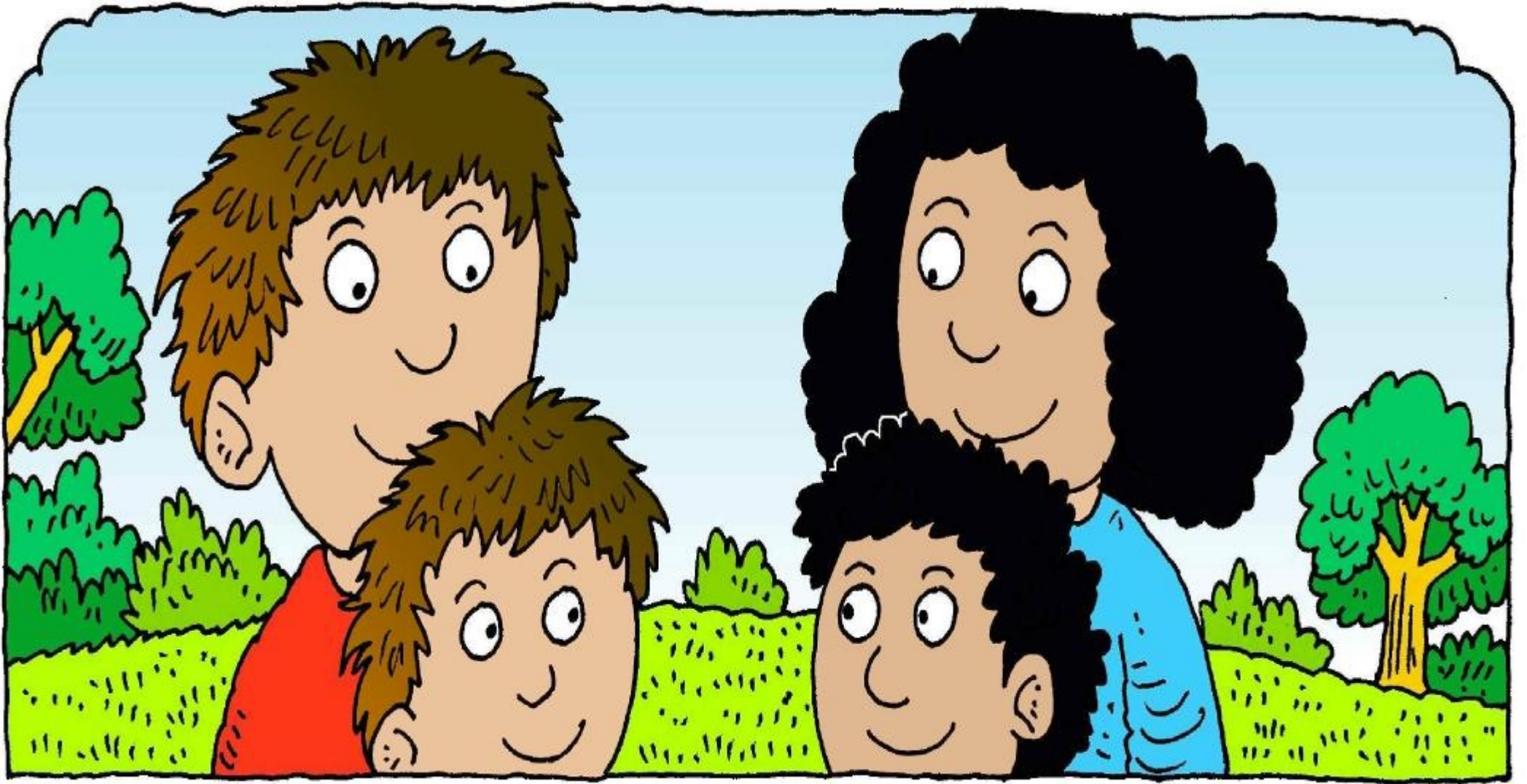


# Cain And Abel

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After God sent Adam and Eve  
away from the garden of  
Eden they had two boys,  
first Cain and then Abel.





Cain loved to grow vegetables,  
but it was hard work  
digging in the hot sun  
and weeding the garden.



