

For Harriet,
love from Dad-dad.
– S. H.

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Here we have Herschel – he likes to brush hair;
Head stylist, pet pamperer extraordinaire!

He dreams of awards,
and longs to win prizes,
For coiffuring creatures
of all shapes and sizes!



Like beagles!



Or bunnies!



Or ponies!



Or pugs!



(He'll even brush fir trees and Grandma's best rug.)

Whatever your pet is, he'll brush it with care...

Actually,
I'd *quite* like to brush a big
BEAR!




What?! Did you just say
BEAR?
A bear's not a pet!
And brushing one is something
you need to forget!
They're
WILD
and
FEROCIOUS!
Bears never sit still!
A bear might want to eat you...
it probably will!


Oh Herschel!
Come on now –
You just wouldn't dare!
I seriously think you should...
NEVER
brush a
BEAR!
BEARS
THIS WAY