

## An Embarrassing Moment



It was the day I went shopping with my sister. She was 14 and I was 13. We were at Dundrum going to shop. Dundrum was packed. The smell of perfume wafted through the air around us as if it was meant to be there. The sun was beaming through the clouds in the bright blue sky. All I could hear was chatter chatter all around me and I saw people everywhere I turned. People sitting, standing, walking and laughing all around me.

I was coming out of McDonalds at the time, and an hour before my sister and I arrived it had been bucketing rain. Knowing me, I slipped and fell at the door of the Dundrum entrance. Everyone saw me! My sister laughed and didn't even think of helping me. People gazed at me wanting to burst into tears with laughter. Worst of all my McFlurry from McDonalds splattered everywhere, out of my hands and onto the ground. I was mortified.

In the end I got up as if nothing happened and I ignored the accident like a stubborn child. I could feel my face burning on the inside like a hot red flame. I was a tiger locked in a cage at the zoo with everyone watching me as they strolled by. I felt pain shooting up my leg like an arrow shot right through me. I was also really paranoid at the time because of my McFlurry splattering everywhere. I quickly but slyly checked my coat and jeans while trying to act casual, but I carried on with the rest of my beautiful Saturday evening shopping with my broken leg.

Looking back at it now I want to burry my head in muck and hide away forever... but I think it was also very funny. If it had been anyone else I saw slip

and fall with their McFlurry flying around I wouldn't even remember it the day after. Hopefully it's disappeared from everyone's mind as if it was zapped into the open skies and trapped there forever.