

Home Safari



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Chapter One



Here We Go!

Giraffe, Elephant, and Meerkat walked through the savanna.

“I’m bored,” said Giraffe.

“Me too,” huffed Elephant. “All I see are trees and grass every day.”

“I’m bored too,” said Hornbill as he landed on a nearby tree. “I’ve flown all over the savanna, but I want to see more of the world!”

Just then, a large car pulled up. People hopped out to take pictures of the animals.



“I want to go on a safari too,” Hornbill said.

Like magic, a second car appeared next to the tree. Hornbill squawked and almost fell off his branch.

“Look!” said Meerkat. “Hop in, and we can go on our own safari!”

The animals climbed into the big car.

“Hold on tight!” said Meerkat.

“How exciting! Where should we go?” asked Giraffe.

“Let’s go see where the humans live,” said Meerkat. “Maybe we will find a new place to live, too!”

“What kind of car is this?” asked Hornbill.

“This is called a motor home,” said Meerkat. “It is a house on wheels with a bathroom, a kitchen, and a bed. Everything we need!”

“A house on wheels?” said Elephant. “I don’t think I like this!”

“Don’t be silly,” said Hornbill. “We can take this magical house wherever we want to go. It will be a fun adventure.”

“Yes,” said Giraffe. “I want to see lots of different houses. Where will we go first?”

“First stop is a city!” said Meerkat. “Here we go!”

The motor home began to shake...



Chapter Two



Homes on Land

Suddenly, the four animals were in a new place. They looked out the windows.

“Look at that! What are those tall things? They go higher in the sky than you do, Hornbill,” said Elephant.

“That is a skyscraper,” said Meerkat. “It is a tall building with a lot of rooms inside it. A skyscraper can have many apartments. An apartment is a home inside a large building. It can have one room or many rooms.”



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Four savanna animals set off on an adventure to see how people live around the world. What kinds of homes will these friends find?

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