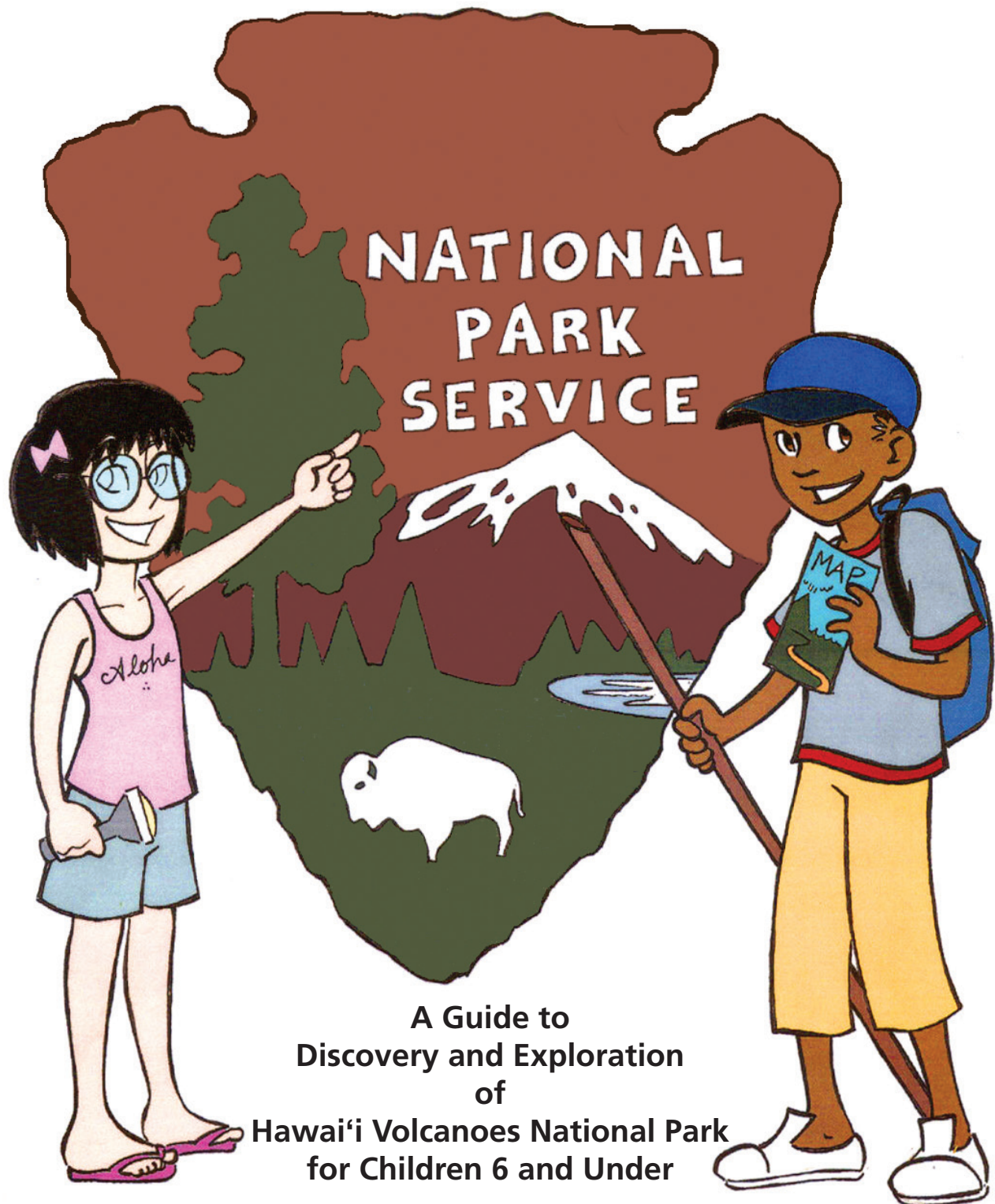


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