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– *P.M.*

For my little ones, Matthew and Beth
– *L.B.*



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I could travel round the world
And know I'd never find

A mummy even half as nice
Or brilliant as mine!


She wakes up singing happy songs,
Just like the morning birds . . .
But doesn't always know the tune,
Or many of the words!

Mum and I love cycle rides,
We're speedy as can be

Racing down the hilly bits,



steady . . .



Ready . . .



Wheeeeeeeeeeeeeeee!