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# Buddy the Bear



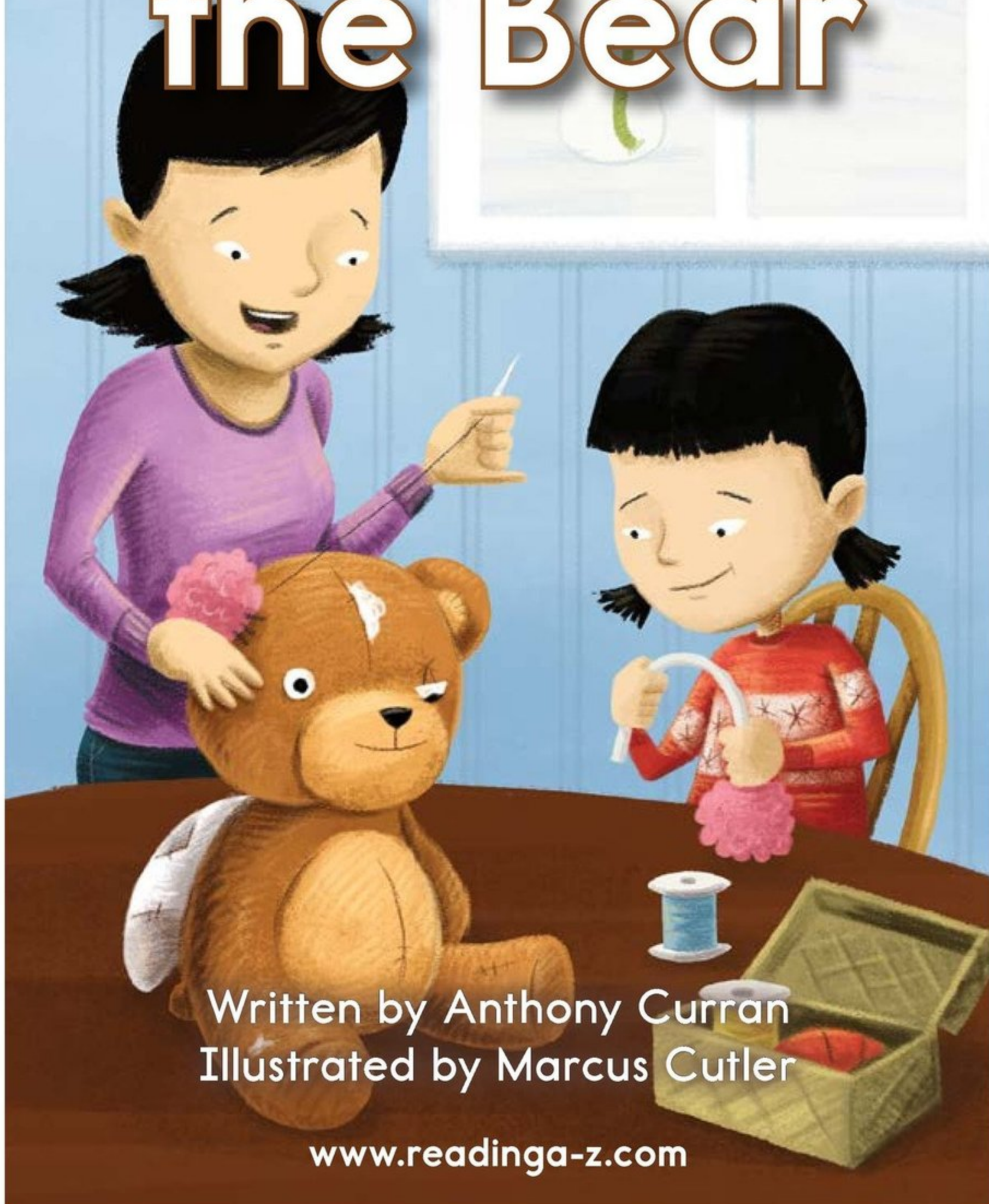
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## Focus Question

How does Buddy the Bear  
change during the story?



