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Going Up!: Elevators and Engineering

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I like to ride the *elevator*up to Grandma's floor.
I press a button, number 10,
and close the gliding the *door*.

The elevator *motor* hums.

I feel a gentle bump.

A *pulley* and a *counter weight* lift me up, up, up!

1-2-3-4-5, I count.

The numbers flash and then, we briefly pause on *number 6*.

...7-8-9-10!

[Ding!]

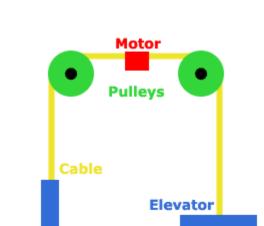
We bake cookies, watch a show.

All too soon it's time to go.

Bye, bye, Grandma! Love you so!

Riding down is oh-so-fun:

10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1!



Counterweight

