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Philip on the ship



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**Philip travels
by ship with
Grandma.
On the deck
he finds a puppy.**

**He searches for the owner,
but it is not that easy.
Philip cannot find his grandmother
and soon he is lost himself.
And the puppy runs away...**



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Chapter 1

My name is Philip.
Today is my birthday.
I love cakes.
Mum has baked a huge cake.
It has a lot of whipped cream
and strawberries.

On top are small candles
which I soon can lit.
Immediately after that
I will blow them out.
Then I can make a wish.
I wish for a...

No, I am not going to tell you!
You are not allowed to tell before
what you wish!

I have a big party today
and all our relatives are invited.
They all sit around the table
and talk.
Grandmother and grandfather
are sitting on the sofa.
Dad is making coffee for the guests.

– Philip, talk to your cousins,
Mum says to me.

I have five cousins
and they are all girls.
They are terribly boring.
What should I talk to them about?

They like horses
and talk only about horses.
And they smell of horses.

Ugh! I can't stand horses
and most of all I dislike
the smell of them.

I don't want to talk to my cousins.
I want to speak to Grandma.
She is Dad's mum.
– Grandma is on her way, says Dad.
The train is late.

I like Grandma,
because she understands me.
Grandma never mopes or gets angry.
But where is she?

The door bell rings.
Grandma is coming!
– Now, get the cake, Mum calls.
– Philip, lit the candles on the cake,
Dad says.
I fetch a box with matches
and lit the candles.

– Such nice candles, Grandma says.
Blow them out and wish for something!

