

ONCE UPON A TIME, THERE WAS A LITTLE GIRL NAMED MARY. SHE WAS 6 YEARS OLD. SHE WAS INTELLIGENT AND DREAMY. SHE LIVED WITH HER PARENTS IN A SMALL HOUSE.





# ONE DAY, AT SCHOOL, TEACHER MIA WAS TALKING TO THE STUDENTS ABOUT PROFESSIONS. SO, SHE ASKED TO MARY:



- DEAR, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP?

MARY WAS FEELING VERY CONFUSED, BUT SHE REPLIED.

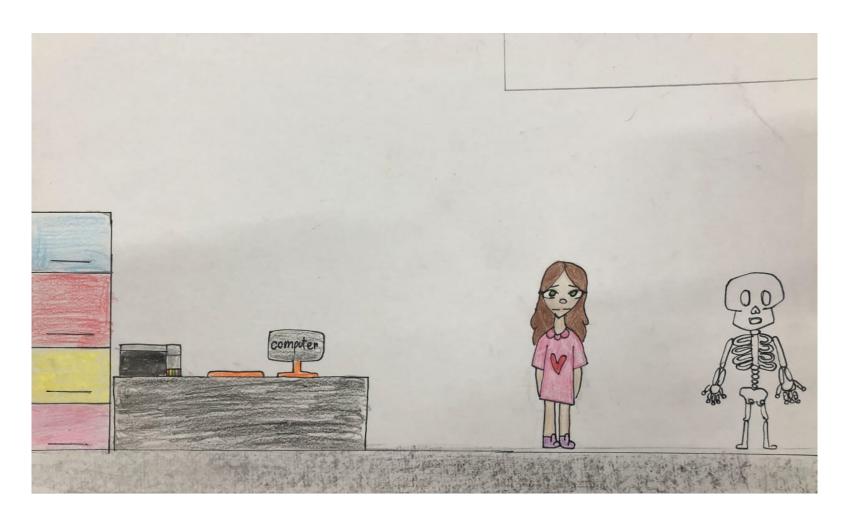
- I DON'T KNOW, TEACHER. CAN YOU TELL ME A LITTLE ABOUT YOUR PROFESSION?
- OF COURSE! I AM A TEACHER, AND MY DUTY IS TO TEACH PEOPLE!
- VERY COOL!
- BUT YOU STILL HAVEN'T ANSWERED MY QUESTION.
- HMM.

WHEN SHE GOT HOME, MARY COULDN'T STOP THINKING ABOUT WHAT THE TEACHER HAD SAID IN CLASS. SHE WAS VERY UNDECIDED BECAUSE THERE WERE SO MANY CAREER OPTIONS. SO, SHE DECIDED TO ASK HER MOTHER:



- MOM, I'M REALLY UNSURE ABOUT WHICH PROFESSION I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE WHEN I GROW UP. CAN YOU TELL ME A BIT ABOUT YOUR JOB?
- OF COURSE, DEAR! I'M A DOCTOR, AND MY JOB IS TO CARE OF PEOPLE AND TO MAKE THEM FEEL BETTER.
- THAT'S COOL! CAN I VISIT YOUR OFFICE TOMORROW?
- YES! I'LL PICK YOU AFTER SCHOOL!

THE NEXT DAY, WHEN THEY ARRIVED AT THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE, MARY WAS FASCINATED WITH ALL THE DIFFERENT OBJECTS. BUT ONE THING ATTRACTED HER ATTENTION: THE SKELETON. MARY WAS SCARED OF IT BECAUSE IT WAS VERY SPOOKY!



## AFTER TALKING A BIT MORE WITH HER MOTHER, THEY RETURNED HOME AND FOUND HER GRANDMOTHER.



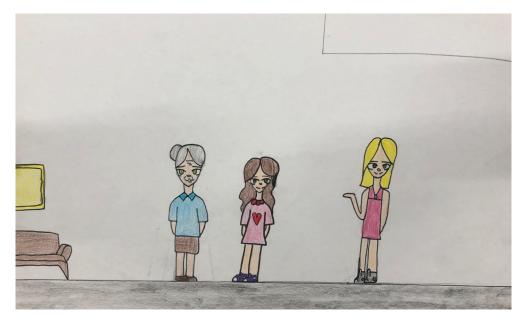
- HI, GRANDMA NOELLE!
- HELLO, MY LITTLE GRANDDAUGHTER!
- GRANDMA, I NEED TO ASK YOU SOMETHING. WHAT WAS YOUR PROFESSION WHEN YOU WERE YOUNGER?
- I WAS A HOMEMAKER! I COOKED, CLEANED, DID LAUNDRY, AND TOOK CARE OF MY CHILDREN...

