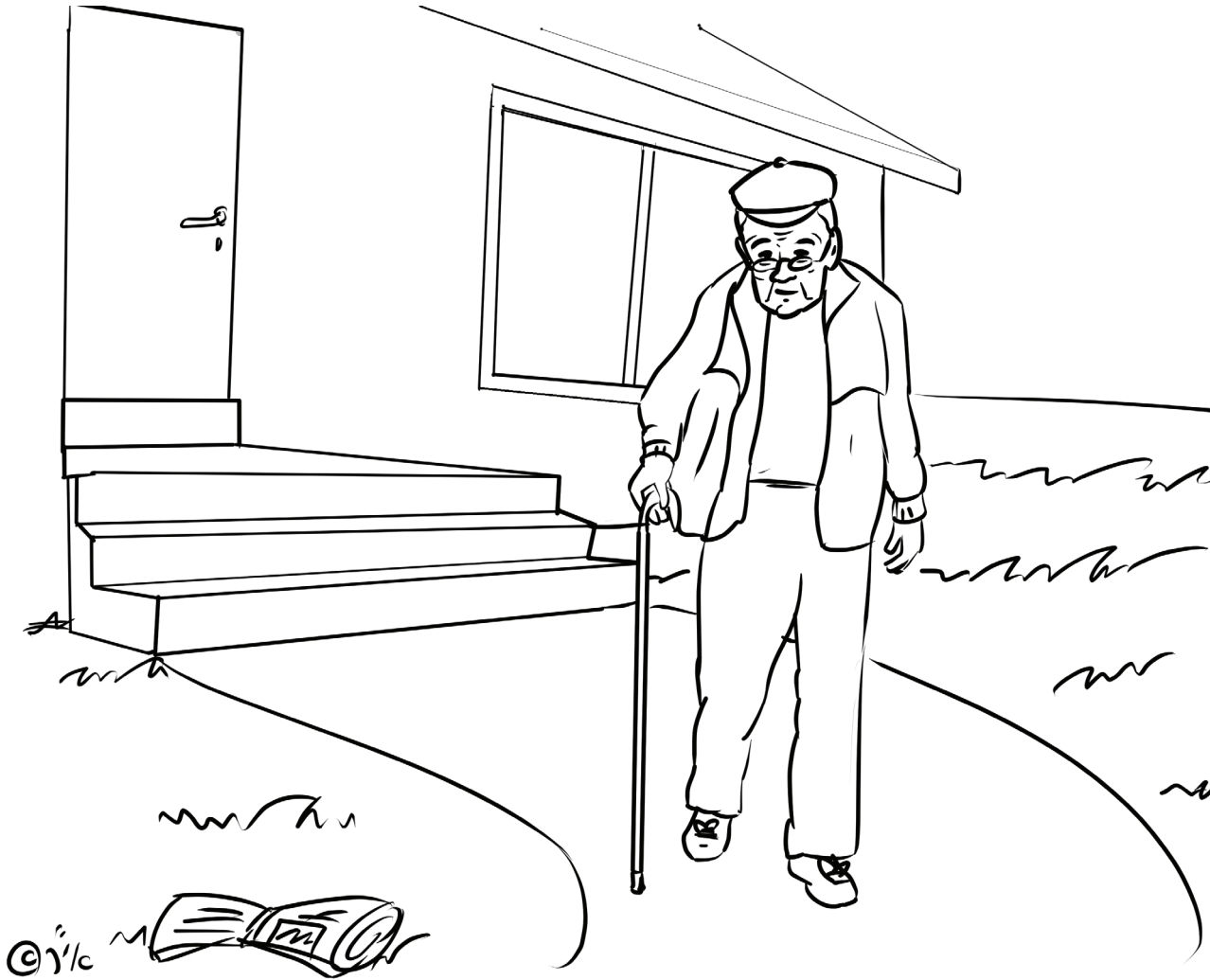


A Three-Minute Bedtime Coloring Story

Helpful Hindy

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Hindy and Goldy were walking to school last Monday, when they saw old Mr. Green going to pick up his newspaper from the sidewalk in front of his home.

