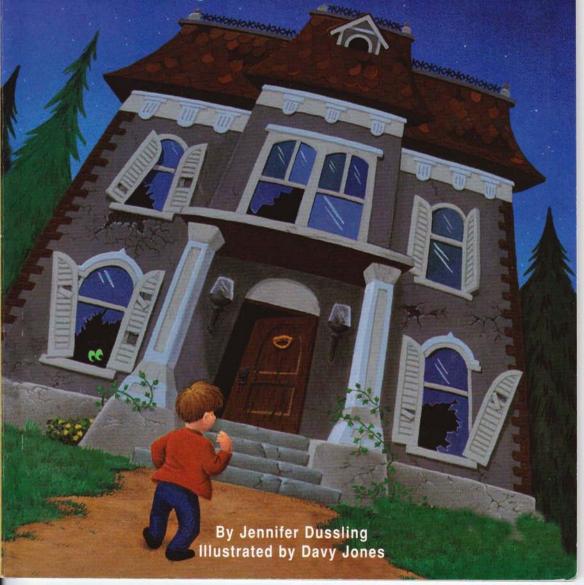




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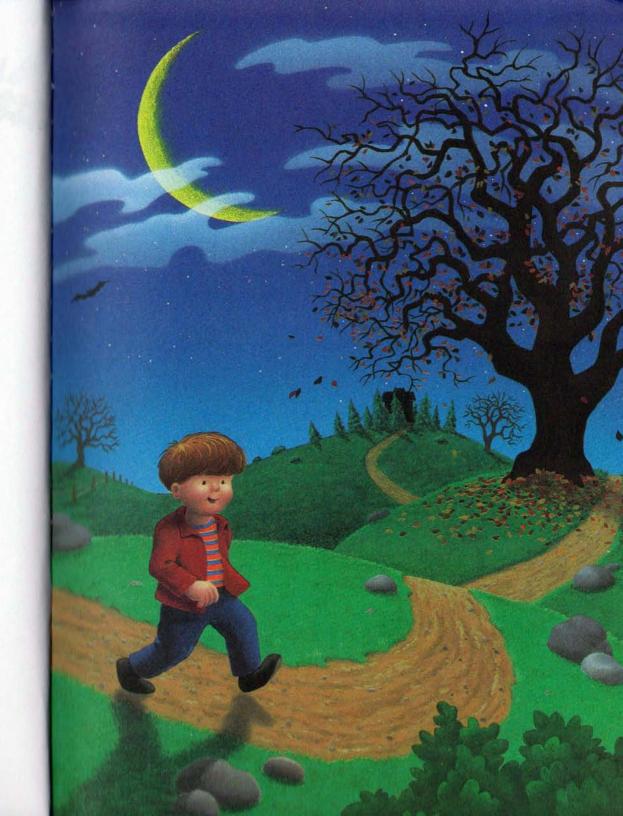
The came out.

The (10 10 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 4 4 5 1 2 3

And I went walking

under a dark,

dark .