**BUT NOW I'M RETIRED.** 

- THAT'S INTERESTING!

SUDDENLY, CHLOE, MARY'S OLDER COUSIN, ARRIVED.

- HELLO, WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
  - WE'RE TALKING ABOUT PROFESSIONS.



- CHLOE, DEAR, TELL MARY ABOUT YOUR PROFESSION.

- I'M A SINGER, AND I SING BEAUTIFUL SONGS! I'LL HAVE A CONCERT IN A FEW DAYS; WOULD YOU LIKE TO COME?

- YES! I'D LOVE TO!

## DAYS LATER...

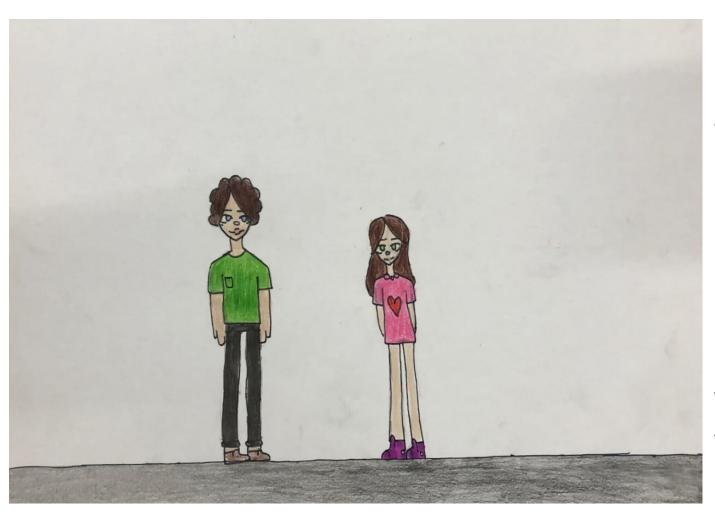


## **LEAVING THE CONCERT...**



- WOW, COUSIN! YOU WERE AMAZING!

## - THANK YOU, MARY! I'M GLAD YOU ENJOYED IT! AT THE CONCERT, MARY RAN INTO HER UNCLE TOM. HE HAD PREPARED THE SNACKS BEING SERVED.



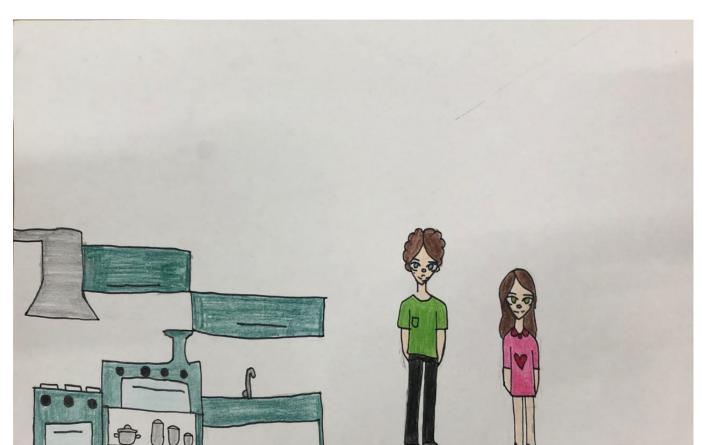
- HI, LITTLE MARY! I DIDN'T EVEN SEE YOU THERE. HOW ARE YOU?"
- HI, UNCLE! I'M GOOD."
- MARY IS LEARNING ABOUT PROFESSIONS! SAID HER GRANDMOTHER.
- THAT'S COOL! DO YOU WANT TO KNOW A BIT ABOUT MY JOB?
- OF COURSE!

- I'M A FAMOUS CHEF, AND MY JOB IS TO MAKE DELICIOUS DISHES FOR PEOPLE! MAYBE, AFTER THE SHOW, YOU CAN COME TO MY RESTAURANT.

- I'D LOVE THAT!

