

Killer Doll  
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Once there was a little boy. He was lost in the dark forest. It was full moon at night. The boy heard a crack in the branches. He saw a lot of red eyes in the whole dark forest. He saw sharp teeth. The boy was 6 years old. A creepy doll with red eyes came into the dark forest. The boy's name was Ren and then 20 more dolls came into the dark forest all together. The red eyes and the sharp teeth were creepy dolls in the dark forest. There were more than 100 dolls in the dark forest. Ren was trying to run from the creepy dolls but the dolls caught up with him. The dolls were dripping blood. The blood from the dolls touched Ren. Ren was scared of the creepy dolls. His family died because they fell into the sea. The dolls were trying to kill him. The dolls were not going to stop trying to kill him. Ren will not stop running from the creepy dolls. One of the dolls grabbed Ren on the leg. But the doll let go of his leg. Ren kicked one of the dolls. The dolls were madder. 20 dolls grabbed Ren on his arms all together and then killed Ren.

THE END

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# THE CREEPY HUNTER

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One day Violet went on a hike with her family and was skipping in the woods. She saw something moving. She didn't know what it was but she wasn't scared because she was with her parents. So they hiked back to their cabin and she played a game that was made of funny cards. She played it all night long and fell asleep while playing the game. Then the next morning came and she asked her parents to take her on another hike with her dog. She saw another thing moving in the woods and the dog started barking at it. The dog started chasing whatever was in the woods and never came back. Her and her parents searched all day for the dog and they started crying because the dog was missing. Then they found a sign and it said, "The Creepy Hunter" and they thought the hunter captured their dog. It was getting late so they went back to their cabin afraid. The next morning came and they started searching for their missing dog again. They went back to the sign and realized it was only a decoration for Halloween. So they decided to go and knock on the door of the Creepy Hunters house and there they found their missing dog. She was curled up in front of the fireplace in the Hunters house with a lot of treats in front of her. The



Creepy Hunter said he found her chasing a squirrel and captured her to keep her safe. It was the scariest time ever.



# The Halloween Spook

The crisp morning air. The wood smoke smell. We love the sights and sounds of fall. Fall is so peaceful. We rake leaves. We find a tall oak tree so we get our rakes and rake all afternoon. Then mom says "Come inside for hot chocolate!" We drop our rakes and go inside. I see something outside the window while I'm drinking my sweet hot chocolate. It's glowing and white and I think it's a ghost or a witch. I look outside again and it had vanished. The next morning I run outside to the spot that I saw the glowing object the night before and I see a hand. A glowing hand. I cautiously pick it up and it feels so squishy. I hear my mom say "You kids are going to be late for school!" and I reply "I just need five more minutes." Mom replies "okay," and I walk to the trail and set the hand down. It wiggles and I jump! When my mom calls "It's time to go!" I run back inside and grab my back pack. All I could think about at school was getting back to that trail and that creepy hand. I wondered what adventures I would have with my new glowing, squishy, creepy hand. When I got home from school I asked my mom if I could play outside. She told me to eat my cookies first. I ate them so fast and then rushed outside to the trail. The hand was right where I left it and when I went to pick it up a voice said, "stop now!"... I obeyed and said, "who are you?" The voice replied, "I am a ghost." I said "Are you a good ghost?" and the voice replied "I am a good ghost and I will give you three wishes for finding my hand." I said, "well, I don't know what I want to wish for." After a moment I thought I said "I have candy and all the toys in the world but I also want peace all over the world." So that's what happened.

## The END



# The Haunted House

Once upon a time, there was a first grade class. The class went to a haunted house for a school fieldtrip. Right after they got there, weird things started to happen. When they walked in there were freezing people everywhere, and they were solid white. Suddenly, the class started to turn frozen and white as well!

Me and my friends Wren and Eloise were still normal so we ran out of the room and down a spooky hall. In the middle of the hall stood a woman who was also white and holding a sword. But she wasn't frozen! With a wave of her sword the white frozen classmates started to move, but they still weren't normal. The sword seemed to control them! Their hands started to twitch and their feet started to walk towards me and Wren and Eloise.

The only chance was to run for the door, but the frozen classmates started to block it! Wren, Eloise, and myself started to fight past them! Even though they were see-through they were rock hard we tried to duck between their legs! But they blocked us! I told Wren and Eloise to distract the frozen classmates while I tried to duck between their legs again! The evil lady laughed and said, "no, that plan can't work!" and then the evil lady slashed her sword towards Wren and Eloise! I screamed, "no those are my last two friends!" Then the evil lady said, "I don't care!" Eloise and Wren turned white and hard as rock also! It was up to me now, so I quickly ducked between their legs to escape! It worked this time! I was feeling so excited as I ran fast down the spooky hall and out of the front door!

