

Starfish Story

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A _____ Adjective girl was walking along a beach upon which thousands of _____ Noun had been washed up during a terrible _____ Noun. When she came to each _____ Noun, she would pick it up, and throw it back into the ocean. People watched her with _____ Noun.

She had been doing this for some time when a man approached her and said, " _____ Adjective girl, why are you doing this? Look at this beach! You can't _____ Verb all these starfish. You can't begin to make a difference!"

The girl seemed _____ Adverb, suddenly _____ Verb - Past Tense. But after a few moments, she bent down, picked up another starfish, and hurled it as far as she could into the ocean. Then she looked up at the man and replied, "Well, I made a difference to that one!"

The old man looked at the girl inquisitively and thought about what she had done and said. Inspired, he joined the little girl in throwing starfish back into the sea. Soon others joined, and all the starfish were saved.

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