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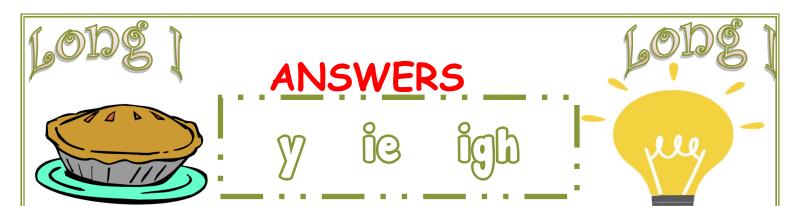
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2. What filled the firefly with delight?

3. When did the firefly try to fly to the moon?

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Answer the questions in complete sentences.
1. Who came to my backyard one night?
A little firefly came into my backyard.

2. What filled the firefly with delight? The light of the moon filled the firefly with delight.

3. When did the firefly try to fly to the moon?

When the firefly saw the stars twinkling by the moon, he tried to go.

4. What made the firefly smile? Knowing I look for his light every night made him smile.