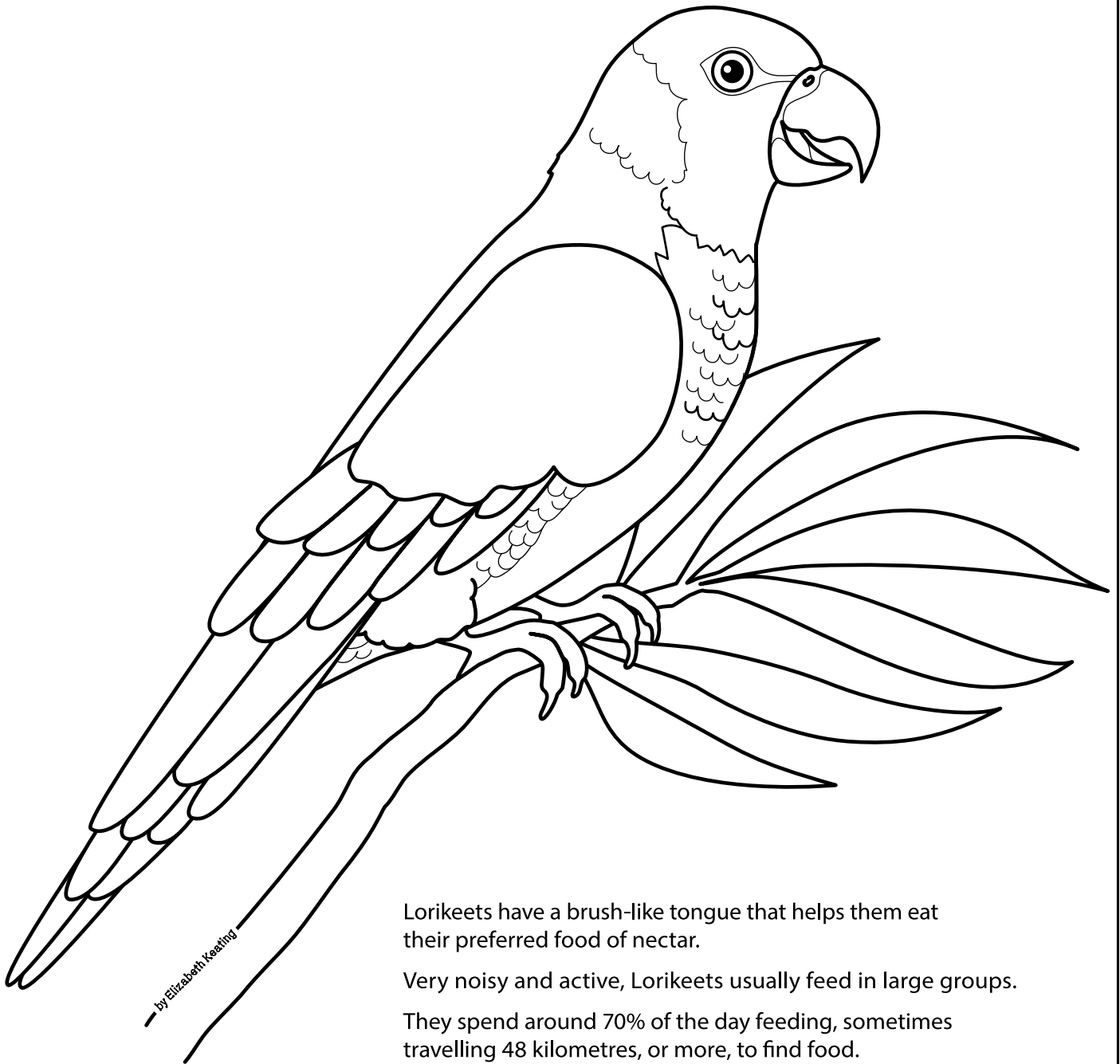


LORIKEET



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Lorikeets have a brush-like tongue that helps them eat their preferred food of nectar.

Very noisy and active, Lorikeets usually feed in large groups.

They spend around 70% of the day feeding, sometimes travelling 48 kilometres, or more, to find food.

Lorikeets create daily flight paths from their nests to the places they feed. These paths follow the landscape of hills, mountains, and rivers so they can return home at sundown.