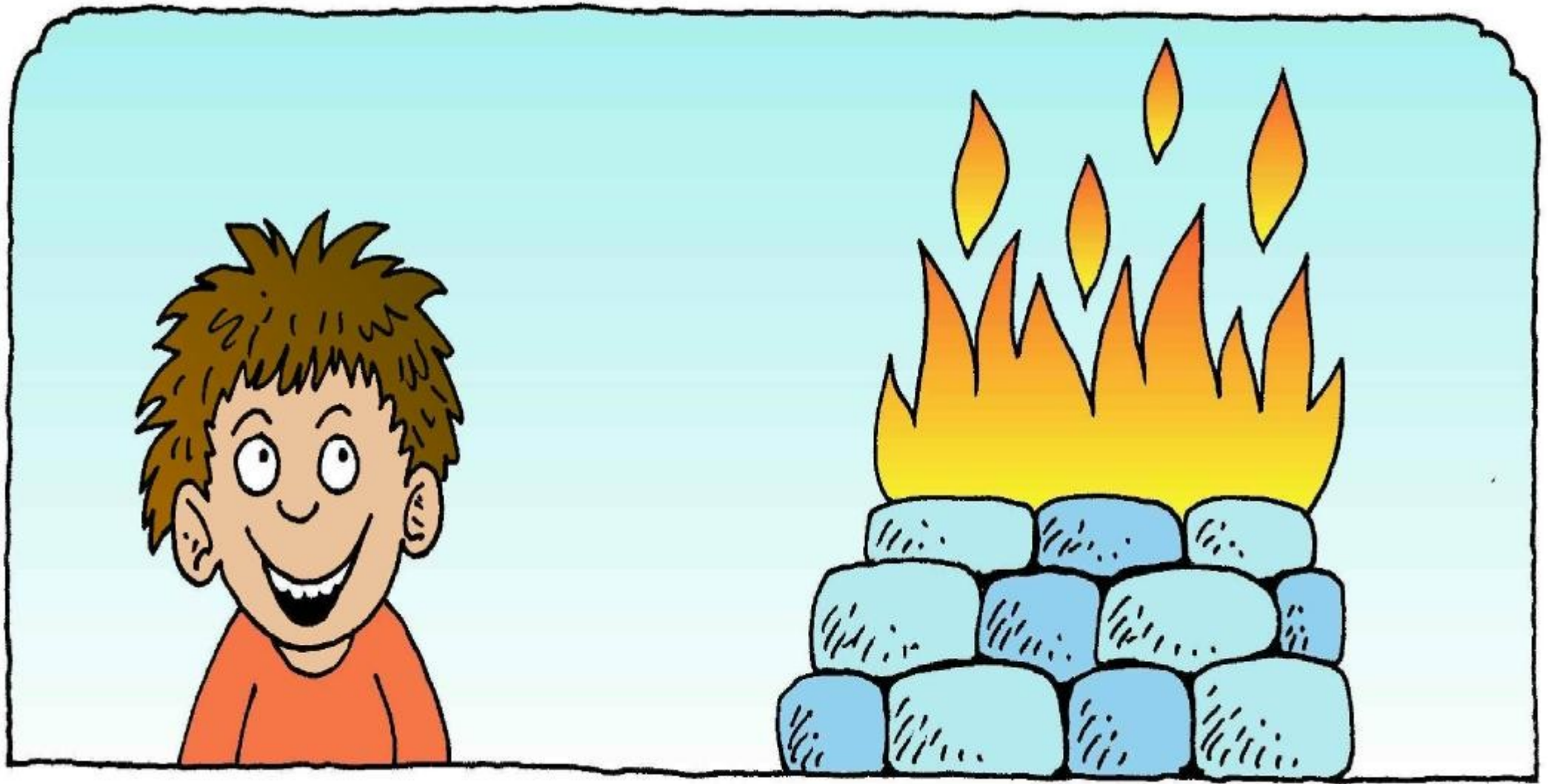


He brought the first of all the vegetables from his garden, as a gift to God. "I will show God what I can do," he thought.