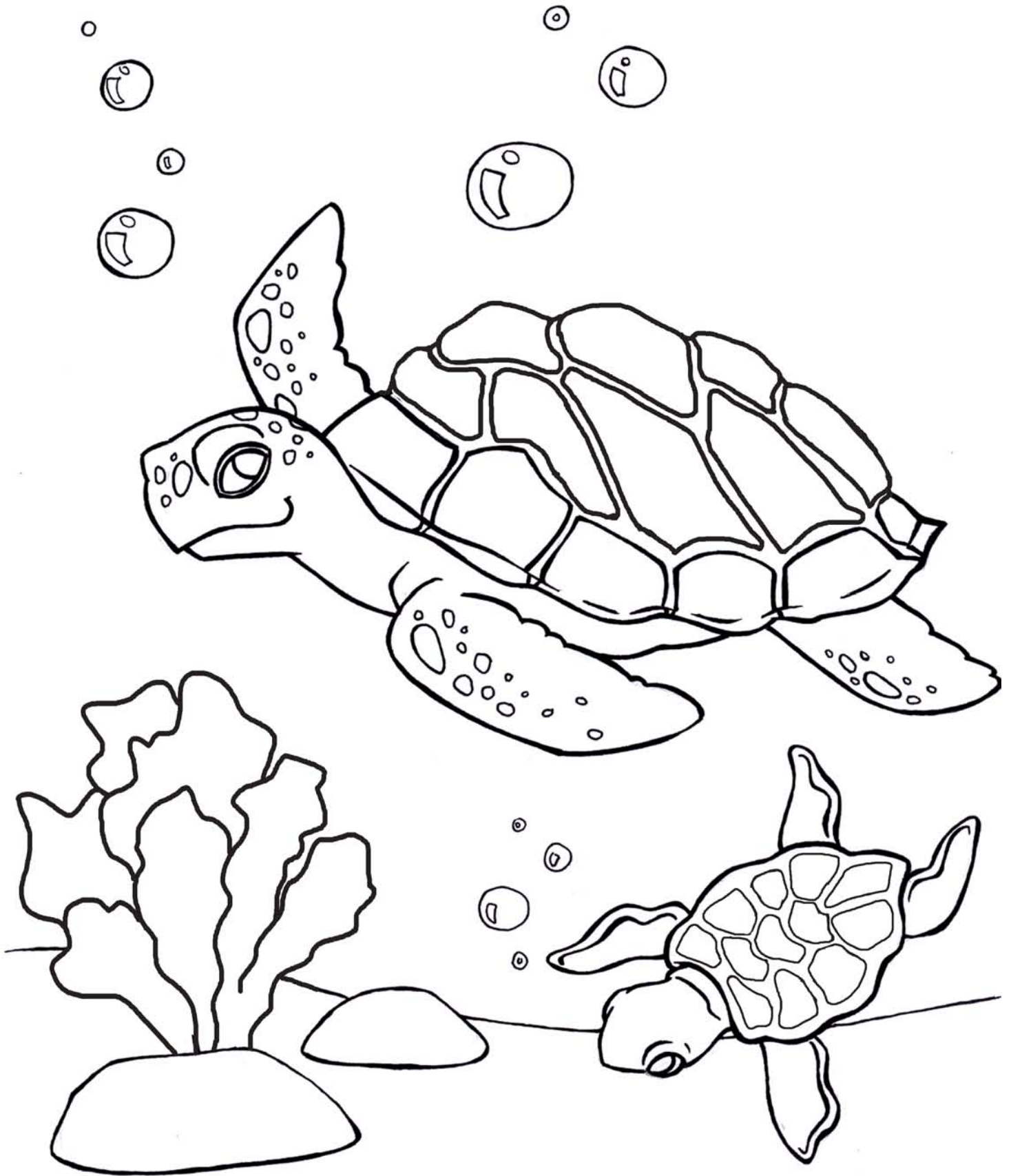


