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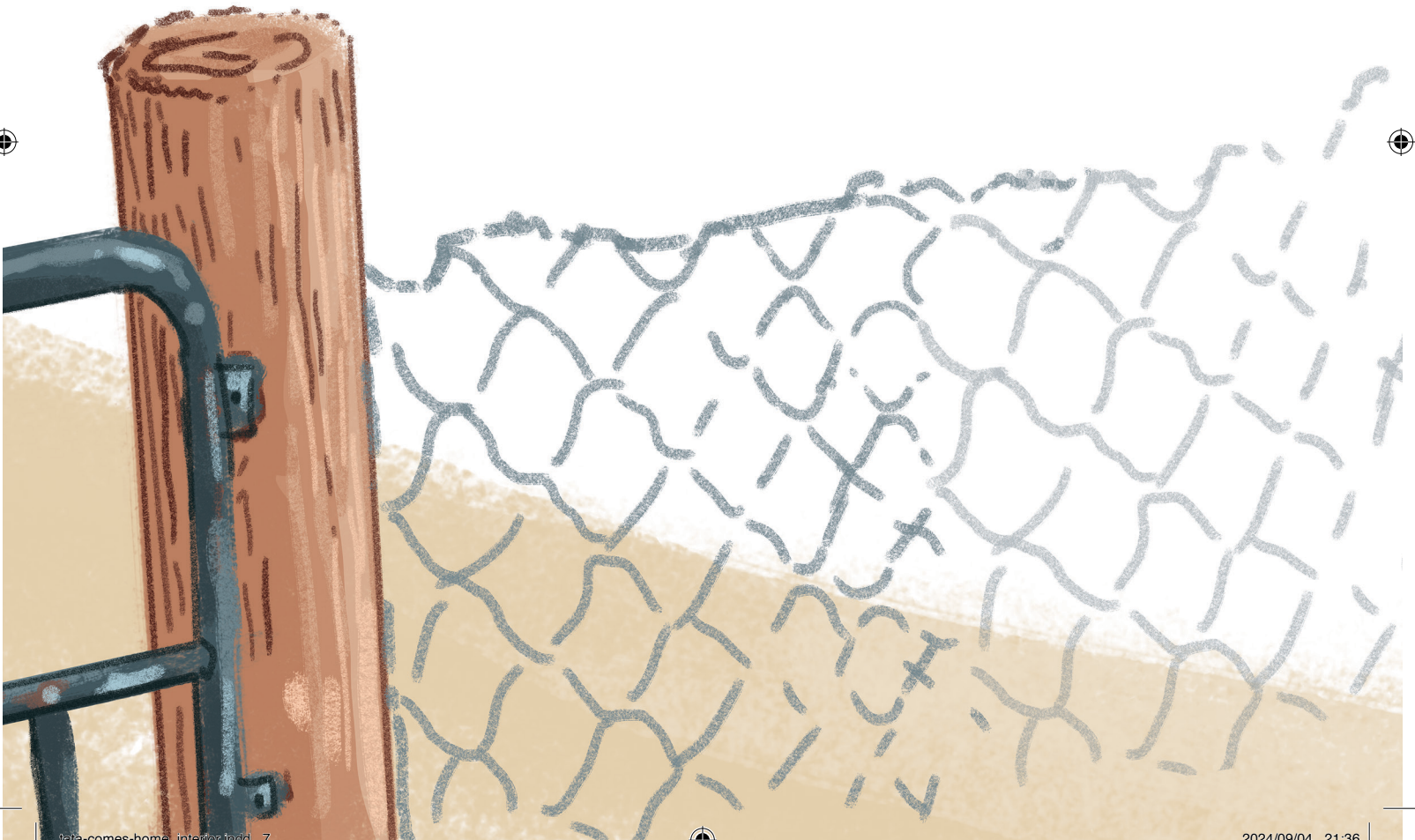
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Every Friday after school, Daluxolo
stands with his arms leaning over
the front gate, **waiting...**





His friends keep calling him to play
ball with them at the dusty soccer field
down the road but he keeps saying no.

Daaali!