And then I looked back! I couldn't forget about my classmates. I stopped, and I planned! I thought that if I could steal the evil lady's sword my classmates would turn back normal. So I headed to the room with my spooky classmates, but this time I did not burst in! I stopped and I peered around the door. I looked at what they were doing. They were getting weirder! They were eating the grossest things I had ever seen! They were eating snake skin, rat droppings, and drinking black widow spider venom!

While they were distracted eating, I snuck into a room that looked like a bedroom! I went into the closet and luckily there were some white clothes hanging there! I quietly took them down from the hangers and put them on. Now I was perfectly disguised on my body, but not my head. I found another bedroom I tiptoed in and luckily, just like I wanted, there was some white hairspray! I sprayed my hair, and now only my face was left to disguise. I went down down down into the basement, and I found another spooky room full of toys and costumes! Luckily, someone who lived here must have dressed as a ghost for Halloween before! I found a ghost mask! I put it on my face, and I was perfectly white now! I did a bit more hairspray before I ran back upstairs!

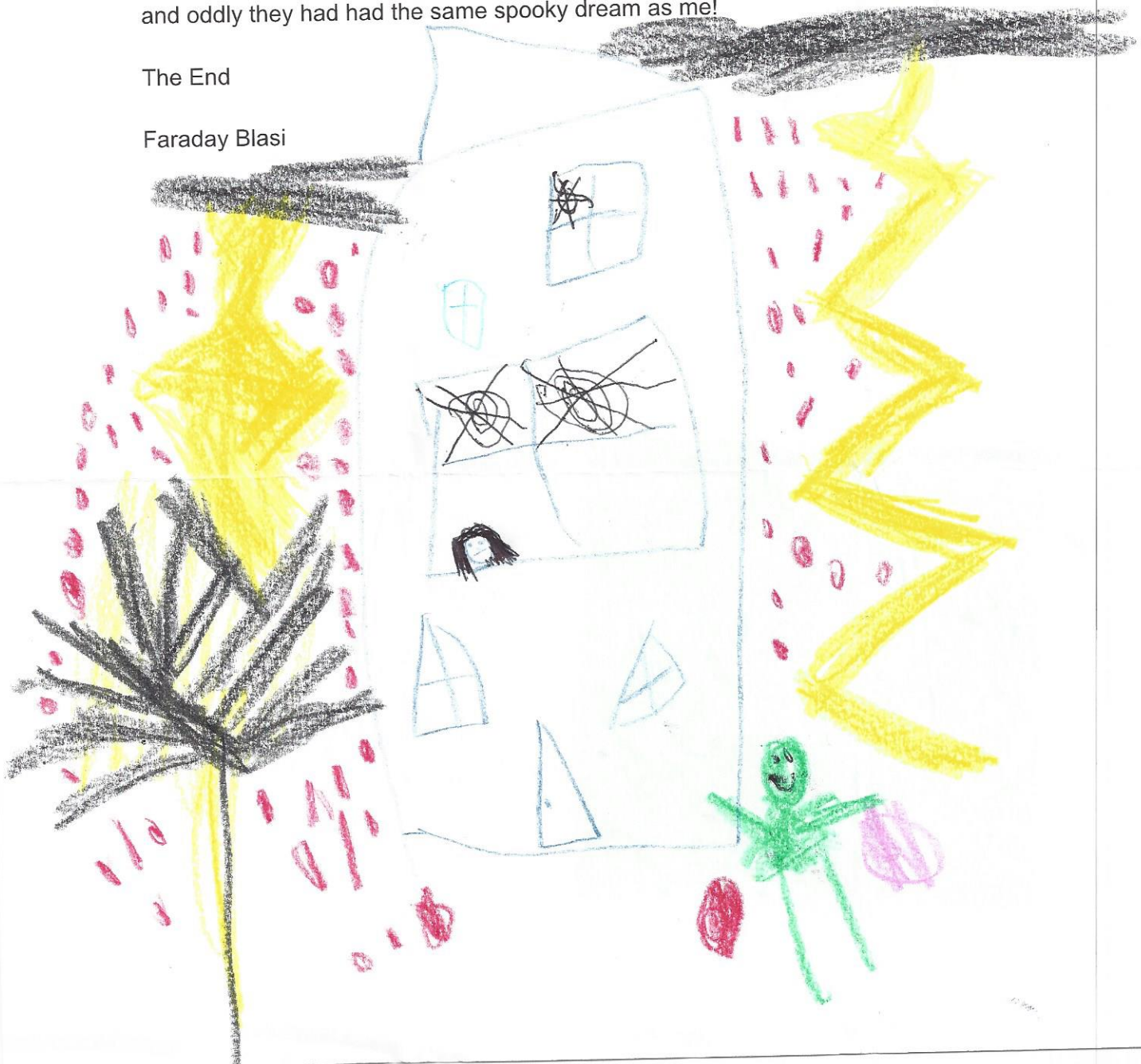
I walked back in the room acting all spooky, and I tiptoed to the evil woman! She finally set the sword down, and when she wasn't looking, I snatched it! I ran and I locked myself in the back room! I stared at the sword. I knew I didn't have much time. I needed to figure out how to work

