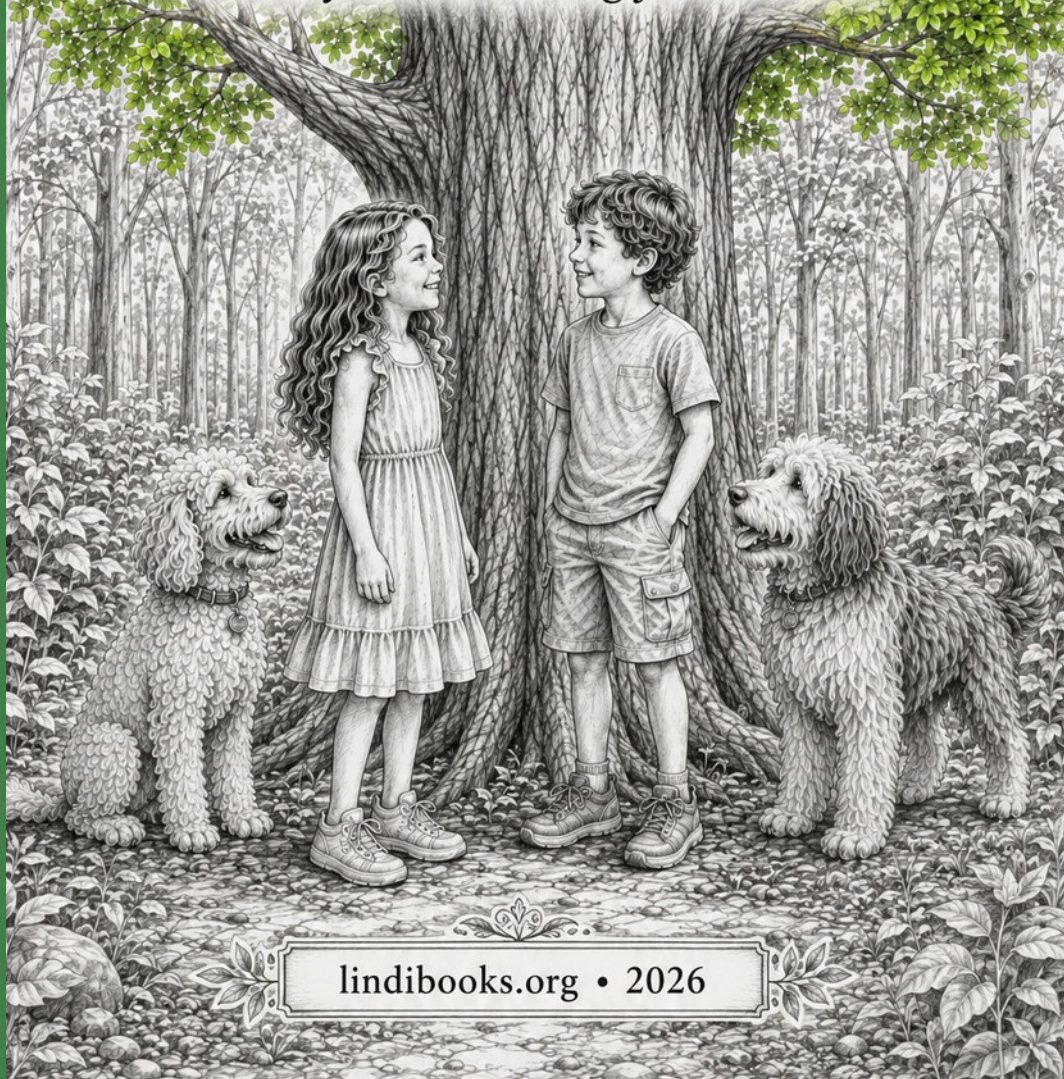


LINDI BOOKS PRESENTS

Chloe and the Whispering Trees

A Story About Caring for the Earth



Please join
Chloe on her
journey
learning about
the power
of trees.





At Grandma's house, Chloe loved the backyard tree.

Grandma taught her to talk to trees and listen quietly.

'I'll keep an eye on you in the forest. Be safe,' Grandma said.



Grandma said, “Trees help people and animals.”

“They give shade, homes, and clean air.”

Chloe knew caring for nature was important.



Chloe helped her backyard tree grow.

She gave it water, care, and kind words.

Her poodle, cat, and birds stayed close by.



After lunch, Chloe walked toward the forest behind the house.

Her big poodle trotted beside her.

The cat followed part of the way as birds sang above.



In the forest, Chloe found a much bigger tree.

It was taller and wider than the backyard tree.

Chloe took a picture with her phone.



A bird landed on a branch near Chloe.

“Thank you for this forest home,”
Chloe said.

