

To Jill, for your endless
love and support.

C.H.W.

To baby Lucia.


K. & K.H.

I LOVE you MORE

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A child's bedroom at night. The room has teal patterned curtains on either side of a window. A string of white circular ornaments and stars hangs across the top. The window looks out onto a night scene with a house, a green field, and a crescent moon. A child's arm in a red sleeve and a green blanket with stars are visible on the right side of the bed.

“Goodnight, sleep tight, my precious one,”
said Mum to little Rae.

“And know I love you more
than I can find the words to say . . .



I love you like the penguins love
to waddle in the snow,



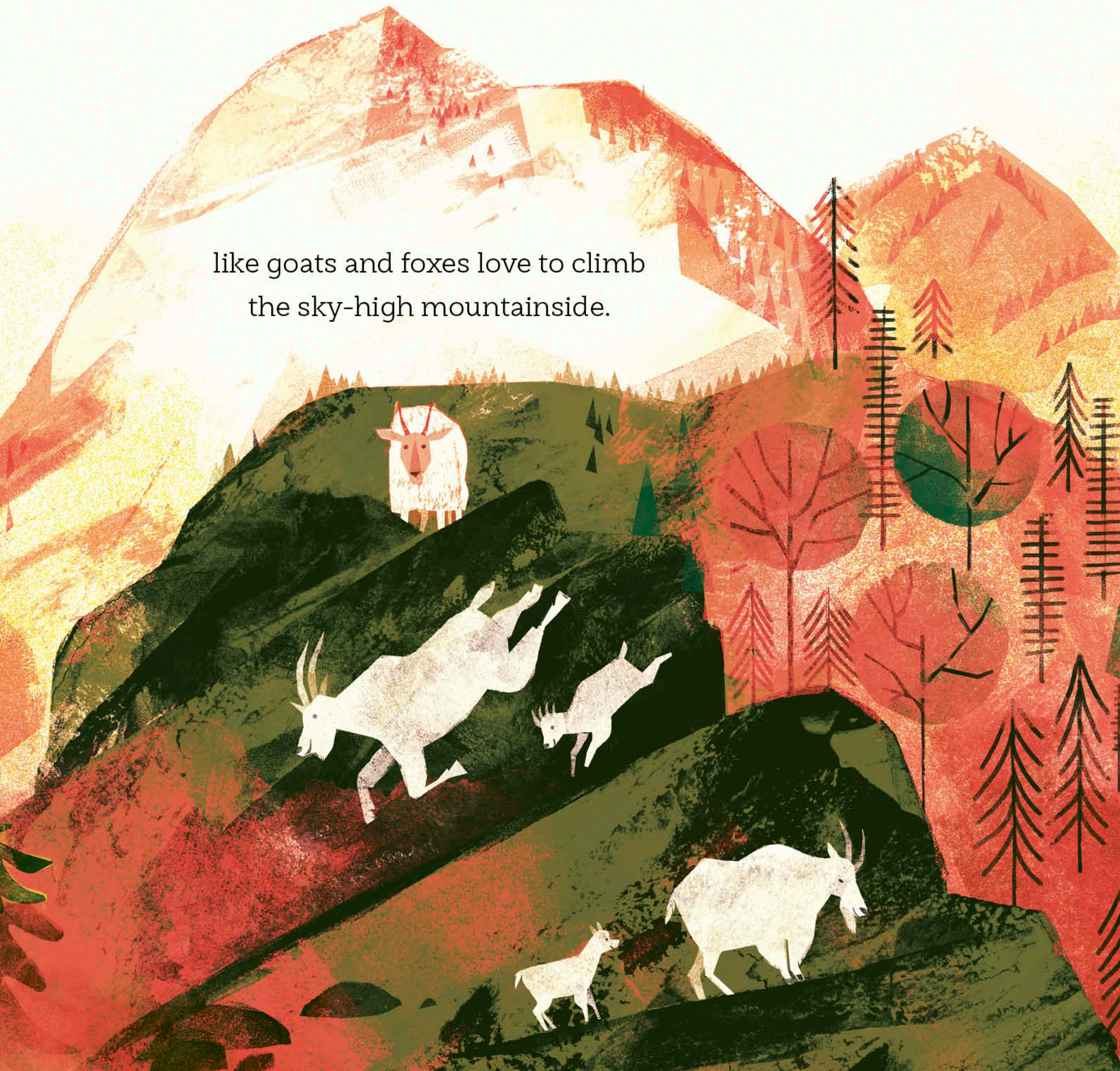
like seal pups love to snooze
upon their sunlit icy floe.




I love you like the mighty eagle
loves to soar and glide,



like goats and foxes love to climb
the sky-high mountainside.





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