

The Kid Who Didn't
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Chapter 1: At Home

Once upon a time there was a kid that was named Jerry. Jerry was 19 and out of school. Jerry's mom didn't let him go anywhere with his friends because she thought he would get hurt. So he had to stay home.

One day, Jerry said, "It's no fun staying at home."

His mom said, "Don't leave the house." She was going downstairs to get juice for dinner.

Jerry had his stuff packed because he packed it Monday night. He got it and left from the window.

Jerry's mom came back and asked, "Where's Jerry?" She looked out the window and he was running away. She said to herself, "Maybe he'll feel how it can be out there."

Chapter 2: Jerry's Night

After Jerry ran from the house, he looked back to see if his mom was following him. He felt surprised that his mom was not behind him.

Jerry felt his stomach hurting because he missed dinner. Jerry had no money to buy food or water. So, he went to a trash can to find food. He found some left over bread that was moldy. It was so gross that he couldn't eat it. He went hungry.

Jerry got tired and he had to sleep on some grass in a park. The rocks poked his back and the dirt was so hard. Jerry heard some strange noises. He woke up and looked around and it was nothing he could see. The wind started to whistle and he got really cold. He did not get much sleep that night.

Chapter 3: A New Attitude

The next day, his mom looked for Jerry and found him talking to an old man. The old man wore torn up clothes and had a big beard.

She asked Jerry, "Who is that?"

Jerry said, "I don't know, I just met him this morning."

The old man said, "Could you give me some food?"

Jerry said, "I don't have any food."

The old man said, "It is so hard to live on the street with no food or water. You don't know how lucky you are to have a caring mom."

Jerry's mom, Jerry, and the old man went to Golden Corral and ate breakfast.

The old man went back to the streets. Jerry and his mom went back home. So he never ran away again and lived happily ever after.