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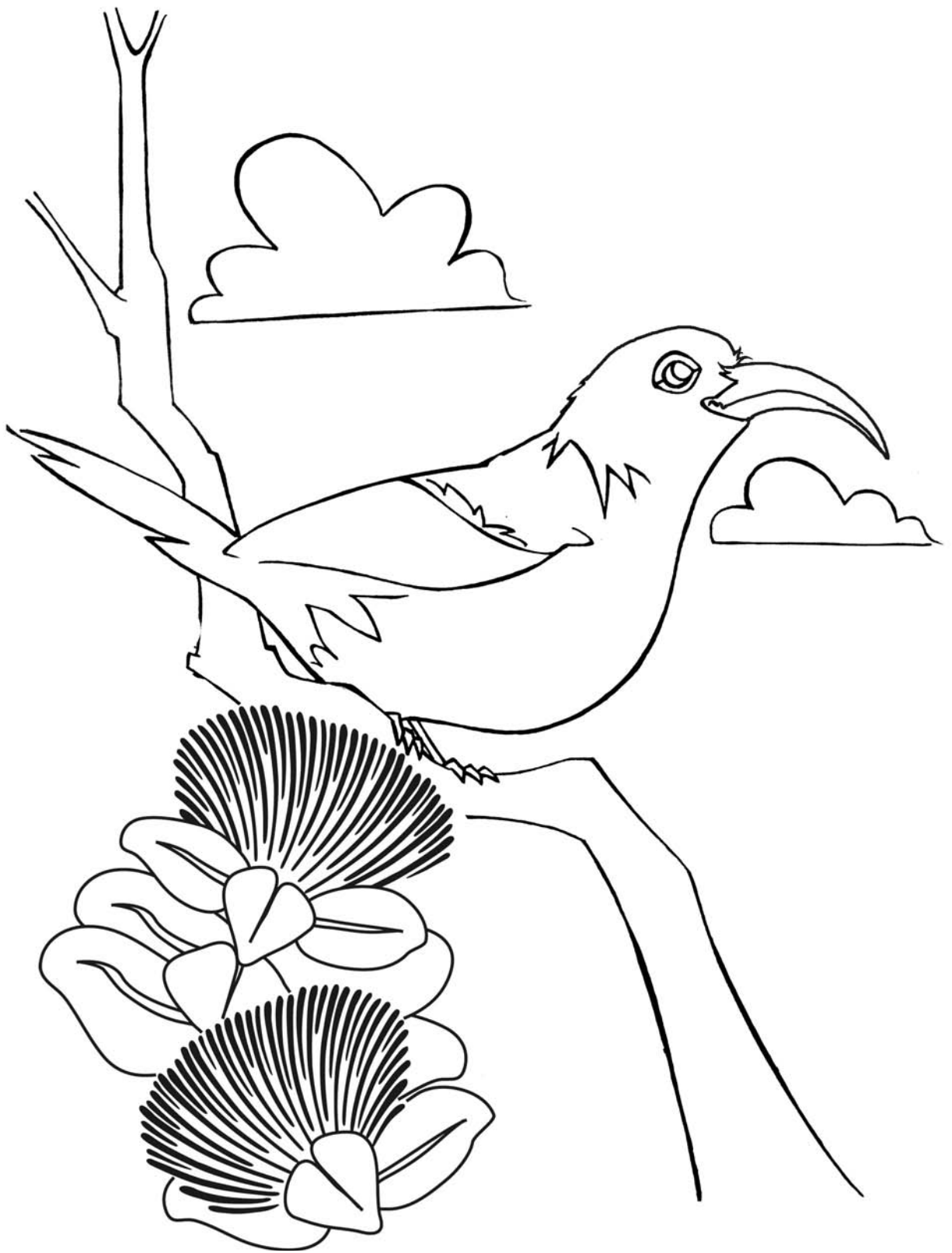
**Lava tubes are formed by hot, runny lava flowing downhill from volcanoes like Kīlauea and Mauna Loa.**



**Honu, the green sea turtle, can be seen in the ocean around Hawai'i. You can help protect them by not getting too close to them.**



