

Once upon a time a woman named _____
(your name)

went for a walk at _____,
(your favorite place)

where she always went when she needed to cheer up.

She was hella-sad because she just found out she

wouldn't be able to see _____ for the
(someone you love)

holidays. She found a strange, old beer bottle and as she

went to toss it in the recycle can like the good citizen
she is, a genie popped out and granted her one wish.

_____ wished to visit
(your name)

_____ right that minute and
(loved one) poof!

A magic carpet appeared. _____ jumped
(your name)

on and she and the genie flew to _____.
(place where loved one lives)

Because it was magic, the carpet made good time
and they reached their destination in ten minutes.

"You must be back in this spot, _____
(secluded woody spot by loved one)

by sundown," the genie told her. "I don't see so good
to drive in the dark."

_____ promised she'd return to the spot before
(your name)

dark and she hurried to _____'s house,
(loved one)

knocked on the door, and they both both burst out
laughing as she surprised the shit out of _____.
(loved one)

They talked and talked and time passed too quickly and

(your name)
looked out the window and realized it was almost
dark. But she couldn't bear to leave yet so she stayed.

When she finally tore herself away from _____
(loved one)

and ran back to _____
(woody spot)

she found a piece of paper under a rock that said
"you snooze, you lose". In the far distant sky she
saw the magic carpet flying away.

"Jerk," she said, but knew it was her own fault for being
late. She decided to go back to _____'s house
(loved one)

but read the rest of the note on the paper. "You humans
are incredibly selfish and don't follow directions. Your
punishment for wasting my time: if you leave this
spot tonight you will turn into a pumpkin. I'll be back
at dawn to pick you up. Stay warm."

_____ didn't have her cell phone to call for help
(your name)

and besides, would she really turn into a pumpkin if she left? She sat on a rock and wrapped her arms around her knees. Her light jacket wasn't keeping out the cold.

When she heard a noise in the wooded area nearby, she jumped up. "Who's there?" she called out.

A dark wolf came into view.

_____ shrieked, too scared to run.
(your name)

"Chill out," the wolf said, and _____
(your name)
almost fainted.

"Yes, I talk," the wolf said. "I'm a werewolf. I won't hurt you. I've already eaten tonight. You seem upset and you smell like magic. What are you?"

"I'm a normal human," _____ said.
(your name)

"But I've been around a genie on a magic carpet. That's probably what you smell."

"What are you doing in my woods?" the wolf asked.

She told him (the wolf looked like a dude even though she didn't check out his personal parts too closely) the story.

"Those genies are assholes. Wait here. I'll change back to human and get my clothes." And the wolf ran off.

_____ hugged her knees tighter. He probably
(your name)

wouldn't come back, the way her luck had been going lately. "I'm such a loser, I scared off a werewolf," she said and started to cry.

"Hey, why the tears?" A cute guy appeared from the woods. He was tall,
had _____ hair and _____ eyes.
(hair color) (eye color)

He reminded her of _____.
(your favorite hot movie star)

"I didn't think you'd come back."

"I said I would." The werewolf wrapped his coat around her shoulders then sat on the ground next to her.

"Tell me what's wrong."

"I've got a stressful but boring job that doesn't pay well," she began. "I work too many hours and don't have time for friends or to _____. I sure don't have time
(favorite fun activity)

to date, or even hookup." She blushed. "Sorry, TMI. But I'm feeling stressed. It's my own fault, I know, but I can't seem to get my shit together and make changes."

"I'm a career counselor. Maybe I can help you. By the way, my name is _____.
(hot guy/girl name)

They shook hands.

"You're freezing," _____ said.
(hot werewolf)

"Am I really cursed for the night to stay here? Did that genie tell the truth?" _____ asked.
(your name)

"Genies might be assholes but they're not liars. Let me get my car and some supplies. I'll wait here with you."

And even though _____ doubted he'd come back
(your name)

after her rant, in a short time _____
(hot werewolf)

reappeared with a _____ which he parked
(your favorite vehicle)

nearby. He also had snacks, a thermos of hot chocolate, a deck of cards, and plenty of blankets. They talked and played games and laughed the night away.

The genie appeared at dawn, as promised, with red eyes and stinking like an upchucked beer.

_____ quietly asked _____
(hot werewolf) (your name)

if she wanted him to teach the asshole genie a lesson but
_____ just wanted to get home. She
(your name)

got out of the _____ and her
(your favorite vehicle)

_____ fell off but she was so
(your favorite kind of shoe)

annoyed she barely noticed. Her new friend noticed and
grabbed the shoe and came after her.

"Hey, here's your shoe and I need your number."

_____ gave it to him but figured
(your name)

that was the last she'd ever see of him. Hot guys like that
didn't hang around with losers like her.

"I hope you didn't that werewolf liked you," the genie
told her. "They just play with human girls and only get
serious with their own kind."

"Oh, like I should take relationship advice from a hungover genie who abandons the person who rescued him from a bottle? Just drive this carpet and get me home."

On the advice of _____,
(hot werewolf)

landed she dug the beer bottle out of the recycle bin,
clicked her _____ heels together and said
(your favorite kind of shoe)

"go home, go home, go home," and the genie
WHOOSHED! back into the bottle, howling all the way.

_____ took the bottle home and went on
(your name)

about her life, her heart pounding with excitement every
time her phone chirped. But none of the calls or texts
were from _____.
(hot werewolf)

After a week she figured the genie was right, she'd never get that call and she should just be happy with the memory of a fun evening.

And then one day her phone rang and she picked it up and hot damn! It wasn't a spam call or her awful boss wanting her to work Saturday it was

_____.
(hot werewolf)

"Sorry I didn't call sooner," he said. "I broke up with a woman last year and I swore I wouldn't date again for a long while. Then I met you. I wanted to think about it, make sure I was ready for a relationship before I talked to you again. Are you interested in a relationship with a not-so-normal man?"

Hell yes! _____ wanted to say but she
(your name)

needed to know more werewolf facts.

So _____ explained the basics
(hot werewolf)
and _____ decided she could live
(your name)

with that. They talked, texted, and visited each other when they could. They both liked _____
(your favorite musician)

and _____. He even liked to
(your favorite food)

_____ on the weekends. He gently
(your favorite activity)

got her to start looking at alternate career options and additional education and never got pushy or acted like a know-it-all. _____ stepped
(your name)

way out of her comfort zone and with _____'s
help she (hot werewolf)

soon had her dream job that allowed her and
_____ to visit each other a lot.
(hot werewolf)

They fell deeply in love and are living an adventurous life and traveling all over. Not on magic carpets.