

## Tiffany & Atto

You have already heard the story of Tiffany and Atto when they went flying at Halloween but this is the story of when Tiffany and Atto met for the very first time!

It was 4 years ago when Tiffany was only 3.

It was Tiffany's 3rd birthday. She was no longer a baby. She was a proper little girl. Her Aunt Gem came to visit her and brought her a special present. Tiffany touched the package which was tied with a big purple bow. It was a soft. She tore off the wrapping paper and saw a black fluffy toy. She pulled it out of the paper.

Tiffany saw the most beautiful little kitten. It was all black. Soft black ears, tiny black paws and a long black tail. She picked it up and hugged it tight to her chest.

"Thank you Aunt Gem," said Tiffany happily. "I love him!"

"I'm glad," replied Aunt Gem. "Now put him away. We are going out for lunch."

Tiffany started to cry. "I want to bring him with me! Please please!"

Aunt Gem smiled and put the toy kitten in her handbag.

Aunt Gem took Tiffany to a special restaurant and they had fish and chips. After lunch Aunt Gem let Tiffany play with her new toy while she drank a cup of coffee.

After the restaurant, they went to a park. Aunt Gem sat on a park bench but Tiffany sat on the grass and played with her new toy.

That evening Tiffany watched some of her favourite cartoons on TV but she had her toy kitten sitting on her lap.

At night, Aunt Gem put Tiffany to bed and Tiffany took her toy cat with her. She put it on the pillow beside her bed. Tiffany was very tired. She kissed her toy cat on the nose. "I'm going to call you Atto. I love you Atto." Tiffany fell asleep.

She slept all night.

In the morning Tiffany woke to feel a soft head against her cheek, then she heard a soft meooooow.

She opened her eyes in shock. "Atto! You're alive!!!!"

She sat up in her bed and cradled the little kitten in her arms. He was so soft and so beautiful. His eyes were a deep green. Tiffany couldn't believe it. The toy cat she loved so much was alive!

She jumped out of bed with Atto in her arms and ran down the stairs.

"Mummy mummy, Aunt Gem! Atto is alive!"

