

Rosie, Charlie, and the Lost Dog



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On Saturday afternoon, Rosie and Charlie packed a snack and headed to Willowbend Park. "Let's race to the blue gate!" Charlie said. "Last one there carries the apples!"



They followed the sidewalk to the park entrance.
The afternoon breeze smelled like grass and warm sunshine. Rosie spotted the pond sparkling
between the trees.



Then they heard a soft sound.
“Whimper,” said a dog behind the notice board.



The dog had a teal bandana, but no person was nearby.
Rosie crouched low. "Hello, friend. Are you lost?"



Biscuit sniffed Rosie's hand and wagged his tail once.
Charlie noticed a tiny silver tag on the bandana. It had a phone number, but no name.



“We should help him safely,” Rosie said.
They gave Biscuit water from their bottle and stayed beside him in the shade.



Rosie remembered the park office near the entrance.
“A grown-up there can call the number,” she said. “We can ask for help.”



Ms. Alvarez called the number on Biscuit's tag.
A voice answered right away. "I'm looking everywhere!" the caller said. "Please tell me he is safe."



The owner was coming from the pond side of the park.
Rosie, Charlie, and Ms. Alvarez waited near the entrance, where Biscuit could see the path.



A man hurried around the willow tree.
“Biscuit!” he called.
Biscuit’s tail began to wag so hard that his whole body wiggled.



Mr. Chen hugged Biscuit and checked his bandana.
“Thank you for staying with him and asking an adult for help,” he said.
Rosie and Charlie felt warm inside, like sunshine.



On the walk home, Charlie carried the empty water bowl.
“We didn’t know exactly what to do,” he said.
“But we knew we could be kind, careful, and ask for help,” Rosie replied.



That evening, Rosie wrote a note for the family scrapbook:
“A lost friend may need more than a hug. Notice, stay safe, and find a grown-up helper.”

The End

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