


# **THE ADVENTURES OF SKYLAR JACK**

A young boy with blonde hair, wearing a white t-shirt and grey overalls, is climbing a wooden play structure. He is holding onto a horizontal bar with both hands and looking upwards. A speech bubble above him contains the text "WHAT WOULD YOU DO?". The play structure is made of light-colored wood and has a red circular element. The background shows a park setting with trees and a blue sky.

WHAT WOULD  
YOU DO?

**DO YOUR CHILDREN REALLY  
UNDERSTAND ABOUT STRANGERS?**

**ALLEN**

**THINGS US BIG KIDS  
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## ***THINGS US BIG KIDS SHOULD KNOW***

**FOR MY BEAUTIFUL FAMILY**

**By Allen**





**Hi my name is Skylar Jack.**

**This book has a lot of questions for you. I would like you to answer all the questions and only use my answers as a guide. Remember your Mum and Dad always know best.**



**My Mummy showed me a picture of a man and asked me if I had ever seen or met him before.**

**I've never seen him before, have you?**



**Let's say you are riding your bike outside and the man in this picture walks up and starts talking to you.**

**He sounds really nice, and asks you if you would like to walk up to his car and help him eat the yummy chocolate he has in there.**

**Would you go to the car with the man?**



**My Mum told me that some people who offer kids chocolate and lollies can be very scary people just pretending to be nice.**

**If I say no thank you to the man. Then run away as fast as I can screaming and yelling till I find another grown up, Mummy will buy me as much chocolate as I want from the shop.**

**I really love chocolate, do you?**



**Did you know that It's hard for grown ups, and kids to know if a person is nice just by looking and talking to them. The truth is a bad person doesn't look scary on the outside.**

**From the pictures below, who do you think is bad and who do you think is good?**



**All the people below are good people. See how hard it is to tell if someone is good or bad, just by looking at them.**





**Have you ever been lost in a big shopping centre before?**

**Did you know that every shop in a shopping centre has a person who works at the cash register.**

**These people are the best at helping you find your mum and dad again, they know exactly what to do.**

When we go into a shop, it is my job to find the cash register and tell Mummy who to give her money to.

Now if I get lost all I have to do is walk into the nearest shop. I can nearly always find the cash register person now.





**I love going to the really big shops that are full of toys, clothes and great places to hide.**

**Mummy and I play a fun game called Marco Polo. If Mummy can't see me she sings, SKYLAR.....**

**I always have to answer so I sing, MUMMY..... And we do this till we find each other.**



If I can't find Mum I go to the cash register people and tell them that I am lost.

They have these loud microphones and when they talk into them you can hear their voices everywhere in the whole shop.

They talk into the microphone and I hear really loud, "can Skylar Jacks Mummy please come to the cash registers please."

People we don't know are never allowed to take us to a shopping centre toilet. What if the person turned out to be a bad person who was only pretending to be nice.

I think it would be really hard to run away. There is only one door to get out of the toilet and it is really heavy to open, what do you think?



I have another tricky question...

A man or lady walks up to you at the shops. They ask you if you will come out to the car park and help them fix their car.

What would you do?



**LET'S SING  
TOGETHER**

**NEVER LEAVE THE  
SHOPPING CENTRE  
WITH SOMEONE  
WE DON'T KNOW**



**DID YOU KNOW THAT WE CAN TEACH OUR  
DOGS TO PLAY DEAD, JUMP THROUGH  
HOOPS, TO SIT, FETCH A BALL, AND TO  
LAY DOWN AND ROLL OVER.  
PRETTY CLEVER HEY**





**What would you do if a person you didn't know came to the door and in his arms was a puppy.**

**He told you that his dog was hurt and he needed to call a vet to help. He was wondering if he could come inside your house and use your phone?**

**Ask your Mum if you got the answer right and remember puppies can pretend to play dead.**



**Did you know that nobody is allowed to play with your private parts but you.**

- **Are Aunties and Uncles allowed to play with our private parts?**

**NO**

- **Are Mum and Dads friends allowed play with our private parts?**

**NO**

- **Are Mum and Dad allowed to play with our private parts?**

**NO**

- **Are your cousins allowed to play with your private parts?**

**NO**

- **Are your next door neighbours allowed to play with your private parts?**

**NO**

- **Are your teachers allowed to play with your private parts?**

**NO**

- **Do you ever have to touch anyone else's private parts?**

**NO**

Let's sing together.

Nobody touches our private parts but us.

STOP STOP STOP

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Would you tell your parents if a grown up touched your private parts or hurt you?

What if that grown up told you that your Mum and Dad wouldn't love you anymore if they found out you let someone touch your privates? Would you believe them?

