

## Pony's Bath

One day, Little Girl walked out to Pony's paddock. Little Girl took an apple for Pony and a cookie for herself. Pony ate the apple while Little Girl ate the cookie. Little Girl patted Pony's neck.

"You are dusty, Pony," said Little Girl, "You need a bath." Little Girl got a bucket of warm water, a scrub brush, and Pony's shampoo.

She scrubbed Pony with warm, sudsy water. The dirt and dust and loose hair all washed off Pony and onto Little Girl. Little Girl poured clean water over Pony to rinse her off.

Next, Little Girl scrubbed all over Pony with a towel. Then she brushed Pony's hair all smooth. The loose hair stuck to Little Girl's wet skin. Next, she used a special comb to get the tangles and dirt out of Pony's mane and tail.

Pony relaxed in the sun and enjoyed her bath.

Finally, Little Girl cleaned all the dirt out of Pony's hooves. The dirt came out of Pony's hooves and onto Little Girl. Pony looked so clean and shiny standing in the sunshine that Little Girl put a flower in Pony's mane.

Who needed a bath next?