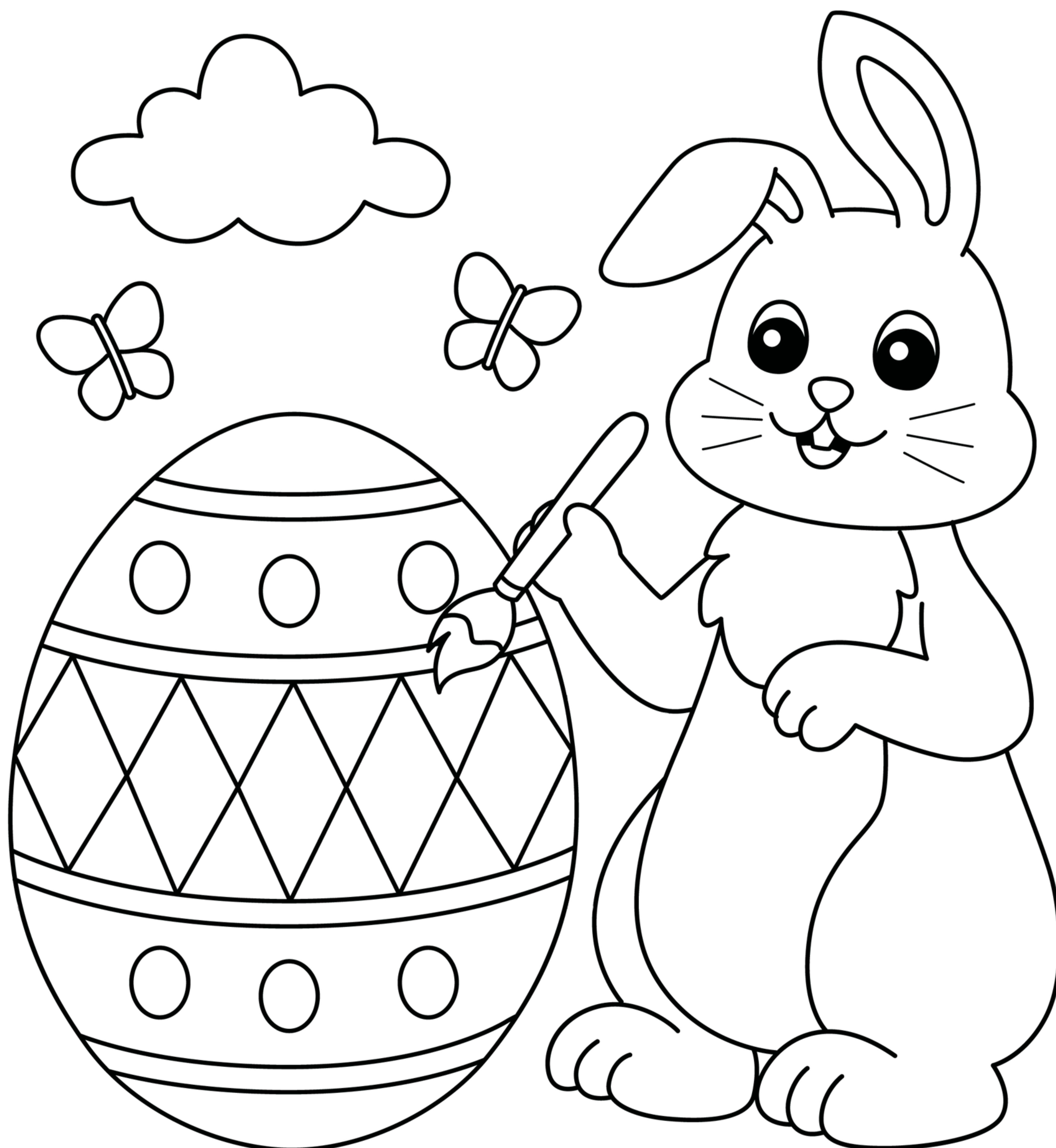


THE EASTER BUNNY

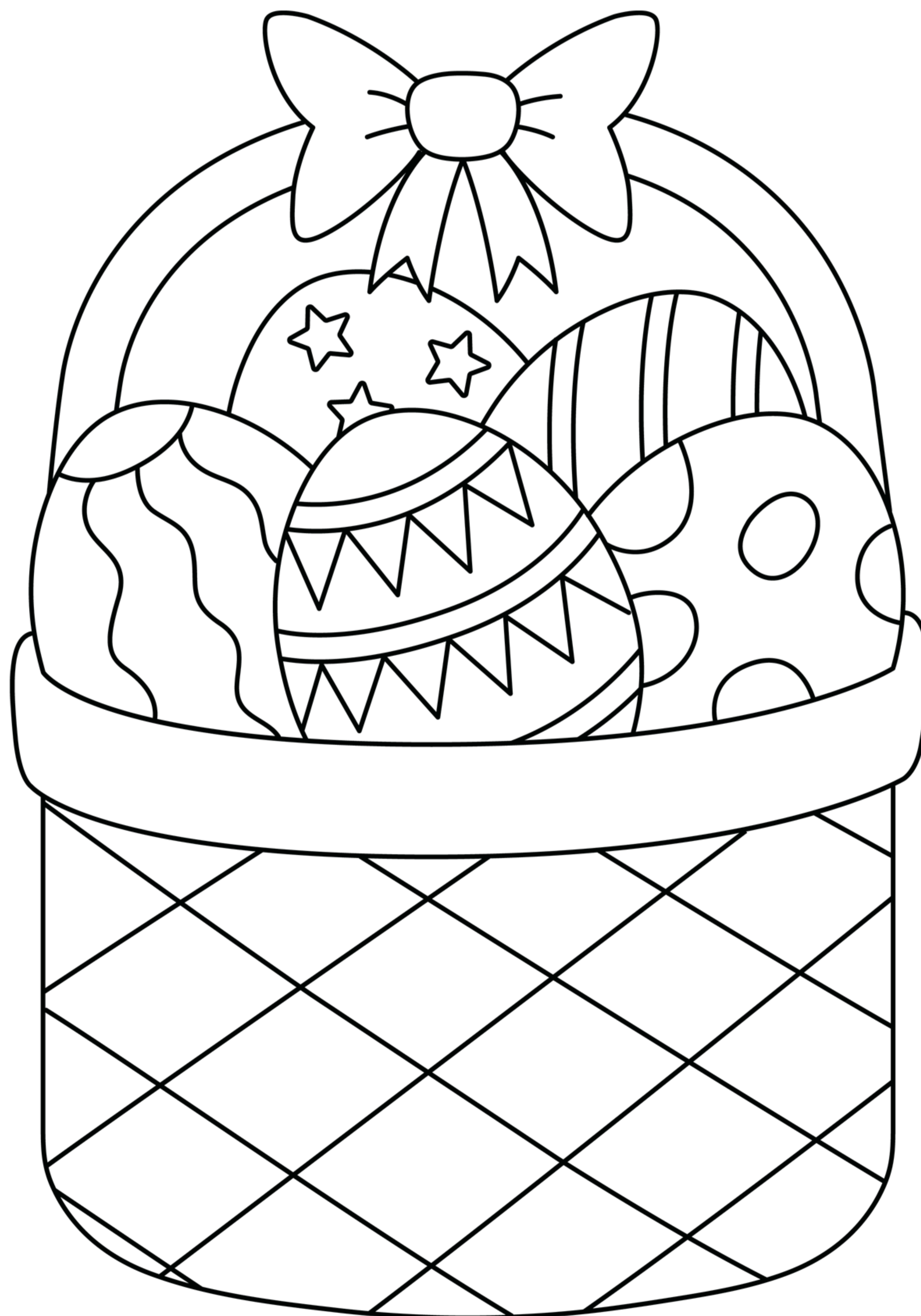
A hopping bunny,
With a nose so funny,
He has big ears,
And he hops, hops, hops.
He has a basket,
Full of Easter eggs,
And he hops, hops, hops,
Until he stops!



SOME THINGS THAT EASTER BRINGS

Elsie Parrish

Easter ducks and Easter chicks,
Easter eggs with chocolate tricks,
Easter baskets full of joy,
Easter gifts for every boy and girl.
Easter flowers, lilies white,
Easter morning, pure and bright.



THE LENT LILY

di A.E. Housman

'Tis spring; come out to ramble
The hilly brakes around,
For back and white and bramble
Now swarm upon the ground.
And see the coloured hill-side
The Lent Lilies appear;
And welcome to the world-side
The holiday of the year.

