

The friendship

Whenever Henry Wilt took the dog for a walk, or, to be more accurate, when the dog took him, or, to be exact, when Mrs. Wilt told them both to go and take themselves out of the house so that she could do her yoga exercises, he always took the same route. In fact the dog followed the route and Wilt followed the dog. Henry was blind so he needed the dog to go everywhere. He was a bit lazy and, for this reason, he and his dog didn't go for a walk very often. But when he had to, the dog guided him from his house to the mountains. The dog had a developed sense of orientation so they never got lost. Henry loved going to the mountain. There, he could smell the fresh and clean air, he could feel the humidity from the trees, and he could hear the silence. Because of his blindness, Henry developed his tact and his hearing. He could hear things that a normal person couldn't, and he could distinguish different objects with only touching them. He had an excellent relationship with his dog, in fact, he was his best friend. They were all the day together so they knew everything about each other. When one of them had a problem, the other one helped him.

The problems began when the dog got ill. Henry couldn't do anything without him and he didn't know how to help the dog. The days went by and he wasn't recovering. Unfortunately, he died. When Henry heard about the bad news, he didn't know how to react. You could see the desperation in his face. After his death, Henry got depressed. He stopped doing all the activities he used to do: he didn't go to the mountain, he didn't go to the city center, and he replaced his healthy diet for junk food. His friends and family tried to help him but they didn't manage to accomplish it. He tried to go to a psychologist, but there wasn't any results. The days got worse and worse. He was tired of this type of life full of ignorance and fake people. He missed him and he wanted to see his old friend, and revive the good old days. For this reason, he decided to commit suicide by jumping from a building.

He could finally see his dog,

eagle