

## Rainy Day

It was a rainy Sunday in September, when the doorbell rang. I went to the door to see who it was. To my surprise it was the U.P.S. man. He delivered a box about the size of my tv. When I opened it, that's when my adventure began. In the box there was a package labeled secret, DO NOT OPEN. Of course I opened it, and there was a strange thing in it. There were a couple of LEGO people with houses. I thought it must be the wrong package. I did not order LEGO. The U.P.S. man had left so I decided to call them. But when I was about to dial them on the phone, I noticed the LEGO in the box, and the LEGO people had started to move and make noises! I nervously walked towards them and peered into the box. The tiny figures looked up at me and spoke.

"Hello leader," a tiny voice said. "Can you help get these bricks out?"

"H..h..h..how are you moving? And talking!" I gasped.

They told me that LEGO had secretly made them with advanced technology.

"I can believe that!" I said.

So I took the LEGO bricks out and they started to build some houses. They were so incredible I decided not to tell my mom and to keep them.

I soon learned that the little LEGO figures could breed, and they started to have kids, so I bought more sets and food for them. Soon they became a whole village of little LEGO people and I learned they could bring my other LEGO people to life. My town kept on growing, until it was a whole city and the LEGO people started to go move to other people's houses and lived with other people.

I myself eventually got married and shared my secret with my wife and kids. They helped take care of the LEGO city until I retired and went to a retirement home. I

brought a couple of LEGO people who volunteered to go with me. They were the original couple from the box - all those years ago. They had aged only half as much as I had, a benefit of their technology. I left the main city for my children to take care of, but I always remembered the rainy day I had gotten the LEGO figures by mistake.

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- avoid new changes  
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