



### Patty's Pennies

In Patty's room was a little blue pig.  
In the blue pig were some pennies.  
Patty wanted the pennies.

She wanted to get something  
for her mother's birthday.

Up and down went the blue pig,  
and out came some pennies.

Bump, bump! Bump, bump, bump!  
One, two, three, four, five!

Away ran Patty to get something  
for her mother's birthday.



Soon Patty saw what she wanted.

"This blue one is pretty," she said.

"The red one is pretty, too.

I cannot say which one  
my mother will like."

Patty looked and looked and looked.

At last she said, "I will take  
the red one, please.

It is very, very pretty.

It will make Mother happy."





Patty looked in her pocket, but her five pennies were not there.

"Oh, I lost my pennies," she said.

"Maybe they are back home in my room.

I must run back and look for my five pennies.

I will run very, very fast."

Patty went so fast that she ran into a man on the walk.

She ran into Big Bill!

"Oh, Big Bill!" said Patty.

"I am on my way back home to look for my five pennies.

They were all in my pocket. But now they are lost."

"Let me see!" said Big Bill.

"You have two pockets.

Look in that little pocket."







"Yes, here they are!" said Patty.

"Here they are in my little pocket!

One, two, three, four, five!

Now I can get something pretty  
for Mother's birthday.

Thank you, Big Bill, thank you."

Big Bill laughed.

Then he said, "I have found pennies  
on the walks and on the streets.

But this is the very first time  
I have found pennies in a pocket."

# Friends at Work

