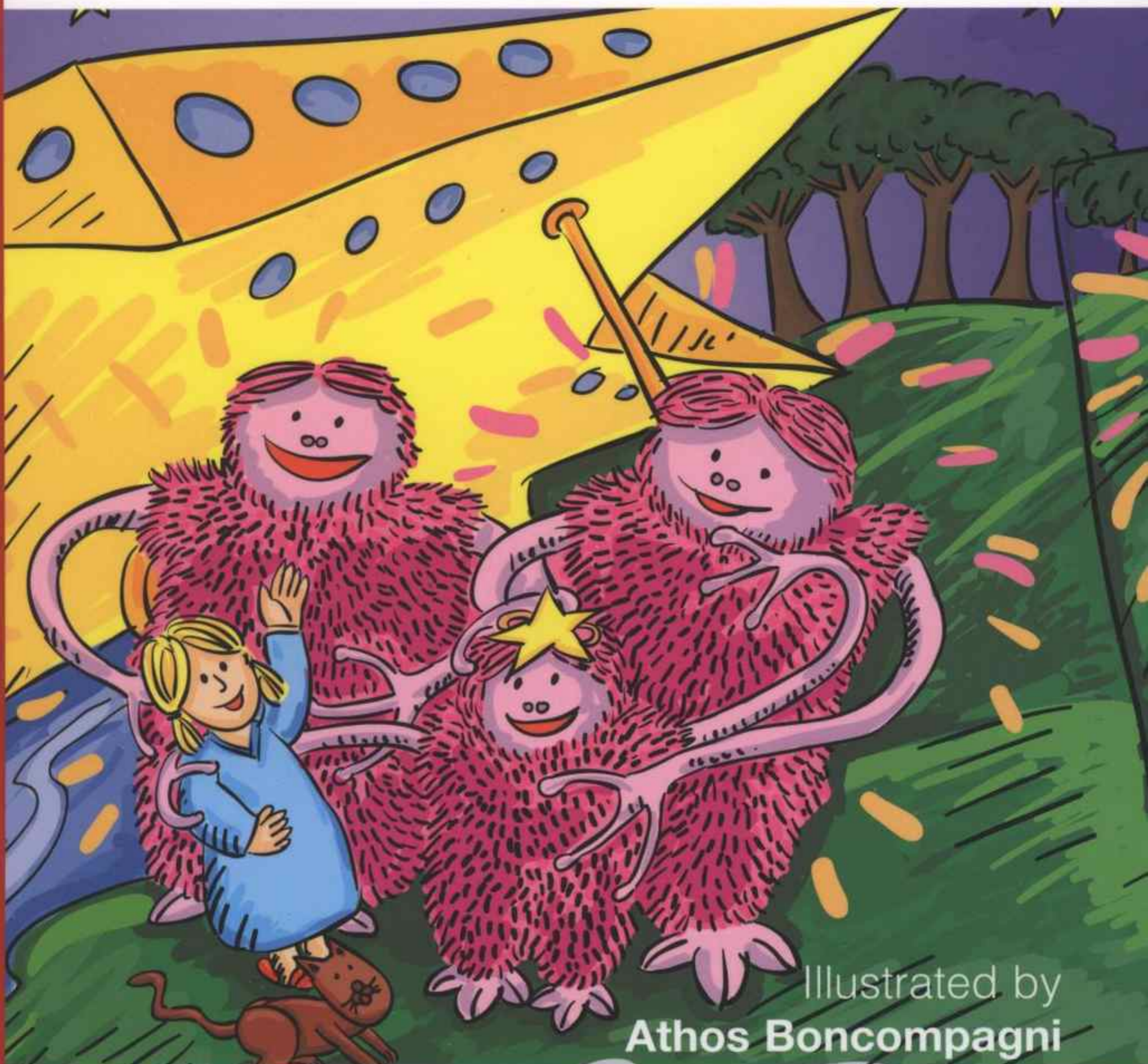


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Space Monsters



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AUDIO CD



1 It is night.

Ella is in bed.