Since he walked with a cane, it looked like it would be hard for him to bend down to pick up the newspaper.

“Poor Mr. Green,” said
Hindy. “Let’s help him.”
And she quickly ran
right over to his
house, picked up his
newspaper, and gave it
to him.

“Thank you,” said Mr.
Green.

“You certainly are a
Helpful Hindy!”



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That afternoon, on her way home from school, Hindy suddenly saw the blue ball of her little neighbor Billy roll into the street!

“Billy, no! Don’t go get it!” yelled Hindy. “I’ll get your ball for you!”

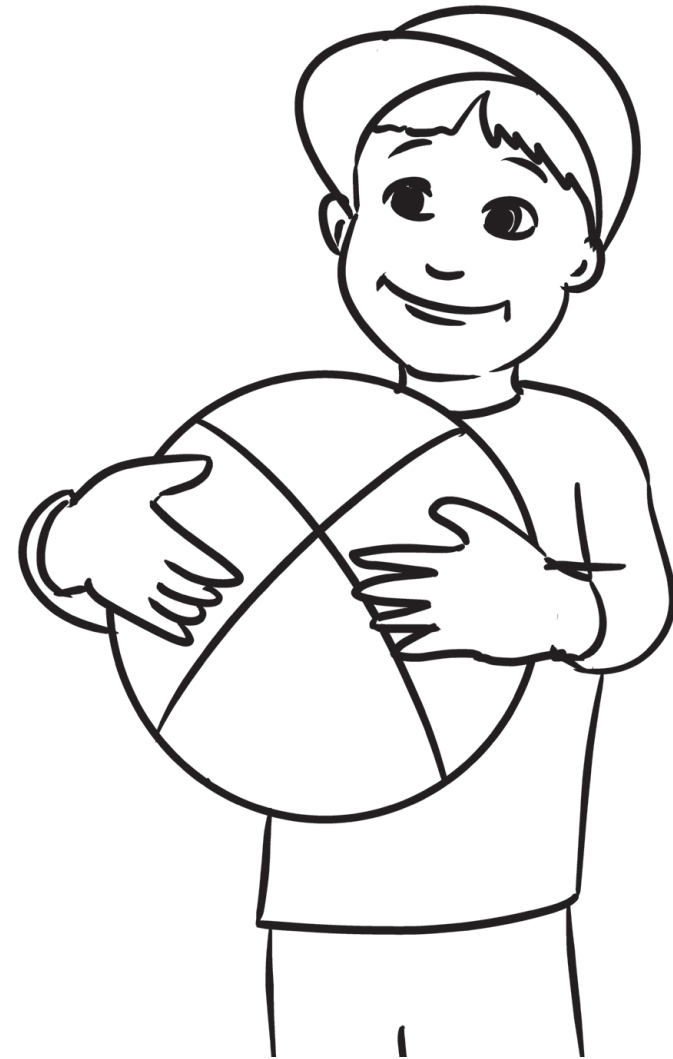
Hindy looked up and down the street.

Since no cars were coming, she quickly ran into the street, picked up little Billy's blue ball, and then gave it to him.

"Thank you, Hindy," said Billy.

"You certainly are a Helpful Hindy!"

A few minutes later Hindy saw oranges rolling all over the sidewalk!



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Mrs. Roth had dropped the big bag of oranges she was carrying, and oranges were rolling everywhere!

“I’ll get them for you!” called out Helpful Hindy. And she did.

After all the oranges were back in her bag, Mrs. Roth said, “Thank you Helpful Hindy!”

What a wonderful, happy day
Helpful Hindy had!

For Discussion:

1. Did you do something to help someone today or yesterday?
2. What did you do?
3. How did they feel?
4. How did you feel?

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