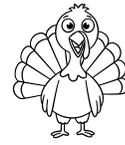


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Tommy And The Talking Turkey



Tommy was not excited about Thanksgiving. "It's just sitting around with old people and eating too much food," he grumbled as his mom packed the car.

When they arrived at Grandma's house, the smell of pumpkin pie filled the air. But Tommy still sighed loudly. "No Wi-Fi, no fun," he mumbled.

Grandma smiled. "Oh, Tommy, you might be surprised by what you find here."

Later, while walking in the backyard, Tommy saw something strange—a big turkey wearing a little red scarf! "Whoa! A turkey with style?" he whispered.

"Style and speed!" said the turkey suddenly.

Tommy jumped back. "You can talk?!"

"Of course I can," said the turkey, flapping his wings proudly. "My name's Theo. And you, young man, look like you need some Thanksgiving spirit."

Tommy crossed his arms. "I don't see what's so special about Thanksgiving."

Theo gobbled and said, "It's not about food, it's about thanks! You've got a family that loves you, a warm home, and—" he looked at Tommy's sneakers—"really nice shoes!"

Tommy laughed for the first time that day. "Thanks, Theo. I guess you're right. Maybe I should try being thankful instead of grumpy."

When he went back inside, he hugged Grandma and helped her set the table. That night, Tommy said, "I'm thankful for Grandma's pie... and for funny talking turkeys."

Outside, Theo fluffed his feathers and winked. "Mission accomplished," he whispered.

1-Why was Tommy unhappy about going to Grandma's house?

2-What made Tommy laugh for the first time that day?

3-What lesson did Theo the turkey teach Tommy?

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4-How did Tommy show he had changed?

5-What was Tommy thankful for at the end of the story?

Where did Tommy and his family go for Thanksgiving?

- a) The park
- b) Grandma's house
- c) A restaurant
- d) The beach

What was the name of the turkey Tommy met?

- a) Timmy
- b) Theo
- c) Toby
- d) Tucker



Why did Theo say Thanksgiving was important?

- a) It's about giving thanks, not just food
- b) It's about watching TV
- c) It's about sleeping all day
- d) It's about shopping

What did Tommy do to help Grandma?

- a) Cooked the turkey
- b) Set the table
- c) Washed the car
- d) Fed the dog

What did Theo say when Tommy finally understood the meaning of Thanksgiving?

- a) "Let's eat!"
- b) "Mission accomplished!"
- c) "Run for your life!"
- d) "Good night, Tommy!"