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Hannah loved gorillas. She read books about gorillas, she watched gorillas on television, and she drew pictures of gorillas. But she had never seen a real gorilla.

Her father didn't have time to take her to see one at the zoo. He didn't have time for anything.





He went to work every day before Hannah went to school, and in the evening he worked at home.

When Hannah asked him a question, he would say, "Not now. I'm busy. Maybe tomorrow."

