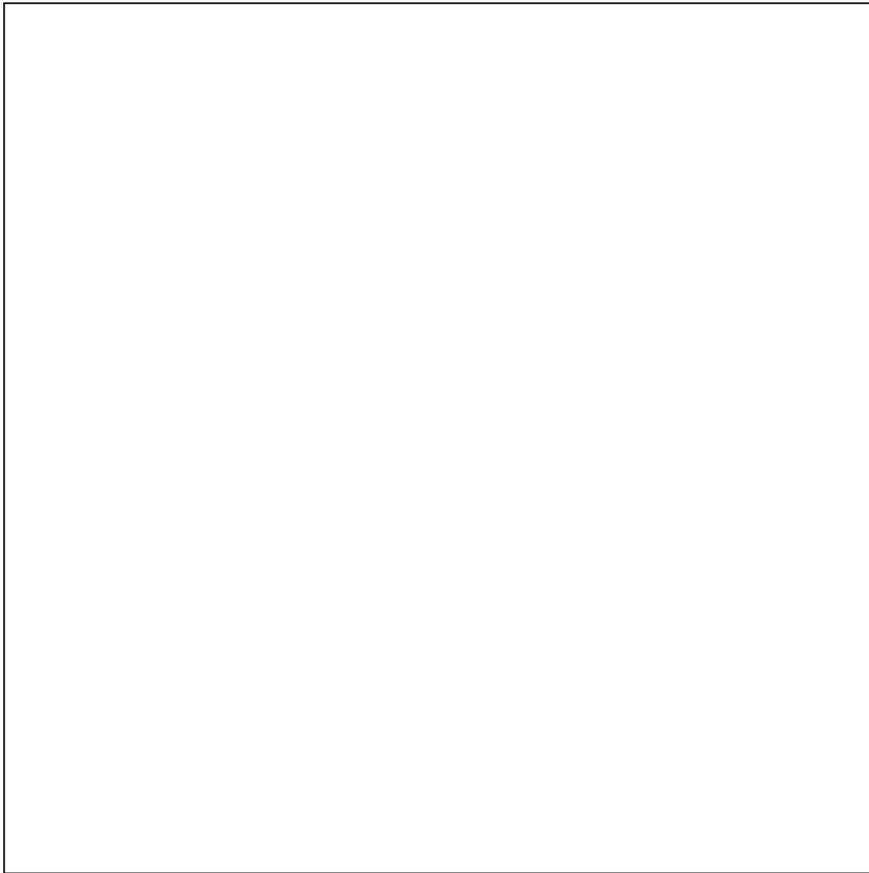


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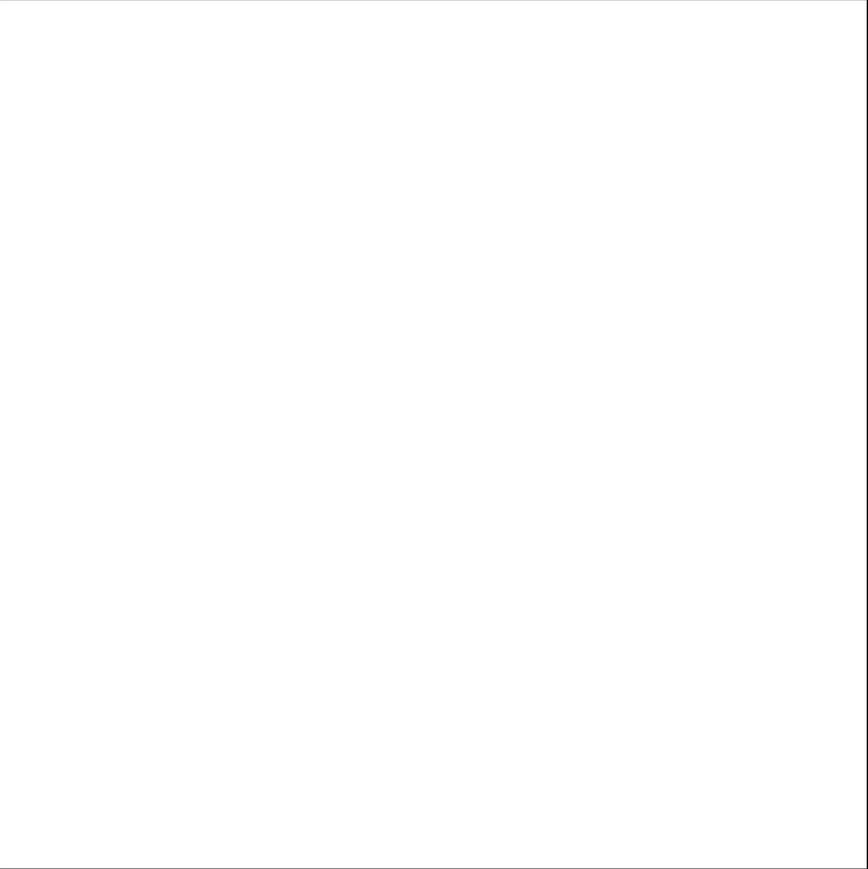
