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UNION

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*“Courage, conviction,
persistence, resistance ...
the oxygen that makes the
fires of unionism burn bright.”*

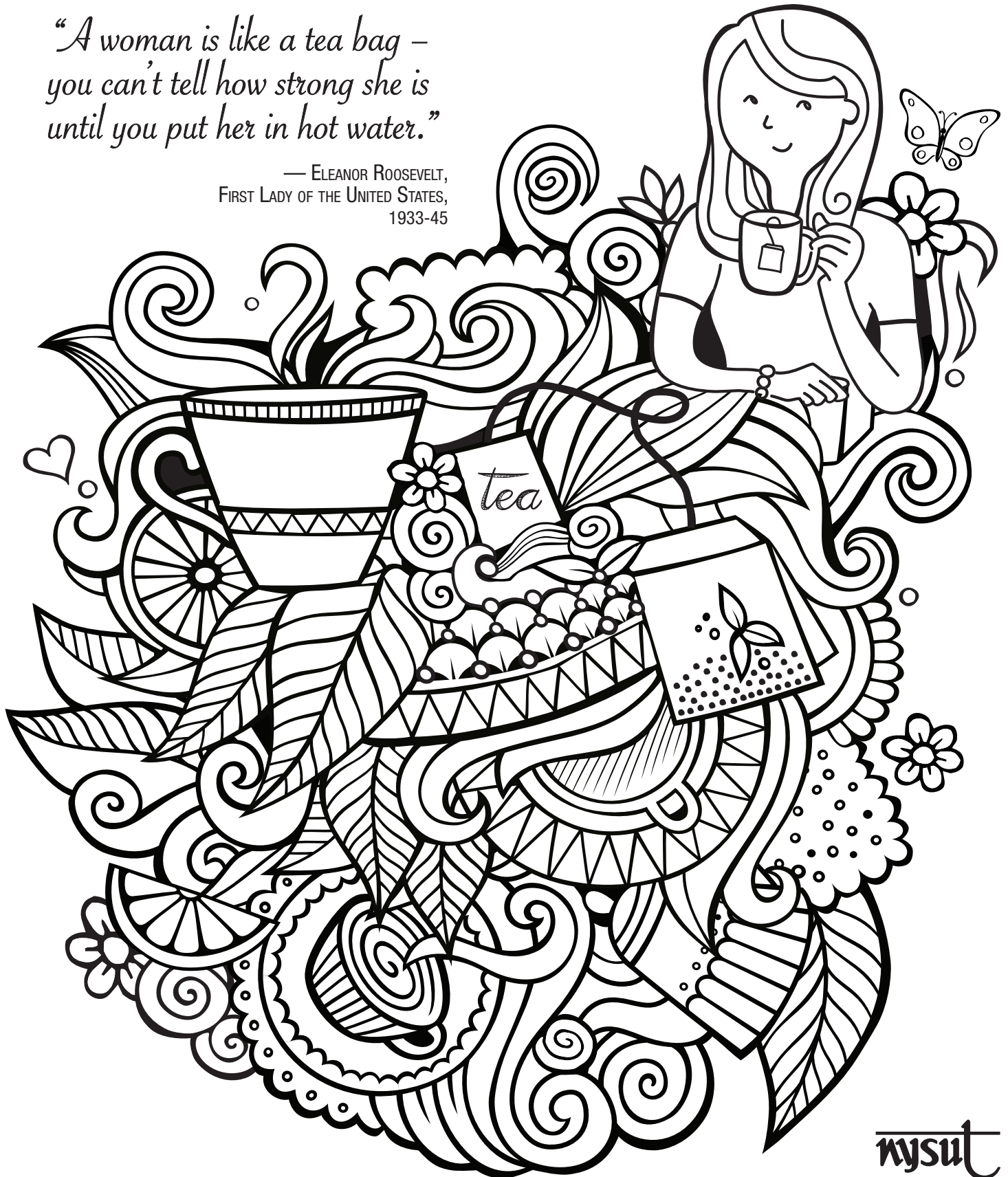
— KAREN E. MAGEE,
NYSUT PRESIDENT
2014-17



