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the house wasnt nearly large enough for so many people and life was extremely uncomfortable for them all there were only two rooms in the place altogether and there was only one bed the bed was given to the four old grandparents because they were so old and tired they were so tired that they never got out of it

grandpa joe and grandma josephine on one side grandpa george and grandma georgina on the other side mr and mrs bucket and little charlie bucket slept in the other room upon mattresses on the floor

in the summertime this wasnt too bad but in the winter freezing cold draughts blew across the floor all night long and it was awful

there wasnt any question of them being able to buy a better house or even one more bed to sleep in they were far too poor for that



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nearly every weekday afternoon matilda was left alone in the house her brother five years older than her went to school her father went to work and her mother went out playing bingo in a town eight miles away mrs wormwood was hooked on bingo and played it five afternoons a week on the afternoon of the day when her father had refused to buy her a book matilda set out all by herself to walk to the public library in the village when she arrived she introduced herself to the librarian mrs phelps she asked if she might sit awhile and read a book mrs phelps slightly taken aback at the arrival of such a tiny girl unaccompanied by a parent nevertheless told her she was very welcome

where are the childrens books please matilda asked

theyre over there on those lower shelves mrs phelps told her would you like me to help you find a nice one with lots of pictures in it



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george was bored to tears he didnt have a brother or sister is father was a farmer and the farm they lived on was miles away from anywhere so there were never any children to play with he was tired of staring at pigs hens cows and sheep he was especially tired of having to live in the same house as that grizzly old grunion of a grandma looking after her all by himself was hardly the most exciting way to spend a saturday morning you can make me a nice cup of tea for a start grandma said to George thatll keep you out of mischief for a few minutes yes grandma george said george couldnt help disliking Grandma she was a selfish grumpy old woman she had pale brown teeth and a small puckeredup mouth like a dogs bottom how much sugar in your tea today grandma george asked her one spoon she said and no milk

