3. Amazing Daisy

Once upon a time, there lived a little chicken called Daisy.

“When I grow up, I want to fly high, high into the sky,” Daisy said.

But all the other chickens laughed at her.

“You are so weird,” they said.

“We won’t play with you anymore.”

“Daisy, we can all flap our wings, but it’s very difficult for chickens to fly,” Mom told her.

Daisy wouldn’t give up. Every day she practiced by herself, flapping her wings.

Flap, flap, flap she would flap her wings, but she couldn’t lift off the ground.

While she practiced, she imagined herself flying high into the sky and looking at the chickens

below.

She imagined herself flying past the sparrows and past the swallows.

“Wow!” the birds would say. “A chicken that can fly!”

So…Flap, flap, flap every day Daisy would flap her wings.

She would lift off the ground, but fall down again.

“I’m never going to fly!” Daisy cried to Mom. “The others are right.”

“Daisy, you are different from the other chickens. They don’t want to fly but you do! You can

do it,” Mom said.

The following day Daisy climbed to the top of the chicken coop and flap, flap, flap, she

flapped her wings.

She flew into the air and flapped her wings, and flapped her wings and …BAM!

The other chickens laughed out loud.

“Hahaha! We told you! Chickens can’t fly!”

But the next day Daisy climbed even higher, right up to the top of the tree.

Flap, flap, flap, Daisy flapped her wings.

She flew into the air and flapped her wings…and flapped her wings…and flapped her wings

and …

She kept flying!

The wind beneath her wings grew stronger and she flew higher and higher! The sparrow and

the swallows said,

“Amazing! A flying chicken!”

And the other chickens wanted to be just like her.

They said,“Oh Daisy, you’re amazing!”