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**Ovens are Mean!**

When you’re little, you don’t know a lot of things that you know when you were older. Luckily, you don’t have to learn most of these the hard way. But, on this occasion:

I was not having a good day. I had been eating in my high chair, and when my mom was in the other room, I fell out of it onto my head. Later, my mom was baking something, and I could feel the heat radiating outward from the oven. It was hot out, and that, combined with the heat of the oven was making me uncomfortably warm. Since I was so hot, I thought, *I wonder how hot the oven is!*  So, I crawled over to the oven and stuck my hand underneath. At first it didn’t feel hot, just a little warm. Then it started to feel like I had stuck my hand in an oven (obviously), and I yelped in pain and said something like *ow-ow-ow-ow-ow-ow!* I pulled my hand out from underneath the oven at the speed of light! It wasn’t that bad, and I put my hand under cold water for a few minutes and I was fine. But I had learned my lesson, and never again did I stick my hand under oven again (while it was on).