

BROOKE THE BAT'S WILD NIGHT



A COLORING BOOK FOR
FRIENDS OF BATS AND
INSECTS

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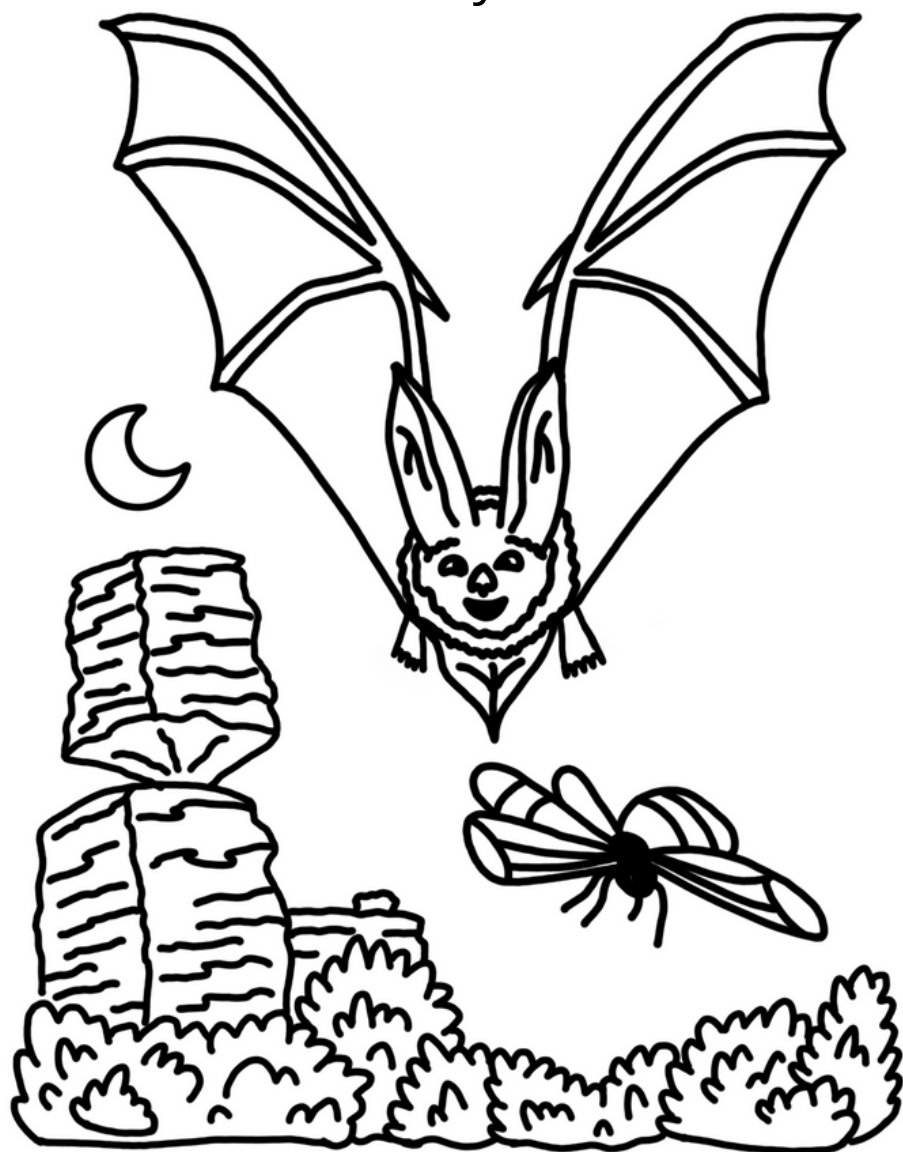


Brooke is a Townsend's Big Eared
Bat who lives in the Chiricahua
Mountains.



Like other bats, Brooke is
nocturnal. The sun is setting,
which means it is time for Brooke
to wake up!

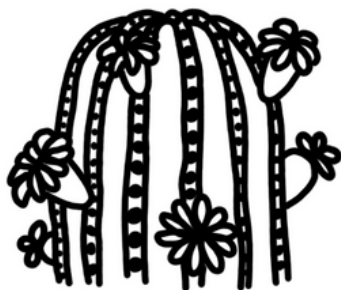
It's time for breakfast! Brooke catches a yummy moth to eat. Brooke is an insectivore, which means she only eats insects.



