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It was a bright \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Adjective</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, Sunday morning when Chris woke up at 5:57am. His \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Adjective</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ self was incredibly tired as he tossed off his blanket and sat up.

"I think I'll go to the zoo today," Chris thought to himself and proceeded to put on some slightly worn \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Verb - Past Tense</sup>\_\_\_\_\_.

Chris \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Preposition or subordinating conjunction</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ down the stairs past his family, turned the corner and went out the front door.

He had an older car. But it was \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Adjective</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and he enjoyed the challenge of driving stick shift. Chris fumbled for his keys. Finding them, he unlocked the door, climbed in and pulled out of the driveway.

The drive was a short one. Down Mine Road onto Route 1 before picking up William Street. He \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Verb -</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Past Tense</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ downtown past all of the many \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun - Plural</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and made his way to the VRE parking lot. Chris stopped the car, got out and walked inside.

The zoo was packed! Tons of spectators gathered round to see the wide variety of \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Noun - Plural</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. There was James the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Proper Noun</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, Morgan the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Proper Noun</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, Rosie the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Proper Noun</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, Beckah the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>Proper Noun</sup>\_\_\_\_\_.

and so many more!

Chris came to his favorite exhibit and breathed a sigh of relief. There was Will the Warthog Verb - Present

Tense around his pen just looking for trouble.

Chris waited until the other spectators left, walked over to Will and whispered:

"Let's face the facts about me and you, our love to

Though I'm proud to call you "chocolate bear"

The Preposition or subordinating conjunction will always talk and stare."

As he normally did, Will replied:

"I feel exactly those Coordinating conjunction too

And that's why I keep them inside

'cause this Determiner, can't bare the world disdain

And sometimes is easier to hide."

They sang together:

"Than explain our \_\_\_\_\_  
Verb - Past Tense love, that's all it is

\_\_\_\_\_  
Pronoun love he's mine I'm his

There's nothing gay about it in our eyes."

Will sang:

"You ask me 'bout this thing we share..."

Chris responded:

"...and he tenderly replies."

Will:

"It's \_\_\_\_\_  
Determiner love..."

Both:

"...between two \_\_\_\_\_  
Verb - Past Tense."

Chris felt much better. He \_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Past Tense Will, his beloved Warthog, walked out the door, got in his car and drove off back home.

Yes, it was quite a \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ visit to the zoo.