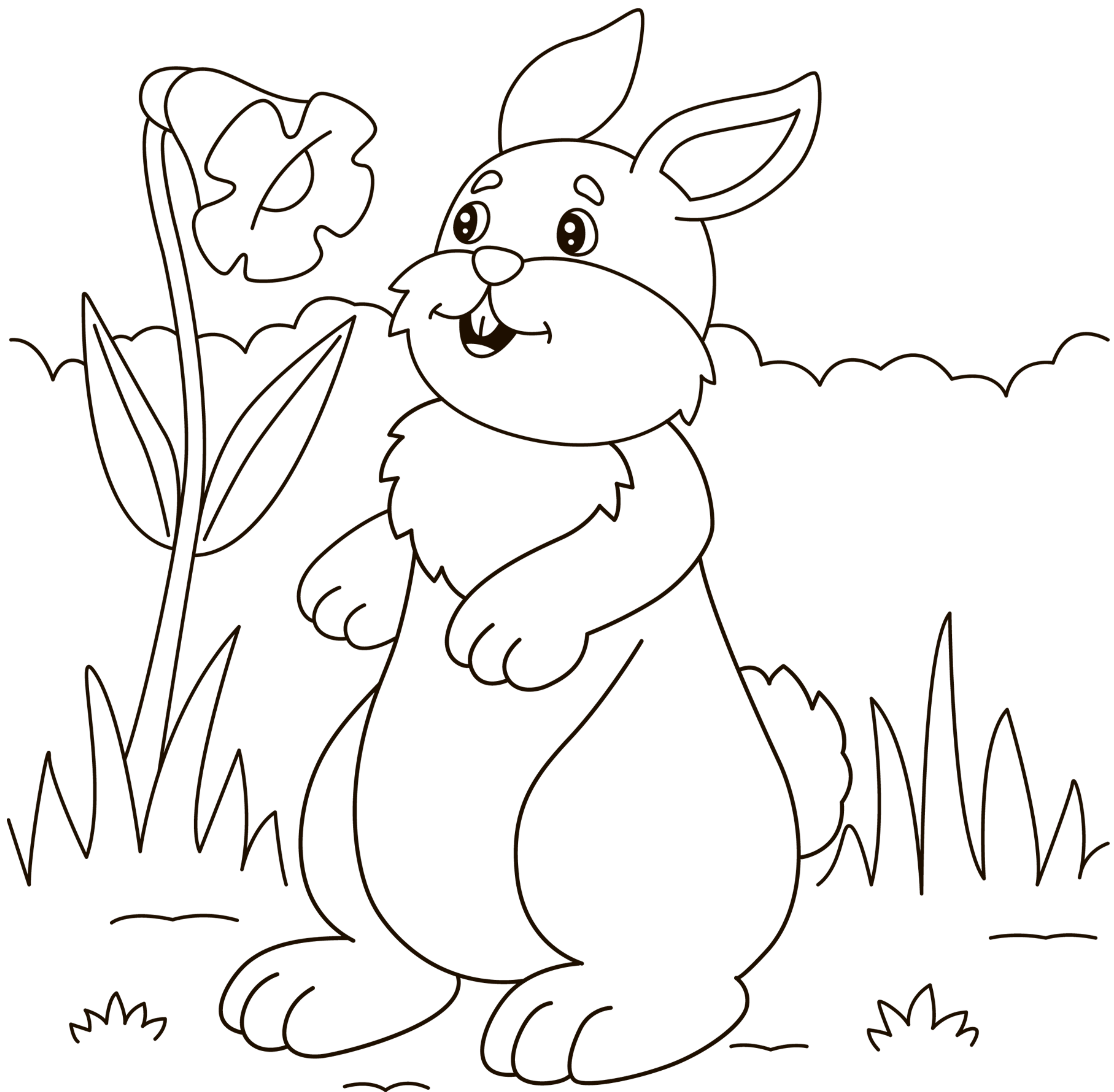


AT EASTER TIME

Laura E. Richards

The little flowers came through the ground,
At Easter time, at Easter time;
They raised their heads and looked around,
At happy Easter time.