## **MY MUMMY LOVES ME WHEN I AM**



**HAPPY**



**IN TROUBLE**



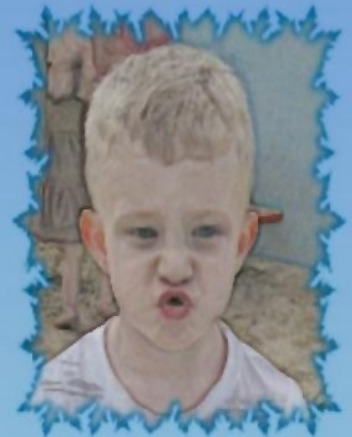
**SURPRISED**



**GOING CRAZY**



**SAD**



**ANGRY**



**SHE  
EVEN LOVES  
ME WHEN  
SHE IS  
ANGRY WITH  
ME**

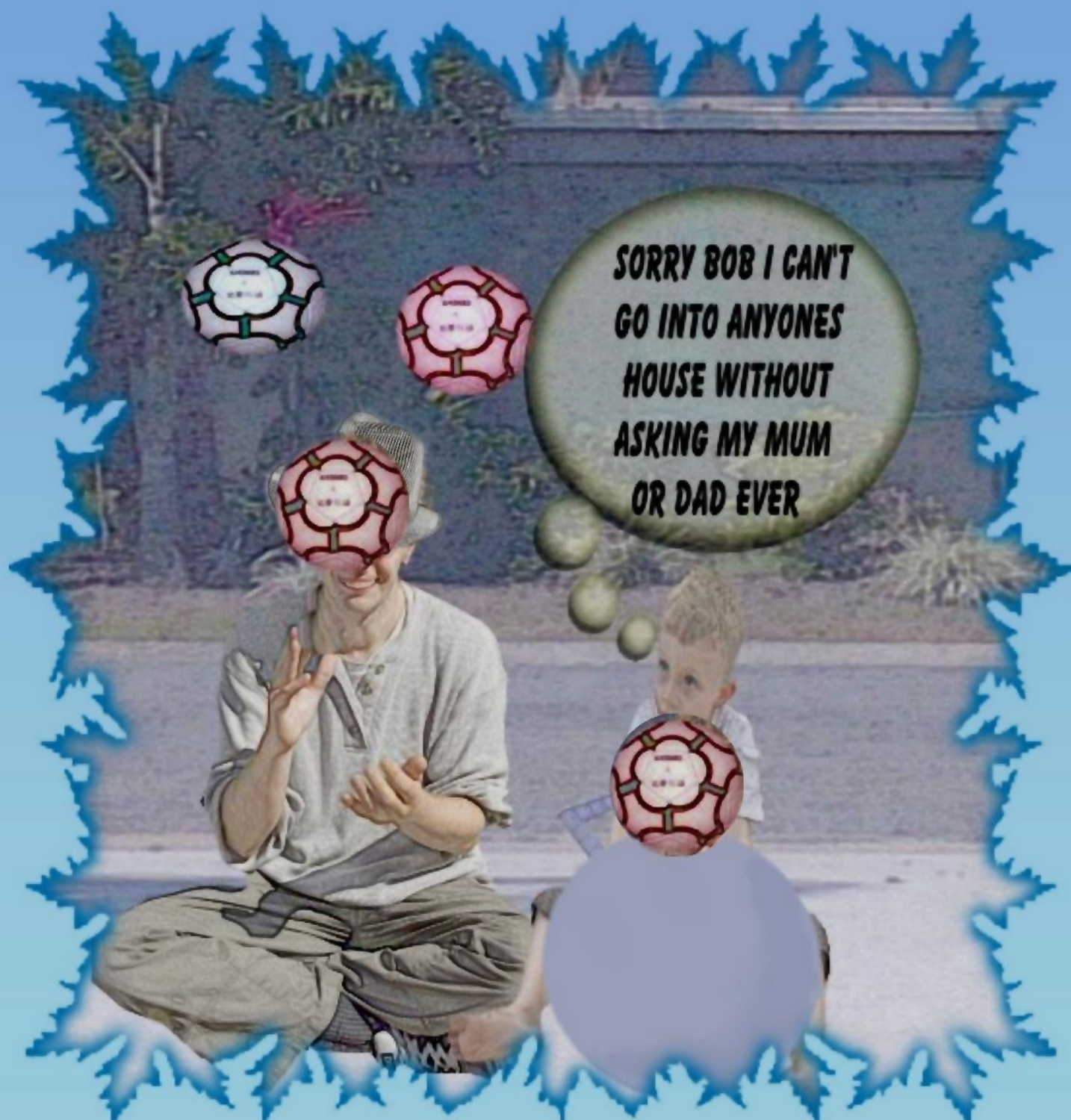
**I BET YOUR MUMMY LOVES YOU  
NO MATTER WHAT TOO**

Here is a tricky question for you.

There is a man who lives across the road from you. Your Mum and Dad talk to him all the time and you know his name is Bob.

He is really fun and does magic tricks, juggles balls and makes you laugh.

One day you are playing outside by yourself. Bob walks over to say hello and invites you over to his house to learn some magic tricks. What do you do?





**A man walks up to you at the park and tells you he has lost his puppy and needs your help to find him.**

**You tell the man you will go and ask your Dad if your allowed.**

**He tells you there is not enough time, you have to leave now and offers to buy you an ice-cream as a reward if you find the puppy.**

**What would you do?**



**I told the man I am not allowed to leave the park ever without telling Mum or Dad. I went and found Dad and told him about the man in the park.**

**You would never guess what happened. First my Dad gave me a high five and told me how proud he was. Then he called a policeman and told him my story. And best of all, Dad took me to the ice-cream shop and told me I could have what ever I wanted.**

**How good is that.....**



**You know, I thought all grown ups were nice and that I always had to do what a grown up told me to.**

**I still always have to listen to grown ups. But now I know that if something doesn't feel right, it is ok for me to ask someone else if what's happening is really ok.**

**Thanks for listening to my story,  
Skylar Jack.**