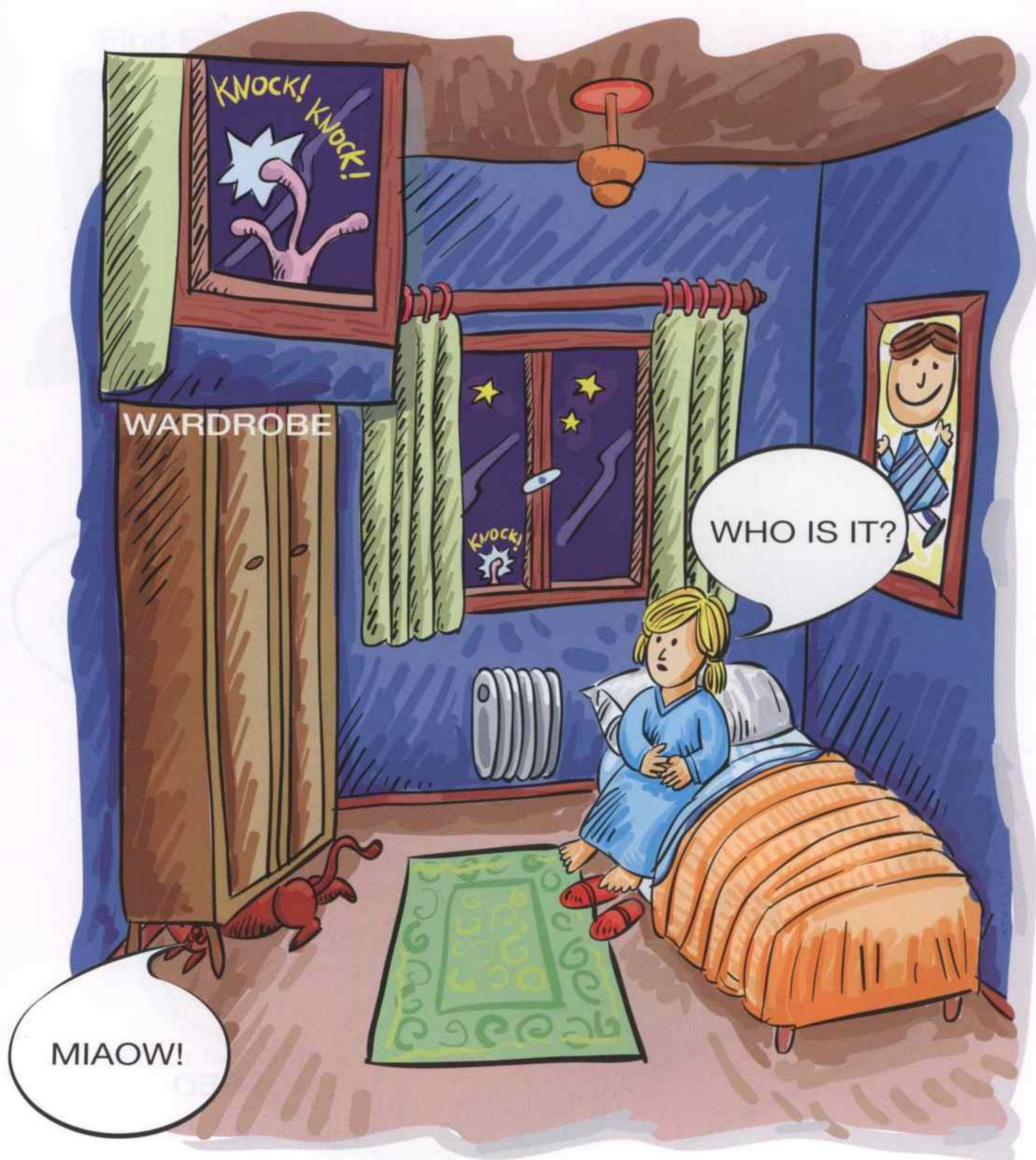
She is snoring.

Tom, the cat, is sleeping and snoring on the rug.

A star is falling in the sky.



Ella wakes up.
She hears a knock at the window.
Who is it?
Tom runs under the wardrobe.



Who is knocking at the window?

Ella gets up and opens it.

A pink  monster jumps in.



Ella has a video cassette of E.T. and a pop-up book.



She likes extra-terrestrials.
She is very kind and polite.



HELLO! I'M ELLA.
YOU'VE GOT A
PRETTY DRESS!

THANK YOU!
IT ISN'T A DRESS.
IT'S MY SKIN.



OH DEAR!

POP-UP
BOOK

VIDEO
CASSETTE

Ella is a good girl.
She offers Xonxella food and drink.
Xonxella accepts.
She is hungry.





MY BOOKS!
OH DEAR!

VERY GOOD,
THANK YOU.

OH, POOR
TOM!

PLEASE, PLEASE,
NOT THE CAT!

MIAOW!

Xonxella is very happy



in her new home.

She likes the furniture



very much.

Especially the TV!





BURP! VERY TASTY!

What is the matter now?
Xonxella is crying.
Ella is worried.





Where are Xonxella's mum and dad?
Ella and Xonxella decide to look for them.

Ella is worried.





LET'S
LOOK FOR THEM!

THANK YOU ELLA.
YOU'RE VERY KIND!

Ella looks out of the window.
She sees a light in the park.
Is it the Space-Mobile?



LOOK AT
THAT LIGHT!

OH!
THE SPACE-MOBILE!
IT'S MY
SPACE-MOBILE!

ARE YOU
SURE?

I DON'T
KNOW!

