



Now let us look, the author wrote,
at sentences we have seen before
and ask if they have direct objects in them.

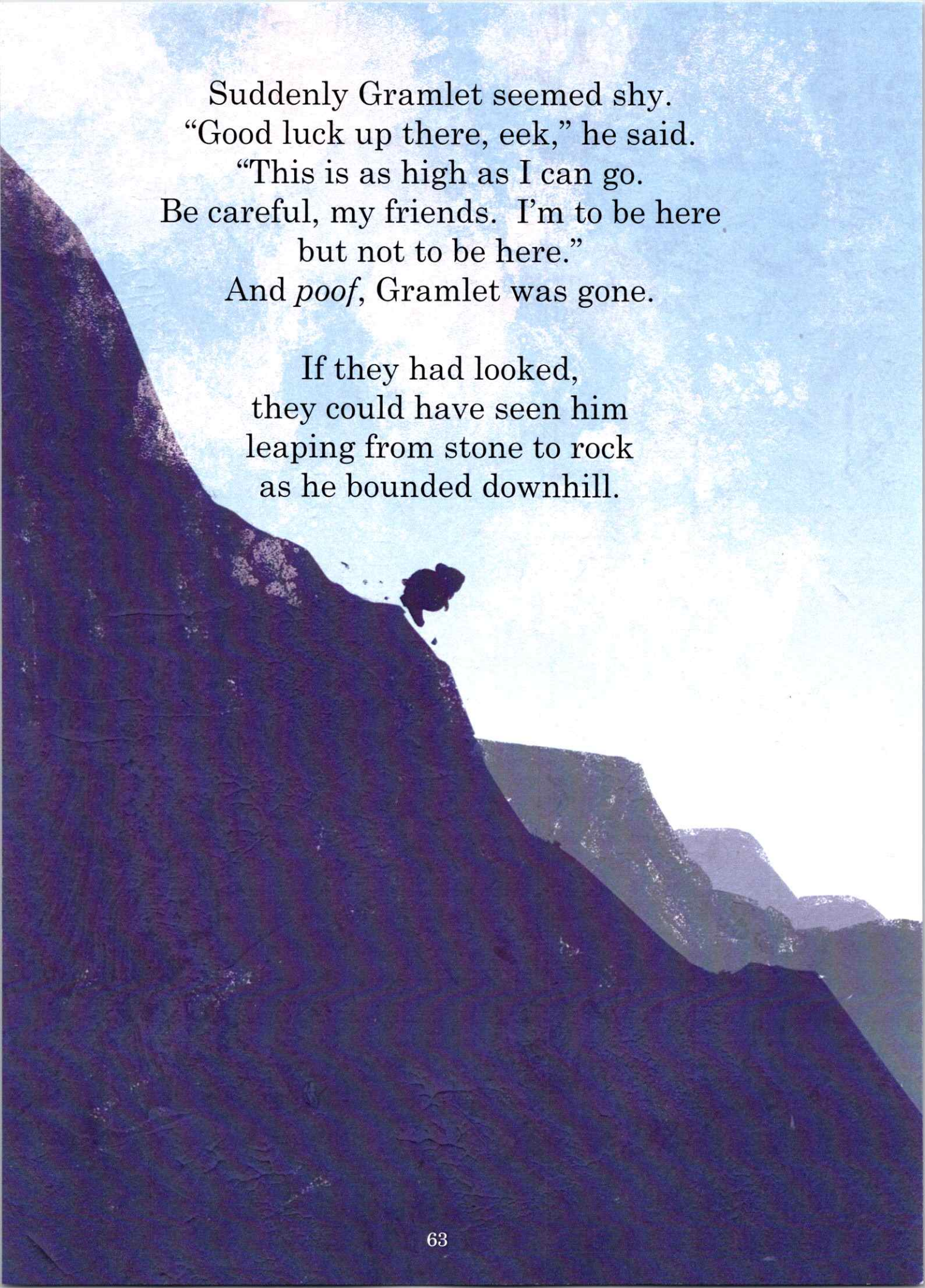
He	saw	a	big	green	frog.
pron.	v.	adj.	adj.	adj.	n.
subj.	AVP				D.O.

The	frog	gave	him	a	blue	cup.
adj.	n.	v.	pron.	adj.	adj.	n.
subj. AVP					D.O.	

James	suddenly	ate	the	big	apple.
n.	adv.	v.	adj.	adj.	n.
subj.	AVP				D.O.

A	weary	chicken	danced	in	the	yard.
adj.	adj.	n.	v.	prep.	adj.	n.
subj. AVP						





Suddenly Gramlet seemed shy.
“Good luck up there, eek,” he said.
“This is as high as I can go.
Be careful, my friends. I’m to be here
but not to be here.”
And *poof*, Gramlet was gone.

If they had looked,
they could have seen him
leaping from stone to rock
as he bounded downhill.