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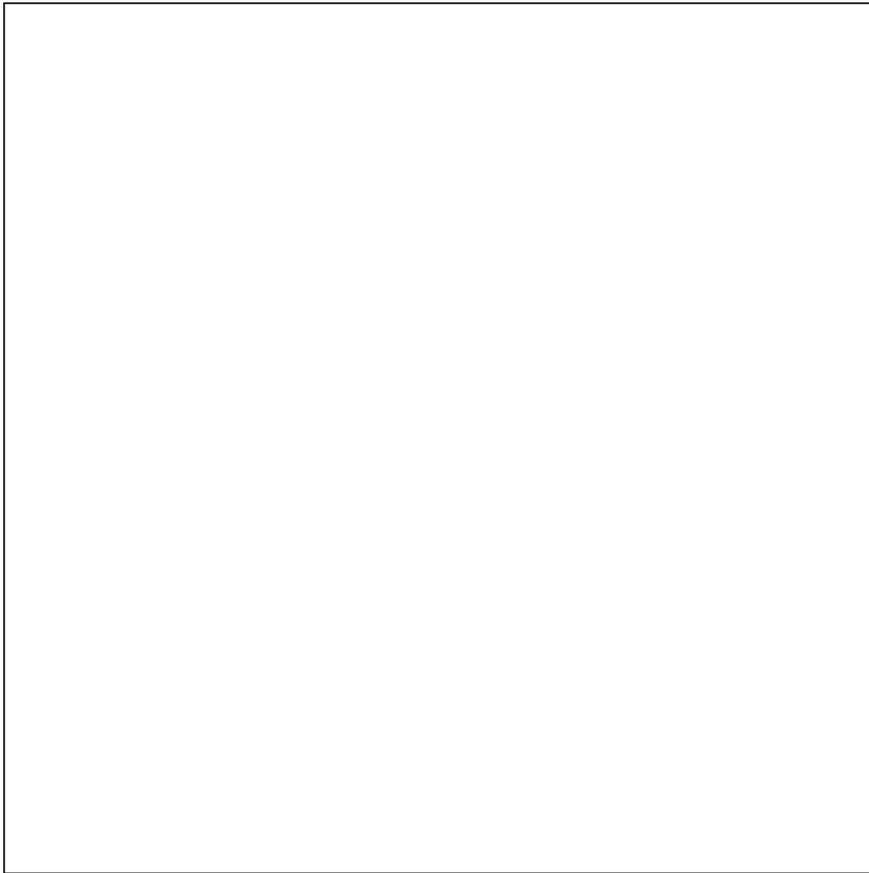




