

# The Fire

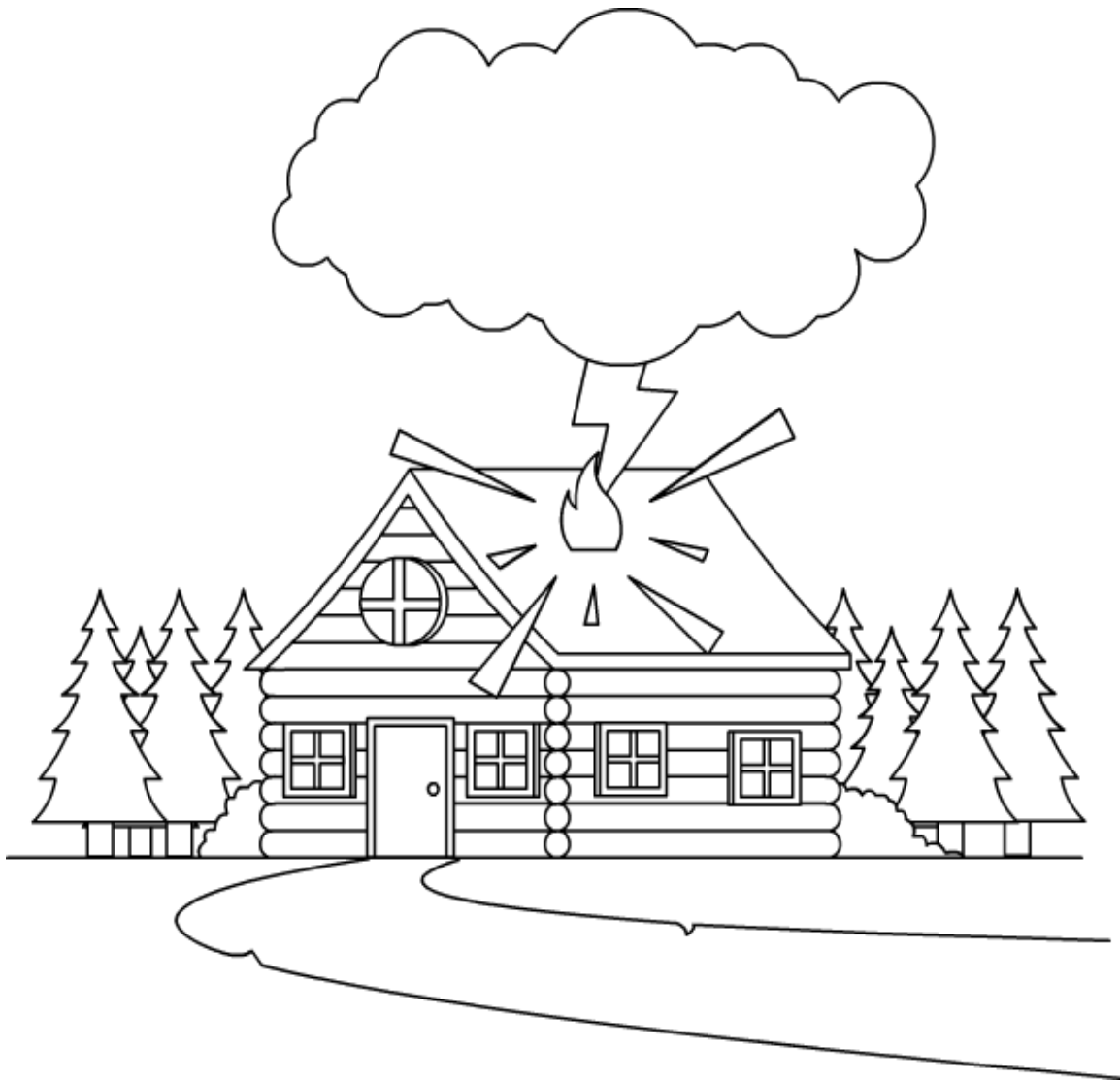
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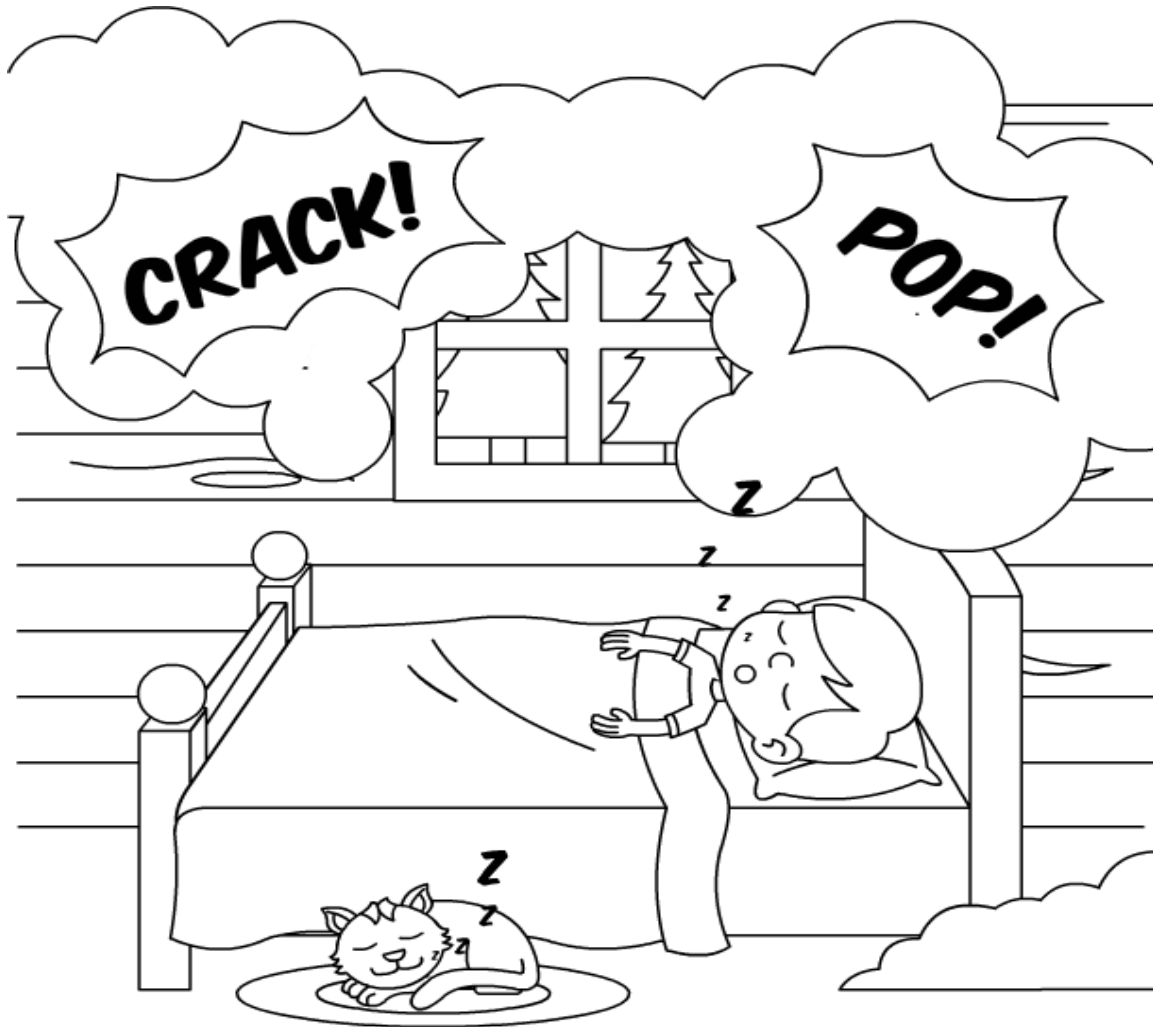
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Jake had a big home. His home was made of pine logs. In his home, Pete had a nap. Pete was Jake's cute cat. They had the best time.



