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- The word *shocked* means...

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angry	☐
surprised	☐
poor	☐

- The word *sadness* means...

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Like a mad man, Dan said he'd go round and get it!

We tried to tell him. We told him how hopeless it was and how mean Mrs. Drake can be. We told him what would happen if she saw him. Everyone in the street knows to stay out of her way. He wouldn't listen! We begged and begged but before we knew it, he'd jumped over the wall and he was there. Right there in her garden. I was so scared. My heart was beating really fast. He crept over to the ball and picked it up. Just as he turned round to show us, she appeared out of nowhere.

Splash! She threw a bucket full of water over him. He was dripping wet!

She screamed, "Get off my property!" Dan tried to run but she grabbed him by the arm and tried to get the ball off him. They pulled it back and forth until Dan finally let go and made his escape.

We all ran back into the house. Dan promised to get us a new ball but we think he's been through enough. I think we'll play football at Dan's house next time!

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Ever since your accident, you seem to think nobody wants to play with you anymore but that isn't true. We weren't allowed to see you for ages while you were in hospital. Now you're back at home, we've tried to visit but your mum says you don't want to see anyone. I asked her if I could go shopping with you both last week and she said you wouldn't get into your wheelchair.

I miss you so much. Everyone at school does.

Please come, Holly!

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Love from your best friend in the whole wide world,

Eva xxx

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