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Pok Pok is a kangaroo.

Kangaroos love to hop.



Pok Pok hopped from here to there and almost everywhere, but Pok Pok didn't have anyone to hop around with.

One day Mommy said to Pok Pok, "I'm going to have a baby and soon you will have a friend to play with."



Pok Pok jumped for joy and shouted, "Oh, boy, oh, boy!"

But Mommy said, "No, Pok Pok, it won't be a boy. This time it will be a girl."

Pok Pok was so happy and could not wait. Waiting was very hard. Time seemed to move so slow when waiting for good things to happen.



Pok Pok laid his head on Mommy's belly and tried to be patient.

“Is it time yet, Mommy?” Mommy said, “No, not yet, Pok Pok, but very soon now. Can you help me do the chores while we’re waiting?”



Pok Pok hopped over to help water Mommy’s plants.



Next he helped  
by washing the  
dishes.

Mommy said, "Very good job, Pok Pok."

Pok Pok saw Mommy getting Baby Girl's bed ready for her arrival. Pok Pok peeked over the side of the crib, but it was empty.



Pok Pok asked Mommy again, "Is it time yet?" "No, not yet. You can go play now, Pok Pok." Pok Pok played his favorite game of imagining big adventures. He pretended he was a pirate sailing the seven seas.



This pretend game only made Pok Pok more eager to have Baby Girl to play the imagination game with.

Then one day Mommy and Daddy were very excited. Daddy said, "Come on, Pok Pok. You can ride in Baby Girl's special car seat. We're going to the hospital now to get Baby Girl."



Daddy buckled Pok Pok in the special seat, and Pok Pok played his pretend game of imagining he was an astronaut.



They arrived at the big building called the hospital.

Pok Pok hopped so high with joy that he landed right in Baby Girl's little crib.



Pok Pok thought that seeing his new friend Baby Girl for the first time was the best adventure he had ever had!

Pok Pok told Baby Girl how much he loves her. This gave Baby Girl big happy smiles because she loves her new friend, Pok Pok, too!



Together they imagined all the new adventures they would have.

