



Johnny Lizard

See ~~Johnny~~ Johnny lizard up high on the ceiling? He can see into every room in the house. Johnny can walk upside down, right up the sides of the walls and any way you can think of. He is a good friend of Father Christmas. He tells Father Christmas who are the good little children and who are the bad ones. And you know that the good boys and girls get lovely toys and gifts on Christmas morning.

One morning when Joe woke up he went to the front room and opened all the windows. As he



opened one window he saw Johnny run out quick and fall out onto the concrete below. And when Joe looked, he saw a tiny piece of Johnny's tail caught in the window. Joe took up the end of Johnny's tail and ran down the stairs to help the lizard. Poor Johnny was going around in circles, but when Joe approached him he ran to hide under a big rock. When Joe went to lift the rock, Johnny ran away again. Joe tried and tried to give Johnny back his tail. But Johnny didn't want it. That is the story of how Johnny lizard lost his tail and never got it back again.