THE STORY OF
Ferdinand
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Sample
Once upon a time in Spain
there was a little bull and his name was Ferdinand.
All the other little bulls
he lived with would run and jump
and butt their heads together,
but not Ferdinand.

He liked to sit just quietly and smell the flowers. He had a favorite spot out in the pasture under a cork tree. It was his favorite tree and he would sit in its shade all day and smell the flowers.
This is the story of Ferdinand—a little bull who would rather sit and smell the flowers than fight in the bullring.