

Danny the Dandelion

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Lazing around all day in the meadow
Danny the Dandelion began to feel low
Not sure what his job was, or if he had one
He wondered and wondered laying round in the sun



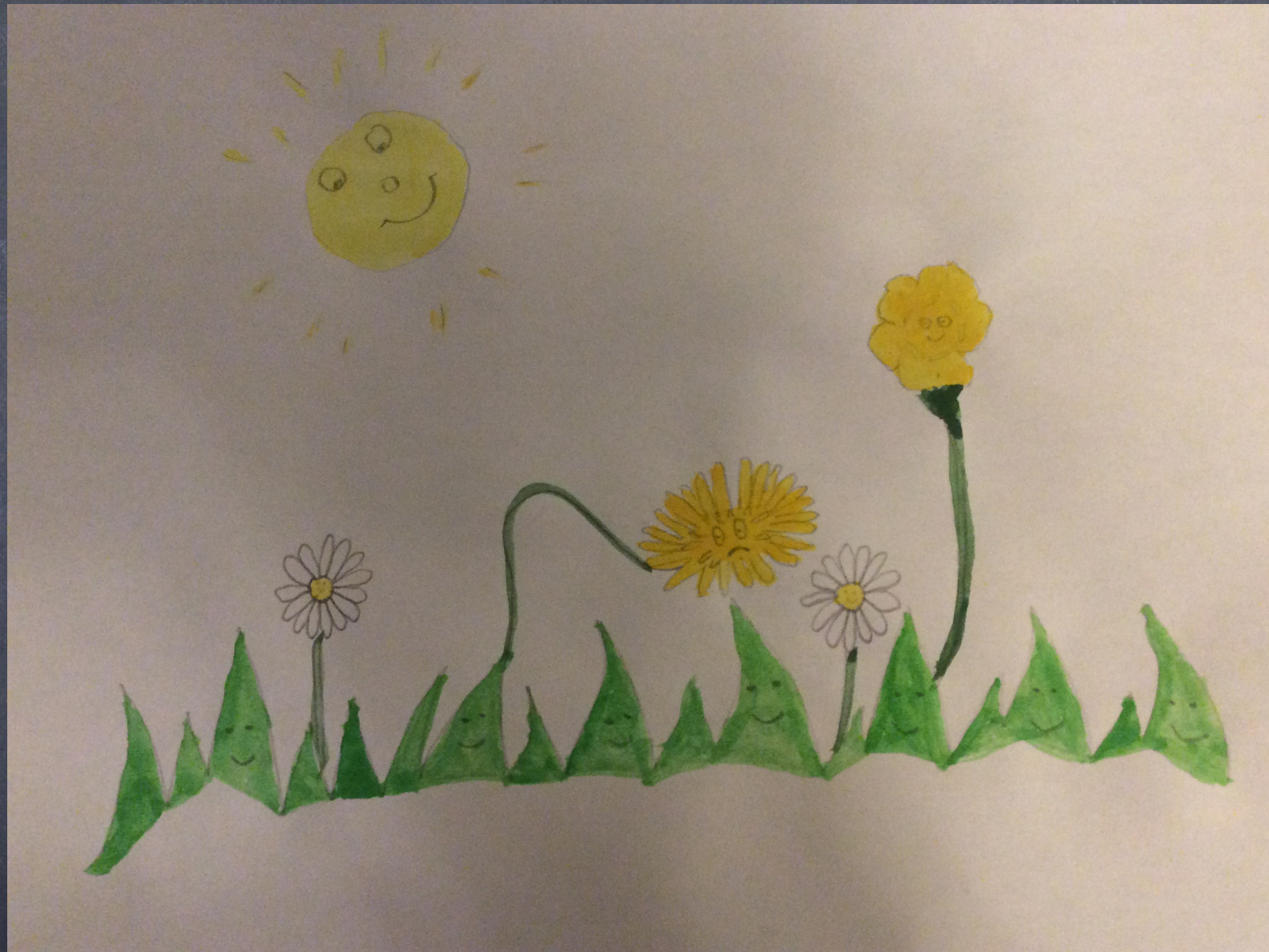
He told his best friend, Maisie the Daisy
She told him "you're great" and not to be lazy
"How can you question the job that you do"
Danny said "easy, I'm not like you".

Danny the Dandelion looked all around
His friends all standing tall from the ground
He thought all the children loved all of the others
He wanted to be like his sisters and brothers



"Buttercup, Buttercup, everyone likes you
Happy and bright, looking shiny and new
Golden and glistening, looking up at the sun
Kind and caring, and so much fun!"

Danny the Dandelion looked around some more
He saw the green grass that covered the floor
Still feeling down and a little bit sad
But grateful for all of the friends that he had



"Grass oh Grass, what more can I say
Swishing and swaying around everyday
Long, sleek and slender and beautifully green
The prettiest floor covering I've ever seen!"

He turned to his friend, Maisie the daisy
She couldn't believe him, she thought he was crazy
Danny the Dandelion was still feeling down
He wanted to smile but could only manage a frown



"Maisie the daisy, you're a favourite too,
Cheerful as always, you never seem blue
Yellow and white making everyone smile
Stretched out in the distance for what looks like a mile"

Maisie the daisy said "just come with me,
Have some faith and soon you will see,
You're very important to everyone
Relax, take it easy, have fun in the sun!"



