



“THE LAST BRANCH”

ELLA AND ETHAN WERE TWINS. When they moved into their new house, they thought it was the biggest thing they had ever seen. But then they saw what looked like a never-ending tree in their backyard. “Hey Ella, I bet you it goes past the clouds,” said Ethan. “I bet you it goes to the very first star we see at night,” said Ella. The twins went to the tree and started to climb. “Beat you to the top!” exclaimed Ethan. By the time they were only halfway up, it was nearly time for lunch, and it took until almost time for dinner to get to the very top! They couldn’t even hear when their mother began to call for them. “Almost there,” said Ella. “Last branch!” cried Ethan. When they got to the top, they saw . . .

What happens next?

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