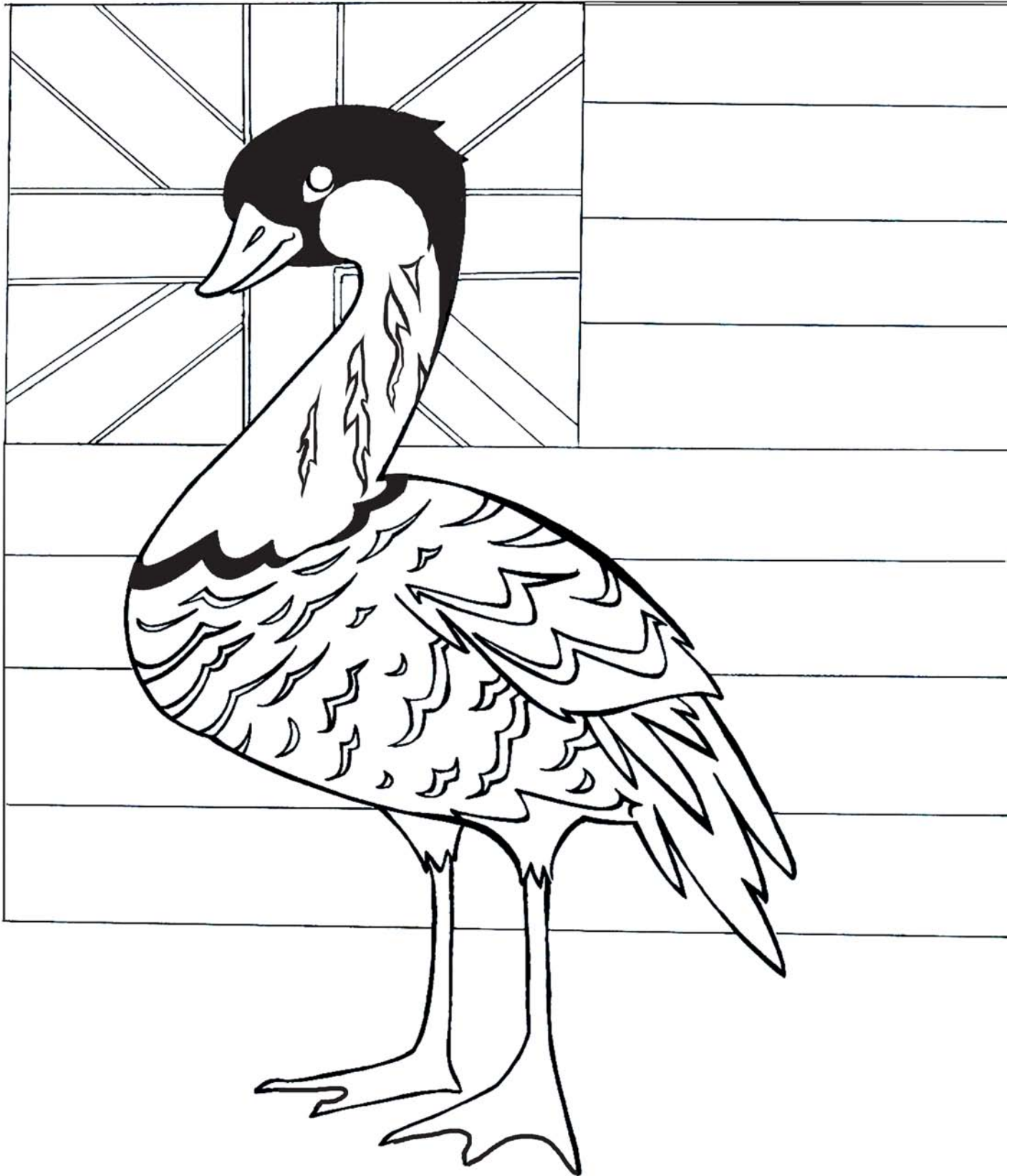
**In the distance, Halema'uma'u Crater sends clouds of volcanic fumes high into the sky while a hula dancer performs for Pele, the Volcano Goddess.**



The 'I'iwi is a bright, red bird that drinks the nectar of red 'Ōhi'a Lehua blossoms. Once found living from the mountains to the sea, they now only live high up in mountain forests where it is still too cold for mosquito diseases.



**Hibiscus flowers are symbols of Hawai'i. The larger one is the state flower and is yellow, called Ma'o Hauhele. The smaller one is only found on Hawai'i Island and is purple, called Hau Kuahiwi.**



**The Nēnē is the state bird and is as Hawaiian as the state flag. Each stripe on the flag alternates white, red, and blue and represents one of the eight major islands.**



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**For dedication to, and protection of all National  
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