

Student Paper #1  
(Fourth Grade Student)

Title: "The Deadly Penny"

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"Achoo!" my mom screamed, "I can't breathe that well!" I moaned I had been in my room because no one wanted to play with me. I started to play with my coins and suddenly the horror struck. I swallowed a penny but some how I survived. Although I survived, I was sick and had to go to the hospital.

My mom ran over to me and picked me up. She ran to our garage. "What is happening?" my brothers asked while my mom was explaining to them what happened, I was in intense pain, you can't believe how much it hurt. I thought I was going to die.

When my mom finished explaining to them what happened, my dad came home and wanted to know what happened. My mom said that my brothers would tell him. She ran to the car and we sped off. The whole way my mom was soothing me and telling me it would be okay. It helped only a little.

When we got to the hospital my mom rushed me to the ER and explained what happened. We then sat down and waited for a bit. That little amount of time seemed like hours. When we finally met with the doctors I thought that I was already dead.

They put me in a big and cold room. They

then stuck some thing up my nose. After that I don't really remember what happened until I got out and then my mom told me that it was okay and the penny was out. We got home and the rest of the family was very happy that I was okay. I felt really good after that and not in pain.

After that night I never put a penny near my mouth and hope I never do.