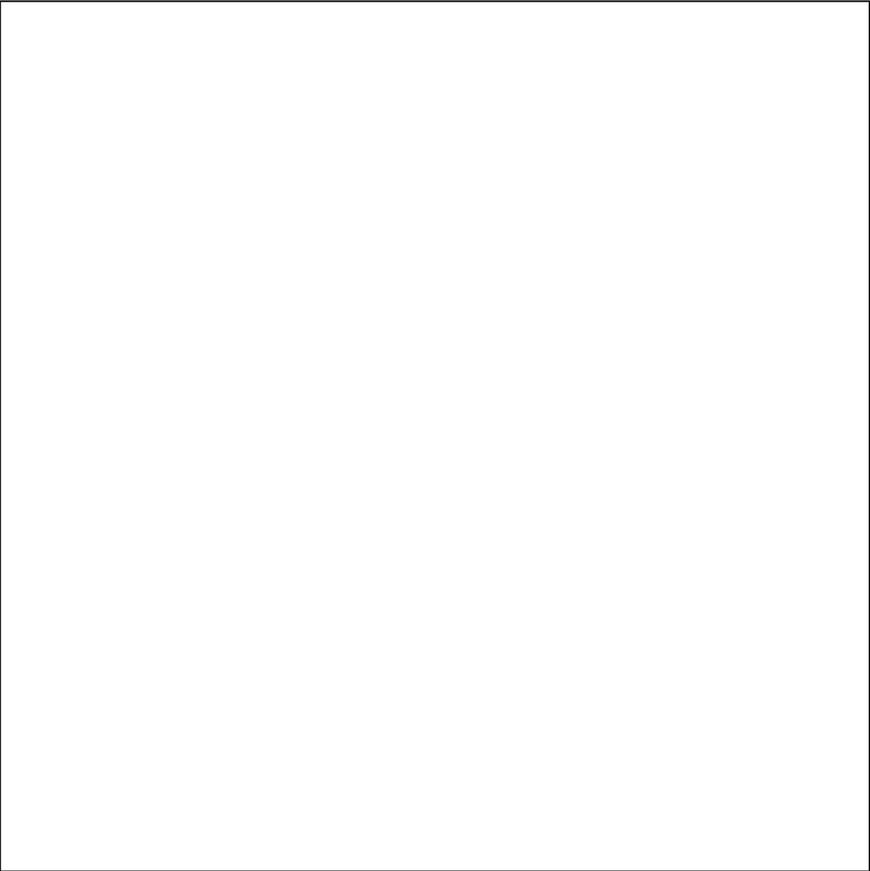
Era uma vez uma família feliz.



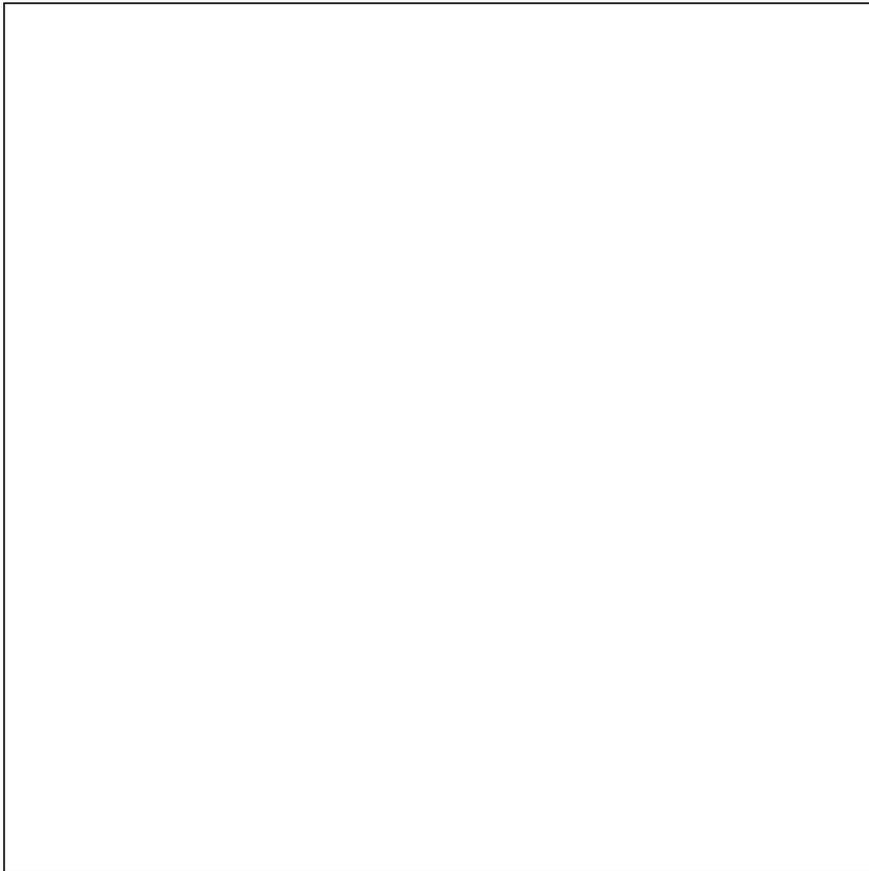
Eles nunca brigavam um com o outro. Ajudavam seus pais em casa e no campo.



