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Writing My Life Story

Today our teacher said we would each write a story. She said 12
if we wanted we could draw pictures to go with it. I decided to 26
write my life story. I started with the night I was born. I drew a 41
picture of me as a tiny baby. I wrote about what my first words 55
were and how I liked to play. 62

When I was little I was always making tall towers. My 73
grandfather said he thought I would build hotels when I grew up. 85
I drew a picture of me playing with my blocks. 95

I also liked to ride my scooter and swing on the swings in the 109
park. I drew pictures of me on my scooter and a picture of my 123
dad pushing me on the swing. The next picture is of me licking 136
an ice cream cone and getting it all over me. I still love chocolate 150
ice cream. 152

Then I wrote about my first day at school. I wrote about how 165
I cried and cried because I didn't want my mother to leave me. I 179
made a drawing of me with a sad face. The last page is about my 194
last birthday party. I drew of picture of me blowing out the 206
candles on my birthday cake. There are six candles and I blew 218
them all out. 221

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Going to a Play

I went to the play "The Princess and the Pea" with my 12
friends. The play was performed at the King Theater. Our seats 23
were in the front row. When the play was about to begin, the 36
lights were turned down low. When the curtain opened and the 47
stage lights came on, we could see a castle in the clouds on the 61
stage. Then people walked out on the stage. 69

Sitting in the front row was fun. We could see everything 80
that was happening on the stage. All the actors were so close to 93
us we could see the makeup on their faces. Even the men and 106
boys wore makeup. We could watch some of the people behind 117
the curtain as they moved the lights or prepared to go on stage. 130

At the end of the first act, about halfway through the play, 142
the actors took a break. The lights came on and we got up from 156
our seats. We walked out to the lobby to have punch and 168
cookies. When the lights were turned down again we hurried 178
back to our seats. When the curtain opened for the second act, 190
we saw the woods and gardens around the castle. 199

Everyone clapped when the play was over. The actors came 209
out on stage and bowed. I took my program up to the stage so the 224
actors could sign it. They asked if we liked the play. We said we 238
liked it very much. 242

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