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The Mystery of the Hidden Treasure

One bright morning, three friends named Ethan, Chloe, and Ralph decided to go on an adventure. They had heard a rumor about a hidden treasure in the old, spooky house at the end of their street. They packed a lunch and set off to solve the mystery.

When they reached the house, they saw a strange figure near the door. "Who do you think that is?" whispered Chloe. "Let's find out," said Ralph, feeling brave. They approached the figure and realized it was just a scarecrow wearing an old hat.

Inside the house, they found a chest with a tricky lock. Ethan said, "I think I can open it with this key I found in the garden." He turned the key, and the chest popped open. Inside, there was a map.

The map led them through the forest, across a small bridge, and to a hidden cave. "This is thrilling!" said Chloe. In the cave, they found another chest. This one was covered in dust and cobwebs.

Ralph used his flashlight to see inside the chest. They found gold coins, shiny jewels, and a scroll. "Look at all this treasure!" shouted Ethan. "We solved the mystery!"

They decided to share the treasure and keep it safe in their treehouse. On their way back, they celebrated with their packed lunch and talked about their next adventure.