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The Closet Monster's Bedtime Magic



Meet Max, a curious 3rd grader with a big imagination. Max loved bedtime stories, but sometimes his active imagination got the best of him. The darkness in his room made him think of scary monsters hiding in his closet.

One night, as Max was about to drift off to sleep, he heard a soft, friendly voice coming from his closet. "Hi there, Max! My name is Milo, and I'm your closet monster."

Max peeked out from under his blanket and saw two big, round eyes glowing in the darkness of the closet. Milo had teal fur, two long arms, and a big, toothy grin. Instead of being scared, Max felt a warm and comforting presence.

Milo explained, "I'm here to help you with your bedtime fears, Max. I'll scare away all the scary thoughts and make sure you have sweet dreams."

From that night on, Max and Milo became the best of friends. Milo used his magic powers to create a gentle, soothing light in Max's room, banishing the scary shadows. He told Max funny and adventurous bedtime stories that made Max forget all about his fears.

One night, Max asked Milo, "Why do you live in my closet?"

Milo chuckled and replied, "I live here because I want to help kids like you have a peaceful night's sleep. It's my special mission to make bedtime fun and not scary."

Max felt grateful to have such a friendly and helpful monster as his bedtime companion. With Milo by his side, bedtime became his favorite time of the day.