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The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle. (this shows the text in the book)

The picture shows a beautiful caterpillar with its arched back. (this shows the text of the illustration description)

In the light of the moon a little egg lay on a leaf.

The picture shows a little white egg sitting on a leaf.

One Sunday morning the warm Sun came up and - pop! *The picture shows the bright sun rising up over the horizon.*

Out of the egg came a tiny and very hungry caterpillar

The picture shows a very tiny caterpillar looking around.

He started to look for some food.

The picture shows the caterpillar looking around for food with the sun behind him.

On Monday he ate through one apple. But he was still hungry.

The picture shows a large red apple The caterpillar is climbing out of a hole in the apple.

On Tuesday he ate through two pears, but he was still hungry.

The picture shows two pears each with a hole and the caterpillar.

On Wednesday he ate through three plums, but he was still hungry.

The picture shows three plums each with a hole and the caterpillar.

On Thursday he ate through four strawberries, but he was still hungry.

The picture shows four strawberries each with a hole and the caterpillar.

On Friday he ate through five oranges, but he was still hungry.

The picture shows five oranges each with a hole where the caterpillar had eaten his way through it.

On Saturday he ate through one piece of chocolate cake, one ice-cream cone, one pickle, one slice of Swiss cheese, one slice of salami...

The picture shows the cake, ice-cream, pickle, cheese and salami each with a hole.

...one lollipop, one piece of cherry pie, one sausage, one cupcake and one slice of watermelon.

The picture shows the lollipop, cherry pie, sausage, cupcake and watermelon each with a hole.

That night he had a stomach ache!

The picture shows the caterpillar looking very uncomfortable.

The next day was Sunday again. The caterpillar ate through one green leaf, and after that he felt much better.

The picture shows a leaf with holes in it, and a happy caterpillar walking along a branch of a tree.

Now he wasn't hungry anymore - and he wasn't a little caterpillar anymore. He was a big, fat caterpillar.

The picture shows a very fat caterpillar.

He built a small house called a cocoon, around himself. He stayed inside for over two weeks.

The picture shows a large brown-coloured cocoon

Then he nibbled a hole in the cocoon, pushed his way out and.....he was a beautiful butterfly.

The picture shows a beautifully coloured butterfly with his wings spread open.

THE END

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