

# It's My Party!

A Story of Contractions



We are having a birthday party just for me today! This is not my *real* birthday.

It is April 12<sup>th</sup> and I will be 8

years old. I invited many friends. They are

all coming, but not Alex. He is on a

trip with his family and cannot come.

I do not know what kind of cake mom

got me. She is keeping it a surprise and

that is okay because I like surprises. Dad

and mom told me not to peek at my

birthday gift and I have not, even when I

really wanted to.

I am so excited for today to start. I

just wish the sun would come up!