

Too Much Touch



A STORY ABOUT PERSONAL SPACE

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Meet Taylor



HOBBIES: playing soccer, meeting new people, playing with friends

FAVORITE BOOKS: *Soccer Facts for Soccer Fanatics* and *Old-Fashioned Camp Songs*

FAVORITE FOODS: hot dogs and peanuts and orange slices after soccer

FUTURE GOALS: be a pro soccer player or become a doctor

GOALS FOR THIS YEAR

- WORK ON MY PASSING
- GET A HAT TRICK
- LEARN TO PLAY THE UKULELE

"Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes!" sang Taylor as he hopped from the car. He had a great time at camp, but boy, was he glad to be home! He skipped into the house.







Trixie! I
missed you
sooooo much!



"My tower!" wailed Trixie.

"I'll help you build it again,"
said Taylor, rubbing Trixie's back.

"Nooo!" Trixie cried, wiggling away.

*Sheesh! Someone's tired,
thought Taylor. I'm going to see
if Margo is at the park.*





Hey, Margo! I just got back from camp. Let's play tag. You're it!

I'm swinging right now. Was camp fun?

"I learned a new way to play tag.
Betcha can't catch me!" said Taylor.

"Not right now," said Margo, frowning.



"C'mon!" said Taylor, pulling
Margo's tail. "It's easy."