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Write a short story about a wonderful world filled with colourful characters. (Limit of 3 pages per entry.)

There once was a girl called Jessica, and she had quite a few problems in her life. For example she only had a mom and no father, or nine fingers instead of ten. So, one day she was walking to school and came across the school bully who decided to tease Jessica about only having nine toes. So, that day Jessica came home and started crying because of the problems she had thinking that everyone had a perfect life but her, so that afternoon she packed her bags and ran away. Jessica didn't know where it was she was running to, but still she ran and ran. Eventually, Jessica came across a beautiful beach, and on a rock laying on the ground ~~was a small mermaid~~. On that rock was a singing mermaid, but next to her, was a ~~small~~ purple woman with octopus legs and this octopus was laughing at the mermaid. "Oh no this mermaid had a bad problem!" Then Jessica ran some more after pausing to look at the mermaid. After running for another thirty minutes, Jessica came across a train station. On this train station was a small bear wearing a name tag saying "Paddington" this bear was talking

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to a family who look confused. It seemed to Jessica that that this bear had problem as well. Still after pausing for a second Jessica kept on running, until she reached a forest with two children sprinkling bread crumbs as if they were lost. It seemed as if these children had a problem as well. After pausing for a second Jessica ran some more. Eventually, Jessica paused and saw a prince and beautiful girl dancing even though it was mid night. Outside the palace was a woman with a marvelous magic wand. Then Jessica realized this girl was wearing rugs underneath her dress. This girl also seemed to have problems. Jessica continued to run, until it was morning. Then she saw a girl running out of a forest and three bears running behind her. Jessica continued running until she saw a wolf gobbling down a poor girl. This girl definitely had problems. Finally it hit Jessica. She was not the only person with problems everyone had problems even her, so Jessica started to run home. She ran past the wolf and girl, past the

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three bears and the girl, past the girl with a prince and fairy, past the two lost kids, past the bear and family, past the mermaid and finally Jessica was home ~~and~~ But then Jessica ran to the bully house and told them "Everyone has problems some are just better at hiding them than others."

The End