

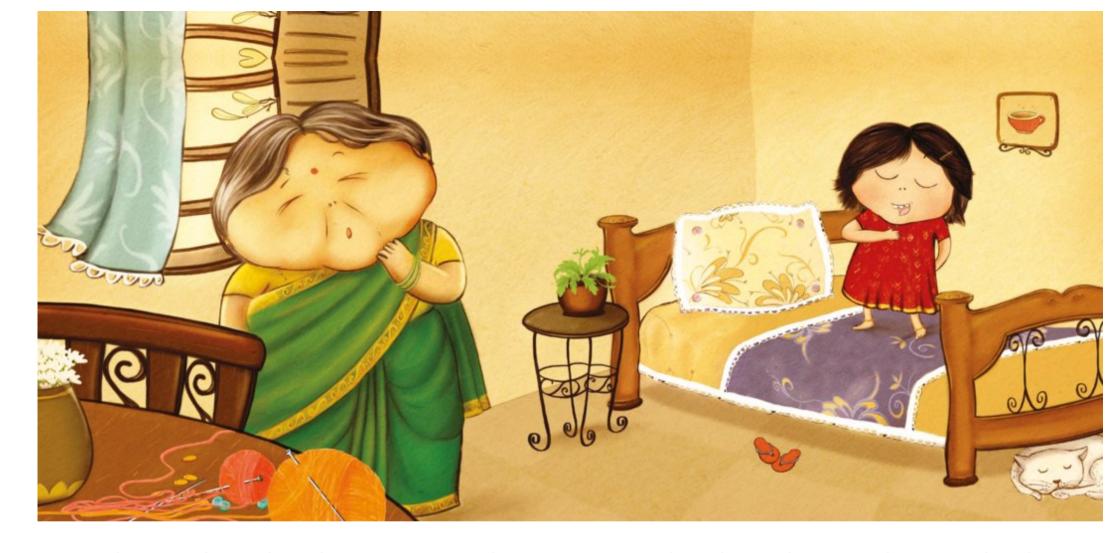


Grandma's glasses

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Grandma misplacing her glasses was a regular occurrence. "Where have I kept my glasses?", she always asked. And without her glasses she could not find her glasses!



So I am needed. I am her eyes who help her find her glasses.



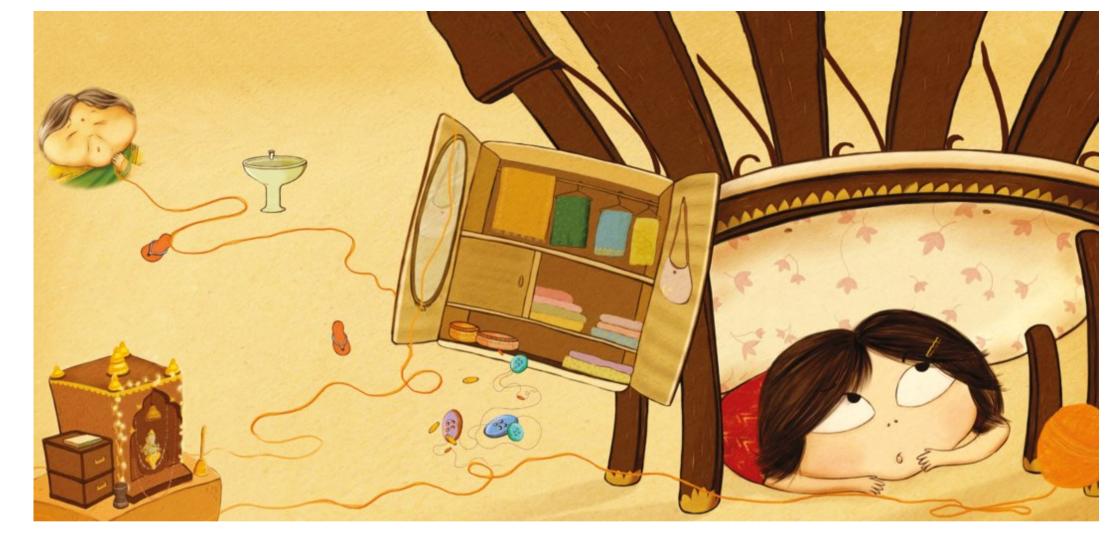
Sometimes her glasses would be found in the bathroom. Sometimes in the bedroom. Why? Sometimes they would be found perched right on top of her head!!