The sun set. Jake went to bed. Pete went to bed too. A great flash lit up a twig. Next, a log was on fire. Then, the fire was a big, big flame.



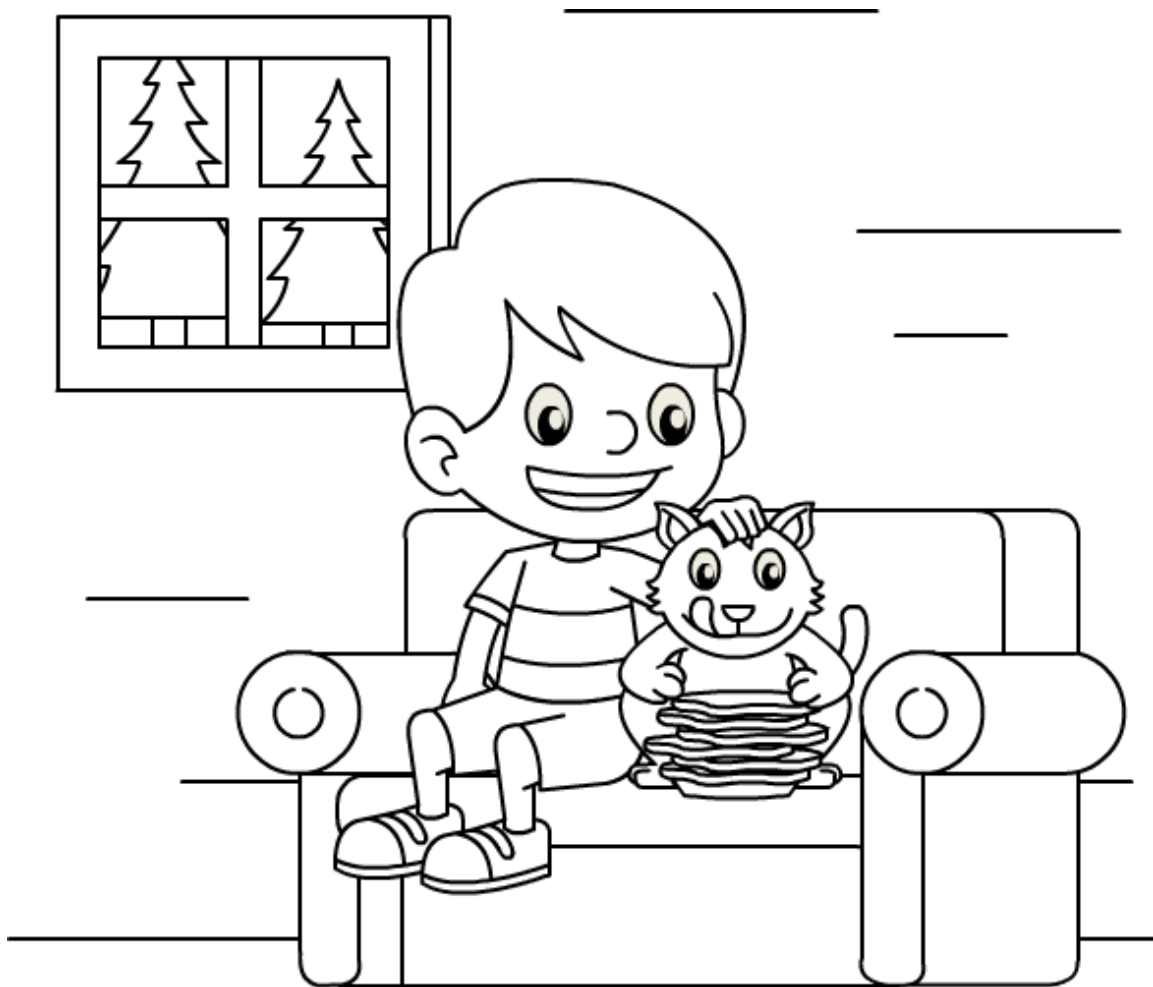
Jake was still in bed. He did not wake up. The fire made a big **CRACK**, **POP!** But still, Jake did not wake up. Lots of smoke came into Jake's home.



Pete woke up. With his fine nose, Pete could smell the smoke. Then, Pete made a big fuss. He ran on Jake and bit him. Pete the cat woke Jake up.



"Fire!" said Jake. "I must save my home."  
A fire truck came. The fire men had a big  
hose and a lot of water. Jake's home was  
safe.



Jake held Pete. "You are the best cat. You kept us safe." Jake gave Pete a thank you gift: a big pile of fresh ham. The End.