

# Five Children and It

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## Synopsis

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Curious to see if people on the other side of the globe walk upside down, Robert, Anthea, Cyril, Jane, and their baby brother start digging a hole to Australia. They donâ€™t get too far, however, before they dig up a furry brown creature with batâ€™s ears. It is a Psammead, an ancient sand-fairy. </p> <p>The Sammyadd, as the children call it, grumpily tells them that he is obliged to grant their wishes, because making peopleâ€™s wishes come true is what Sandfairies do. However, there is one catch: The wishes come undone at sunset. No matter how carefully the children plan, their wishes keep backfiring, and they realize that you have to be careful what you wish for - you may get it.</p>

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