

A Snow Day With Rocky the Dog



My name is Rocky.



In my yard I am the king of the mountain.



I like being outside, even in the snow! My family spends a lot of time inside. I wish my family would come out and play with me. I'm going to look in the window and see what they are doing.



Hooray! My family saw me looking in the window and they came out to play.

My favorite thing in the world is playing ball with my family. My ball got buried in the snow. I am going to dig it out.



Finally I found my ball! Now my family will throw it for me. Watch this. I will catch the ball before it hits the ground.



Here it comes. I have to keep my eye on the ball.



When the ball is close enough, I jump to catch it. Here I go!



I got it!



SECRET MESSAGE

Copy all of the bold letters in the story into the lines below.

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My family will be proud of me because I caught the ball.

Now I'm going to bring the ball back to them, and they can throw it again!

I love playing ball and I love the snow, but I love my family most of all.