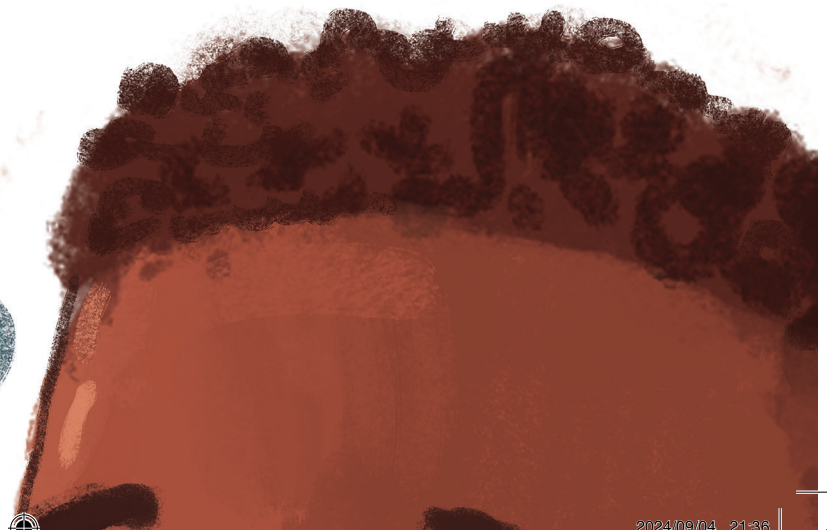
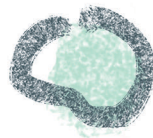
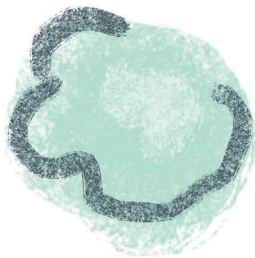






That's because someone special
is coming ... every weekend

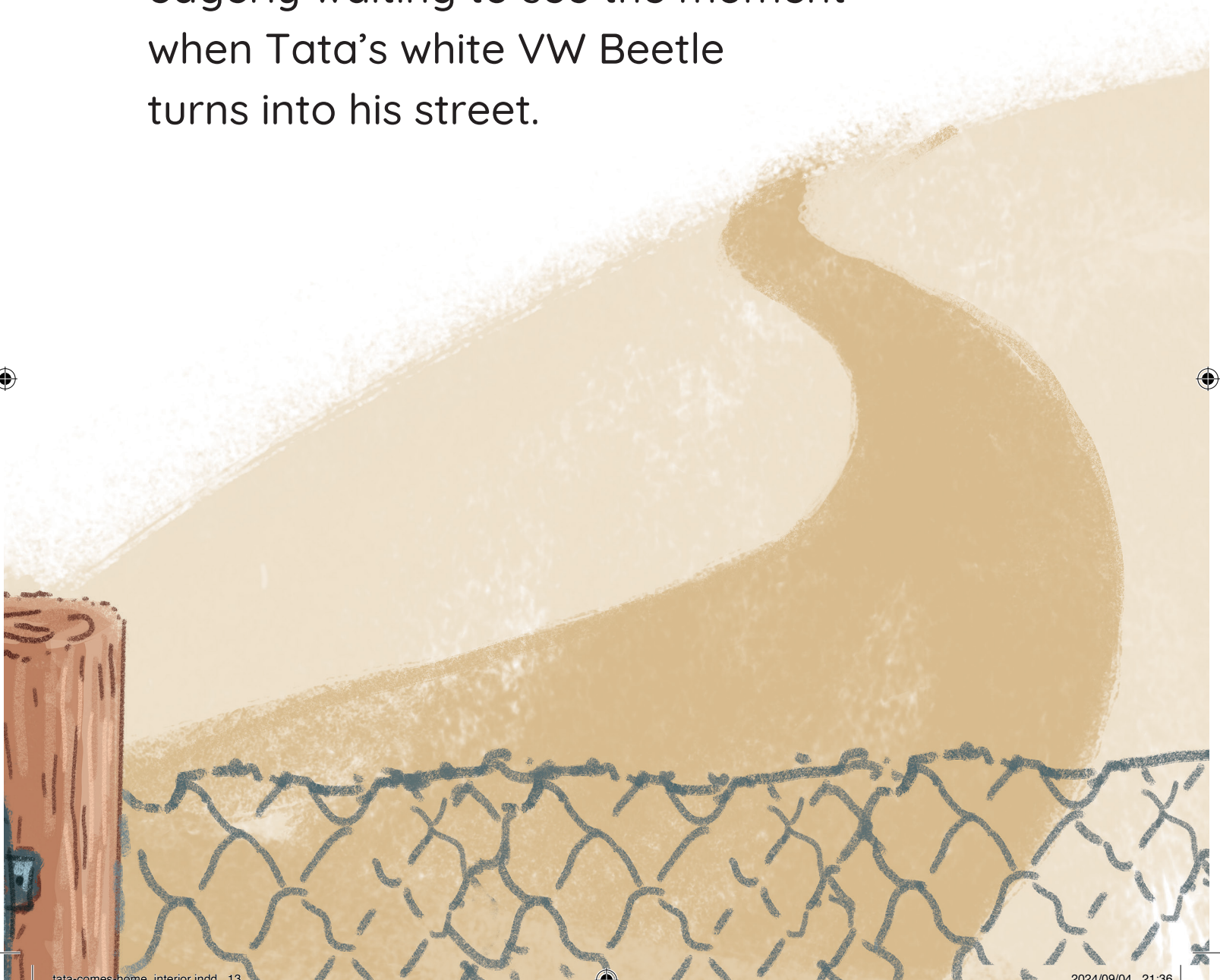
**Tata comes
home.**







He cranes his neck towards the main road,
eagerly waiting to see the moment
when Tata's white VW Beetle
turns into his street.





