The Lonely Fish

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Bob the fish was happy because his owners seemed to love him. They gave him lots of food to grow very big.
When the family moved to a smaller apartment they could not fit Bob's tank in their car. They took the cat Hank but left Bob behind.
Bob was lonely. He was sad and scared. How would he get food? He wished legs would grow on his tank so he could find food.
Bob realized it was just a wish that would not come true. He cried and more water filled his tank.
Then Bob saw a fly!
Bob spit water up at the insect. The fly fell into the tank. Bob ate the fly for a snack.
Bob waited for another fly but nothing came near him. Not even a spider. He worried until the front door opened.
It was Ashley. She was there to clean before a new family moved in. She wanted Bob happy, but she already had ten tarantulas at home.
Ashley knew someplace that liked fish as much as she liked bugs. She drove Bob to his new home. At the aquarium Bob was never lonely again.