WHEN THEY ARRIVED AT THE RESTAURANT, MARY WENT TO THE KITCHEN AND SAW A LARGE TEAM LED BY UNCLE TOM.

- HELLO, MARY, YOU ARE HERE! I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU!

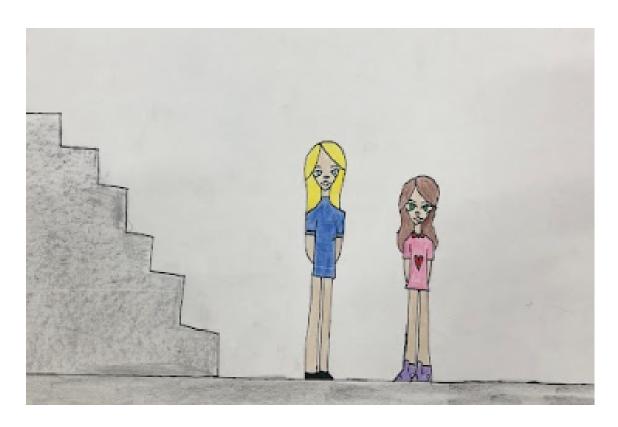


- OF COURSE, UNCLE! YOUR RESTAURANT IS BEAUTIFUL!
- THANK YOU, MARY! WE'RE PREPARING A DELICIOUS DISH CALLED 'MAC AND CHEESE.' WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP?

-PERFECT, LET 'S GO!

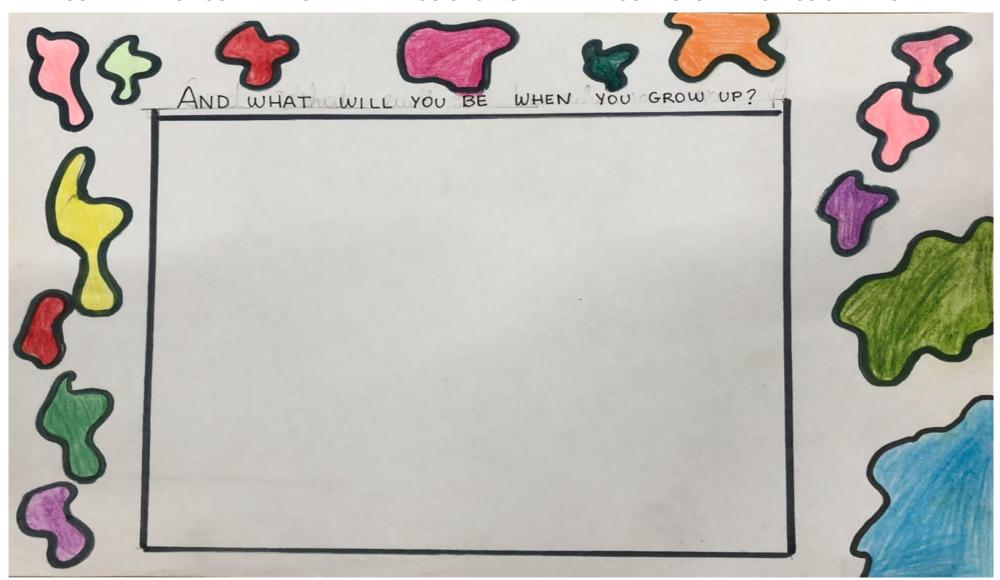
### MARY HAD A GREAT TIME IN THE KITCHEN AND LOVED HELPING PREPARE THE DISHES!

## A FEW WEEKS LATER, TEACHER MIA ASKED MARY AGAIN,



- DEAR, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP?
- WELL, TEACHER... I HAVEN'T DECIDED YET. BUT I'M SURE I'M SURROUNDED BY PEOPLE WHO CAN HELP ME MAKE THE BEST DECISION!

### AND YOU? WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP? DRAW YOUR FUTURE PROFESSION BELOW:



#### **BIOGRAPHY:**

HELLO, WE ARE THE 7TH GRADE AFTERNOON GROUP, AND WE ARE A GROUP MADE UP OF 10 STUDENTS. WE ARE INTELLIGENT, HARD-WORKING, AND DEDICATED. WE HAVE BEEN WORKING FOR MONTHS TO BRING YOU AN INCREDIBLE EXPERIENCE WITH OUR BOOK.

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