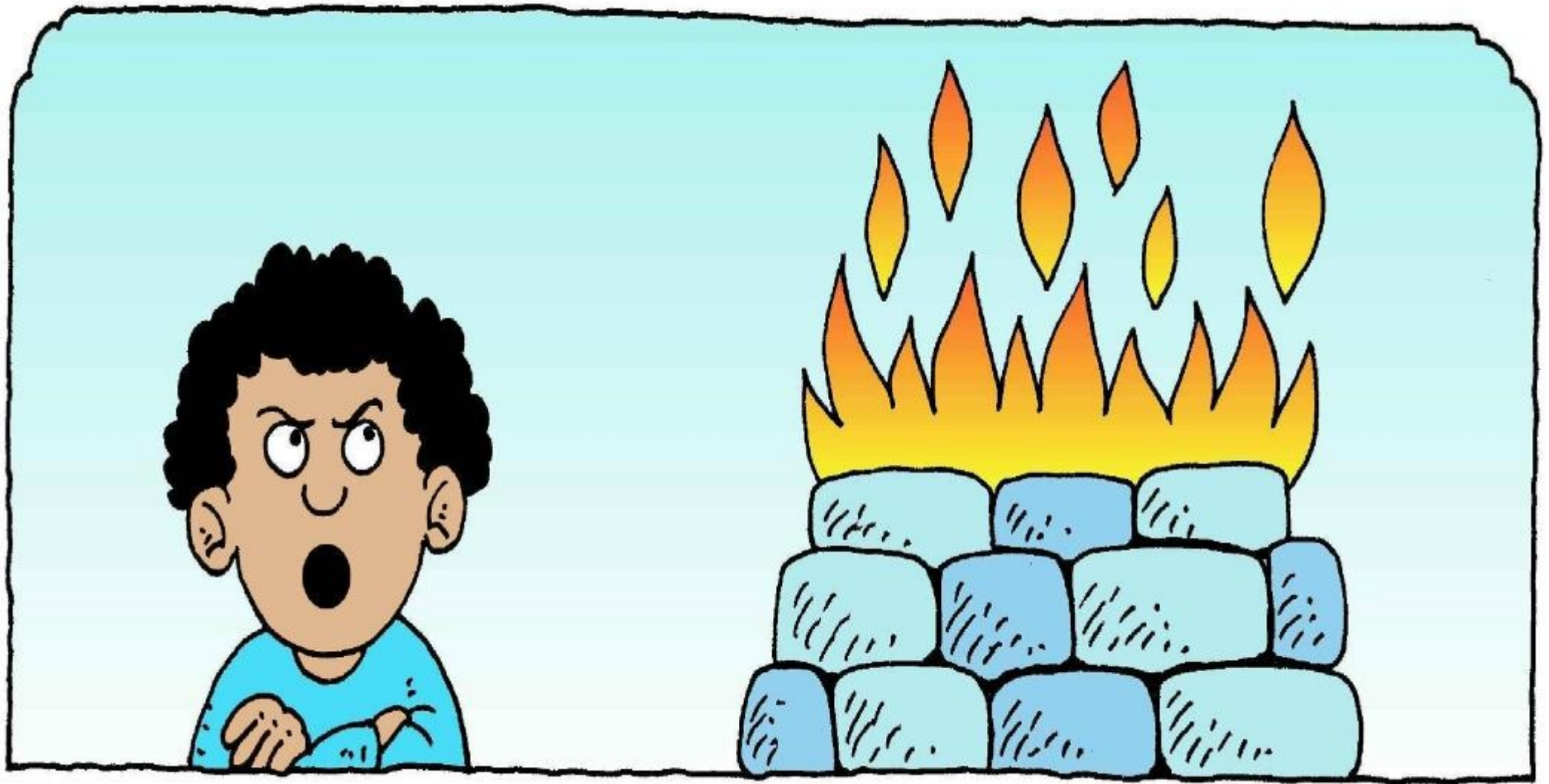


Abel looked after the sheep. He brought  
his best little lamb to give to God.  
“Thank you God for everything  
you give to me,” he prayed.