Words to Know	
different	loved
fall apart	old
lost	teddy bear

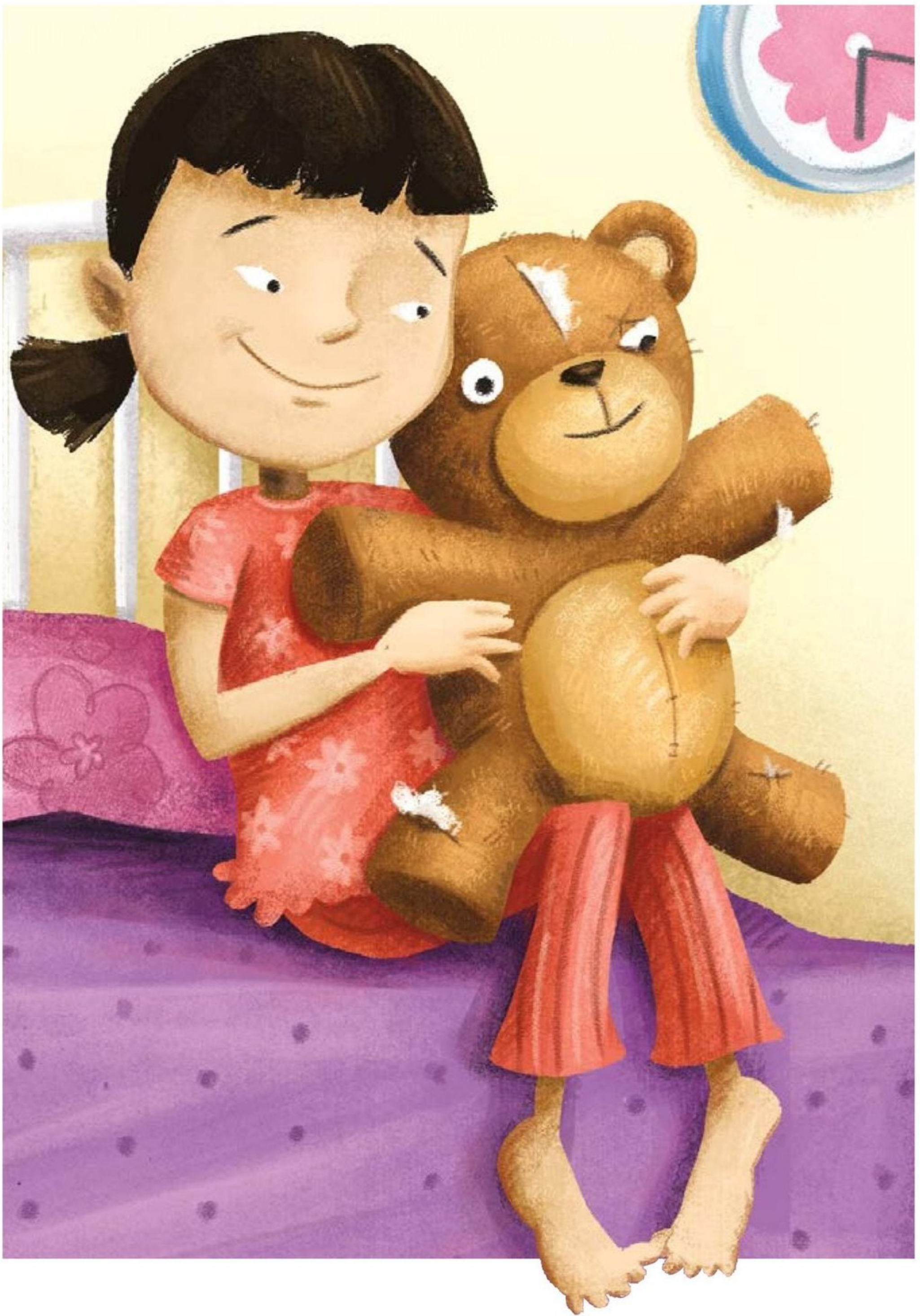
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Buddy the Bear was  
an old teddy bear.





Buddy the Bear began  
to fall apart.





