



THE SNAKE'S KISS

The beads within the bell slapped each other deafening the ears.

T-r-r-r-r-r-r-r-r-r!!

The crowded corridor of the old school building reverberated with the loud and incessant clamours of the boys. They felt like prisoners released on parole after long confinement.

Orville walked gracefully through the veranda with lubbed hands fixing eyes at the sky to see the probability of the beam of rain.

Esmeralda walked through the bare ground quite exposed to the wind and the rays of the sun. As she was walking through the street she was horrified to see a snake in front of her. Esmeralda's eyes attracted to



it, she couldn't see the people
around, she could only see the snake
getting afraid.

The people ^{around} the streets
rushed ~~around~~ ^{near} it and started
hitting it. The snake slowly swivelled
into the nearby gutter.

Esmeralda was stunned
by this unexpected incident. Anyway
she couldn't resist herself from
buying her favourite lollipop from
the candy shop, before ~~going~~ going back
home.

As the lollipop reached her
mouth she felt as if a snake was
swallowed into a lollipop and was
staring at her, so she ~~to~~ couldn't
eat it, and kept it inside
one of the holes in the compound.



well... she could ~~see~~ find.

Esmeralda went back home and kept her bag on the sofa.

"Esmera, you seem tired. I've prepared you, your favourite noodles, come have some."

Her mom, who was ^{busy} doing her chores in the kitchen called Esmeralda.

Esmeralda sat on the seat, as her hands reached the fork, she saw ^{the noodles} ~~it~~ twisting into tiny snakes and moving around.

She stopped abruptly and got off the table.

"Mom, I don't want it!"



Her mam got offended and shouted at her.

" why , so ? "

Esmeralda went to her room and walked away.

" It's just :

! am full !! "

As The thoughts of the snake kept on pinching her.

She slowly peeped out the tender window-gap, she saw a corpulent banyan tree staring at her, she felt as if many snakes were hanging on the tree, she suddenly moved her facile eyes away.

" Ugggh!! I am fed

up, I need to

get my mind out of it "



Esmeralda who was trying hard to forget about the snake murmured.

Her haste hands suddenly reached on the switch.

The lights ~~that~~ ^{were} turned off.

She got restlessly exposed on her bed ensnared by an inexplicable drowsiness.

Something distracted her sleep, she woke up with a shudder and saw the same snake that she saw on the street today.

" why didn't

you hurt me

while the

others did?"

She was appalled to see the snake speak.



" Because, I was
worried seeing
you afraid"

" ~~where~~ were you
scared of me?"

" A little bit,
but I felt feel
sorry for you
because everyone
hates you, can
I hug you?"

The snake slowly swirled on
Esmeralda's body and reached
up her neck. She was consoled.

" I can't take
you off my
mind, I always remember you"



Esmeralda said to the snake.

"If I get the opportunity to kiss you, you'll completely forget about me"

The snake kissed and its head

slowly touched Esmeralda's lips.

She felt as the sweetest honey

was flowing through her tongue.

She got befuddled, and felt like

huge wings were growing out of

her body, and was ~~floating~~ flying

on the blue sky where she could

see white cotton candy clouds,

along with the snake.....