

A Never-Ending Story of Sheer Beauty



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**I Was Sitting in My
Room One Night...**

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„I was sitting in my room one night, all snug and comfy, when there was a knock on the door. Now who might it be but my friend!“ Now, that’s as snug and promising a beginning to a never-ending book as one could wish for, isn’t it? The bear gets a visit from the fox, who is in turn visited by the hare, the squirrel goes to see the hare and is visited by the owl. And the owl? Well, the owl is comfortably ensconced in her wing chair knitting happily away until Kingdom come. But who could ever be in need of such a long scarf as this? Well, if it isn’t her friend, the big brown bear, whom we’ve already met at the very beginning!

Henrike Wilson’s cosy pictures tell a story that is no less exciting for being simple, and which never really comes to an end. Not only will the readers enjoy guessing who it might be now knocking on the door, but they’ll be amazed at what all those animals of the forest will get up to of a night, how and where they live, and how glad they are to have their friends over.

This is a great book about friendship, and about the art of storytelling - you couldn’t ask more for a bedtime story!



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