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Bea sat at a window in her new house.

She looked at the yard and frowned.

There was nothing but dirt.





Then, a tired queen bee flew  
to the window ledge.

The bee looked at Bea.

Bea looked at the bee.



Bea looked at the yard again.

Then, Bea knew what to do!



“This bee needs a garden!”

Bea cried.

She talked to her family.



They planned a bee garden.

It was a garden fit for a  
queen.

A queen bee!



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The yard at Bea's new house is empty. When Bea sees a queen bee in trouble, she knows just what to do!

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