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Fiction story · about 145 words

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He thought about how he would feel if he were Ellie. Then he had an idea. He bought one cone with two scoops and asked for two spoons. "We can share," he said. Ellie grinned. They sat on the steps and ate it together before it could melt.

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   C. a girl buys an ice cream truck D. a boy finds money at the park

2. **Detail:** How much did a cone cost?

   A. one dollar B. fifty cents C. five dollars D. two dollars

3. **Inference:** Why was Ellie sad?

   A. She lost her money. B. She did not like ice cream. C. She fell off her bike. D. She was sick.

4. **Sequence:** What did Jordan do before deciding to share?

   A. ate the whole cone B. asked his mom for money C. went home
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