

Gabby 10/9/19

## Dog man Story

The man is named Officer Knight and the golden retriever name is George. They were cops and the police chief has new couch in the police station. The chief called, "All cops! Come and see my new couch in my office!" The chief said, "Oh boy! This gonna be great!" Then he opened the door and he saw Officer

Knight and George on his new couch. The chief shouted, “Hey! There was the dirty shoes and dog drool on my couch! Stay away of my couch! Get Out!” The officer and the dog walked out of the police station. The orange cat named Petey saw the officer and the dog were walking outside and he said, “Uh oh. They are back. I made a bomb.” Petey was carry with the bomb and put it on the

ground. He called, “Help! There was a bomb!” He ran away and they rushed to the bomb. He said, “Can we cut the wire in the bomb?” Everyone felt very tense. A bomb is serious. Many people could get hurt. The brave police officer had special training. He found the wire. He cut it carefully. The bomb was disabled (it wouldn’t work anymore.). He felt tired after the stressful work, but the brave officer,

Knight, stood up and said, “Find that orange cat. He should not have done this. He is unsafe to have in the community.”

The dog found out that the orange cat was escaping the jail and he said, “Catch me if you can! Hahaha!”

This made the dog angry. He bounded after the orange cat. He got his mouth close to the cat’s tail a couple of times. Then he gathered all his strength and leaped at

the cat once more. Hurrah!  
He had that scoundrel cat.  
The cat said, “Let me go!  
Let me go!” The dog pulled  
the cat to the jail and the  
dog barked at Petey. The  
police officer said, “You save  
the day! You are my hero!”

The orange cat shivered in  
the jail cell. He knew he had  
been bad. He wondered  
what would happen to him.  
After a few days, the dog  
and Knight came and took

him to the courthouse. He appeared before (in front of) the judge. A lion named Courage was sitting at a table and told the cat to sit next to him. “My name is Courage. I will be your lawyer. You are in big trouble, my friend, but I will help you. Be respectful to the judge and answer all of the questions.” Petey said, “I want to be a free cat. I must be nice to others.” The judge agreed. The judge said, “I

agree that you must be nice to others. But you have to go through your trial. Have you seen the movie, “To Kill A Mockingbird?” Remember the trial in the movie. This will be like that. Courage will be your lawyer. There will be a jury who will decide whether you did something wrong or not and decide how to punish you if you did. There will be another lawyer who will accuse you of your

crime. Do you understand?”  
Petey said, “I understand.”  
The jury came in and took  
their seat. There were 12 of  
them. There were 4 cats, 4  
dogs and 4 frogs on the jury.  
The dogs and frogs did not  
like cats.

The other lawyer, a bear  
named Edmund stood up.  
He said, “This cat, Petey,  
has done something very  
dangerous and wrong. He  
put a bomb on the ground.  
He should go to jail.”

Then Courage stood up. He had to defend Petey. He said, “Not guilty.” Petey said, “I promise I will be happy to help them in the community.”

The jury left the courtroom. They thought about what Petey had said. They thought about how serious it is to set off a bomb. Many people could have been hurt. They came back and they said, “Petey, you will have to go to jail for 5 years.

After that you will have to meet with Knight once a month and show the community that you know how to behave.” Petey said, “Ok then. I will do it.”

While Petey was in jail his friends and family missed him. His nephew, Tom, really missed him. Tom was a mischievous kitten who liked to play with yarn. He could also talk. One day, he was outside when a teenage girl came by and picked him

up. Her name was Alice. She said, “You are a bad kitty! Get out of my room!” This hurt Tom’s feelings. He had been hoping that Alice would snuggle with him. He had been hoping that Alice would give him cat treats. He had been hoping that he and Alice would be friends. He said, “I’m not a bad kitty! I’m pretty cute!” Alice was so surprised she almost dropped Tom. She said, “You can talk!”

Tom said, “Duh!” Alice said, “I’m so sorry for hurt your feelings. Are we still friends?” Tom said, “Yes!”

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Alice said, “Oh. I like that you are talking.” Someone is knocked at the door. Alice said, “Who is it?” Alice opened the door. It was Caldwell family, Petey and Dog man.

Alice was delighted to see the Caldwells, Petey and Dogman, but Tom was not.

