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And what a strange house it was.
It had the prettiest garden
Wendy had ever seen.
But everything was so neat and
so tidy that it looked more like
a painting than a garden.



When Grandpa Walter opened the door, he was wearing a green suit that looked just like his garden. "Welcome to my world of wonderful wallpapers!" said Walter. "I wonder which room will be your favourite."





Walking upstairs,
Wendy looked at the roses
on the walls. When she reached
up to touch the wallpaper,
a red petal fluttered down.
"I can smell the roses!" said Wendy.
"Well! Well!" said Walter,
"How wonderful!"

Wendy stretched up to touch the wallpaper.
She heard the sound of a fiddle playing
and saw a blue cat leap down from her bed.
He looked so much fun, she couldn't
help running after him.



She chased the blue cat
through a forest of orange trees.