



Penny's Coin Adventure

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Page 1: A Shiny Surprise

One Saturday morning,
Penny was cleaning her room.

While looking under her bed,
she found a small glass jar.

“Wow!” she said.
“It’s full of coins!”

Her dad smiled.

“Let’s see how much
money you’ve saved.”



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Page 2: Meet the Coins

Dad poured the coins
onto the table.

"There are four kinds of coins,"
he explained.



A **penny** is worth 1 cent.



A **nickel** is worth 5 cents.



A **dime** is worth 10 cents.



A **quarter** is worth 25 cents.

Penny smiled.

"I know their names, but now
I want to count them!"



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Page 3: Counting Pennies

First, Penny counted her pennies.

"1... 2... 3... 4... 5!"

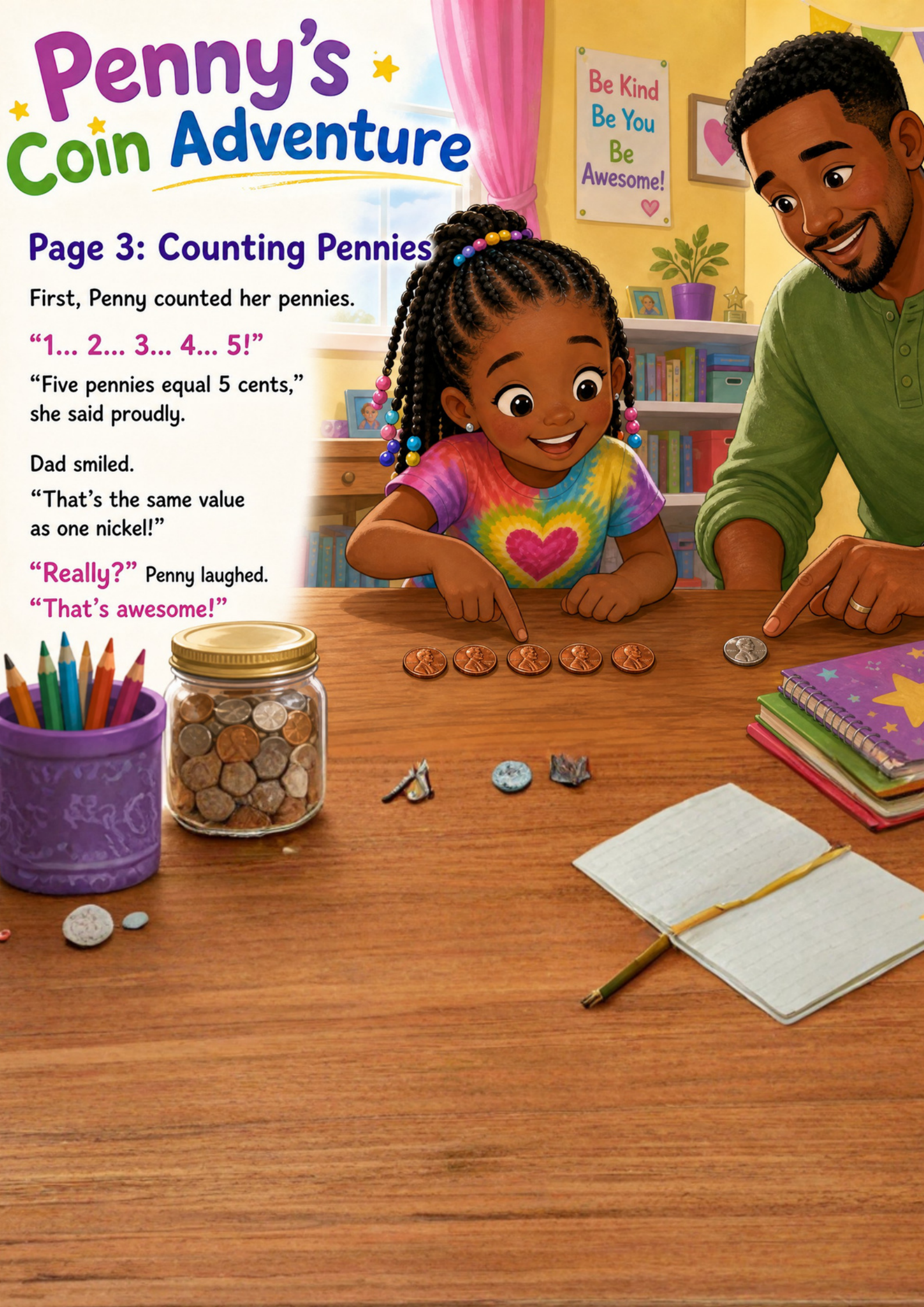
"Five pennies equal 5 cents,"
she said proudly.

