## Facts and Opinions: Goliath Birdeater

Janet went on vacation and saw something terrifying. She wrote about it in her journal. Underline sentences that are facts in black. Underline sentences that are opinions in orange.

I think South America has the scariest spiders ever! While hiking yesterday, I saw a huge spider that was black and furry. Mom told me that it's a Goliath birdeater, one of the largest spiders in the world. It is a type of tarantula and lives in the rainforests of South America. It got its name when a scientist saw it eating a hummingbird. I'm glad I didn't see it eating anything! It is harmless to humans, just like most other tarantulas. Their sting is only a little bit poisonous to humans. I'm relieved that Goliath birdeaters only live in South America. It'll be cool to tell all my friends back home about seeing this giant spider.

Write a sentence about your opinion of the Goliath birdeater.				
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