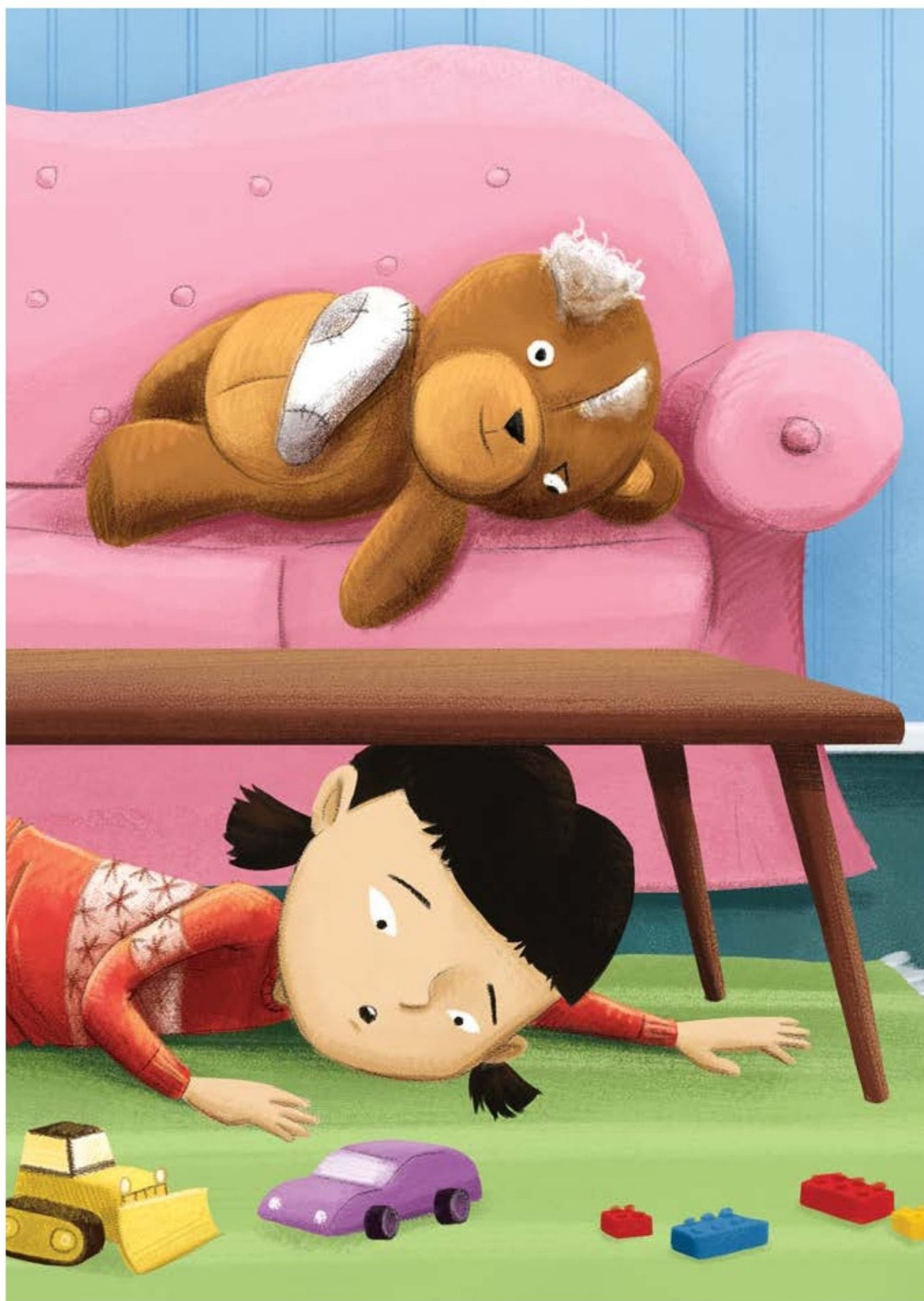
Buddy the Bear lost  
an arm.





We gave him  
a new one.





Buddy the Bear lost  
an ear.





We gave him  
a new one.





Buddy the Bear lost  
an eye.





We gave him  
a new one.





Buddy the Bear looked  
different than before.





We still loved Buddy  
the Bear just as much.



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*A Reading A-Z Level D Leveled Book*

*Word Count: 67*

## Connections

### Writing and Art

What is your favorite toy? Draw a picture and write what you would do if the toy began to fall apart.

### Science

How can you tell that the seasons are changing during this story? What seasons do you see? Share your ideas with a partner.



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