

Character Tales

Learning to Respect the Rules



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Daryl and Larry live in the city. They have a picturesque yard full of acorn trees, walnut trees, and even a weeping cherry tree. They have places to lie in the sun and in the shade.



Daryl loves to run and play. He has two favorite toys. A yellow ball and....



..a blue ball. Daryl spends much of his time chasing a ball. He barks and growls at the blue ball as he pushes it around the yard.



Larry loves to dig and dig and dig! He will dig anytime he gets a chance.

This gets Larry into trouble. Larry is not supposed to dig.



Larry also loves to chew on anything he can find. He chews on walnuts and acorns that fall from the trees. He does have a favorite white bone that is good for him to chew.



Life in the city is good for Daryl and Larry. They are happy and content with their lives.

They do, however, have a few rules they are to follow each day.

1. Do not dig in the yard.
2. Do not chew on items other than chew toys.
3. Never, ever, leave the backyard alone.

The only time they are to leave the backyard is when their owners are with them.

Find out what happens to Daryl and Larry when they do not follow the rules and get into trouble.....