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Do the right thing

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When I was younger in the second grade there were two boys in my class who always used to argue. But then it all change Begging Grade 3. One Day I came into class and I saw them both sitting in the same table, then the boy across from which his name was Billy told the other kid (Carlos) that he was going to hurt him by punching him until he bleed. at first I thought it was a joke But then after school I saw it was true. Carlos was Beaten by Billy. Five years later in the eighth grade them both were in the same class together and so was I. I prayed for Billy not to notice me or Carlos. But Unfortunately Billy noticed Carlos and not me. Billy looked at Carlos with a "I'm going to kill you Face. I was going to defend Carlos But then I got scared that he was going to punch me so I then minded my business.

Then The Bell Rang AND The teacher came in Billy Yelled to Carlos "your so Freaking lucky". So One Day Carlos Made a new FaceBook profile he saw all of his Classmates. Carlos Did Not have any Friends except me. Billy had a FaceBook to so he got ON AND he noticed Carlos made one so Billy sent him a FRIEND request. Carlos Did NOT accept it so then Billy got mad AND went to his timeline AND wrote that he is a "Chump," "Punk", and animal. The Next Day in CLASS everyBODY looked like him if he were a Animal. In lunch everyBODY cornered him AND they threw his lunch at him AND things AND called him a "ugly Dirty animal". Carlos got so Depressed he Became Sick AND Spent a week in the hospital. I Felt really Bad For him and honestly I was Scared. I Wished he would NOT feel the Pain. Carlos Returned TO School AND

ENDED UP having a Bad Day, he returned to his home sobbing and then he made a video of him saying that everybody hated him and he did not know why, so then he said "So you people want me dead well I guess this is goodbye." I saw the video and rushed to his house across the street. Luckily he was still alive. I called his mother, then I gave him advice not to kill himself because he was about to hang himself. I told him that he would lose everything and that his parents would've been depressed. So then he did not do it and went to a counselor in the hospital. Then everything became normal. I was proud to have stopped Carlos from committing suicide. The next year later I became a counselor at the high school. I was glad I did the right thing.