Brooke's friends are other species of bats. Each one has their own diet.



*Pallid Bat:
generalist*



Cactus



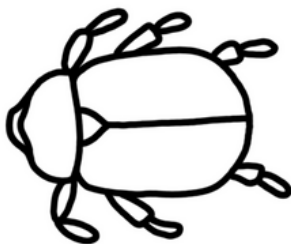
*Big Brown Bat:
insectivore*



Lizard



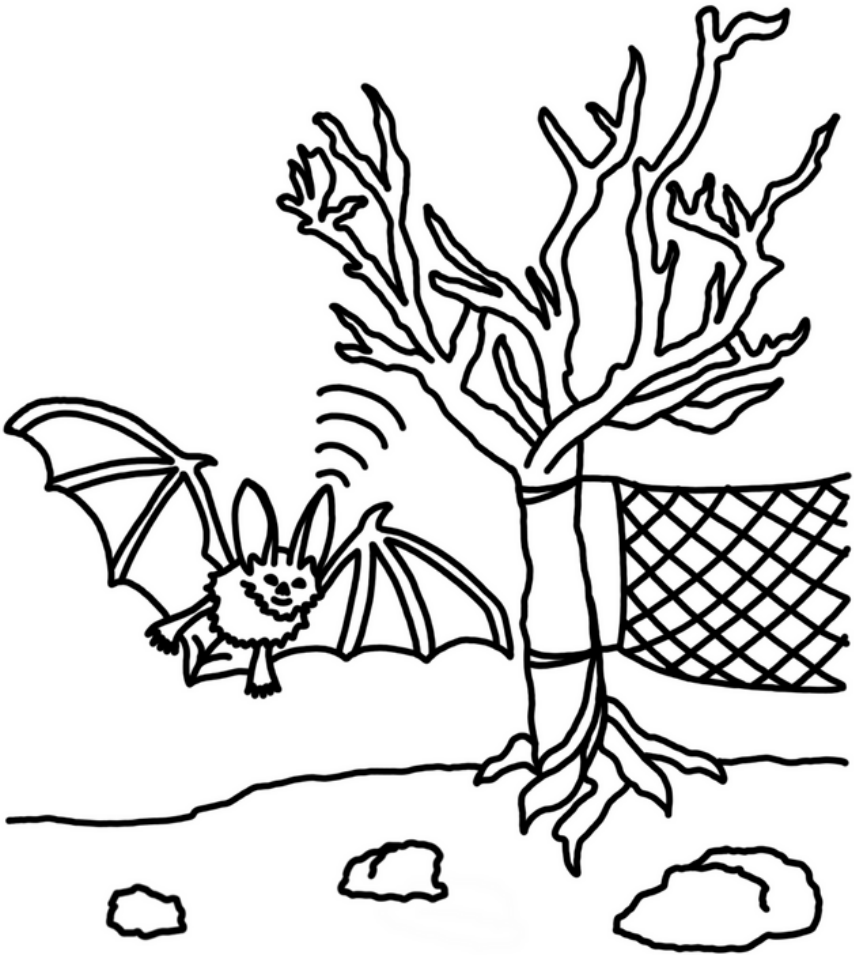
*Long Tongued Bat:
nectarivore*



Beetle

Match each of Brooke's friends with their breakfast!

Brooke the Bat uses echolocation to “see” using sound waves.



But unfortunately, she can't see the net in front of her until it's too late! Luckily, the net belongs to some nice scientists...

The scientists need Brooke to star
in a movie.



Before they can record her
scenes, the scientists paint white
dots on Brooke's joints to see
them better.

Lights, camera, action! Brooke the Bat was born to be a movie star.



The scientists will use Brooke's movie to learn more about how bats fly.

Now that her movie is done,
Brooke says goodbye to the
scientists and flies away.



Brooke loves living in the
Chiricahua Mountains, because
she gets to meet new friends like
scientists, bats, and coatimundis.

After all of those adventures,
Brooke the Bat is thirsty. She
swoops down to the lake to take
a sip of water.



The sun is coming up, so it is time
for Brooke the Bat to go to sleep
in her cozy cave.



Draw what you think Brooke is
dreaming about!

In real life, Brooke Quinn is a biologist who studies how special hairs on bats' wings help them to sense wind and fly better.

