

Once upon a time a little girl  
named Taylor went to the  
Georgia Aquarium with her  
mom and Dad. She was so  
excited to see all of the sea  
creatures in their habitats  
especially the penguins. When  
they arrived Taylor asked her mom  
"Can we go see the penguins  
first?" Because she loved penguins.

Her mom said "of course!" so the family went to the cold water quest where the penguins are located. When they got to the exhibit Taylor was so excited to finally see her favorite animal up close. Taylor looked up and saw a tiny penguin waving at her. Taylor said "look mom look dad a tiny penguin is waving at me!"

Her parents said "oh nonsense  
a penguin can't wave." But

Taylor knew what she saw  
and moved closer to see the

penguin. The penguin said "hi my

name is Sparkle." Taylor was

shocked! Penguins can't talk she

thought. Sparkle said "do you

want to learn facts about me?"

Taylor said definitely! Okay said

Sparkle First penguins are birds. We have wings but we can't fly. But we are grate swimmers. We use our wings for swimming. Sparkle jumped into the water and swam. She looked like she was flying underwater. Taylor said "wow that's impressive!" The next fact is we eat fish and shrimp and can

live in hot and cold climates"

said Sparkle. When Taylor's

parents came over Sparkle

winked and smiled. Taylor knew

that when she came to

the Georgia Aquarium there

was a special penguin waiting

for her. Taylor learned a valuable

lesson. Friendship is the best

thing you can ask for and

you can find it everywhere  
even in those that are  
different from you!