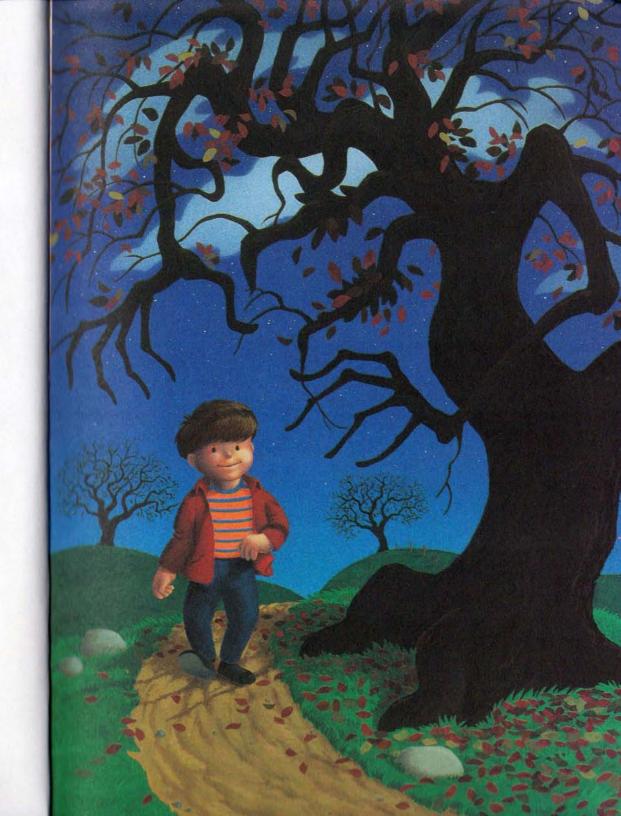
And under that dark,



I saw a dark,



Was I scared?



And past that dark,





I saw a dark,





I went in the



Was I scared?



And in the dark,



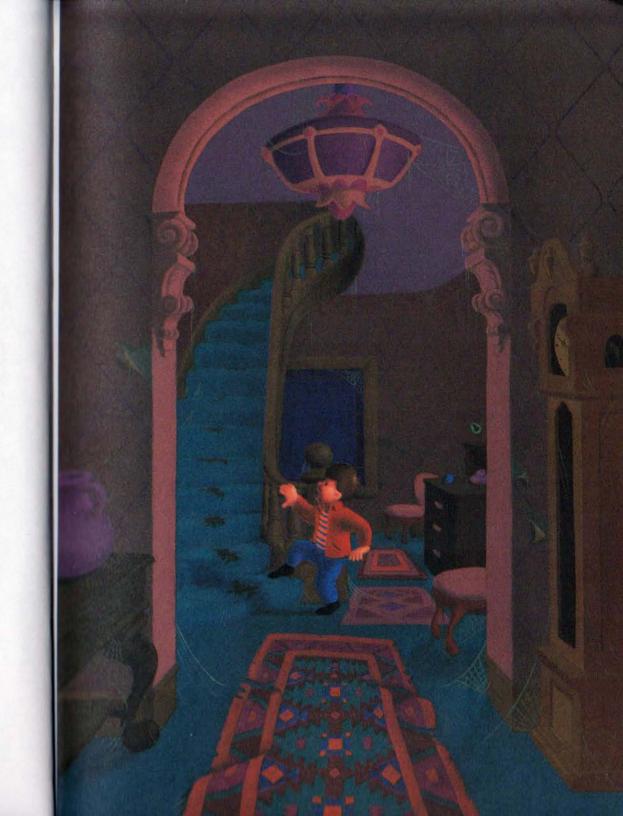


I went up some dark,





Was I scared?



And at the end of the dark,



I saw a dark,



I opened the



Was I scared?



And behind the dark,



I found a dark,



Was I scared?

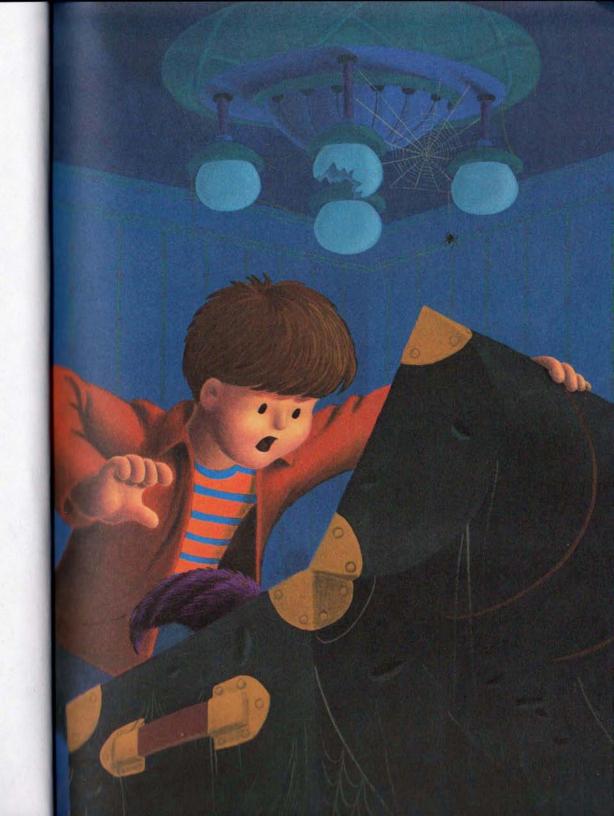


I opened the dark,



And inside

was a—



MONSTER!