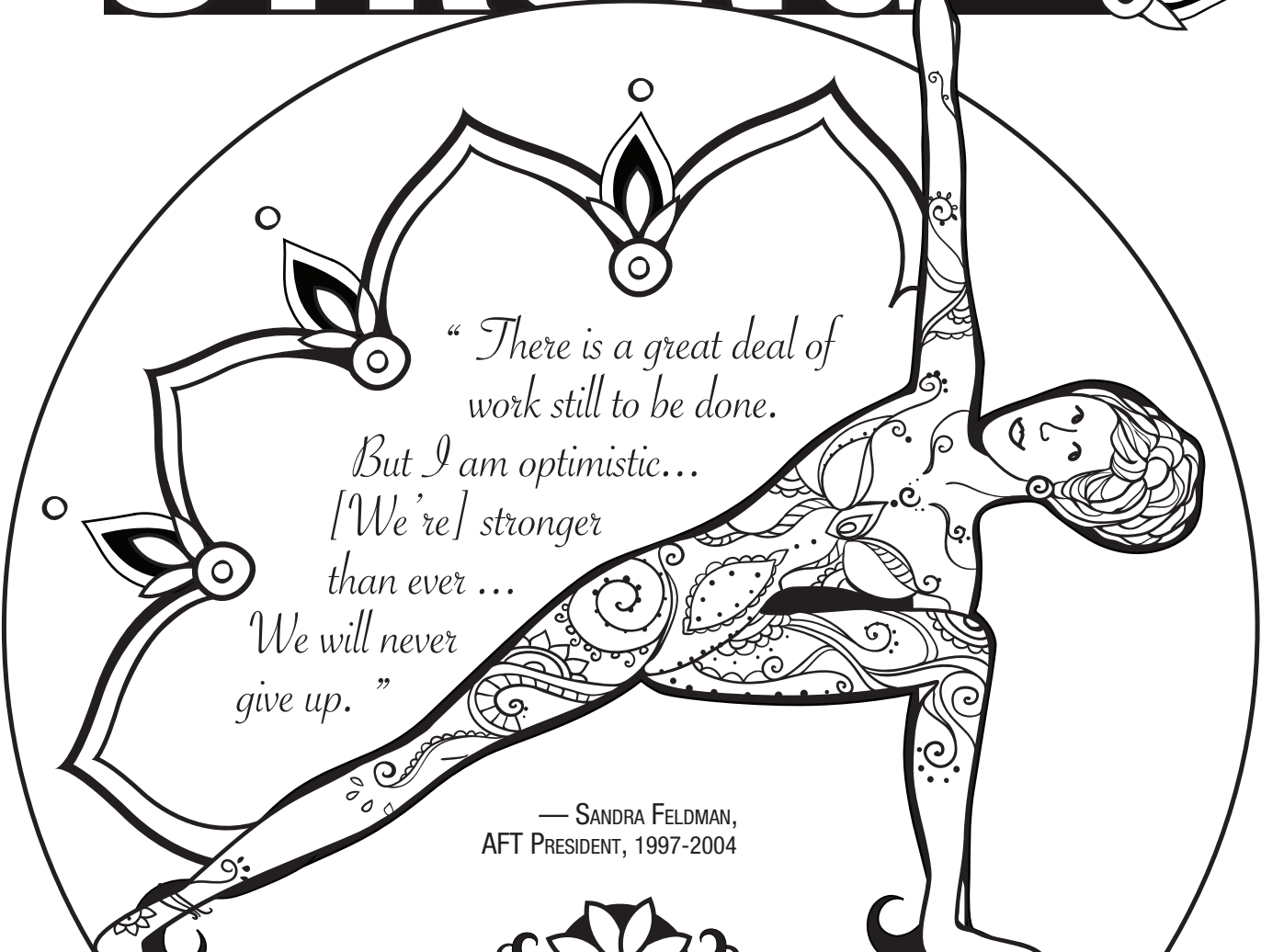
STRENGTH

*“A woman is like a tea bag –
you can’t tell how strong she is
until you put her in hot water.”*

