

22. WHEN WE FOUND OUT THAT HE DID NOT LIKE TO GET HIMSELF "DIRTY", Dave put a little seat on one corner of the sandbox for Davidito to sit on so that he could scoop the sand with his tools and not have to get the sand on himself.

23. ALFRED MAKES A BIG PLAYHOUSE OF CUSHIONS out in the yard, and they have enjoyed hours of fun climbing and jumping and bouncing from one to the other.



24. THE LOCAL VILLAGE CARPENTER FINISHED DAVIDITO'S NEW PLAYTOWER! Mommy got the idea from a childcare equipment catalogue, and for only  $\frac{1}{2}$  the price the local carpenter made it for us from simple beechwood. Davidito learned to climb up the slide



all by himself and slide down on his tummy feet-first, which is much safer for a little child.



"I like Daddy's magic wand!"

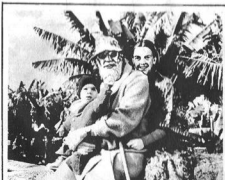
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--Chapter 21 of "It's a Boy!"--The Story of Little David Continued.

1. TIME WITH MOMMY AND DADDY: MOMMY WENT TO TOWN SHOPPING WITH US TO BUY A NEW PAIR OF SHOES FOR DAVIDITO. She said it is very important when riding in a car with a toddler to always support his neck with your hand when they are standing up and looking out the back window. Always hold the child securely when he is sitting in your lap in case the car has to stop suddenly.

2. ONE NIGHT AT DINNER DADDY SAID TO DAVIDITO, "YOU'RE SO BEAUTIFUL, YOU COULD BE A GIRL!" I never would have minded you being a boy if I had known you were going to be so beautiful. And that hair was a nice surprise, wasn't it, Honey? I've never seen such beautiful hair!"

3. DADDY OFTEN USED TO CRY A LITTLE BIT AS HE'D WATCH DAVIDITO PLAY and think about the days when he would be a big grown boy and not a cute little baby any more.



4. ONE SPECIAL AFTERNOON DADDY TOOK DAVIDITO ON A LITTLE EXCURSION IN THE BANANA FIELDS. First he showed Davidito the boiler room where all the big motor noises came from. They walked around the irrigation pond and watched the men working in the banana field.

5. DADDY SAID TO US ONE EVENING WHEN WE WERE TRYING TO