

The Pied Piper of Hamelin



The following day, a strange man carrying a silver pipe came to Hamelin. He found the Mayor and said to him: "For a 1.000 gold coins I will save your city from this plague"



All of a sudden, all the children came running out of their houses and into the street dancing to the sound of the Pied Piper's music,



Hamelin had a plague of rats there were rats all over the city in the bakeries, in the shops, in the streets and in the people's homes.



People started to become angry and they marched through the streets in protest shouting "No more rats! no more rats!"



Hamelin was happy and prosperous once more. And the town's people have kept their promises ever since.



The Pied Piper started to dance as he wound his way out of town and all the rats followed him to the mountains.



"Why don't we give a reward to the person who can solve the problem?" he suggested. Everyone agreed so a reward of a thousand gold coins was offered to anyone who could take the rats out of the city.