

# Joshua Giraffe

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Joshua Giraffe was born in a zoo  
He lived there, too, for two years  
And a half he hasn't had a bath  
My mommy doesn't lick me  
Even when I'm sticky from  
Candy floss, candy apples, popcorn  
Soft drinks, jelly beans and gumdrops  
And there must be something better  
Than living in this cage  
But I'm really not too sure  
Because I'm rather short of age  
Joshua Giraffe was feeling kind of sad  
Things were going bad  
How little of life he had  
Wasting away with no room to play  
Trapped in a zoo with buffalo poo  
So he went next door to the elephant  
And asked him what to do  
I'm wasting away with no room to play  
I'm trapped in a zoo, with buffalo poo  
The elephant was very old and gray  
And he had a huge balloon bottom  
He said, Never fear Joshua  
A vision will appear  
That night a dream came to Joshua and  
Joshua saw animals, like crazy monkeys  
And a whole pile of  
Hippopotostropasuses  
And flitty moths, frogs size twelve  
And sleazy lizards  
And a tribe of nasty saviors  
But Joshua wasn't afraid  
Because he sang himself this song  
Nothing can go wrong-o  
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I'm in the CongoEven in his dream he knew  
He'd never get away  
Not even for a day  
Then a peanut hit him on the nose  
Joshua Giraffe was back in the zoo  
What could he do  
Awakened from his dream  
He'd never be the same  
Because of things he'd seen  
He'd seen  
Alligators, crocodiles, tree sloths  
Anacondas, cobras and  
Large winged moths  
Orangutans, baboons eating grapes  
Gibbons, rude mandrills and just plain apesBut Joshua was lucky  
He had some special friends  
And that day they went to the zoo  
But he was up tight so they waited till the night  
And they chopped his cage in two  
He discovered he could fly and  
He soared into the sky with them  
Wrapped around his neck  
And they haven't come back yet  
So if you see them get a netThat's right, they haven't come back yet  
But when they do, they say they are  
Going to free all the animals from their cages  
No matter how new or modern  
Even some pets, too  
So if on your way home today  
You happen to findA baboon basking in the balcony  
Or a lion licking a lemon in the lobby  
Or a python perched in the pantry  
A wildebeest in the W.C  
With a turtle twirling in your tub  
Don't be afraid, just say you're a friend  
Of their friendJoshua Giraffe, Joshua, Joshua  
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