

MIA, THE PUPPY



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It was a beautiful sunny day when a family abandoned a puppy in the streets because they had no means of raising it.



Meanwhile, a little boy called Daniel went to the playground to have some fun. But then, he heard a dog crying and went to see what was going on. That's when he found a tiny puppy sitting in a corner.



When Daniel saw the poor puppy, his heart was filled with compassion, and he decided to bring the puppy, whom he named Mia, home with him.

When he arrived home with the dog, his mother didn't like it. They already had a cat, a fish, and a bird. Daniel's mom said he had to take Mia back to the streets.



Daniel decided to create a shelter for Mia. He got some cardboard boxes to make a small house and called his friends to help him provide her with water and food.



After weeks of caring for her, a man called Luiz found Mia and adopted her for his daughter, Nicole. Daniel was so sad, but at the same time happy because Mia had found a new home.

A few days later, Luiz called Daniel's mom, asking if she was interested in Mia because the puppy was giving them a lot of trouble. Mia had eaten Nicole's homework, and Nicole was very upset. Daniel understood that Mia wasn't feeling comfortable there. She wanted to be with him.



Since it was only a few days before Daniel's birthday, his mom agreed to welcome Mia back into their home. Daniel had a surprise birthday party when he arrived from school. And a very special guest: Mia!

After that, Daniel was the happiest boy in the world, and Mia lived a long and happy life.



THE END

ABOUT THE AUTHORS:

This book is a collective effort
from all the students of the 7th grade,
afternoon shift of Christus school
at Dionísio Torres,
to bring the little ones from
pre-school to the world of reading
and foreign languages.

We hope to be able to reach the
hearts of students and families alike,
so that we all, as one big family, get
one step closer to becoming more sensible and
compassionate towards stray animals and being
more aware of the responsibilities involved in
raising our beloved pets.

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What is Mia, the Puppy about?

After being abandoned by her former tutors, the puppy Mia finds a new friend in a boy named Daniel. This is a book about loving and caring for pets and a reminder about the responsibilities of raising a puppy.