

## Pony Goes Shopping

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One day Little Girl came out to Pony's little barn. Little Girl brought an apple for Pony and a cookie for herself.

“We have an important job,” she said. Pony swished her tail. Little Girl went into Pony's tack room and got Pony's panniers. They were two baskets that hung on either side of Pony's body. Little Girl put them on Pony and made sure they were comfy. She led Pony out of her paddock by a blue rope.

Little Girl led Pony up their long driveway. They carefully watched to see that there were no cars, then walked out onto the lane. They walked to the next house. Mrs. Farmer was there selling good things to eat at the farm stand.

Little Girl gave Mrs. Farmer money from her pocket. Mrs. Farmer put twelve long, green, leafy things in Pony's panniers. Little Girl could see some golden yellow kernels peeking out from between the green leaves.

Pony and Little Girl walked back to Little Girl's house and gave the twelve things to Mamma. They walked to Pony's little barn and put away the panniers. Little Girl brushed Pony.

What did Little Girl have for supper that night?