— ELEANOR ROOSEVELT,
FIRST LADY OF THE UNITED STATES,
1933-45

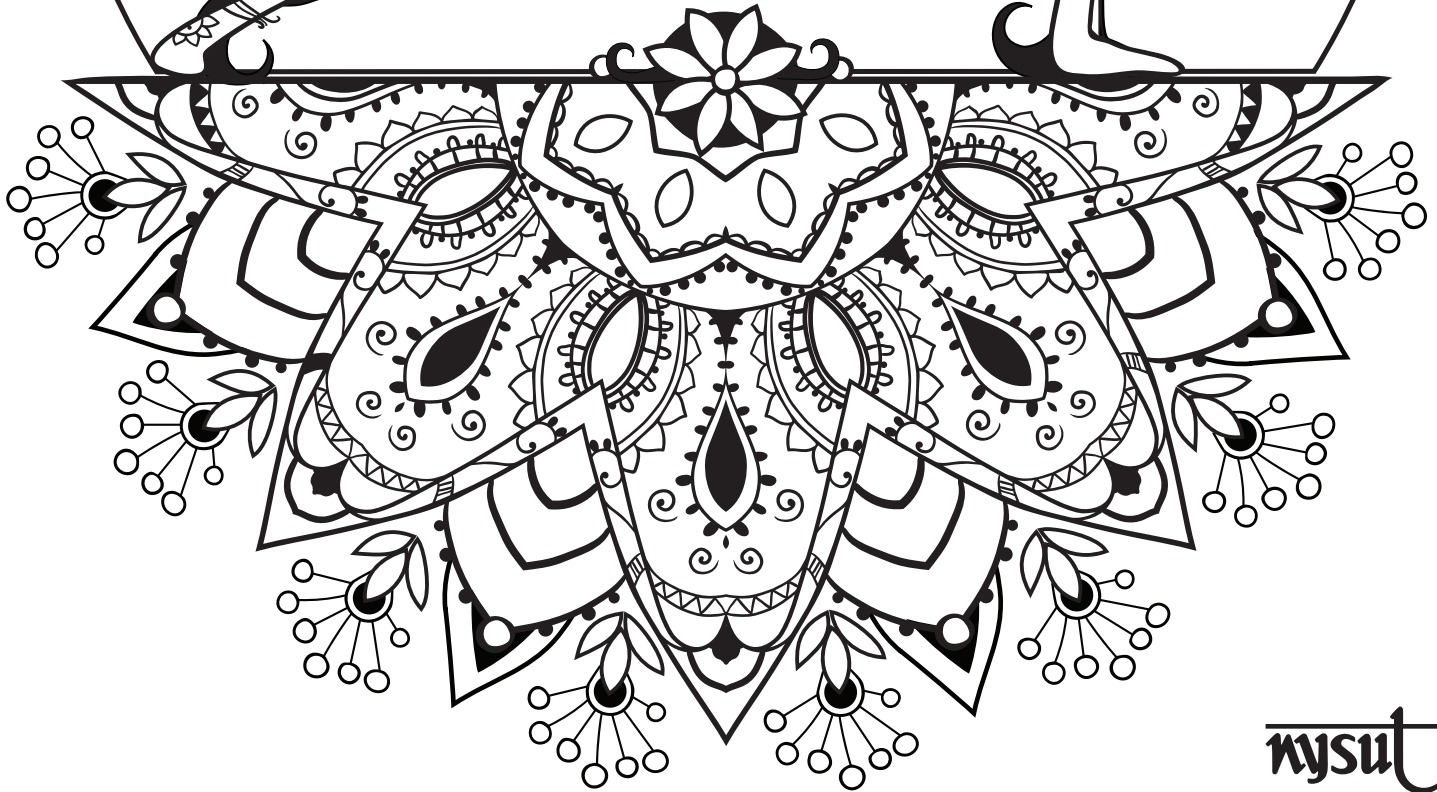


STRONG



*“ There is a great deal of
work still to be done.
But I am optimistic...
[We're] stronger
than ever ...
We will never
give up. ”*

— SANDRA FELDMAN,
AFT PRESIDENT, 1997-2004



NURTURE

“I am an example of what is possible when girls from the very beginning of their lives are loved and nurtured by people around them. I was surrounded by extraordinary women in my life who taught me about quiet strength and dignity.”

