

**MATILDA**

Mrs. Phelps, it's... it's just a story.

**MRS. PHELPS**

What?

*(remembering herself)*

Oh, yes, of course.

*(a beat).*

I'd better go.

*Act II*

*(#34 - WHEN I GROW UP TRANSITION begins.)*

**SCENE 12: A PARK**

*(#35 - WHEN I GROW UP begins.)*

*Start*

**WHEN I GROW UP**

*Rides scooter in.*

Swung 2 BRUCE:

When I grow up —

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I will be tall e - nough to reach

8

— the bran - ches That I need to reach

10

— to climb — The trees — you get — to climb



12

— when you're grown up.

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BRUCE,  
TOMMY: — *Rides in.*

And when I grow up —

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I will be smart e-nough to ans - wer all — the

21

quest-ions that you need — to know — the ans - wers to be-

24

*Ride off.*

fore you're grown up. —

**stop**

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AMANDA, ERIC: *Ride on*

And when I grow up — I will eat

29

— sweets ev-'ry day, — on the way — to work — and I —

