

# Nina by Zariah

Nina likes to catch squirrels and run around the yard when it's time to go out. She is also a weird dog, she likes to be afraid of everything, but people she isn't afraid of. When she doesn't know them she would bark at them for as long as they are around her.

One day, her owners let her outside and forgot about her. She was out there for a long time! After barking for a while, she noticed the gate start to move. She quickly approaches the gate and it swings right open! She backs up and starts running for a way out. Feeling scared and hopeless she cornered herself. Not knowing who this person could be, she prepares herself for what's going to happen next.

As a shadow of that person comes to view, she spots a hole in the fence with all her force she rams it as hard as possible. Breaking the fence, she runs from whoever was chasing her.

Running away, someone calls her name. She ignores the fact that she's scared to death. Out of breath she slows down but little did she know that person was right behind her. The person grabbed her collar and put a leash on her saying, "Nina it's ok, it's me your owner." "There's no need to be scared." Relieved, Nina recognizes that it's her owner. They walked back to the house as if nothing happened. But the real story is that her owner came back because she had forgotten about Nina. But Nina had no clue that her owner was trying to get her back inside.

Safe and sound in the house Nina gets ready for bed. Laying down in complete darkness she hears a noise in the backyard. Scared, she covers her eyes with her paws. The door rattles and shakes then suddenly opens. I guess that's a story that needs to be continued. Stay tuned.