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Billy the Intelligent Dog

In the 1950s, there was a single, middle-aged man named Norman and he lived in a small apartment. One day, he adopted a dog named Billy. When Norman brought Billy home, he was worried if Billy would make a mess at home. However, Billy put his worries to rest.

When Norman was working at his office, Billy was at home alone, but he was very smart. He could take care of himself. Norman left some snacks for him before he went to work. He was worried about Billy who might eat all the snacks at once, but Billy managed to control his appetite and not overeat.

Norman also left a grocery list at home. It included the food items he needed to make his dinner. One day, Norman still hadn't arrived home at 6:45pm, but he was supposed to be at home at 6 pm. Billy thought Norman was beaver away at his work and he must be exhausted. Therefore, Billy took the keys, a bag and the grocery list and went to the market. When Norman went home, he saw his dog was in front of the door with the food Billy just bought from the market. Surprised and impressed, Norman was grateful to Billy and was proud of him.

The next day, Norman had an important meeting and he had to propose his idea to his grumpy boss. When Norman left home, he forgot to bring the important documents. Billy saw the documents and he delivered them to Norman's office as fast as he could. Fortunately, he arrived just in time when Norman was about to enter the conference room.

In the end, Norman successfully presented his idea to his boss and the boss was glad. The boss said, "Norman, tomorrow, we will talk about your promotion." Excited and elated, Norman thanked Billy for his loyalty. To thank Billy, Norman bought a lot of delicious snacks for Billy. Billy was very happy to be Norman's pet and they lived

happily ever after.