— MICHELLE OBAMA,
FIRST LADY OF
THE UNITED STATES,
2009-14

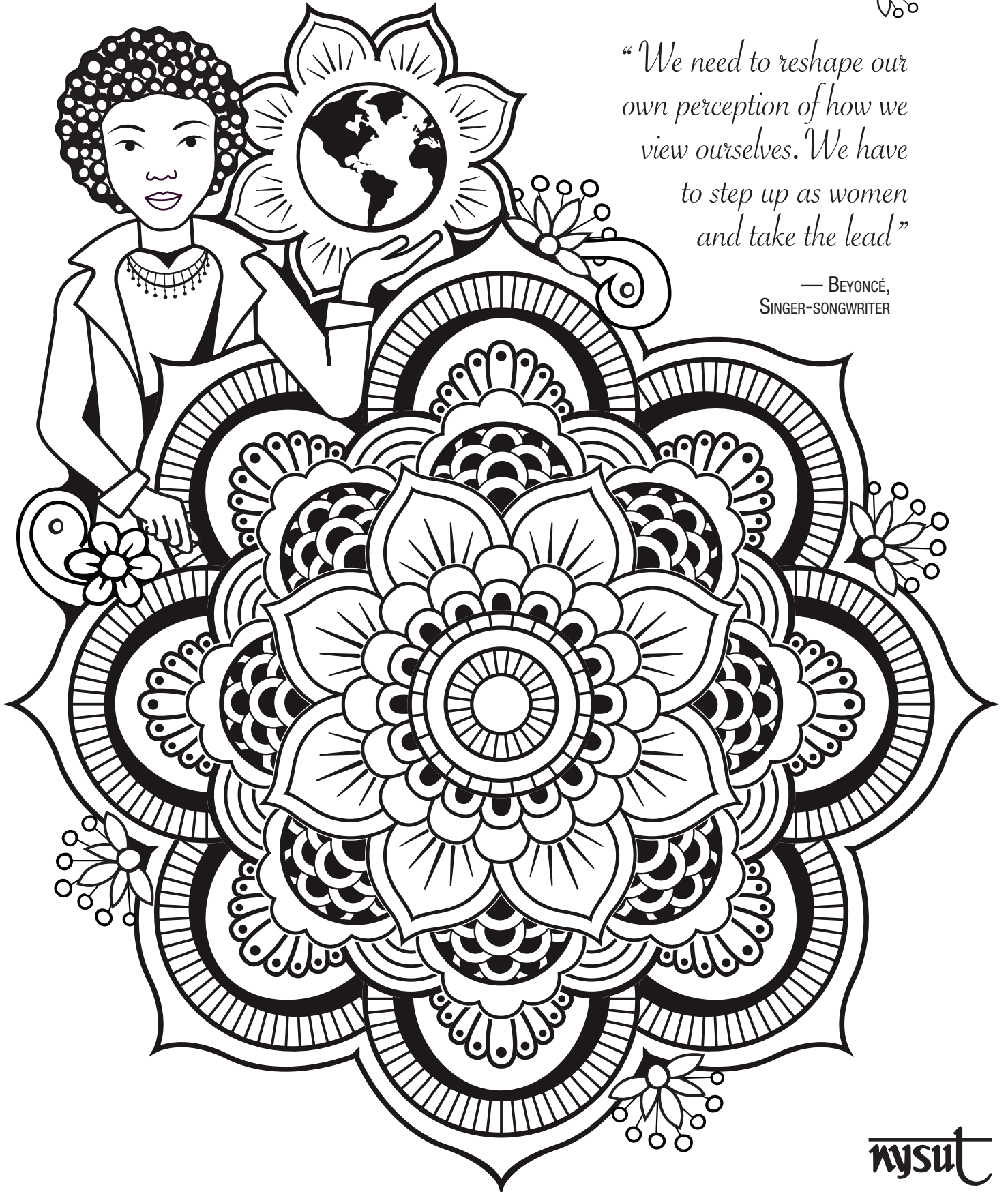


RESHAPE



“We need to reshape our own perception of how we view ourselves. We have to step up as women and take the lead”

— BEYONCÉ,
SINGER-SONGWRITER



COURAGE



*“You may not control
all the events that happen to you,
but you can decide not to
be reduced by them.”*

