

I CAN TALK TO ANIMALS

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One day I was walking from school and a squirrel suddenly started to talk to me. I was shocked that I could talk to animals. I never knew I could talk to animals.

I went home and I said, "Animals!" and then they all came to my backyard. I started to play with the animals. The animals heard my mom coming down the stairs and they warned me that my mom was coming. She was shocked.

"Oh my God!" she shouted, "Why are these animals in my backyard?"

"They're my friends, I can talk to them," I said.

And she tried to talk to the animals, but she can't talk to my animals.

My mom was upstairs asleep, taking her afternoon nap. When she is taking her afternoon nap, I call all of my animal friends into the kitchen to eat lunch. They ate lunch, we went outside, and we started playing tag. My mom woke up and I didn't hear anything, and my animal friends warned me. My mom was walking down the stairs and I had to hurry up and zap them away, back to the wild.

That's when I accidentally zapped myself into the wild where all my friends were and I started running around and playing with the all animals I saw. I got so happy that I was really in the wild. It was like I was dreaming but I wasn't dreaming, I was actually there. I saw baby cubs; they were so cute and tiny! I pet one and it talked to me.

She said, "What are you doing here?"

And I said, "I accidentally zapped myself into the wild!"

Then she said, "Do you need help finding your way back home?"

Then I said, "No, I want to stay here."

My friend said, "They hear your mom coming inside the door from work." So I had to hurry up and get back home before my mom came into the house.

So I hurried up, and I went so fast, my friend cheetah put me on his back and ran me all the way into my room. I went to the kitchen and made some popcorn. We all ate popcorn and drank some juice. All my cat friends ate and drank out of bowls. We played in my backyard and we played some board games like Chess and Monopoly and Trouble.

Then I zapped all my animals back into the wild and myself too. I saw some different animals like hippopotami and baby cubs and baby lions and tigers, they were so cute.

I said, "Do you want to come to my house and play with me?"

They said, "Yes."

I said, "Let's go!" So me and my friend went to my house and played in my backyard and we ate pizza and drank some juice, and then we played hide and go seek and tag and we had a lot of fun. We were watching TV in my living room when my friend heard my mom pulling up and walking up the stairs to the door. They hurried up and jumped behind the couch. It was so close; I was about to get caught.

"Phew!" I said. Then my mom went upstairs. Then we finished watching TV and the show we watched was called "The Breadwinners." They went back home and I went back with them and we played in the wild where all animals come from. I played with my animal friends again and I went home and all of my powers went away. The end.