the sword. I had an idea... what if I didn't need this sword! What if I actually just needed to remind my classmates who they really and truly were. I decided to try the talking method first. I ran into the room and started to remind all my classmates that they were my best friends! The evil woman reached for her sword, but then I raised it, and I said, "are you looking for this?" She let out a groan, but I kept talking and reminding my classmates about who they really were! Slowly, but surely they started turning normal! When they had all changed back I realized that the evil woman was actually my teacher! I tried to remind her how much she had taught us this year, and how much we liked her! The sword disappeared in a poof, and she turned normal as well!

When everyone was normal again, we left the haunted house as fast as we could. It was still a mystery how we got changed to begin with! There were more spooky white frozen people inside, and another evil lady too! I needed to solve these mysteries! But, suddenly, I woke up! It was morning time in my bedroom. When I got to school I told my classmates about my dream, and oddly they had had the same spooky dream as me!

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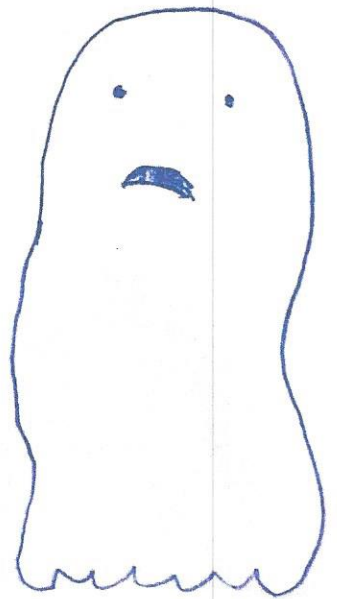
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# THE CAT AND THE GHOST

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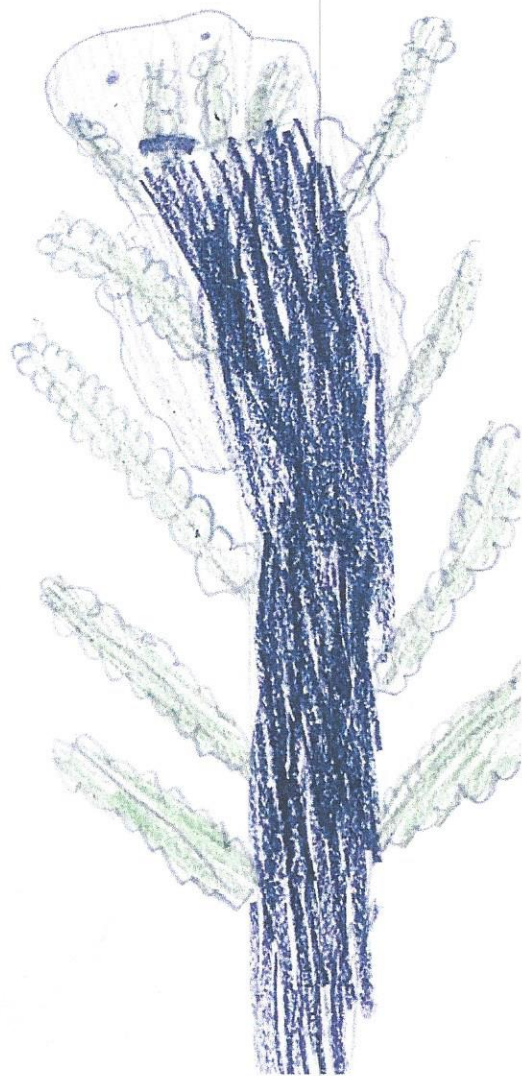
Once there was a cat who was very aware of ghosts on Halloween. His name was Fawnya. Whenever he heard an, "Oooooo!" he would quickly run away or hide. One day he heard a particularly ghost-sounding, "Oooooo!!!!!!" He was so shocked he ran into the trees, quaking. Finally, when he was brave enough, he ran out and yelled, "You won't defeat me!", into thin air.

