

# The Mysterious Wildfire

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Last Sunday, Harry and Jack decided to go mountain hiking. They went to ABC Mountain.

They set out at the first light of dawn. However, no one knew there was a blazing fire raging on the route Harry and Jack were hiking on. They set off feeling particularly excited because it was the first time they went hiking on their own. As they were hiking along the road, the black cloud on several trees caught



Jack's eyes. He rubbed his eyes to see more clearly and, good grief! Some trees were on fire!

Jack shouted, "Fire! The fire is going to burn down the forest!"

Harry quickly swung into action and said, "There's a house! We must alert the people inside now!"

They ran to the house and knocked on the door urgently. A woman in a jumpsuit opened the door suspiciously and asked, "What do you want?"

Jack cried, "There's a forest fire!" He pointed towards the burning forest. He could already see the fire spreading fast. The woman was overwhelmed for a moment but she recovered quickly.

She cried, "Oh no! I threw a can of used engine oil into the forest!"

The next moment, there was an earsplitting bang and bits of shattered metal showered over them. The woman called 999 immediately. While they were waiting for the fire brigade to come, they went inside the house and draped wet towels around the doors and windows. The woman thanked the boys for alerting her.



Finally, the fire brigade came and extinguished the fire. Although many trees were burned, no one was hurt. Through this experience, Jack and Harry learned not to throw flammable items into the woods, forests, grass plains, etc. They also vowed to be careful with fire at all times.