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Sheila Herndon — 07 Mar 2001, 16:43

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Alex David Groce — 07 Mar 2001, 21:11 · follows Sheila Herndon

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Well, it leaves a lot to be desired as an explanation (since Hoof's section is so different) but even though these kids haven't had a strong literary education, Hoof and Hide were raised by (and Daisy taught by one of) the authors of The Book of Silk.

"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32

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