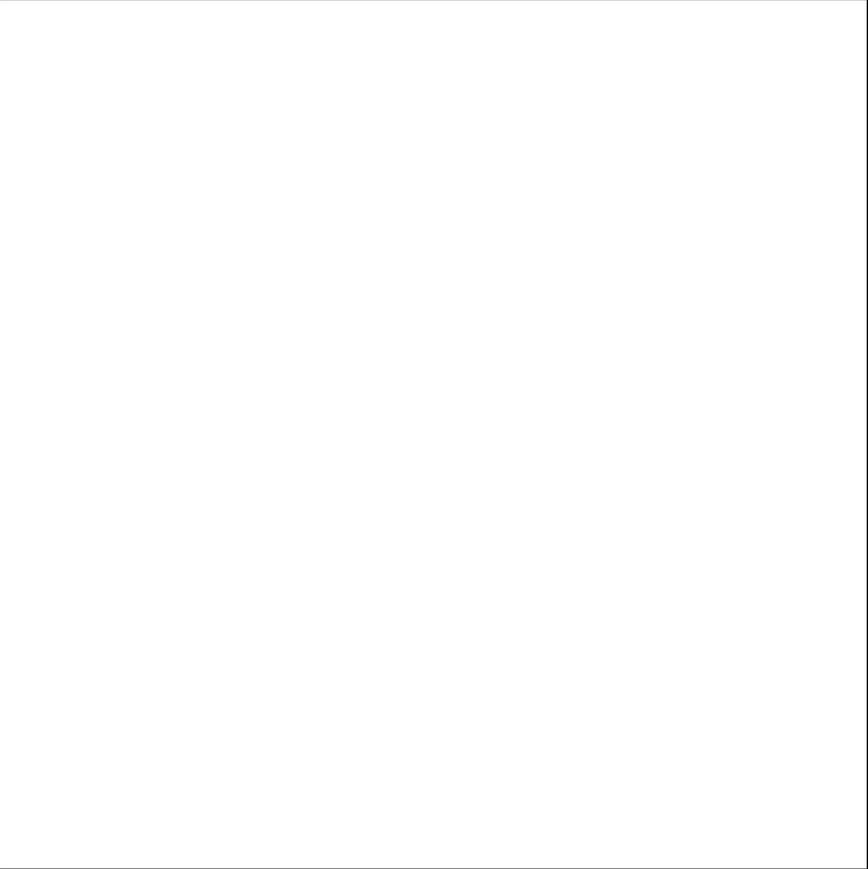
Mas estavam proibidos de chegar  
perto do fogo.