"Grandma! your glasses are right on your head!", I would tell her.

"Oh yes! You are right! How silly of me! Thanks Kannu (dear)!", she would exclaim, laughing over her mistake.



But this time, even I could not locate grandma's glasses.



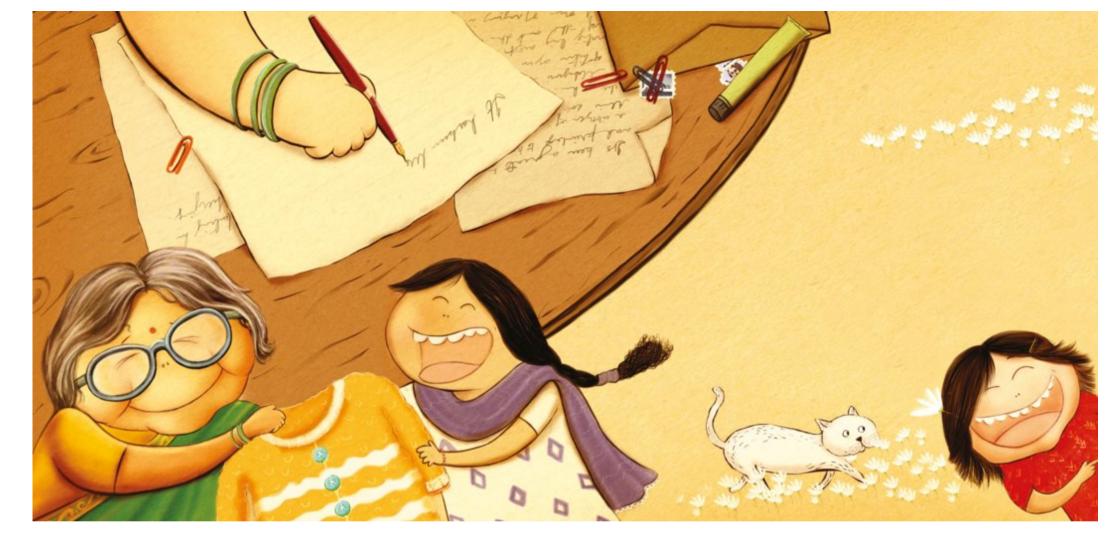
I have looked everyplace where she usually forgets them. On top of her head, in the bathroom, in her cupboard, in the pooja room, under her favourite chair and on top of the dining table.



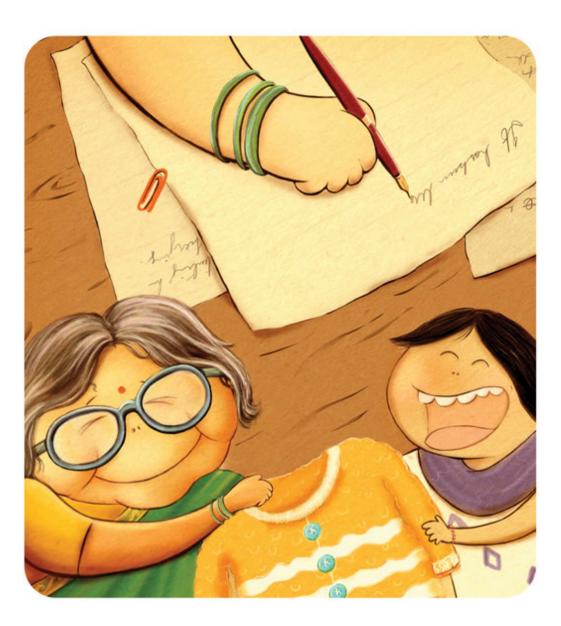
I decided to become detective for a day. I thought it might be a good idea to retrace Grandma's events of the day.



"I did not do much. Veena's mother-in-law- had come. You know what a big gossip she is. We drank a lot of tea and she gorged on your mother's delicious laddoos", said grandma.



"Grandma was very busy today. She wrote a letter to the chief minster regarding her pension", said Raji (my sister).



Mother added - Grandma spoke at length with your aunt. She completed knitting your sister, Raji's sweater. Then she went for a short walk".



Grandma's glasses were on the table, under the telephone, next to her pen, wrapped in the knitting yarn. Wrapped along with her glasses were a half eaten laddoo!.

I am saving money to buy Grandma her second pair of glasses for her next birthday!



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