

To Ian, for being stuck with me – J.W.

To Stefan, stuck together till the end – C.P.

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Soft and Sticky

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Mr Stick and Mr Soft
Lived together in a loft
But . . .

SOFT

Stick was made of sticky stuff



And Soft was made of tickly fluff.

It made the friendship very tricky . . .



Soft was always stuck to Sticky,
Stick was always stuck to Soft.





"Get off me, Softy!"
Sticky coughed.

"Your fluff is getting up my nose!"



"Tough!" scoffed Softy, "I suppose
You think I like your stickiness?
I'm sickened by its ickiness!

Oh, why must I be stuck with you?
You gummy blob of superglue!"

Because of Tackiness and Hairs
They had to hang around in pairs
Both back to back . . .

. . . and face to face,
Till Sticky screamed,
"I need some space!"
And Softy sobbed, "I feel
the same!"
(Both felt each other were to blame.)