

"It's Just What I've Always Wanted"

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Characters:

1. Tommy: An excited child
2. Mom
3. Dad
4. Grandma

(Scene: Christmas morning. Tommy rushes downstairs in pajamas, eyes wide with excitement.)

Tommy: (jumping up and down) It's Christmas! It's Christmas! Where's my big present?

Mom: (smiling) Slow down, Tommy. Let's start with this one from Grandma.

(Tommy tears open a small package)

Tommy: (forcing a smile) Oh... socks. Thanks, Grandma.

Grandma: (beaming) I knitted them myself!

Tommy: (under his breath) Just what I always wanted... foot prisons.

Dad: Here's another one, sport!

(Tommy opens it eagerly)

Tommy: (deflating) Underwear? Really?

Mom: You can never have too many pairs, honey.

Tommy: (sarcastically) Wow, how did Santa know I was running low on tighty-whities?

Dad: There's one more big one behind the tree!

(Tommy's eyes light up as he rushes to the large box)

Tommy: This is it! My new bike!

(He rips open the paper and opens the box)

Tommy: (confused) It's... it's...

Mom: A vacuum cleaner!

Tommy: (staring in disbelief) A vacuum cleaner?

Dad: (proudly) It's top of the line! Look, it even has attachments for hard-to-reach places!

Tommy: (dramatically) Oh joy! Just what I've always wanted! A way to clean my room more efficiently!

Grandma: (clapping) How wonderful! Now you can help your mother around the house!

Tommy: (to the audience, deadpan) Merry Christmas to me. I got socks, underwear, and chores.

(Tommy picks up the vacuum and starts dramatically cleaning)

Tommy: (overly enthusiastic) Look at me go! I'm having the best Christmas ever! Who needs a bike when you can have the thrill of vacuuming?

(Parents and Grandma exchange confused looks as Tommy continues his sarcastic cleaning spree)

Tommy: (singing off-key) Jingle bells, jingle bells, vacuuming all day! Oh what fun it is to clean on Christmas Day, hey!

(Curtain falls as Tommy continues his cleaning performance)