It had three **② ③**!

A green !







Was I scared?

YES!

I shut the .



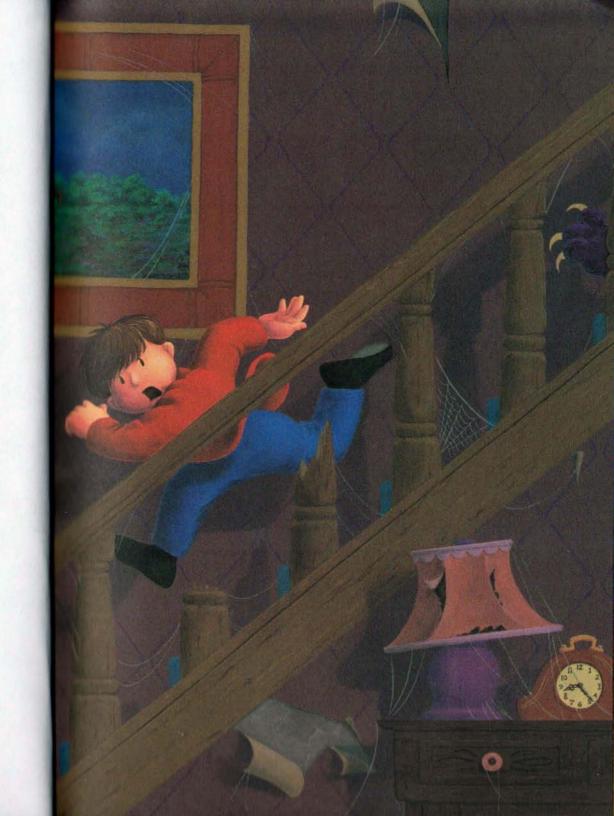
I slammed the



I ran down the







I ran and ran—

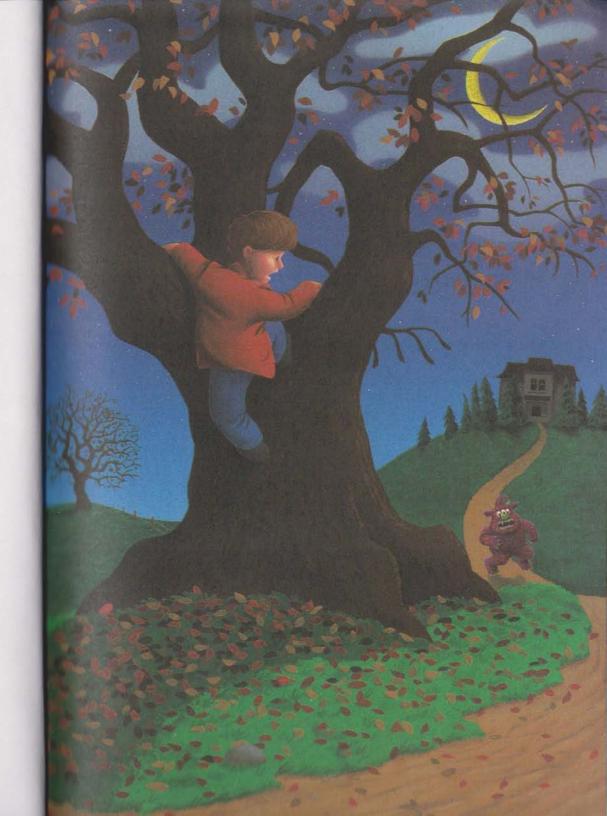


No! Not past the

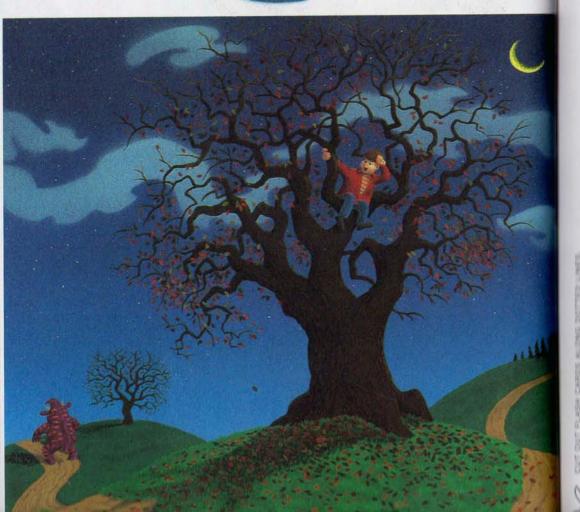


Up the !





