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Rewrite this text using adjectives and finish the story.(50-60 words)

One night Simon's car broke down so he got out and started walking. He could see a light in the distance. When he got closer, he saw it was a house. He went up to it and knocked on the door. No one answered. He pushed the door open. He heard a noise and then had a feeling. Then he saw a movement and fell unconscious to the ground.

THE OWL WHO
WAS AFRAID
OF THE DARK

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"You can't be afraid of the dark," said the mother owl.

"Owls are never afraid of the dark."

"This one is," said her young son Plop. "I want to be a day bird."

"Oh dear," said Mrs Barn Owl. She shut her eyes and, like all good mothers everywhere, tried to think how best she could help her child not to be afraid.

"You are only afraid of the dark," she said, "because you don't know about it," and sent Plop down to talk with all sorts of people on the ground below.

"Dark is exciting," said a little boy on Bonfire Day, "Dark is fun," said a boy scout guarding a camp-fire, and "Dark is wonderful," said an astronomer. In fact there wasn't one single person who didn't like the dark, but it made no difference to poor Plop; he was still scared of it – until he talked it over with another animal, a black, night-walking cat.

- 1 Answer these questions.
 - a What was Plop afraid of?
 - b Who was worried about Plop?
 - c What does 'astronomer' mean?
 - d List three people Plop talked to.
 - e Who helped Plop not to be afraid?