



Read and number the paragraphs in the correct order to form a story.

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Analysis

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a) When Mary got home, she told her mother what had happened. Her mother was very proud of her.

b) After school that day, as Mary was walking home, she saw a wallet falling out of a man's pocket. She picked it up and found money in it.

c) The man gave her some money to buy her mother an apple. Mary thanked him. Then, she ran happily into the grocer's. The grocer recognised Mary and gave her two apples for free.

d) Mary Miller's father died when she was very young so she lived with her mother. Her mother was sick and Mary took good care of her.

e) Mary returned the wallet to the man. The man asked her why she had not kept the money. She told the man that she had wanted to keep the money to buy her mother an apple but that would have been wrong.

f) One day as Mary was walking to school, she saw some apples at the grocer's. She wished she could buy her mother an apple but she had no money.