— MAYA ANGELOU,
AMERICAN POET, MEMOIRIST
AND CIVIL RIGHTS ACTIVIST,
1928-2014

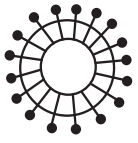


UNION PRIDE

*“Join the union, girls, and
together say Equal Pay
for Equal Work.”*

— SUSAN B. ANTHONY,
AMERICAN SOCIAL REFORMER AND
WOMEN’S RIGHTS ACTIVIST,
1820-1906

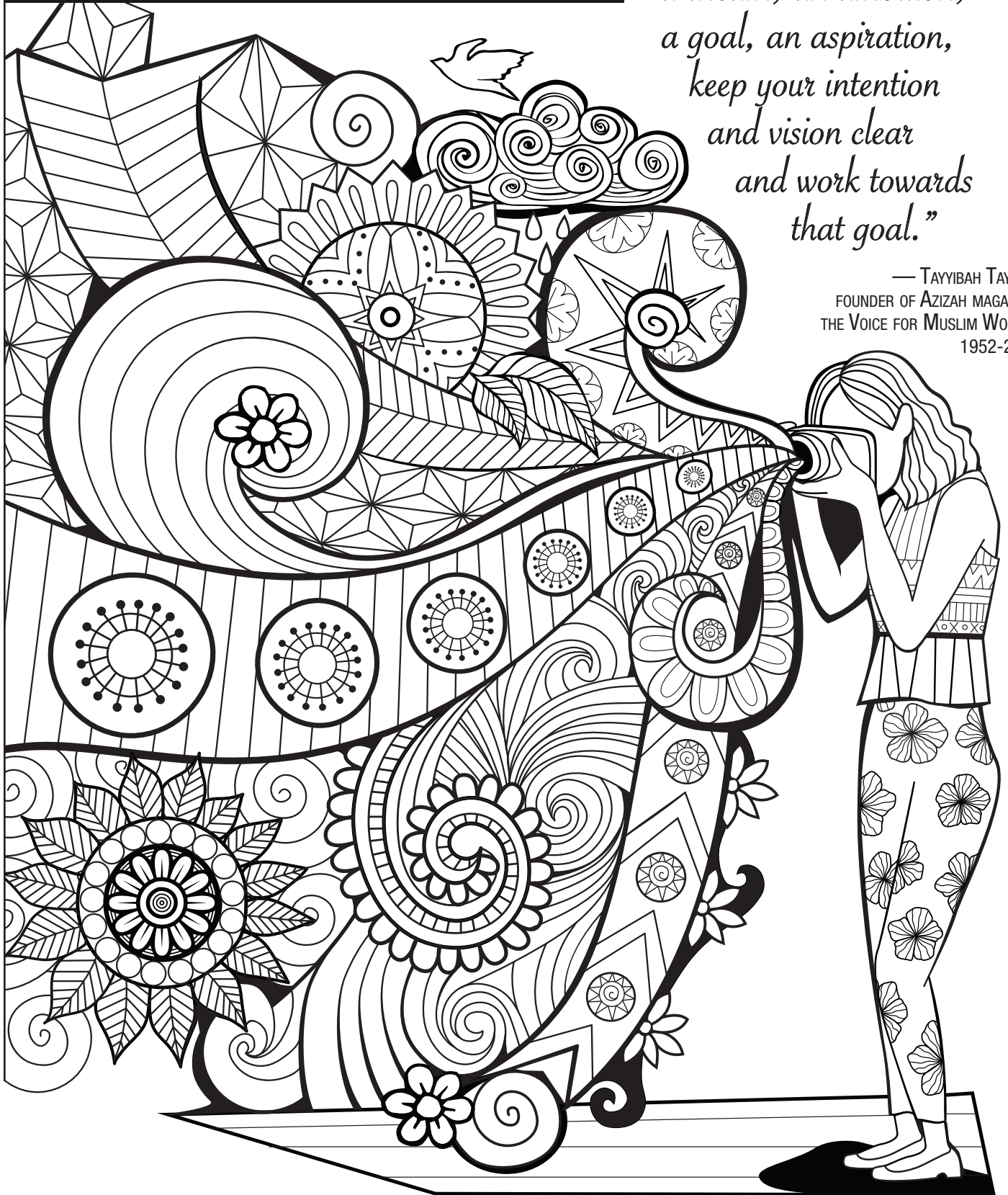




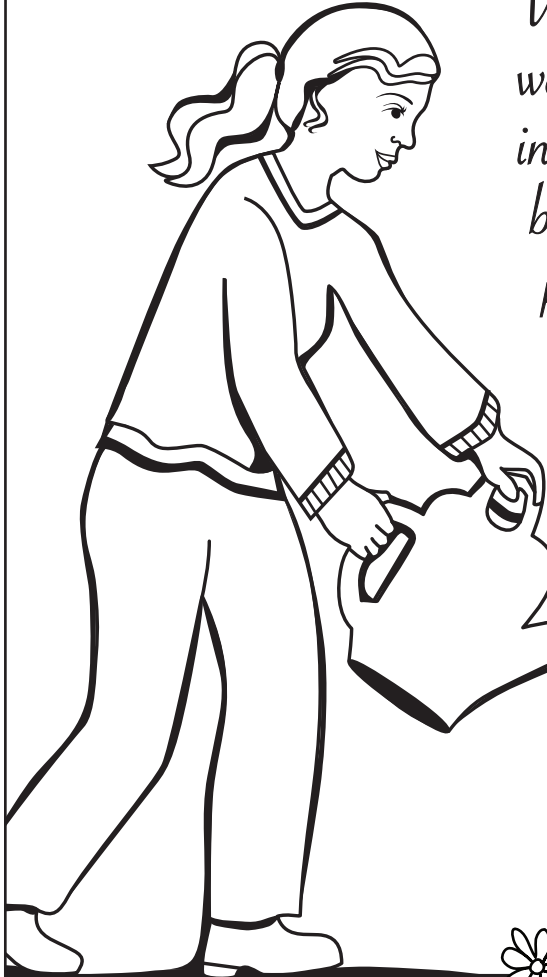
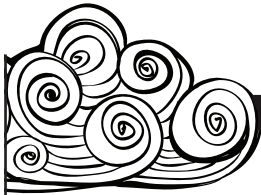
GOALS

“Don't put limitations on yourselves. If you have a dream, an ambition, a goal, an aspiration, keep your intention and vision clear and work towards that goal.”

— TAYYIBAH TAYLOR,
FOUNDER OF AZIZAH MAGAZINE,
THE VOICE FOR MUSLIM WOMEN,
1952-2014



BUILD



“We have to build things that we want to see accomplished, in life and in our country, based on our own personal experiences ... to make sure that others ... do not have to suffer the same discrimination.”

— PATSY MINK
FIRST ASIAN-AMERICAN
CONGRESSWOMAN,
1929-2002





*"We gain our power and
our strength together and,
as we do our union work,
we have each other's back."*

— Jolene T. DiBrango, NYSUT Executive Vice President



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