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WHOOOSH!

“What was that?”
said the children in surprise.

“That,”
said Baba, smiling softly,
“**is a special plane**
keeping us all safe.”

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All the phones began to ring
in kitchens, in pockets, and on tables.

BEEP!
BEEP!
BEEP!
BEEP!
BEEP!
BEEP!
BEEP!

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“Come here!” Mama shouted.
“Stay close, stay together,
stay safe.”

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Little feet running and
big feet hurrying,
everyone finding their safe spot.



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In buildings and villas, in big homes and small,
and even in the parking lot...**every family was together.**

NEE-NAW! NEE-NAW! NEE-NAW!

The police cars rushed through the streets.
The ambulances were ready.
Firefighters were on standby.



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All of them working,
all through the night,
**to help every person
who needed them.**



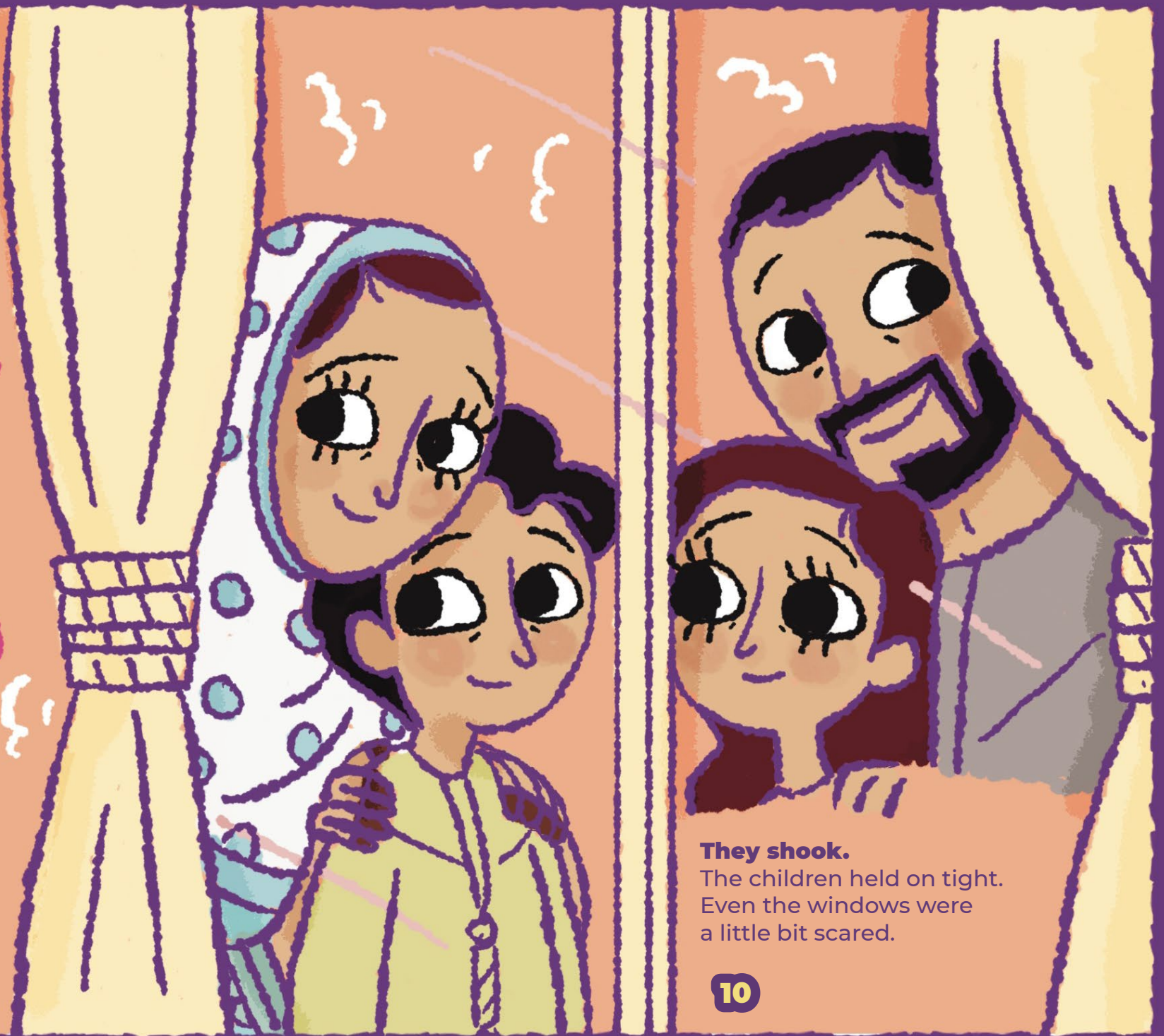
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A BIG

BOOM!

The windows went clatter, clatter, clatter.



They shook.

The children held on tight.
Even the windows were
a little bit scared.



WE ARE HERE

High above the clouds,
the pilots look out over the land they loved.

“We were up there,” they said.
**“Keeping you safe.
Every single one of you.”**

Thank You

These are unusual times.
But we are lucky.

We are lucky to have people who run
toward the need,

who fly through the dark,
who answer every call.

to our police forces,
our ambulance services and doctors,
our firefighters, and our civil defence



for protecting everyone who calls the UAE home.

Thank you

To the guardians of our nation.

And thank you
to every member of our diverse community
that calls the UAE home.



For staying indoors.
For keeping calm.
For asking about your neighbours and
loved ones.

Together, we are safe.



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