Just then, a very creepy looking and surprisingly huge ghost appeared out of nowhere. He gasped. He screamed. The ghost gasped. The ghost screamed. The ghost yelled, "STOP IT NOW!" Fawnya bolted away. Apparently, the ghost, Fintawn was afraid of cats!

In the dark, Fintawn ran the same way! They maneuvered and struggled around trees. They also ran and jumped, squirmed and pretty much leaped. Fawnya looked behind him, lured by the swoosh of wind he knew was the ghost. All that was left behind was the dark trees.

That silly ghost! Fawnya thought.







Fin Fawn was still there, though he had used his special power, turning invisible to hide. Fin Fawn yelled, mischievously, "Haha! You'll never get to me! Haha! I'm flying in the opposite direction! Heehee haha!" When he was actually flying right toward Fawnya! Yet Fawnya knew this, so he ran faster than ever. He was intent on getting back to his family. Although Fin Fawn seemed to know this too.

Finding no familiar hole or cave and knowing he had gone too far not to find one, Fawnya knew he was going in the wrong direction to home. He spun around, wondering which way to go. Finally, he had to admit he was lost. Luckily, the ghost seemed to know where it was. Fawnya cried in a squeaky voice,

"May you help me find my home?"

He knew this was dangerous, for he could be destroyed. No way! If you ask that one more time, you will be destroyed! You will be sorry if you destroy me!"

Fin Fawn cried back in a voice so toneless that Fawnya thought he wasn't a real ghost at all. Yet he scampred



even faster than before.

He did not say a word the whole way. Fawnya was too scared to even think. As Fawnya stood frozen in space, he heard the ghost's laughter behind him. Now able to move, he bolted into the trees to find a good hiding place. Then, in a hole that Fawnya had checked, he came upon a spider's web with a scary spider on it. Fawnya screamed as loud as he could, hoping to scare the spider. After this, (without a click,) he bolted deeper into the woods, hiding from the spider and the ghost. Apparently, the spider, Finny, knew he was afraid of cats and ghosts. Fawnya

Fawnya now spread his paws and leaped farther than he had ever gone! As the spider approached him, he winced, waiting for the worst. But surprisingly, the spider ran towards him, trying to run away!

FinFawn looked around, wondering which way to fly. (Good, I've lost him.) FinFawn thought, flying right toward the tree Fawnya and Finny were hiding behind!



The minute Fin Fawn saw Finny, he became disgusted and stressed, as well as scared. Fin Fawn screamed and hid his face. Fawpya felt bored and tired and also pretty scared. Finny felt downright scared.

scared. Suddenly, Fawnya felt kind of lonely. Now he really ~~seriously~~ wanted to see his family. He felt like he was sinking into the dirt. ~~He~~ <sup>He</sup> ~~should have come out,~~ he thought glumly. All this stress and scariness was unnecessary for the spider, the cat, and the ghost were all very good friends.

Emmy the spider skuttled back into his hole. Fintawn knew that only on Halloween were ghosts supposed to go on out. Having it be the middle of Halloween night, he knew he had to get back to his family. But he could not. He was lost!

worried, he thought forlornly. Fintawn gasped as the thoughts raced to him and finally made sense. He looked around, alarmed. He quickly scanned the sky for helpers, for Fintawn knew the sky can give ghosts inspiration. He sighed and drooped his head sadly. As he consulted the sky, an idea suddenly sprang to him.



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"Thank you sky," he murmured under his breath. The stars had reminded him of something. For, FinFawn had hidden a compass that would tell him which direction he was going. He knew how to get home with directions. He nearly laughed aloud with joy.

Then he remembered his scariness. He shivered, need to get away from that ~~mean cat and spider~~. He thought absent-mindedly. Deciding this, he thought he could fight them good and hard. After getting his compass, he flew toward the tree that Fawnya and Finny were hiding behind. But they weren't there! FinFawn looked around puzzled. Then he heard faint wafts of laughter. Why, that sounds like the spider and the cat! FinFawn exclaimed. He could not believe they were laughing together instead of screaming. He flew close to investigate. They're having fun! He suddenly realized. Now they're friends, he thought, now wickedly. As he approached the source of the laughter, he nearly laughed aloud too. For, standing in front of him, he saw two joyous figures laughing and joking that were Finny and Fawnya. He laughed at himself.



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On the other side, he was curious. He crept closer. Soon later, the three were laughing and joking, not just Finny and Fawnia. Later the next day, apologies were made. "I'm really sorry I said mean things," Fintawn apologized. "I'm sorry I wasn't thinking about others. I was just scared." Fawnia made his repairs. "I had just never met anyone else. I'm sorry I should have understood." Finny added how bad he felt. "Let's not do that anymore." They came to conclusion. And with that, they loved each other more than they ever had.



