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# The Friendly Scorpion



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Scorpion, scorpion,  
Wandering in the sand,  
Where the sun is hot and bright,  
And the desert wind is grand.

Scorpion, scorpion,  
With your tail so long and thin,  
Do you sting the people who  
Are afraid of you and run?

No, I do not sting,  
I am a friendly thing,  
I will not hurt you if you  
Will just be kind to me.

I will play with you and hop  
Around your feet all day,  
And we can be best friends,  
If you will just not say.



That I am scary or mean,  
Or that I have a sting,  
I am just a little scorpion,  
And I want to be your friend.



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