Her poodle watched while
the birds chirped back.



Chloe touched the big forest tree and listened.

Its green leaves fluttered high above her.

She felt calm, safe, and brave.



Chloe picked up litter near the path.

She wanted the forest to stay clean and healthy.

Caring for the earth was part of her job.



When it was time to go home,
Chloe waved goodbye.

“See you soon, Tree,” she said
with a smile.

The green leaves shimmered
in the wind.



Bogie came over from down the street.

He was Chloe's best friend.

His dog wagged hello to Chloe
and her poodle.



Chloe and Bogie walked toward the forest.

They brought their cell phones to take pictures.

Their dogs trotted right beside them.



In the forest, Chloe and Bogie looked all around.

They took pictures of birds, bark, and branches.

The tall trees stood quiet and still.



Chloe touched the tree and listened.

‘Now you try,’ she told Bogie.

The leaves rustled, and the tree
turned green.



Bogie put his hand on the tree and listened.
The green leaves whispered in the breeze.
Bogie looked amazed.



‘Do you want to help take care of the earth with me?’ Chloe asked.

‘Let’s start with the trees.’

Bogie smiled and said, ‘Yes!’



On the way home, Bogie saw a sick tree.

He walked over and whispered,

‘I’ll be back to help you.’

Benefits of a Tree

Gives us oxygen

Gives beauty

Cleans the air

Homes for birds and animals

Gives shade

Provides food

Helps people and wildlife

Helps stop erosion

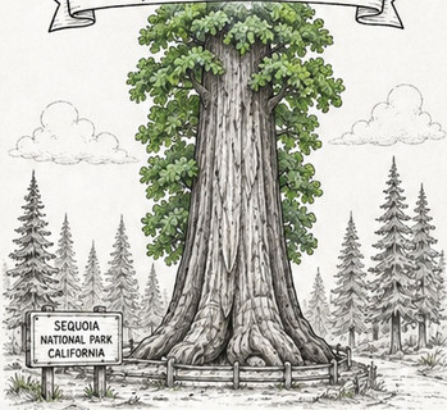
Helps the soil

Cools the earth

♥ Trees help people, animals, and the earth! ♥

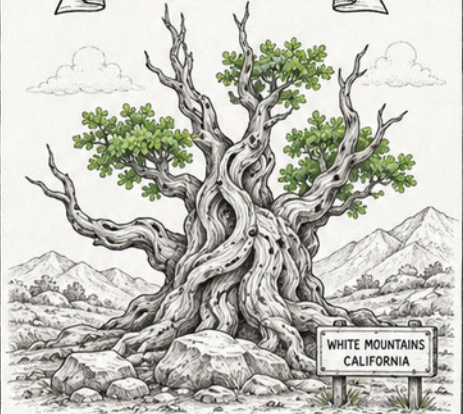
Some Famous Trees and Why

1. General Sherman



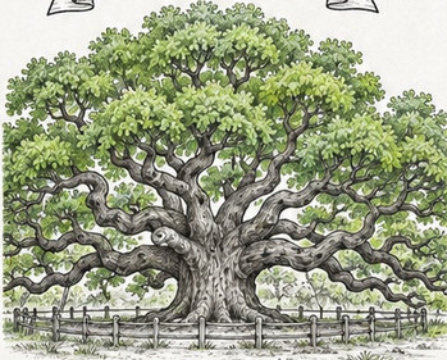
Famous for being the largest tree in the world by volume.

2. Methuselah



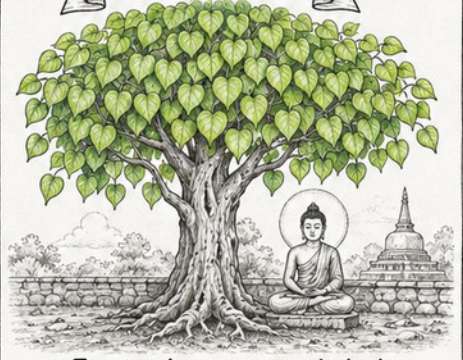
Famous for being one of the oldest known living trees.

3. Angel Oak



Famous for its giant, spreading branches.

4. Bodhi Tree



Famous because it is linked to an important story of peace and learning.

♥ Trees connect us to history, nature, and our world. ♥



Find the Trees!

Can you find 8 little trees hiding in the picture?





Now that you have
read the book,
take your colored
pencils and color
the pages.



Did you know your pencil
comes from a tree?



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This book is dedicated to Chloe
and to you for caring about trees.



Chloe loves to listen to trees. With her poodle by her side and her best friend Bogie nearby, she learns that trees help people, animals, and the earth.

This beginner reading book is perfect for young readers who enjoy nature, friendship, and simple lessons about helping the earth.