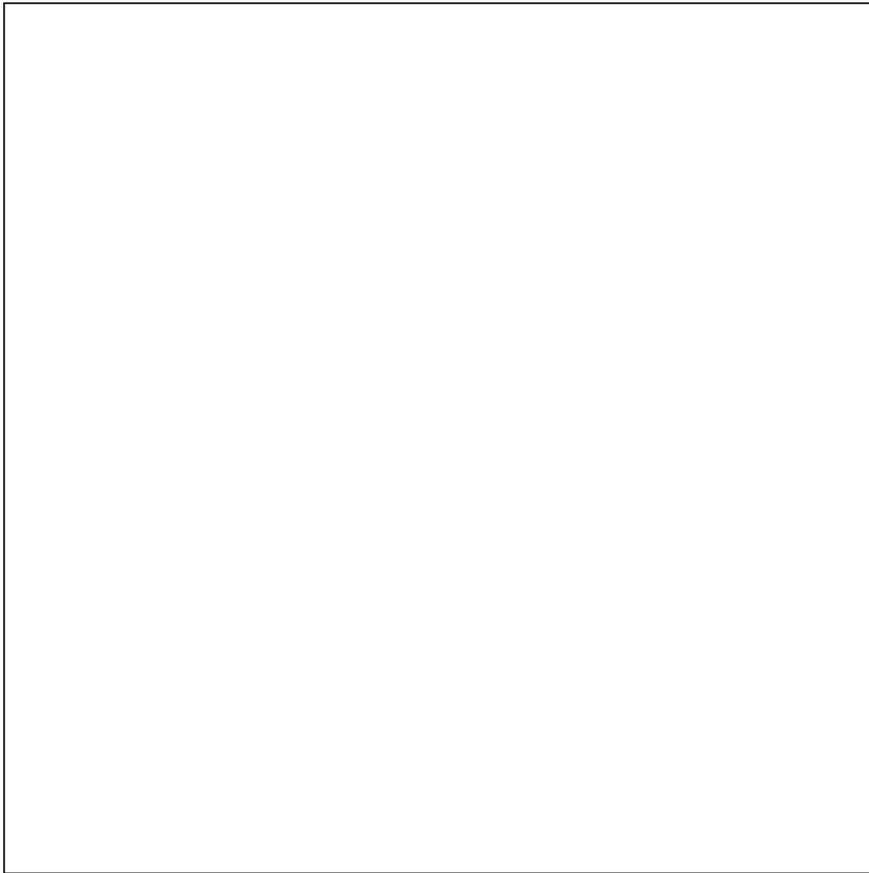
Eles tinha que fazer todo seus trabalhos durante a noite, porque eram feitos de cera.



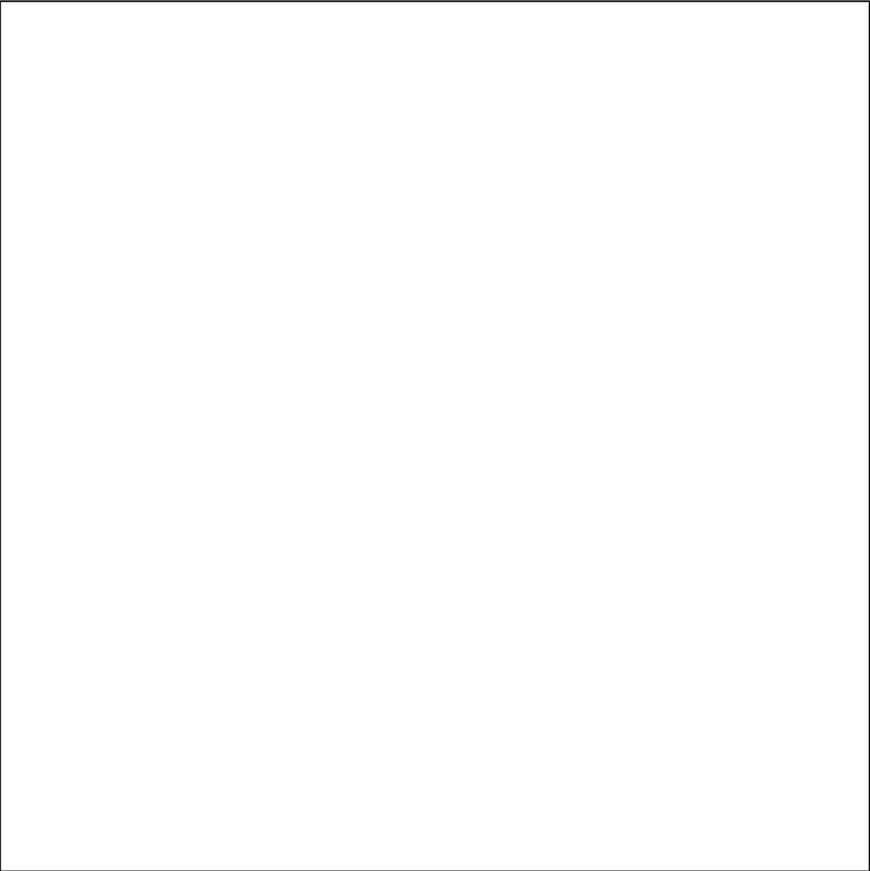
Mas um dos meninos desejava sair  
à luz do dia.



