

In the Future, Sarah's Story

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Chapter One

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Once upon a time, in the future, there lived a little girl named Sarah. She was nine years old and was a very shy girl. She loved reading, dancing, singing and writing stories. She went to an amazing school called St Paul's School Starship in Withington Galaxy. There, she learnt to believe in herself and dreamt of being a poet.

One day she arrived in school and found everyone busy planning for St Paul's birthday. All the children were invited to join a competition to write about St Paul's birthday. It could be a story or poem. Sarah wanted to do her best but didn't know what to write as she was very shy. She wondered what others would think about her story.

Chapter Two

Sarah wanted to write something for the occasion but she did not know what to write. She wondered what the others were doing. Would her story be as good as others? She decided to write the story and if it wasn't good enough, she wouldn't give it in. She used her teacher's advice and went with her imagination.

She had two weeks to finish the story. She wanted to get started straight away so Sarah went on her Twilight phone because all the Galaxy Dust computers were in use at home. Every day, a little bit at

a time, she wrote and almost finished the story. She had it all on her Galaxy Dust computer and still there were three days left. But nothing prepared her for what was about to happen...

Chapter Three

When Sarah woke up, she had found that her story was gone! She thought of all the people who could have done this naughtiness. She had only three days left to submit. She questioned her friends and family, but no one knew where her story had disappeared to. The deadline was getting closer and closer.

Sarah's grandmother asked her if she needed any help. When she told her the problem, Grandmother had an idea. She told Sarah to write the story on a piece of paper, with a pen. Her grandmother told her that in her days, there used to be computer glitches which made things disappear from the computer all the time.

Sarah had never used paper and pen. She had to learn to write with her hand. It was easy, but a very different experience to typing on a Galaxy computer.

Chapter Four

It was the final day to hand in the stories about St Paul's school. Sarah's best friend Sally complained that Sarah had been ignoring her the last few days at school. Sarah told her about her trouble and her new adventure of writing with pen on paper.

Finally, it was assembly time. The teacher announced the winner.

“Alright children, we have looked at your galaxy stories and chosen our winner and it is... CHRISTINA!”

Sarah did not win! But she was the new hero at school because she was the only one who knew how to write with pen on paper. The art of writing, which had been forgotten many years ago, was back in school again and all her friends wanted to learn it!