Safe at last,
under the dark,
dark





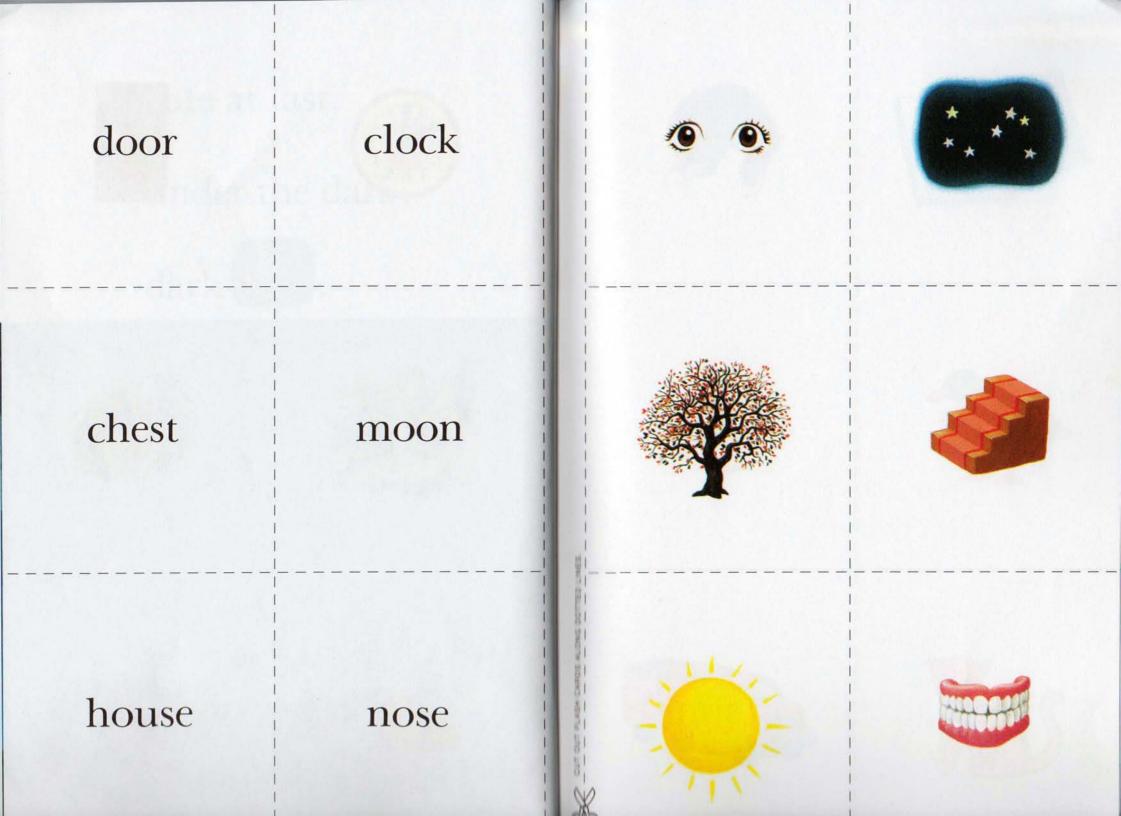


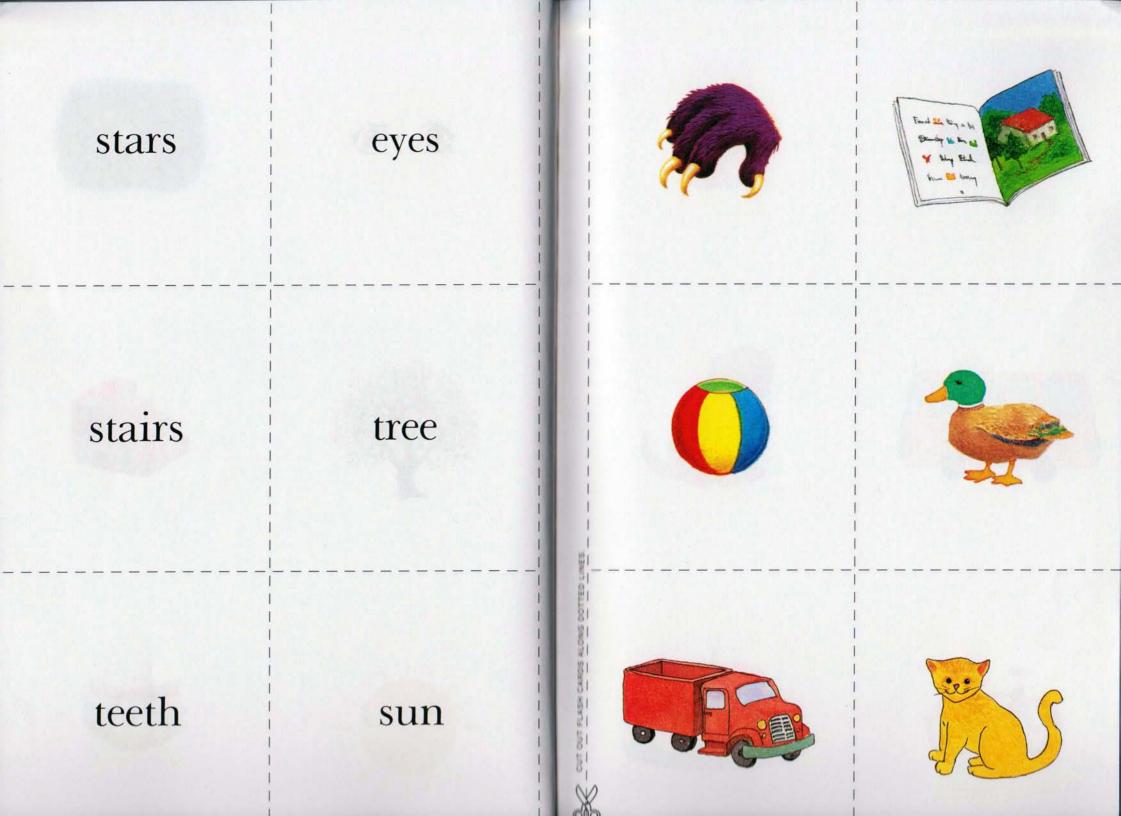












book claws duck ball truck cat

bed

apple

bus

dog

bike

cake

Picture Readers

BENNY'S BIG BUBBLE
THE BIG SNOWBALL
CALLING ALL CATS
DOG WASH DAY
DON'T WAKE THE BABY!
IN A DARK, DARK HOUSE
IS THAT YOU, SANTA?
THE LITTLE ENGINE THAT COULD HELPS OUT
LOTS OF HEARTS

MAX AND RUBY PLAY SCHOOL
MAX AND RUBY'S SHOW-AND-TELL
OTTO THE CAT
PICKY NICKY
PIG OUT!
PLAY WITH MAX AND RUBY
SILLY WILLY
SPACE KID
TOO NOISY!

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PAL AND SAL
PAL THE PONY
PRINCESS BUTTERCUP PRINCESS FOR A DAY SHAPE SPOTTERS SHARKS! SNAIL CITY SNUG BUG SPIDER'S LUNCH: All About Garden Spiders SPLAT! STARS THAT BAD, BAD CAT! TURTLES WATER WHAT A HUNGRY PUPPY! WHO STOLE THE COOKIES?

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