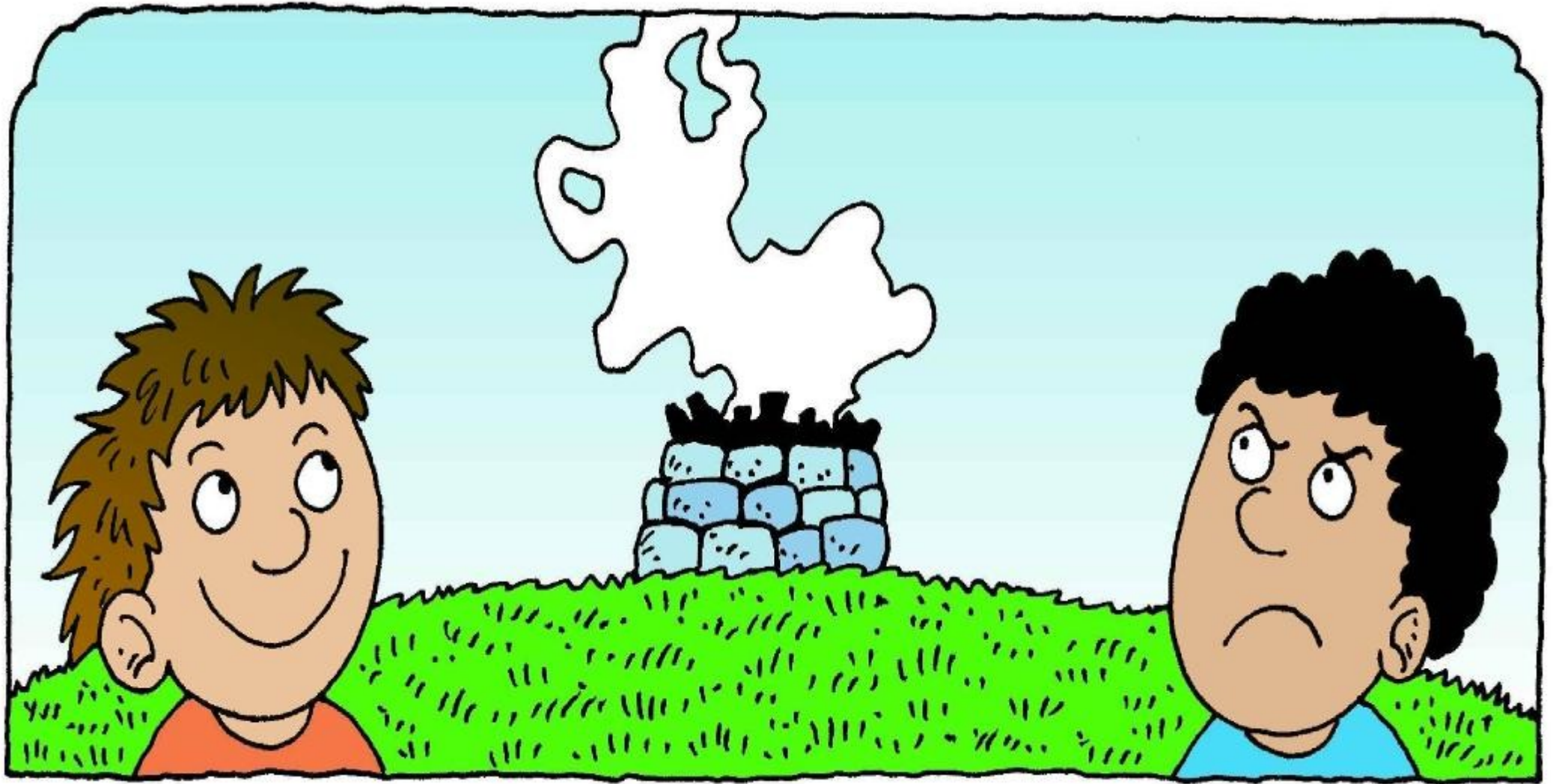




God saw the love and thankfulness  
that was in Abel's heart  
and God was pleased with  
the gift Abel gave to Him.



But Cain thought he had done  
**ALL** the work himself. He forgot  
that everything comes from God.  
God wasn't happy with his attitude.



Cain got angry and jealous,  
because he thought God should  
like **his** gift best. He didn't have  
a thankful attitude to God.