



# My Bird Barb

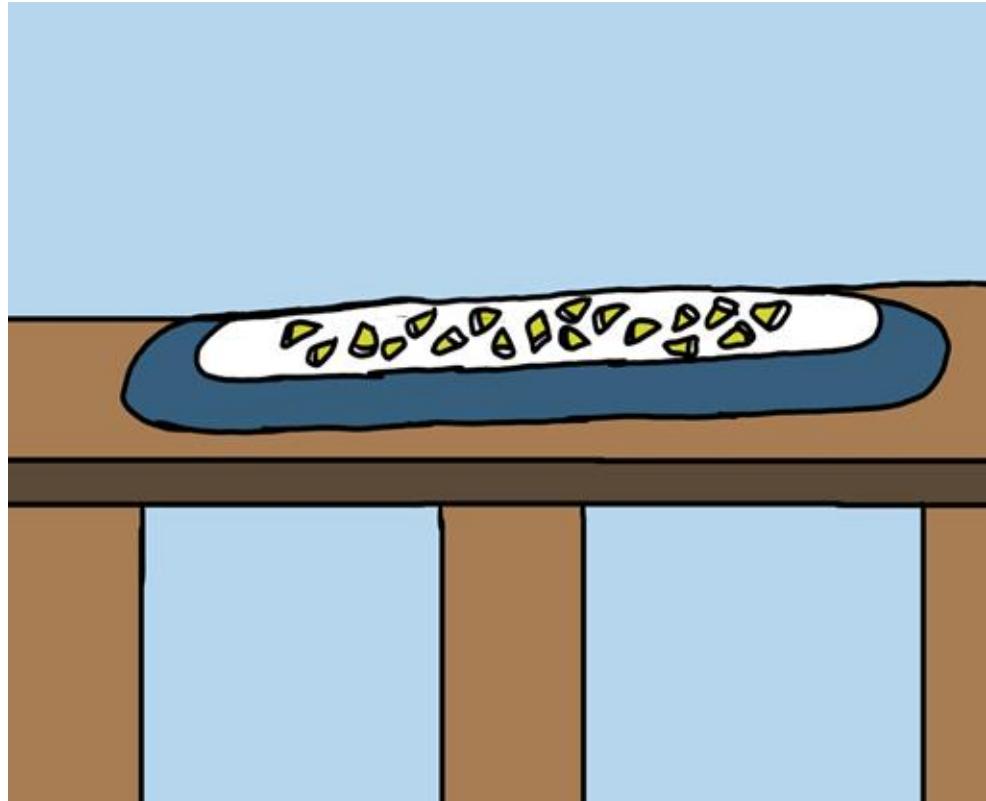
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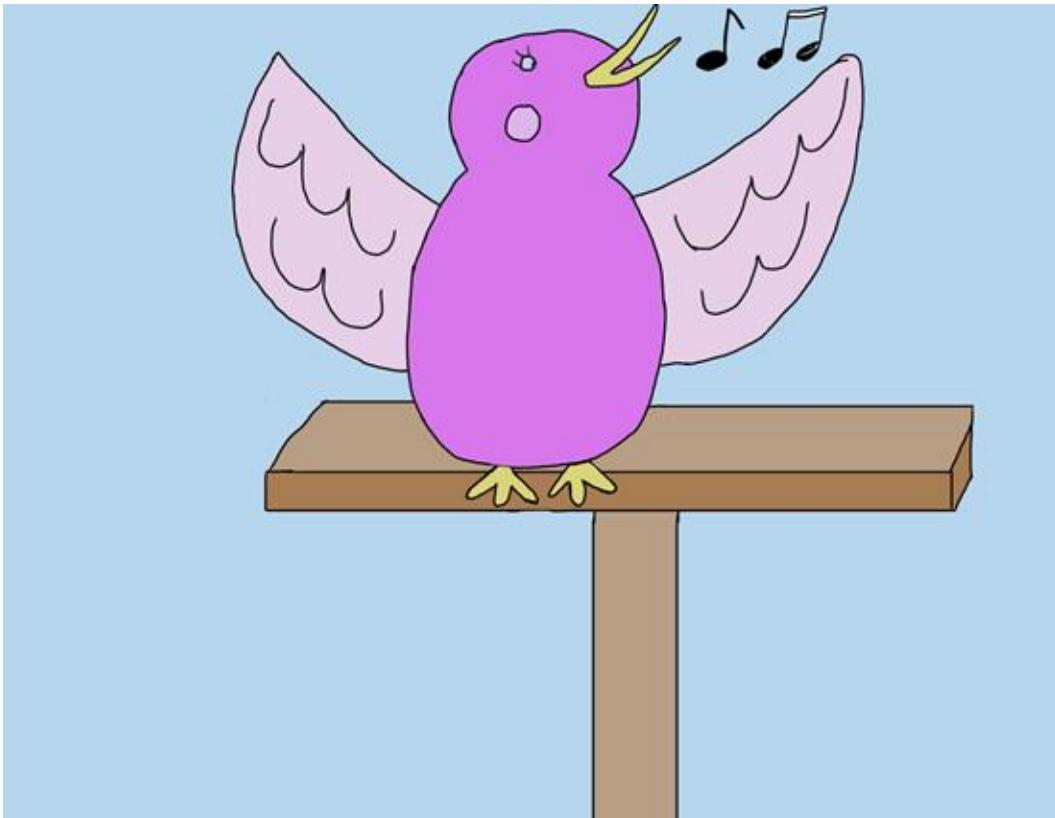
**My bird was born on the farm porch.**



