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The following story is dedicated to Bill Cranshaw.

TRYING TO GET IN TOUCH WITH HER

We've been out of touch for a long time now,
though she's not far away—
upstairs, in a corner of the room,
in a jar.

But she would be so excited to hear this!
She would be so proud—
of her grand-daughter's new job.
And so much other news by now—

I will just have to get through to her
somehow.