



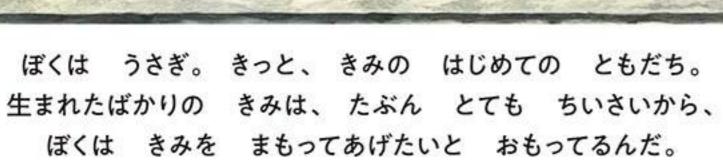
これはまだ赤ちゃんがやってくる前 —— あるうさぎの空想の物語です。

Before the baby's arrival, there was a rabbit. This story is from the rabbit's imagination.









I'm a rabbit. Surely I'll be your first friend.
You'll probably be very small when you're born, I want to protect you.



よるは いっしょに ねようね。 ならんだぼくたち とても そっくり。 ぼくが そばにいるから、 まっくらも こわくないよ。

When we sleep together, we can look just like each other. The nights are dark, but it's alright. I'll hold you close.



せかいが どんどん ひろがっていく。

> I'll watch over you as you grow up. Your world will keep expanding.



Your surroundings will be full of wonder and excitement.

But sometimes I wonder, Will I always be by your side?



きみに あたらしい ともだちが できたら、 ふたりのじかんは すくなくなるね ... ちょっぴり さみしい。 だけど きみとのじかんは これからもずっと ぼくの たからもの。

> When you make new friends, we will have less time together. But the moments we share will always be my treasure.

**─** おぎゃあ おぎゃあ。

Your photo

とおくから 生まれたばかりの きみの こえ。 おとうさんも おかあさんも にこにこ。 ぼくは どきどき わくわく。

> Ooo Oooo… I can almost hear your newborn voice in the distance. Your father and mother are smiling at you. I'm very excited.



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ぼくは うさぎ。 きみと であうまで あとすこし。 これから いっしょに ものがたりを つくろう。 ぼくは、 きみが だいすき。

I'm a rabbit. Just a little longer until we meet.

Let's make our own story together. I'm looking forward to being your first friend.





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