The Runaway Snowman

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Judy	Robert	Kirby, the snowman
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Scene: front yard after a snowfall

Props: coat, coal, jelly beans, mirror, birthday hat, mittens, sandwich

Wow! Our snowman looks great! Let's name him Kirby.
Here's some coal. I'll make his mouth with it.
No way! Make my mouth out of jelly beans!
Kirby can talk!
I'm cold. Get me a nice wool coat.
You look real nice, Kirby. (holds up a mirror) See?
Bring me a motorcycle helmet! (pause) Does your dad have
a green silk tie?
I'll have to go and look.
Hurry up! See if you can find some mittens too!
This snowman is driving me crazy!
I can't find a helmet. Here's an old birthday hat.
Well, OK. Put it on me.
I found everything you want. We have to go to lunch.
I'm hungry, too. I'll have a peanut butter, jellow, and green
bean sandwich. Hurry! The sun is coming out.
Kirby sure is crabby. Why is he in such a rush?
One hour later, Judy and Robert returned. By then, the
sun had warmed my surroundings.
Kirby's gone! Just the clothes are left!
Maybe he found out we made him a tuna sandwich. Then he
ran away.
Boy! After everything we did for him! Some friend!
Let's make a snowlady tomorrow.