BILLY and the BIONIC BADGE



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This book is dedicated to the strong children with diabetes
all around the world.

You are unique. You are amazing.
You are so very special.



Billy loved basketball more than
anything in the world.



More than
video games.



More than
cartoons.

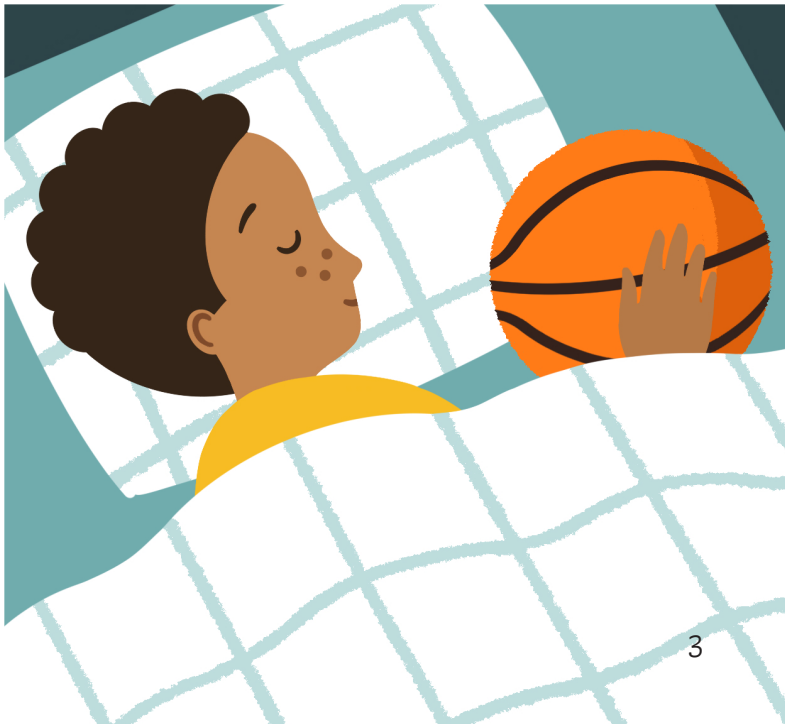


More than
splashing his
sister in the pool.

Billy took his basketball everywhere he went —the park, the movies, grandma's house, even his bed (which his mom didn't like).









And wherever he took his basketball, he would bounce and dribble, post and wiggle, shoot, and alley-oop.



He would crossover and jump, layup and bump, swish and swoosh!



At night he would dream about being a famous basketball player.

He would dunk, score, and shoot threes with absolute ease. He was a champion.



One day, Billy was playing basketball,
and he wasn't feeling well.

He was too tired to bounce and dribble, post and wiggle, shoot, and alley-oop.





And he was too dizzy to crossover and jump, layup and bump, swish and swoosh. Something was wrong.

His parents had to take him to the hospital.



Billy was scared, but he took his basketball with him to make him brave.

At the hospital, Dr. Robinson sat Billy down. “Billy, you have type 1 diabetes,” said Doctor Robinson. “That means that you might feel sick if you eat or drink too much sugar, or shaky and tired if you don’t have enough. Your body needs help finding the right balance.”





“But this magical, round device will go on the back of your arm. It will let you and your parents check your level painlessly*[1] anytime†! Wear it as a Bionic Badge and continue to live your life uninterrupted!”

“Will I be able to play basketball still?” Billy asked, concerned.





“You will,” said Dr. Robinson.
“And when you feel better, you play better!”

So Billy decided to try out his new Bionic Badge while playing basketball with his friends.



“What is that?” a friend asked.

“It’s my Bionic Badge. I wear it for my diabetes,” said Billy.

“Really?” said one friend.

“Awesome,” said another.



“Let’s see it in action!” they all yelled.



Billy scanned his Bionic Badge to make sure he wasn't too high or too low‡. Then he said, "Let's do it!"

Billy played the best game of his life.





He bounced and dribbled, posted and wiggled, shot, and alley-ooped. He made a crossover and jumped, made a layup and bumped, swished, and even swooshed!



After that day, Billy knew nothing could stop him
with his Bionic Badge by his side.



THE END

*Data from these studies were collected with the outside US version of the FreeStyle Libre 14 day system. FreeStyle Libre 2 has the same features as FreeStyle Libre 14 day system with optional real-time glucose alarms. Therefore the study data is applicable to both products.
† Glucose readings are not available during 1-hour warmup, when sensor is too hot or too cold or when you see an error or "LO" or "HI" message or no current glucose reading.
‡ Default range is 70-180 mg/dL. Consult with a healthcare professional on individual target glucose range.
1. Al Hayek, A. Clinical Medical Insights: Endocrinology and Diabetes (202): https://doi.org/10.1177/1179551420910122.

FreeStyle Libre 2 system is indicated for use in people with diabetes age 4 and older.

The FreeStyle Libre 2 app is only compatible with certain mobile devices and operating systems. Please check our website for more information about device compatibility before using the app. Use of the FreeStyle Libre 2 app requires registration with LibreView.
Medicare coverage is available for the FreeStyle Libre 2 system if the FreeStyle Libre 2 reader is used to review glucose data on some days every month. Medicare and other third party payor criteria apply. Abbott provides this information as a courtesy, it is subject to change and interpretation. The customer is ultimately responsible for determining the appropriate codes, coverage, and payment policies for individual patients. Abbott does not guarantee third party coverage or payment for our products or reimburse customers for claims that are denied by third party payors.

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Failure to use FreeStyle Libre 2 system as instructed in labeling may result in missing a severe low or high glucose event and/or making a treatment decision, resulting in injury. If glucose alarms and readings do not match symptoms or expectations, use a fingerstick value from a blood glucose meter for treatment decisions. Seek medical attention when appropriate or contact Abbott at 855-632-8658 or https://www.freestyle.abbott/us-en/safety-information.html for safety info.
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