As soon as it turns the corner, Dali runs to the car so he can drive the rest of the way home in Tata's car.





Beep!
Beeep!





“Hello Dali my boy,”

Tata yells with excitement,
as he opens the door.

“Hop in!”







When Tata is home,
he and Dali always have
so much fun together,





starting with their
favourite meal
cooked by Mama –
**pap, wors
and gravy.**







On Saturday morning, they
start their day with a short jog
around the neighbourhood.







Then after lunch,
Tata teaches Dali how
to play card games.

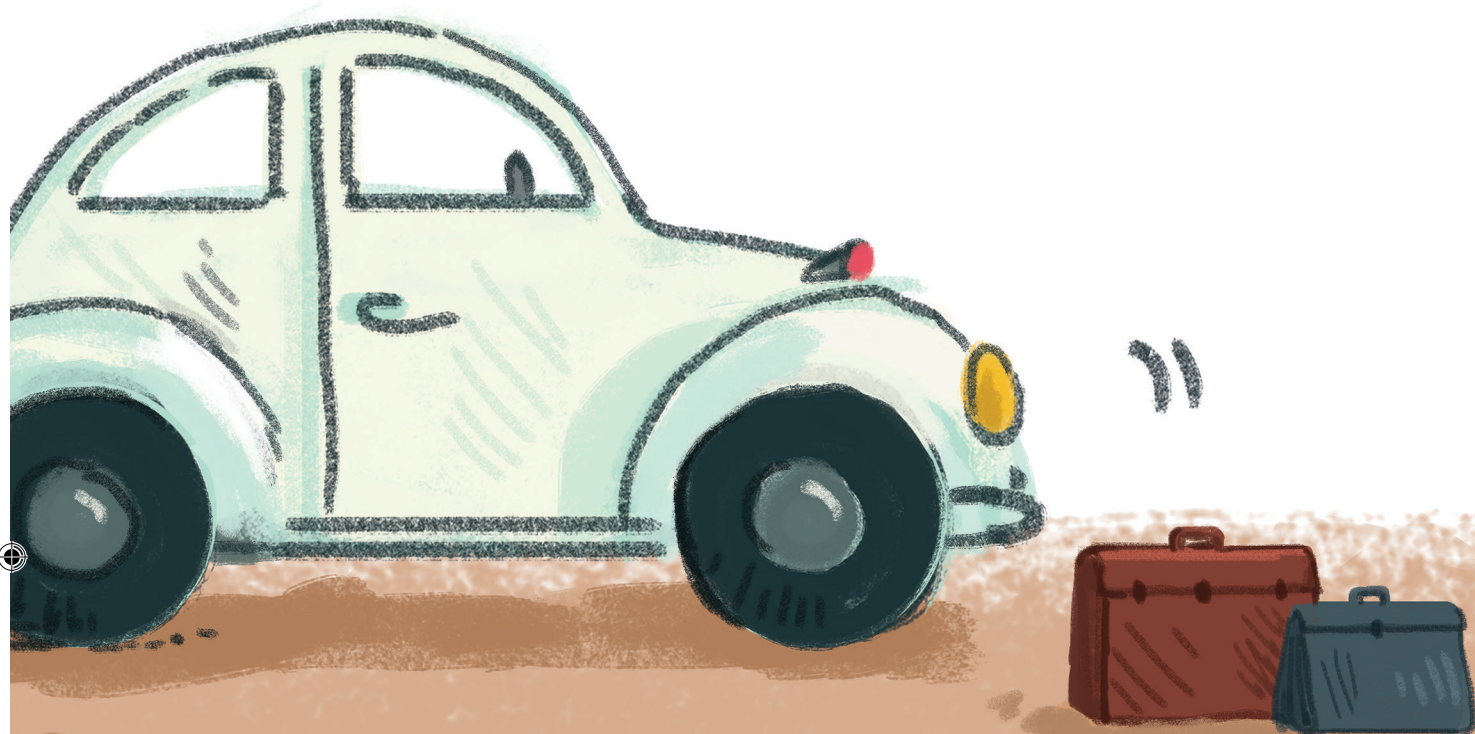




In the afternoon, Dali loves
watching Tata polish his shoes
while whistling to his favourite
songs on the radio.







Sunday is the saddest day when
they have to say goodbye because
Tata must go back to work.









But Dali does not stay sad for long
because he knows that on Friday,
Tata comes home.



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