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Creative Writing

Fable

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There was once a boy who thought he was cooler than everyone else. Cooler and funnier and stronger and more athletic *and* smarter. He spent every day of his life trying to prove this to everyone around him. Even though he wasn’t a very likeable person, people still kind of liked him because who wouldn’t like someone who was cool, funny, strong, athletic, and smart?

One day he was trying extra hard to be funny. He kept giving a pretty girl a hard time. Hardly anything he said made any sense. He claimed her last name had an “s” at the end when it didn’t. He called her fat when she clearly wasn’t. He made fun of what she was wearing when she actually looked cute. He said he didn’t like her at all when he so obviously did. That’s what this was all about after all. He just couldn’t leave her alone and he thought it was the funniest thing in the world. It drove everyone else crazy.

Finally one person said to him, “Your hair is rather fluffy today.” He completely shut down out of anger.

Moral: People who live glass houses shouldn’t throw stones.