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The Little Prince Celebrates Christmas

Many years have passed since the Little Prince left Earth ...

The Little Prince returns - at Christmas. He is looking for the pilot. On Earth, he learns a lot about Christmas and even more about people. However, he does not find the pilot, but hears about his death. Deeply saddened, he tries to come to terms with the fact that his friend no longer exists. What helps him is the discovery of the book about the Little Prince, which he makes on Christmas Eve.

This is of great comfort to him, because good stories live forever.





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