Dad smiled.

"That's the same value
as one nickel!"

"Really?" Penny laughed.

"That's awesome!"



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Page 4: The Tiny Dime

Next, Penny picked up a tiny dime.

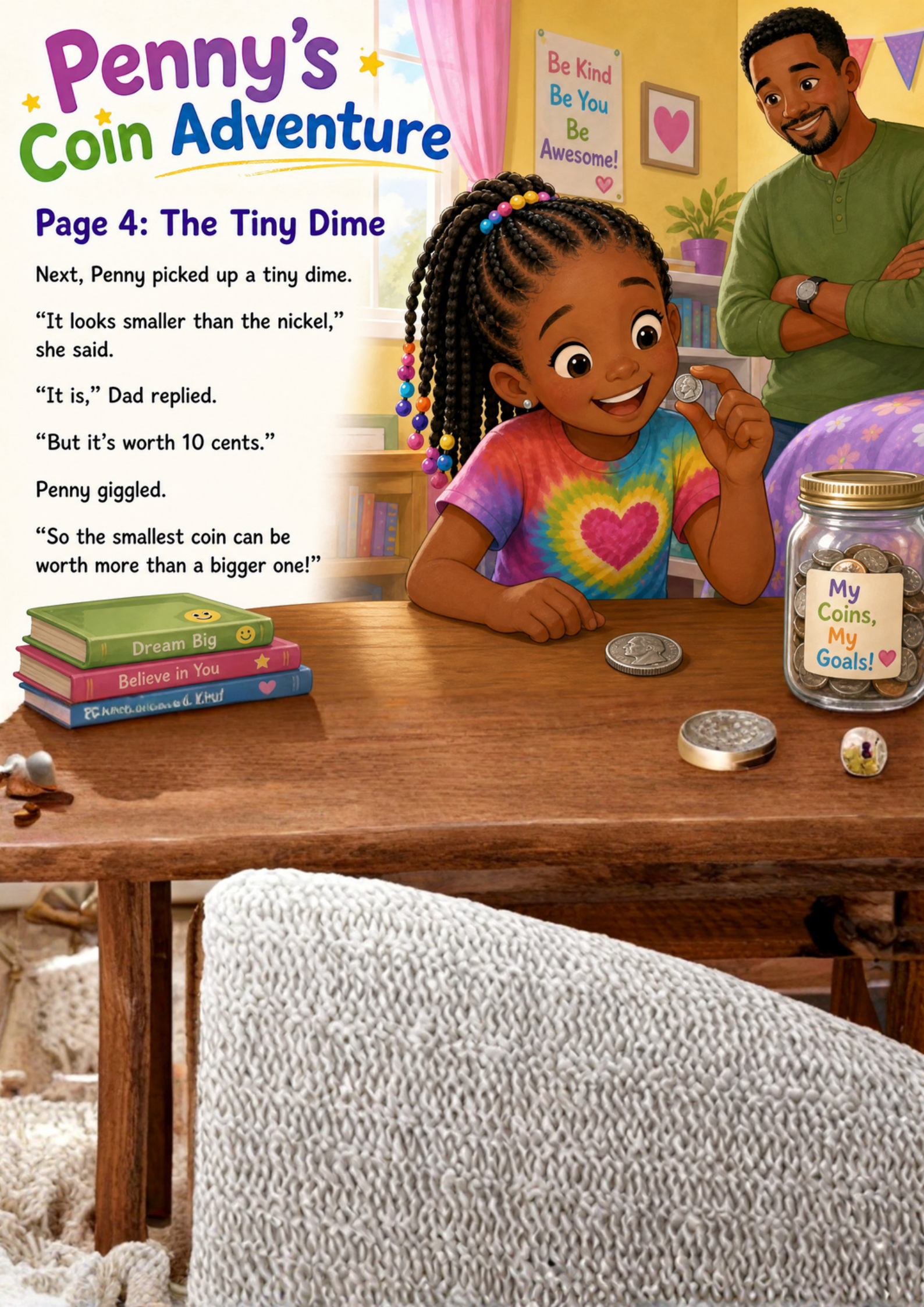
"It looks smaller than the nickel," she said.

"It is," Dad replied.

"But it's worth 10 cents."

Penny giggled.

"So the smallest coin can be worth more than a bigger one!"



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Page 5: The Mighty Quarter

Then Penny held up
a shiny quarter.

"This one's my favorite!"

Dad nodded.

"A quarter is worth 25 cents."

