Remember When

"Well, what will it be?"

There was impatience in his voice, it was time to make a decision.

Time stands still when you are in front of a candy counter with a penny to spend.

Let's see there are red and black licorice whips. You can swish the whips through the air and pretend you are riding a pony. You can carefully stretch the whips to an even greater length before you eat them.

Those bulls eyes look good, caramel wrapped around a white sugar substance, you carefully unwrap the caramel and

eat the sugar first and then nibble at the caramel.

How about the little wax bottles with colored flavored liquid inside. They look like miniature pop bottles. You can chew them all at once like gum, or bite off the top and drink the liquid first and then chew the wax.

Gum with base ball cards, jaw breakers, banana flavored taffy suckers, tootsie rolls, spearmint leaves . What a selection!

Maybe the cinnamon hearts would be best. They are little ret heart aan are measure by a shot glass but it's better to wait for the Mrs. as she gives you a generous measure.

Humm-- Boston Baked Beans, they are packaged in a little box with a picture of baked beans on the front. reality they are candy coated peanuts. If you eat one at at time they can last you through the movie.

Mary Janes are those yellow wrapped candy in the corner, you get 2 for a penny. They're taffy filled with peanut butter.

Oh my, they have grab bags today. Usually the bags are filled with broken and stale pieces of candy taht couldn't be sold but you DO get a lot of sweets for a penny.

Do you have a favorite? "Well, what will it be?"