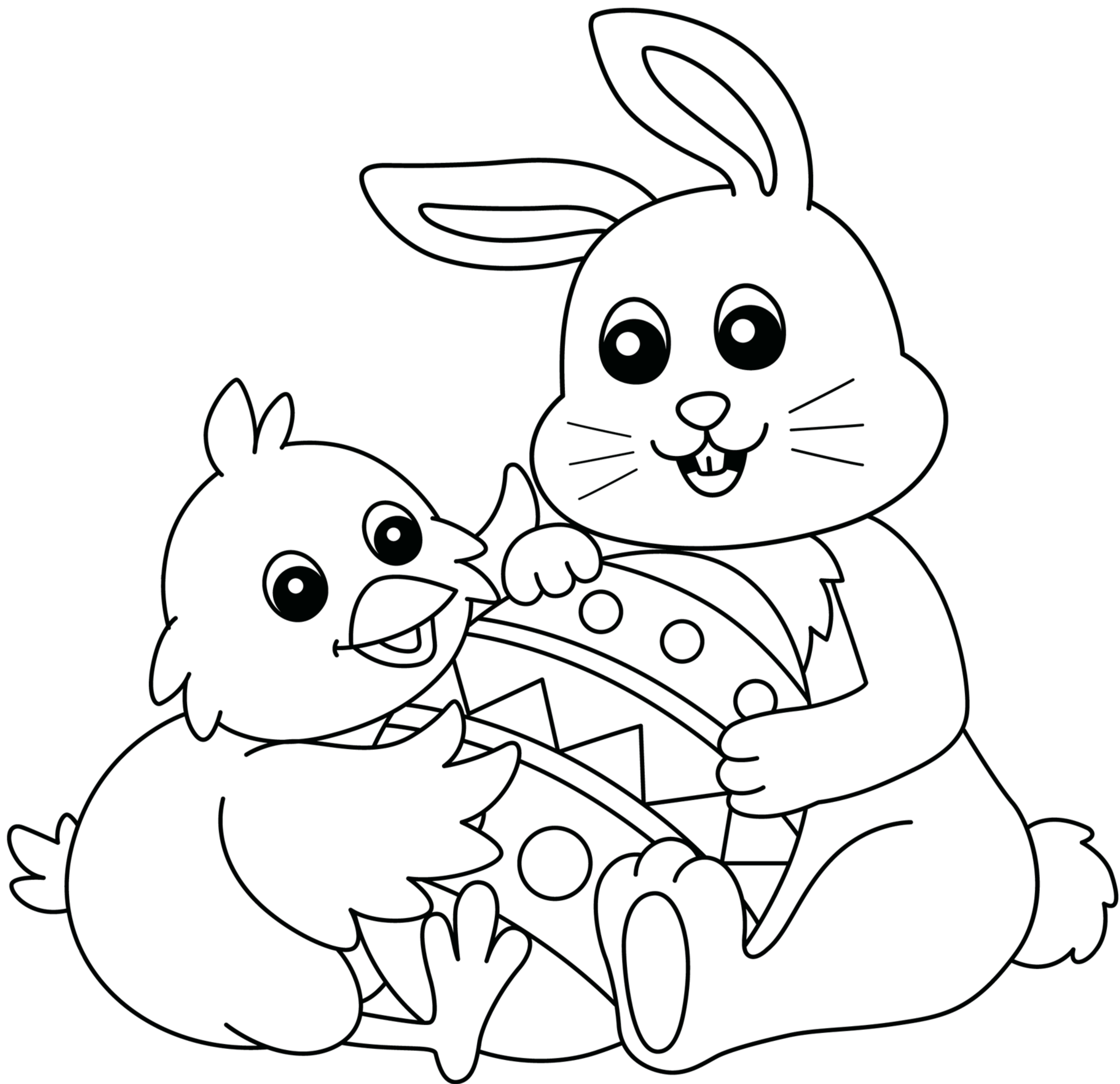
And then each little bud did say,
"Good people, bless this holy day,
For Christ is risen, the angels say,
At happy Easter time!"



EASTER

Thomas Traherne

The world is mine! and I am Thine!
In every flower Thy glories shine;
The very air is full of Thee,
And all the stars in harmony.
This Easter Day, the sun doth rise
To show the way to Paradise.



AN EASTER CAROL

Christina Rossetti

Spring bursts today,
For Christ is risen and all the earth's at play.
Flash forth, thou Sun,
The world's bright Comforter, whose course is run.
Sing, creatures, sing,
Angels and Men and every living thing.

Stars, beam and choir;
Ye winds, your chorus raise on many a lyre;
Through field and flood
Let every petal, every leaf and bud
Rejoice and bloom,
And find a voice to triumph o'er the tomb.

God's love is deep,
It wakes the flowers from their winter sleep.
The lily fair
Lifts up its head into the morning air,
And every bird
In every tree with songs of joy is heard.