**An unusual friend**

John was born in 2002 in Jacksonville. Everyone at school thought he was weird. He always sat alone and was often ill. The only thing that pointed out in him – round glasses like Harry Potter’s one, for which he received the nickname "Harry from AliExpress".

John lived his boring life and could not even bargain for that one day he would want to pick up his existence. In 8th grade, his class went on an excursion to the zoo, where he realized his love for unusual animals. He saw them as true loyal friends. He showed particular interest in a variety of beetles.

Arriving home, he begged his mother to take home some spider or ants, but ironically, his mother hated bugs (in fact, she was just afraid of them). He tried to persuade her for a long time. Every day, for a month, he asked his mother for permission to buy him a beetle. Once she got tired of it and she set him a condition under which she would buy him a beetle. She said: "You will get a bug only if you pass the exam for the maximum score". From that day on, John took on to prepare for the test.

Day X has come. “Harry” saw through and scored the best result on the exam. So, his mother had to fulfill her promise and let her son buy a beetle. His happiness knew no bounds!

The next day John went to the pet store. He had been choosing a friend for a long time, when he ran into a bizarre centipede. The salesman told John that she could talk and "Harry" bought it without thinking twice.

«Harry» came home, fed her and said:

- Are we going for a walk?

\*She is silent\*

- Are we going for a walk or not?

\*Centipede is silent again\*

The man becomes furious:

- What the hell! What kind of talking centipede are you?!

- Quiet, damn it. I'm putting on my shoes...

The end.