

Jim and the Whale Shark

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Jim jumps into the deep, dark sea. There, near his feet, is a big whale shark. He is the size of six cars. On his back, there are white spots. They look like stars.

Jim swims next to the whale shark, but he does not want to get too close too soon. The whale shark needs to feel safe. There are five gills on the side. The head is wide and flat. There are 300 rows of teeth so the whale shark can eat tiny fish.

The whale shark wants to see Jim, so he slows down. Jim darts toward the whale's fin and hangs on. They go for a ride. Jim starts to smile. The whale is a lone sea animal. Yet, the whale likes Jim and Jim likes the whale. They are best friends in the big, dark sea. They carve a path that is made just for them. The End.

