

# T-Rex Attack

Wondering what would proceed in a matter of seconds, the forlorn little goat bleated with despair. Suddenly, thunder boomed and lightning flashed illuminating the night sky. A gate rattled in the howling wind as the isolated goat tried in vain to free itself.

As a car door slammed ferociously, an apprehensive conversation began. “Hopefully the children aren’t afraid,” one man remarked with an anxious expression on his sun-tanned face.

“I’m not afraid,” his companion hurriedly retorted.

“Didn’t say you were!” he replied in a relatively loud voice.

Meanwhile, in the truck in front, a boy rummaged under the seat and discovered a pair of night-vision goggles; he then shot out from under the smooth, leather seat.

“BOO!” he yelled, causing his older sister and the man in the front to jump. “Where did you find them?” the man asked in a deep voice. “Put them back, they probably cost quite a lot of money. NOW!” he yelled angrily.

All of a sudden, the water started quivering and a loud thump made the ground tremble. The noise grew more deafening by the second. THUMP... THUMP... With each quake, the water rippled more and more. The rain pattered on the car roof as the booming rumble got louder and louder.

**IT WAS GETTING CLOSER!**

The man in the front seat watched in terror as the mirror by the windscreen tremored and shook. As his jaw dropped, his heart beat wildly. What could they do to save themselves?

The young boy stared through the goggles and rapidly realised that the goat had disappeared! Also, the chain was swinging in the vicious wind. Something must have captured it during the last few minutes.

“The goats gone!” the boy’s older sister yelled in horror as they stared out the window at the sight before them. Then the old man at the front turned round rapidly and looked out the window in terror. What had caught it?

Above them a bloody hoof hit the sun-roof with a horrifying bang. As they watched, it scraped across the roof and disappeared. Something had dragged it from the heavy chain and was about to swallow it whole!

Their guardian had rushed to the toilet when he saw the T-Rex and had left them unaccompanied: they were deserted in the truck. A loud roar filled the air as the dinosaur approached the vehicles. Still hungry, the terrifying creature headed towards the cars...

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