

The Story of a Fierce Bad Rabbit

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This is a mean, bad rabbit.
Look at his sharp whiskers and his claws and
his turned-up tail.



This is a nice, gentle rabbit.
His mother gives him a carrot.



The bad rabbit wants the carrot.
He does not say, "Please."



He just takes it.
Then he scratches the good rabbit very
badly.



The good rabbit goes away slowly and hides in a hole.

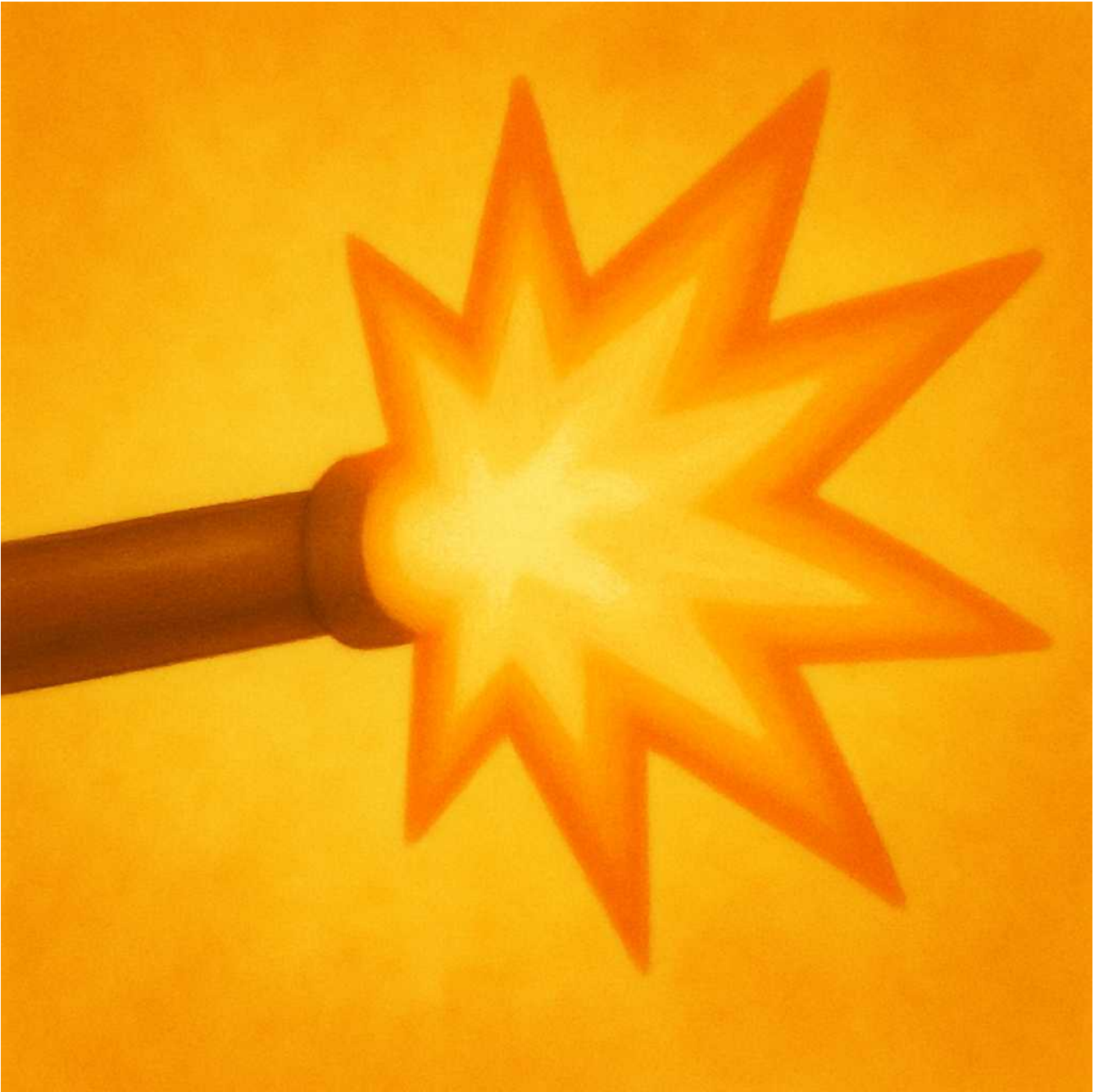
It feels sad.



This is a man with a gun.
He sees something sitting on a bench.



He thinks it is a very funny bird.
He creeps up behind the trees.



Then he shoots.
There is a loud bang.



This is what happens.

But when he runs to the bench, he finds only a little tail and some whiskers.



The good rabbit peeks out of its hole.
It sees the bad rabbit run past without any
tail or whiskers.