

## Tammy and the Ancient Ring

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Hi, my name is Tammy Flakowski, and I looooooove adventures! I live in Berlin, Germany. My dad is the best and that's a FACT. But, when I woke up I was sad. Because, when I said *Good Morning* I had forgotten that our dad had left for a business trip for two weeks. That made all of my family sad. But, I wasn't as sad when my dog Spot came bursting through the screen door. When Spot came in, I would always ask Mom if I could take Spot for a walk with my brother Will. My mom said *Yes!*; so I put on Spot's leash, and me and Will started out the door.

We walked for a while but then I spotted something! It was a golden ring with ancient Roman writing on it. I just stared at it for a minute wondering where it came from. My brother went to pick it up when...

"BOOM!!" said my brother.

"You're so annoying," said Tammy laughing.

"You're such a scaredy cat, Tammy" said Will.

"What do you think it is, Will?" asked Tammy.

"I think it is a really old ancient token," said Will.

"What for? To open a secret treasure?" asked Tammy.

"Well, instead of guessing, let's go ask Mom," said Will.

So, we walked inside; and, on the way there, Tammy and Will talked about stuff like where the ancient ring had come from and how old it might be. When we got inside we rushed over to Mom asking all our questions. We both had been waiting to blurt out without even telling her what we were talking about. Before we could ask all of our questions, she calmed and slowed us down...

"Will. Tammy. What are y'all talking about?" asked Mom.

"Mom, we went outside to take out Spot when I noticed this gold ring with ancient Roman writing on it," said Tammy.

"Ancient Roman writing?" said Mom.

"Yes, it was really weird," said Tammy.

"Where did it come from?" said Mom.

"We don't know," said Tammy.

Right after what Tammy said, Will went up to his room to do some homework for school. So, that left Tammy and Mom alone in the kitchen talking about the ancient ring. Tammy's mom asked

all sorts of questions. But when she was done, Tammy said, “Can me and Will go check out that old barn? Then see if there is something in there that has to do with this ring?”

“Yes, but hurry because I’m preheating dinner” said Mom.

“Yes, ma’am,” said Tammy.

So, Tammy ran upstairs to get Will and they headed out the screen door to the barn. When they got there, there was a TON of dust.

“This place gives me the creeps,” said Will.

“Yeah, but mom’s getting dinner ready so let’s do this quick,” said Tammy.

They looked around for a while then Will spotted something!

“Tammy. I found something!” said Will.

“Okay, coming!” said Tammy.

Tammy rushed over to Will as fast as he could.

“You got that ring, Tammy?” said Will.

Tammy followed Will’s gaze with wide eyes. Because what Will was gazing at was a basement door with a place for the ring with ancient Roman writing on it! So, Tammy got the ring, placed it in its spot...then, the writing lit up green and it started turning. The basement door opened. The two boys gasped...

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