

Roald Dahl: Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf



As soon as Wolf _____ to feel
That he would like a decent meal,
He went and _____ on Grandma's door.
When Grandma opened it, she saw
The sharp white teeth, the _____ grin,
And Wolfie _____, "May I come in?"
Poor Grandmamma was terrified,
"He's going to eat me up!" she _____.
And she was absolutely _____.
He ate her up in one big bite.
But Grandmamma was small and _____,
And Wolfie wailed, "That's not enough!
I haven't yet begun to _____
That I have had a decent meal!"
He ran around the _____ yelping,
"I've got to have a second helping!"

Then added with a _____ leer,
"I'm therefore going to wait right here
_____ Little Miss Red Riding Hood
Comes home from walking in the _____."

He quickly put on Grandma's _____,
(Of course he hadn't eaten _____).
He dressed himself in coat and _____.
He put on shoes, and after that,
He even _____ and curled his hair,
Then sat himself in Grandma's chair.

In came the little girl in _____.
She stopped. She stared. And then she said,
"What great big ears you have, Grandma."
"All the _____ to hear you with,"
the Wolf replied.
"What great big eyes you have, Grandma."
said Little Red Riding Hood.
"All the better to see you with,"
the Wolf replied.
He sat there watching her and _____.

He _____, I'm going to eat this child.
Compared with her old Grandmamma,
She's going to _____ like caviar.

Then Little Red Riding Hood said,
"But Grandma, what a _____ great big
furry coat you have on."

"That's _____!" cried Wolf.
"Have you forgot
To tell me what BIG TEETH I've _____?
Ah well, no matter what you say,
I'm going to eat you anyway."

The small girl smiles. _____ eyelid flickers.
She whips a _____ from her knickers.
She aims it at the creature's head,
And bang bang bang, she shoots him dead.

A few weeks later, in the _____,
I came across Miss Riding Hood.
But what a _____! No cloak of red,
No silly hood upon her head.
She said, "Hello, and do please _____
My lovely furry wolf skin coat."