Hi!

My name is Theo and I live in a small town by the sea.

A town just like any other, full of ordinary people like you and me.

People we might not pay much attention to at first.

But if we took the time to notice them, we might see that they are anything but ordinary.

They all have something that makes them unique, special, and interesting.

Would you like to get to know some of these (extra) ordinary people?

Dave

Dave is a giant!

You might think I'm exaggerating, but when I see Dave on a rainy day, I get the feeling that his head is floating high above the clouds—or at least the umbrellas.

Truth is, Dave is shy about his height. He does not like to be noticed.

When he bumps into smaller people he turns bright red and wishes the earth would swallow him up. Which is a bit difficult given his size.

Everyone in town loves gentle Dave. Children who tug at his pants find themselves lifted onto his shoulders.

"I'm taller than Dave!" they shout.

And Dave, the gentle giant, smiles.

Emily

Emily loves stray cats.

Her doors are always open to any cat who wants to stop by. There are cats on her balcony, in her living room, and even in her bedroom.

She loves cats, but Emily frowns when they scratch up her furniture. So she knits little white socks for the cats. Some have stripes, some have spots.

The cats feel safe with Emily and whoosh about on their socks across the floors of her apartment.

They are all happy and content in their warm and cozy paws.