



# Addie

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One day Hailey and Kathryn were having a sleepover. They were having the best time. They were jumping on the trampoline, playing on the Xbox, and they were eating the best pizza ever. That same day they were playing baseball in the front yard. The baseball rolled into the main street. Hailey went to get it. She hollered “Hey, Kathryn, come here,” Kathryn went over to the main street.

“Oh my, there is a dog suffering in that car.”

“Should we save it or let the owner get it?”

“Let's save it so it does not die in there.”

“Ok let's take it home.”

Hailey and Kathryn got the dog out of the car and brought it inside, then made a bowl of food and water for the dog. They put a folded blanket on the floor and they said that could be its bed for tonight. When they were getting ready for bed they heard the dog whining. They went to check on the dog. When they got there the dog had a cut on its leg. Kathryn and Hailey were very concerned about what could have caused the cut. Hailey called her mom to ask for some help. Hailey’s mom put a healing rap on the dog's leg and then it was time for bed, so they went to bed. It was the next day and they went to see how the dog was doing.

The dog seemed like it was doing way better. They took it for a walk and they saw the dog limping a little. They said, “The dog was just recovering. It is going to be ok.” It was time to go home. When they got home they called the vet and said, “we have an injured dog.” The vet said, “Ok, come to the vet clinic.”

When they got to the vet clinic, the doctor said, “your dog has a really infected cut on his leg, if we don't treat it now you might have to put your dog to sleep.” Hailey and Kathryn said, “ok, we will treat it now.”

They took the dog to the operating room. They put the dog on a bed, the doctor said, “you girls had to go out of the room so the vet could do surgery on the dog.” While they were waiting room they wondered why they did not name the dog yet. At the same time they said, “Addie,” they didn't know why they said the name at the same time but they did. They started to crack up. After a few minutes the doctor called them into the operating room to go get Addie. The doctor said, “She made it through the operation nicely. You can bring her home now. They got to the house and let her lie down and take a nap. When she woke up she was walking better than normal. She got up, took a drink of water, and started scratching the back door. We opened the back door for her and she started running all around the yard. It was like a dream come true. She went to the bathroom then came back inside to play with us. She was finally better. For the rest of her life, she did not have any problems with her leg.