

The S Sad Girl's Song





Ivy sits by the
glass and makes
a soft song on
the flute. The song
is sad, and drops
drip on Ivy's face.
Why is Ivy so sad?

The sad song
drifts from the
glass. The notes
fly up past the
branch. A gust lifts
the notes into the
sky.





Up in the sky,
the notes cry.
Drops fall, one
by one, into the
sky mist. The sky
mist fills up. Then
it cries as well.

Drip, drop! Rain falls
on Brown Rabbit. 'That
is odd,' says Brown
Rabbit. 'It was **sunny**.'

Black Rabbit huddles
beside Brown Rabbit
at the trunk. Pip tucks
in **by** the plants.





Gold tilts to Bee. 'Bee, a sad song made this rain,' says Gold. 'I am wet and soggy. Go, Bee! Find who makes the sad song.'

So Bee buzzes off into the sky.

Bee finds Pip up in
the sky. 'Pip, all the
drops are from a
sad song,' says Bee.

'Who is so sad?'
asks Pip. 'We must
find who it is,' says
Bee.





Pip lands on a
branch **by** Brown
Rabbit. 'Brown Rabbit,
help us!' says Pip.
'Help us find who
makes the sad song.'
Brown Rabbit dashes
off fast, past the
fence and up the hill.
Pip flaps and flaps.

Brown Rabbit finds
Ivy up at the glass.
Ivy is crying, flute in
hand. 'Why so sad?'
calls Brown Rabbit.
'I miss my mom and
dad,' says Ivy. 'The
song helps a bit.'





Ivy runs to the grass.

Black Rabbit jumps
into Ivy's lap. Brown
Rabbit snuggles at
Ivy's side, and Pip
lands by Ivy's neck.

'We are friends, Ivy!'
says Pip. Ivy giggles
and hugs them all.

Ivy sits in the sunny grass with two rabbit friends. Pip rests on Ivy's arm, and Bee spins by Gold to make Ivy giggle. Ivy is happy. The sun is back, and so is Ivy's smile.





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A girl sits by her window playing a sad, sad song on her flute, and her tears drift up into the sky until the clouds themselves start to cry. Soon rain is falling all over the garden, puzzling a sunny rabbit and soaking a worried sunflower. Who could be playing a song so sad it makes the sky weep? Created to align with the UFLI Foundations scope and sequence (Lesson 76: Ending Patterns Review), this book practices words like 'cry', 'sky', 'soggy', 'giggle', 'happy'.

Phonics Focus: Ending Patterns Review

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