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A Magic Drink

Once upon a time, there lived a princess named Lisa. Lisa lived in a big palace with her father and mother, the king and the queen. Lisa was a spoiled girl. Her mom and dad would buy her everything she wanted. She had a very bad attitude. She was rude and mean, she did not care about other people.

One day, she was walking in the street and she saw an old lady. The old lady went to Lisa asking Lisa if she could help her find her missing cat. The old lady loved her cat very much, but Lisa refused. She said that she was a princess and she did not have time for this foolishness. The old lady was depressed and kept begging her. Lisa shouted,

‘Don’t you understand the meaning of “no”? Will you just shut up old lady! Help yourself. No one cares!’

After Lisa said that, the old lady cried and ran away.

At midnight, the princess could not sleep and so she went to the kitchen to get a glass of water. When she went to the kitchen, she saw a cup already filled up. Lisa thought that maybe the maids filled the water for her. So Lisa drank it without knowing that she was drinking a magic drink. After she finished, she went back to sleep.

The next day, Lisa felt weird, she walked out of her royal bedroom and went to a maid. Before Lisa spoke a word, the maid screamed and ran away. The princess was mad and wondered why the maid screamed. Lisa picked up the mirror and looked at her reflection, she was terrified because she turned into a monster. She was furious and mad.

Suddenly, she saw a man who was dressed up like a wizard. He said, ‘I was the one who put the magic drink in the kitchen, the drink which you drank. The only way to break the curse is to be nice and help others.’

The princess laughed and said, ‘Me? Nice? You have to be kidding me. And you have to turn me back. I demand you!’ The man refused and said no one cared. After that,

the man disappeared. Lisa did not change one bit, she was still mean and rude. The guards kicked her out of the palace because they could not recognize her.

Lisa lived in the forest and never came back!