Penny counted:

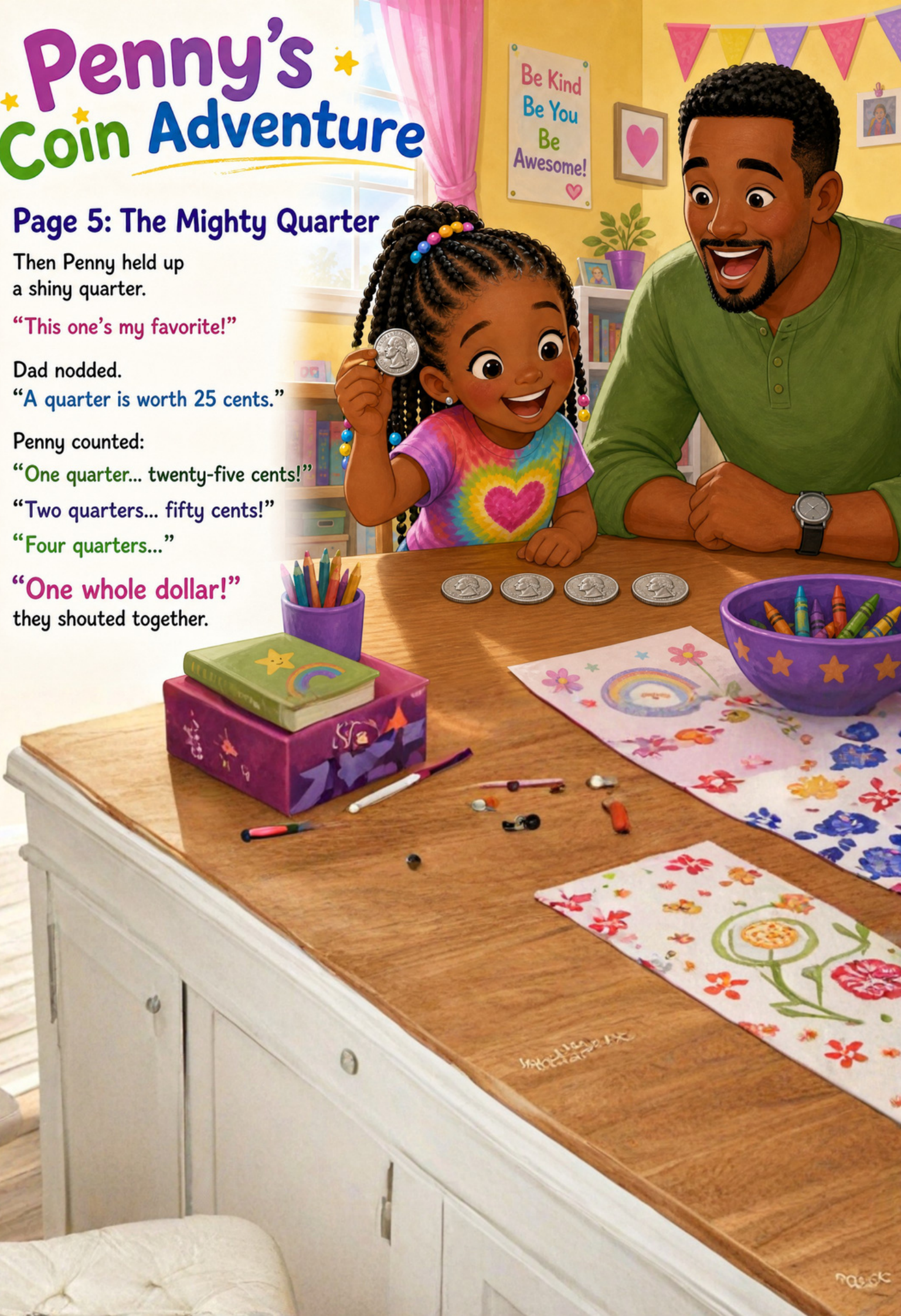
"One quarter... twenty-five cents!"

"Two quarters... fifty cents!"

"Four quarters..."

"One whole dollar!"

they shouted together.



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Page 6: Shopping Time

Penny counted all her coins.

"I have enough to buy a new notebook!"

She carefully sorted the pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters.

Counting was much easier when everything was organized.

"I feel like a money detective!" Penny laughed.



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Page 7: Counting Makes Saving Fun

That afternoon, Penny bought her notebook and still had coins left to save.

She smiled as she dropped them back into her jar.

Clink! Clink! Clink!

"I can't wait to count them again!"

Dad smiled.

"The more you practice counting coins, the smarter saver you'll become."

Penny grinned.

"And saving money is fun!"

★ ★ The End ★ ★

What We Learned:



Penny = 1¢



Nickel = 5¢



Dime = 10¢



Quarter = 25¢

Counting coins helps you become a smart shopper and a great saver! 💰

