

The Sneaky Fox

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Once there was a Cow. She had a baby named Calfie. Calfie loved to play! While Calfie was playing in the fields, Cow was grazing. A fox walked up to Calfie.

“Hey,” Fox said. “Want to come to my den for a party?” Fox smiled at Calfie.

Calfie said, “Sure!” and smiled back.

Fox showed Calfie the way to his den. Doggi saw this! Doggi was worried and warned Cow.

“Oh dear, Doggi.” Cow said. “Follow them, please!”

Doggi replied, “Yes, miss.”

So Doggi kept her promise and followed them.

Fox said, “We’re here!”

It was dark and gloomy.

“Hey,” Calfie said, “This isn’t a party!”

Calfie tried to run away. Fox ran after Calfie.

Doggi ran to Cow and told her what happened.

“Oh no!” Cow said.

“Let’s save her!” Doggi said, and they ran to save Calfie.

When they got there, Calfie was tied up, and Fox looking in his den for food. While Fox was distracted, Cow untied Calfie.

“Thank you, Momma!” Calfie said.

They trotted home, Calfie learned:

Never Trust Strangers.

