EXPLAINING POINTERS
TO A SIX-YEAR OLD

I have a friend, Muhamed.

Muhamed moves often.

Often enough that many of our mutual friends do not have his current address.

But I always have Muhamed's current address,

so that if any of our mutual friends want to know where Muhamed lives, they ask me.

That is,
I am a pointer to Muhamed.

Pointers: variables that contain memory addresses

See. Wasn't that easy?