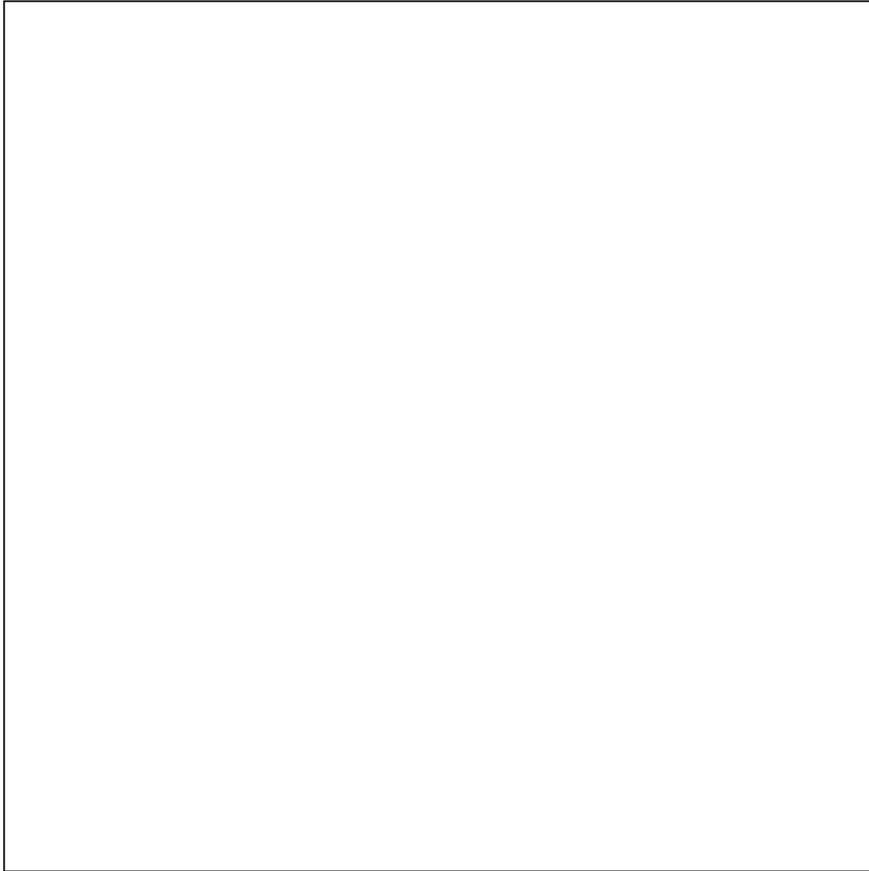
Um dia esse desejo estava muito forte. Seus irmãos o avisaram...



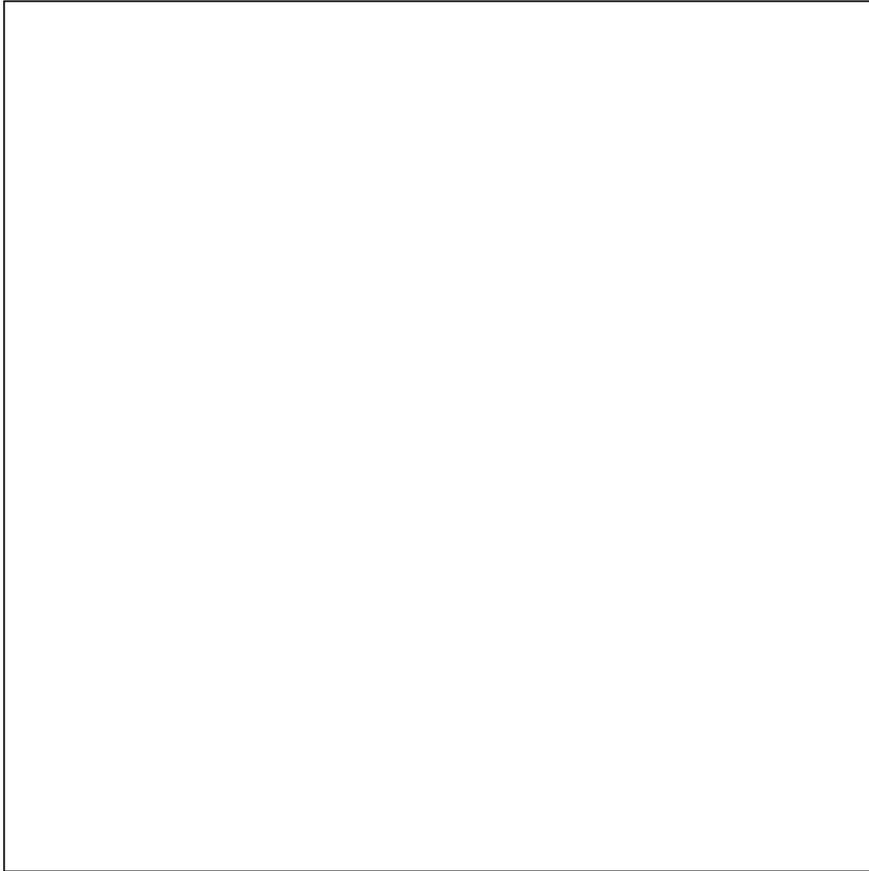
Mas era tarde demais! Ele derreteu com o calor do sol.



