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First Hunt

By:

It was one misty cool day in Harrington Maine. When my grampa and I were watching TV in the living room, Grampa said that we could go hunting that day, so I asked "Grampa when can we go hunting?"

"Huh," was his reply (he can't hear).

"I said, when can we go hunting?"

"Oooohhh, well, right now if you want."

Of course I said "Yah! I do want to go right now."

When 10 minutes went by of getting bright orange and mellow camo on, we went downstairs to my grampas case full of guns (That's right, case FULL of guns full of them).

We are finally ready to go and were in the truck.

My grampa told me the ride was going to be 25 minutes at the least.

"UUDHHH!" I moaned.

We past time by playing a game and listening to music.

When there was 5 minutes to go

grampa said "I bet you will love hunting."

"I bet I will," I said.

We're finally at our spot and we are walking into the woods when we see tracks.

"What kind of tracks are those?" I asked.

"Those are deer tracks, and they look fresh too. You know what this means, right. Cash, this, my friend, means a big deer is nearby."

When about 3 minutes went by, we saw a big opening with a large marsh.

But in that opening, no deer, no rabbits, no coyote, not even one squirrel around.

2 hours went by of sitting near a tree and being bored.

I finally said "Can we go home yet?"

"Yes, let's go," grampa replied.

When we were halfway back to the truck, I heard (since my grampa can't hear a faint "OOOOOO".

"Grampa did you hear that?"

"Hear what?" I heard again "OOOOOO"

"That!"

"Oh yeah, those are coyotes," grampa said

"It sounds like they're getting really close,

"we better get going."

We started at a slow pace but it seemed like every 10 steps, the coyotes were getting 20 feet closer.

When we got to the truck we were running, we opened the doors and in a jiffy, we were back on the road, safe and sound.

Grade 5
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STRUCTURE	
Overall	2.5
Lead	2.5
Transitions	3
Ending	2
Organization	4
DEVELOPMENT	
Elaboration	3
Craft	2.5
LANGUAGE CONVENTIONS	
Spelling	3
Punctuation	1.5

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