Little Jack Horner was greedy and selfish. What do you think?

Opinion One

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Firstly, Little Jack Horner sat by himself eating the whole pie. A whole pie was far too much for a little boy like Jack to eat. As it was Christmas, he had probably gorged himself on other food as well! Also, if he didn't share his pie with anyone else, he must have been extremely greedy. Secondly, Jack was only thinking about himself. He didn't intend to share his pie because he put his thumb in it. Little Jack Horner sat in a corner eating his Christmas pie. He put in his thumb, and pulled out a plum, and said . . . "What a good boy, am I."

Opinion Two

I believe that Little Jack Horner was not greedy or selfish. The pie was not big, so it would be easy to eat a whole one. He would have been given a whole pie to eat in the first place. He probably sat in the corner, away from everyone so that he wouldn't be a nuisance. It was good that he found the plum in the pie. He could have choked on the stone.

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