

PICTURE A FRIEND OF YOURS WHO LIKES TO SPEND TIME OUTDOORS...

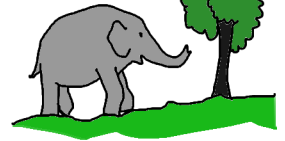


HIKING...

ELEPHANTS ARE A LOT LIKE THAT TOO.

THEY LIKE TO SPEND TIME OUTDOORS...

EXPLORING...

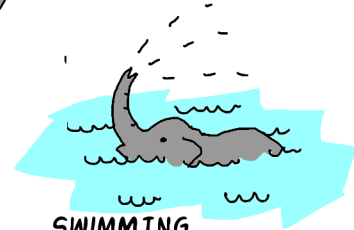
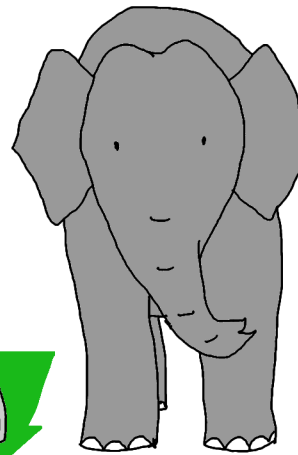
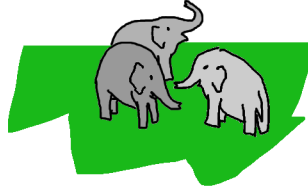


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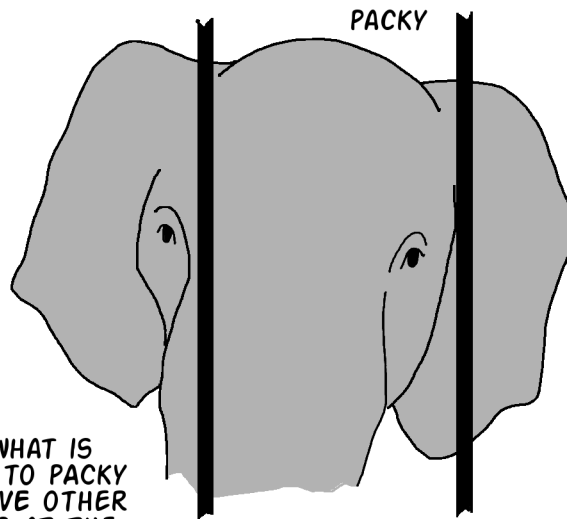
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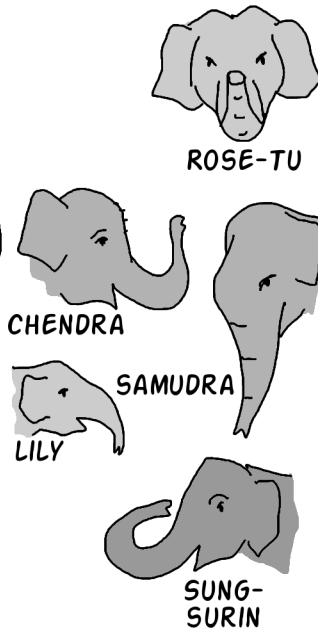


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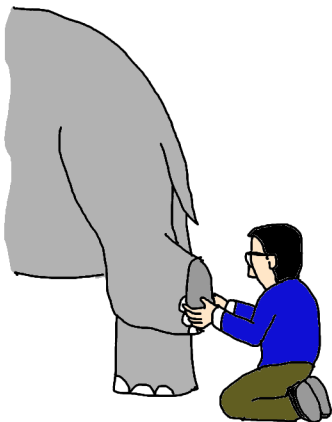
NOW IMAGINE IF YOUR FRIEND IS GROUNDED FOR A VERY LONG TIME, WHEN HE/SHE DID NOT DO ANYTHING WRONG!



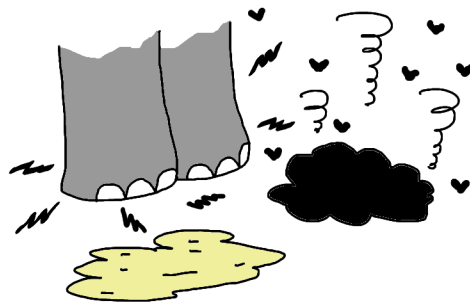
THAT'S WHAT IS HAPPENING TO PACKY AND THE FIVE OTHER ELEPHANTS AT THE OREGON ZOO



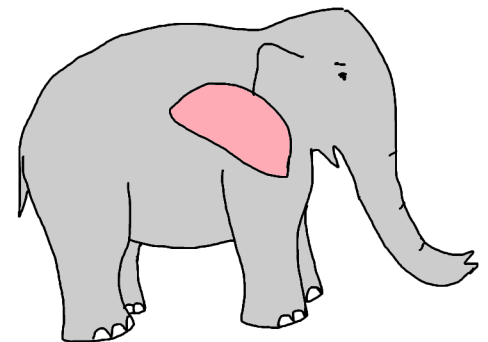
# ELEPHANTS SUFFER IN ZOOS!



BECAUSE THEY CAN'T WALK FAR, THEIR NAILS GROW TOO FAST AND NEED TO BE CONSTANTLY TRIMMED, WHICH IS VERY UNPLEASANT FOR THEM



THEY STAND ON WET AND DIRTY SURFACES ALL DAY, EVERY DAY, SOMETIMES EVEN STANDING ON THEIR OWN POOP WHEN THEY ARE NOT ALLOWED OUTSIDE OR WHEN IT'S COLD. THIS CAUSES PAINFUL FOOT INFECTION



THREE OF THE ELEPHANTS, HAVE HAD TUBERCULOSIS, OR TB. IT'S A LUNG DISEASE THAT MAKES THEM COUGH, LOSE WEIGHT AND BECOME WEAK. PACKY STILL HAS THIS DISEASE AND HAS BEEN KEPT IN ISOLATION FOR TWO YEARS