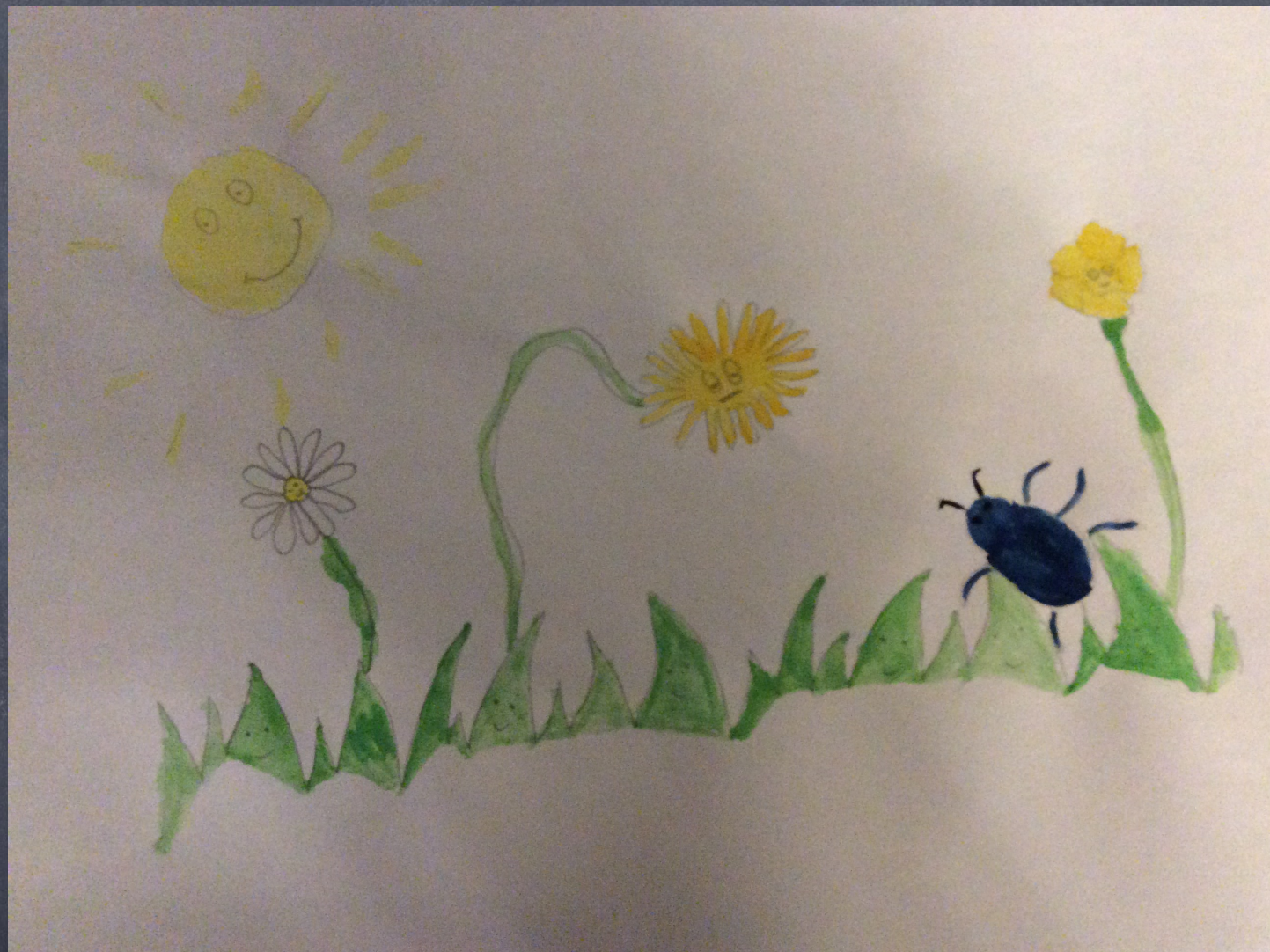
"You help to feed all the buzzy bees,
Coming down for a feed, before flying off through the trees,
You're just so important to everyone,
Relax, take it easy, have fun in the sun!"

The two of them looked around some more,
Feeling slightly less sad than he had done before
Danny the Dandelion looked down to the ground
Then back up again and all around.



"Softening the ground, helping all of us grow
So we can perform the perfect show
You're just so important to everyone
Relax, take it easy, have fun in the sun!"

Danny the Dandelion's frown went away
Still not quite smiling, but was on his way,
He felt something tickle him on his chin
Barry the beetle, yes it was him!



"Food for beetles, so tasty and sweet
A meal with you is a real lucky treat
You're just so important to everyone
Relax, take it easy, have fun in the sun!"

Hearing a sound, the sound of a flutter
Bethan the Butterfly said with a mutter
"I'm thirsty you know, I need a drink!"
Making Danny the Dandelion stop and think!



"Butterflies need you, as they take a sip,
Your sweet tasting nectar makes the float and flip,
You're just so important to everyone
Relax, take it easy, have fun in the sun!"

All of a sudden, way up high,
A bird tweets above them, up in the sky,
A smile had begun to form on his face
Danny the Dandelion, finding his place



"The birds, they need you, don't forget about them
Flying down to see you every now and then
You're just so important to everyone
Relax, take it easy, have fun in the sun!"

By now, Danny the Dandelion was staring to see
Just how important he really could be
Everyone needed him, he'd made a mistake
And now that he knew, it made him feel great



Happiness came over him, he was all of a quiver
The wind blew a little, he began to shiver
He smiled and began to rumble with laughter
And he and his friends lived happily ever after!