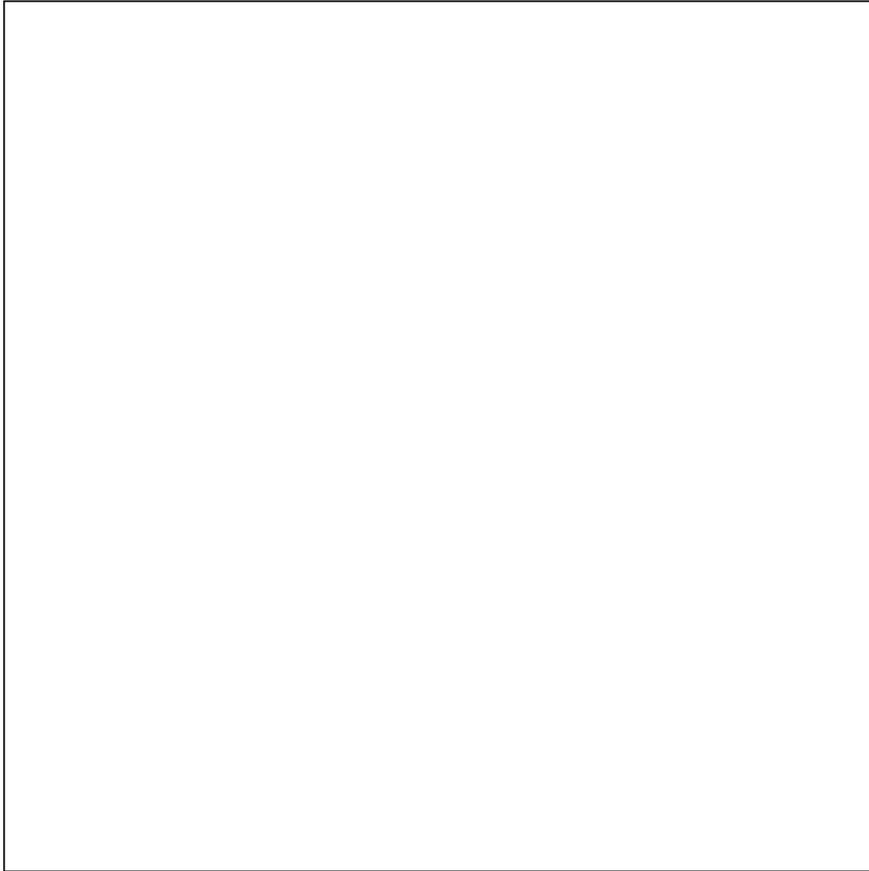
As crianças de cera ficaram muito tristes vendo seu irmão derretendo.



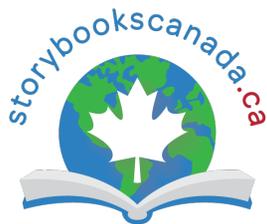
Mas tiveram um plano. Moldaram o pedaço de cera derretida em cima de um pássaro.



Levaram o irmão pássaro numa  
montanha bem alta.



E quando o sol se levantou, ele saiu voando, cantando sob a luz da manhã.



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