**Her name is Barb.**



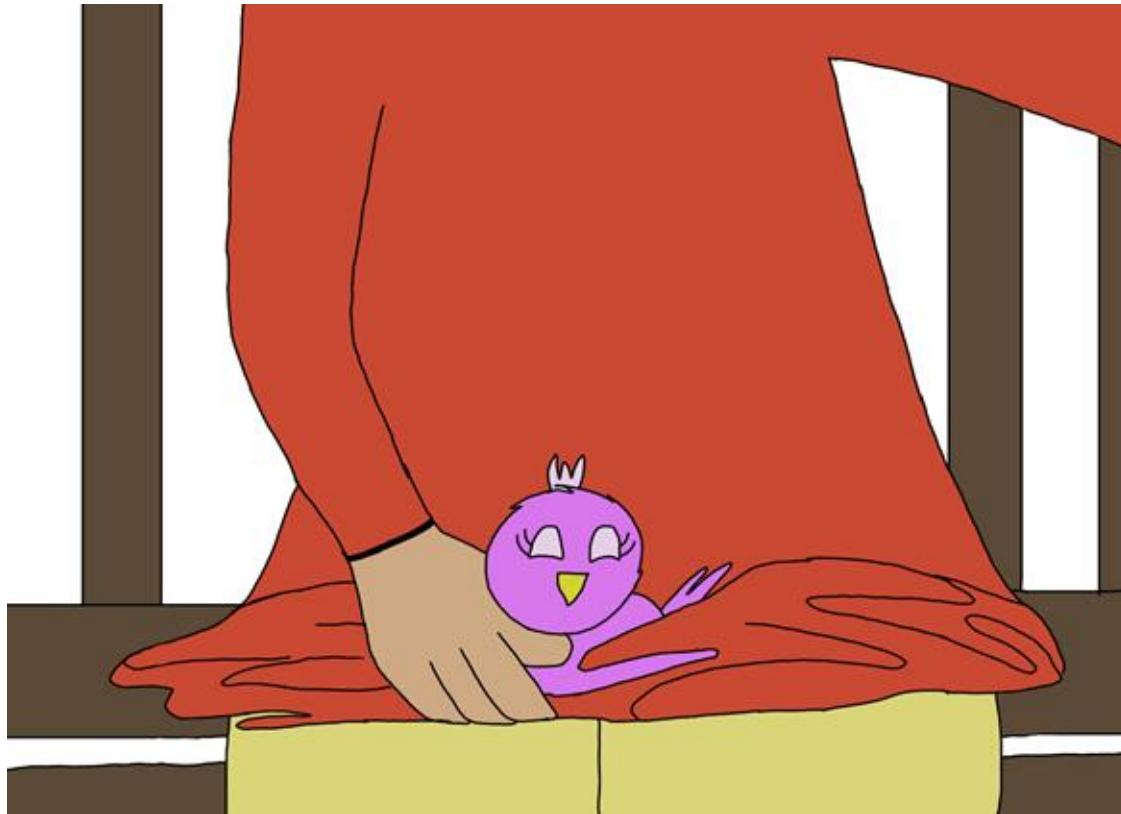
**Barb eats a plate of corn to start  
the day.**