OK,
LET'S GO!



LIGHT

There is a big Space-Mobile in the pond.
It is like a star.

(Do you remember the falling star?)



And outside the Space-Mobile
there are two very big monsters –
a mother monster and a father monster.





I'M SO HAPPY
TO SEE YOU!

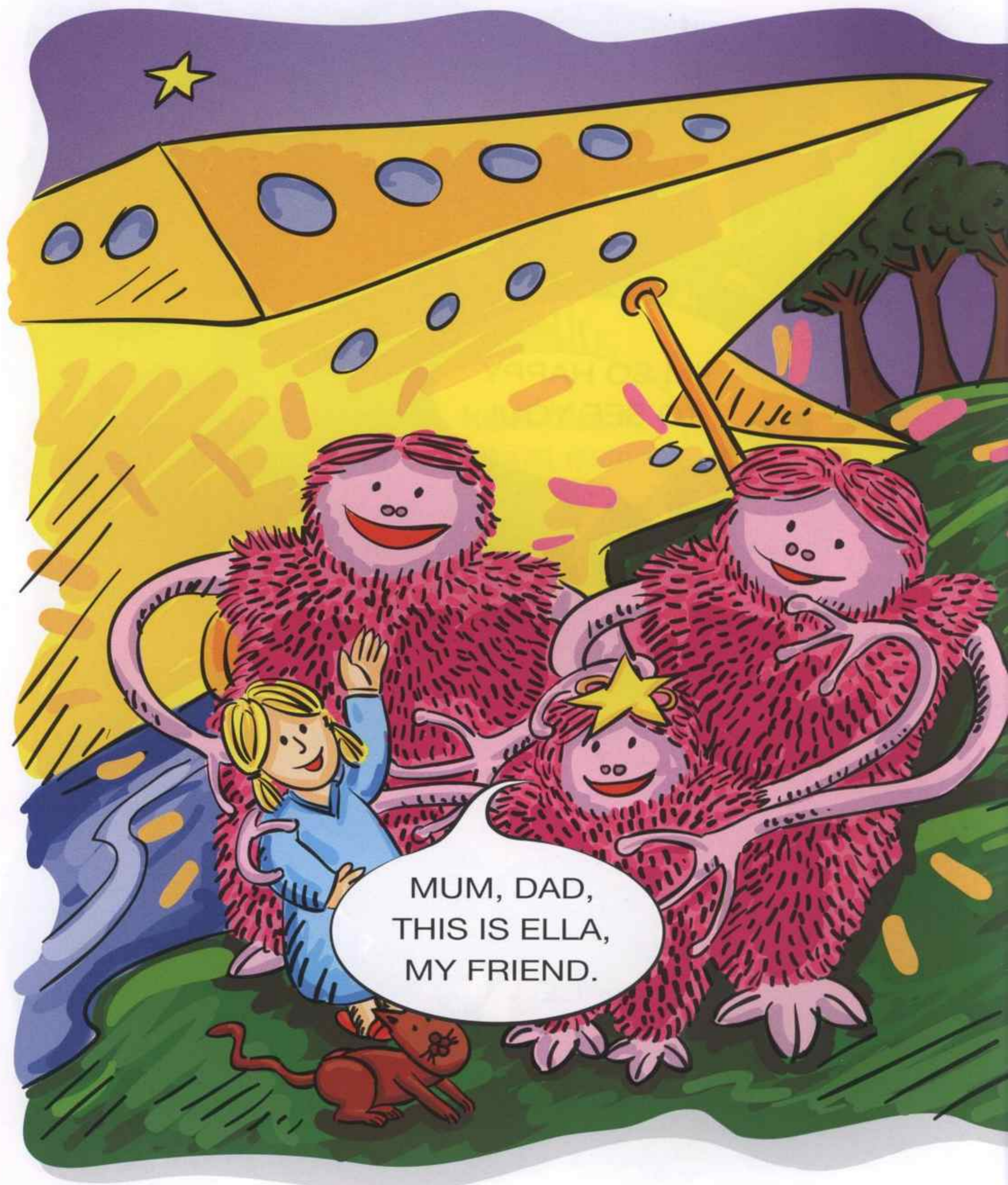
VISITORS!

ALIENS!

SPACE
INVADERS!

DUCK

Xonxella is very happy!
She says that Ella is her friend
and that she has a nice house.
She invites her mum and dad
to stay with Ella ... forever!





OH MUM!
ELLA HAS
A NICE HOUSE!
LET'S STAY
WITH HER!

OK.

OH DEAR!

The door opens.
It is Ella's mum.
She wakes her up.
Where are the space monsters?
It was just a dream!





WHO,
DEAR?

OH NOTHING,
MUM. JUST A
DREAM!

WHERE ARE
THEY?

THE END?