

Delta the Dolphin Makes a Difference

Beneath the beautiful blue waters,
Past the rainbow coral reef,
Through a deep green seaweed garden,
Delta Dolphin swims the deep.

She races every morning,
Circling back and forth all day,
Preparing for the next match,
In the great ocean relay.

She loves the jiggly seaweed,
And the colorful array,
Of coral rocks and fish,
Who seem to always dance and play.

One morning as she swam her laps,
Her heart, it almost sunk,
As she saw floating in her garden,
A big pile of trash and junk,

There were cans and there were papers,
Bottles, boxes, trash and toys,
And some crazy bubbled plastic,
That would make a funny noise,

Floating, swirling in the water,
Sometimes stuck on rocks and plants ,
They were mucking up the waters,
Where the pretty fish would dance.



Worse, she noticed as she practiced,
Every time she swam around,
Every time she passed the garden,
there was more trash to be found .

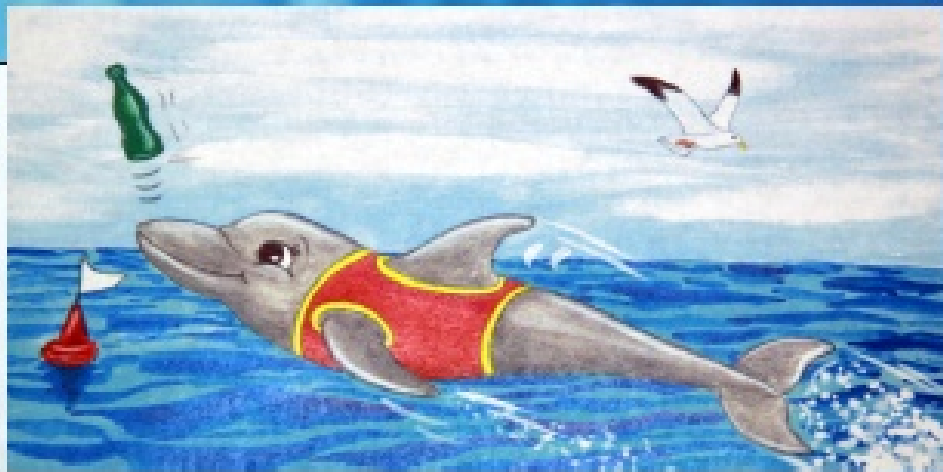
More and more it made her angry,
Everyday day it made her cry,
It kept driving Delta crazy,
Till all of a sudden she thought, why?

Is there no one who can fix this?
Is there no one who will try?
She would ask herself again and again,
Each lap that she swam by.

Then like a wave it hit her,
Then suddenly she could see,
If no one else will solve this,
Then perhaps it should be me .

So each time she passed the garden,
She would grab a little trash,
She would bounce it passed the coral,
As she practiced her fast dash.

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With each lap she made a difference,
and her friends began to see,
as they swam around beside her,
just how easy this could be.

In a week the seaweed
garden looked as lovely as before,
and soon all those playful fishes
came to swim and dance once more.

As the ocean games got started,
before the races had begun,
Delta stretched amongst the seaweed,
and she knew she'd already won.

She was really a true champion,
and she couldn't help but feel,
she had truly made a difference,
and the pride she felt was real.