**Then Barb sits on her perch and gives a sharp chirp.**



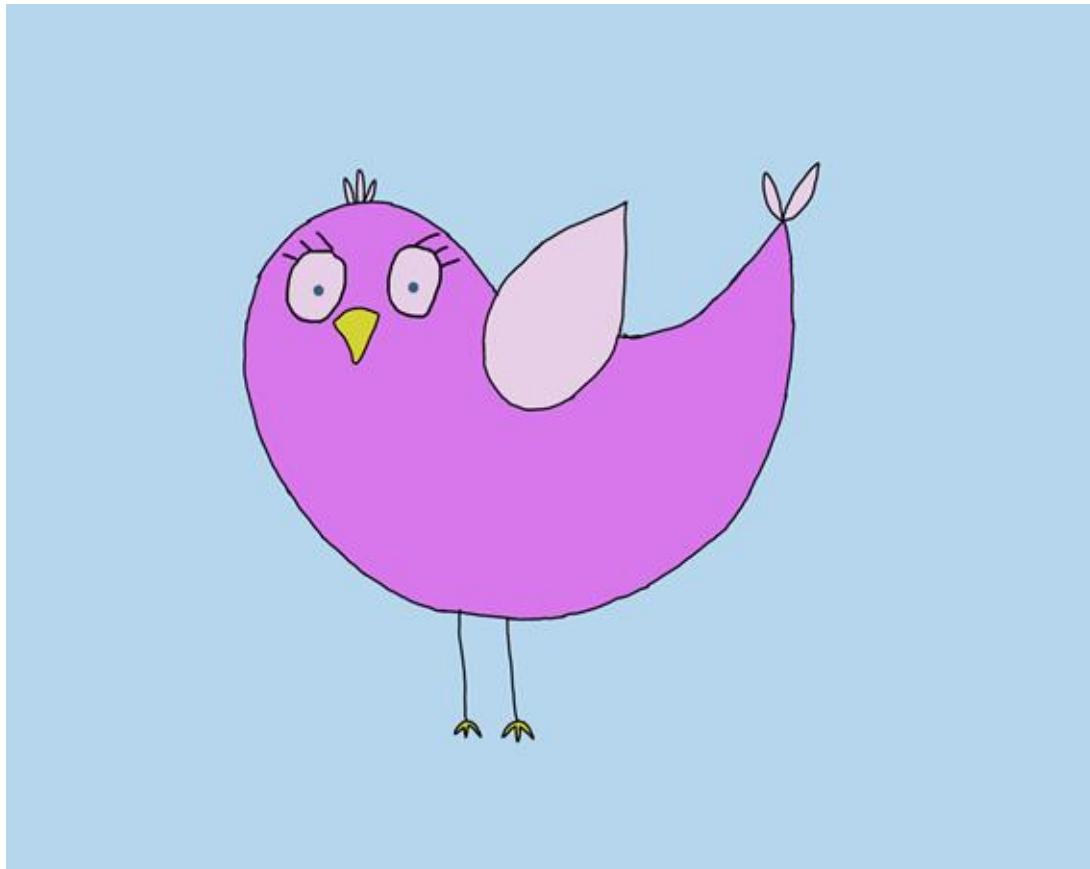
**Each day on the farm, she wakes  
up all the sheep in the barn.**



**Barb likes to take short  
naps in my shirt.**



**On hot days, she sleeps in my hand.**



**Barb the bird is my best friend.**

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