He shrieked and said, “Do not let that dog in here! He will eat me! Tell them to go home!” Alice said, “Tom. This is Dogman. He wants to see you.”

Tom said, “I don’t care. I am afraid of dogs. Tell him to go home. Tell him to GO!” Gabby said, “he is right. Cats hates dogs so much. Sorry Dogman. Tom hates dogs like you.”

Angelica had been listening. She could not believe what her big sister was saying. She said, “Gabby! Don’t make dogman go. Please! There has to be a way to work this out. Maybe you can negotiate with Tom.”

Gabby said, “Tom. You must be nice to Dogman. There is your uncle is Petey the cat.”

Uncle Petey said, “Yes, Tom, be nice to Petey.”

But Tom was too scared.

He jumped on top of

Gabby's head and hissed at Dogman.

Gabby said, "This will never work. Mom what should I do?"

Mom said, "Gabby, think of what will make Tom feel safe if Dogman is here."

Gabby said, "What if we go to the 1980s to see my friend: Molly. Molly has a dog."

Tom thought about Gabby's suggestion. Two dogs did not sound good to him. But

he had an idea. “Okay. I’ll go on the time machine. What if Dogman stayed in a different room on the ship? And how about if the other dog stayed away from me too?”

Gabby said, “We would go to the 1980’s. But you are the kitten. You can’t go. Dogman, Petey, and her family go to the 1980’s. I have an idea. You will come but be careful the 1980’s

has dog catchers and angry dogs at the backyards in the neighborhood.”

Tom didn't know what to think. A long ride on a space ship with a talking dog? Fierce dogs in backyards who hated cats? As much as he hated all that, he did not want to miss out on a ride to the 1980s in a time machine. He said, “Ok. I'll go. But HE...” He pointed to Dogman “has to stay away from me. Please

Gabby I want that big talking dog to stay far away from me. What do you say?"

Gabby said, "ok! We promise." They went into the 1980's house. Gabby went into the kitty room. Gabby put Tom on the cat bed.

Gabby said, "Be safe Tom." Gabby saw the Dogman turned into the dog that can't talk to the people."

There were two teenagers walking down the sidewalk

as Gabby and her family finished pushing the time machine behind a tree.

Dogman barked at them and one of the girls, Sarah, said, “What a cute puppy! What’s his name?”

Gabby said, “this is Dogman.” The two girls laughed, “Dogman is the funny name. try other name not Dogman.”

Angelica was little and not as patient as Gabby. She thought that the girls were

rude. “Dogman is a good name!” she said to Sarah. “We don’t need to rename our dog just because you said to.”

Sarah said, “Ok then. Gabby. That was cool. That dog is **the** coolest.”

Gabby was not sure what she thought about Sarah. It had been pretty rude to say that she did not like Dogman’s name. But the other girl, Mya, seemed nice. Gabby said, “Sarah and

Mya, we are new here. What is there to do in this town?”

Mya said, “We are the teenage girls. We loves shopping and 80’s stuff. Wanna be my new best friend?” Gabby said, “Yes! How about if we go to shopping at the mall before lunch?”

Mya thought about Gabby’s suggestion. She loved shopping but she didn’t have any money. She said, “I love to shop Gabby, but I

don't get paid until the end of the month. I have a job at the coffee shop. How about if we watch TV at my house instead?"

Gabby said, "Yes! I have a TV at my house. Want to come over?" Mya said, "Sure." Mya, Sarah, and Gabby watched TV at her house. Mya heard Gabby's telephone was ringing. Mya said, "I get it."

Angelica and Gabby looked at each other. They didn't

know what to think. It was very strange to offer to answer the phone at someone else's house.

Angelica whispered, "That's weird, Gabby."

Gabby said, "Shh! She might hear you. We don't want to hurt her feelings."

Then Gabby said, "That's okay, Mya. It's our house. I'll answer the phone."

Gabby **picked** up the phone and she said, "Hello. How can I help you?" It was

Mya's dad. Mya's dad said, "Hi Gabby. I need to talk my daughter. My daughter has a job this afternoon."

Gabby called, "Mya! It's your dad. He wants to talk to you!"

Mya did not really want to get up. In the 1980s you could only watch things one time and you couldn't back the shows up and watch again if you missed something. She said, "Please ask him if it's okay if

I call him when the show is over?”

Gabby said, “What if she calls you in 5 minutes? She really likes this show.”