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It all started when we were looking for
a birthday present for my baby brother.
I kept finding things, and Mum kept saying,

"No, no, no, Minty!"



But just as I was looking
at a life-sized baby doll
that cried real tears,
I saw something
PECULIAR.

On the shelf, a teeny,
weeny panda bear was
jumping up and down,
waving at me. It said,
"Help! Get me out of here!"



As I picked him up, Mum said,
"O.K., Minty, that will do.
Bring it to the check-out."





She paid for the bear. It was put in
a bag, and we went home.

