



# Stormy Weather Detective

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The **7-day forecast** called for thunder showers and a week of torrential rain,  
So, it's all hands on deck, as the cabin's roof was known to leak, and rain was a pain.

A **flyer for roofing experts** lay on the table, but Dad had forgotten to call,  
And therefore, the cabin was not summer-ready thanks to him dropping the ball.

The kids thought it was funny and ran about with **3 metal bowls** and a **pail**.

With each new leak, Mom grabbed her **box of tissues** and let out a wail.

To make matters worse, the electricity was flickering and becoming quite iffy,  
So, Dad gathered a **flashlight**, **box of candles**, and **box of matches** in a jiffy.

Mom found her **teacup**, **spoon**, **saucer**, **Earl Grey tea**, and **honey**, and went to bed;  
She had a **burnt candle**, **book of matches**, and an open **umbrella** above her head.

The boys willed the **remote control** to work—without TV they'd grumble and whine.

A **crossword book**, **pencil**, and **deck of cards** were for them not a fun time.

Dad was using the **hairdryer** to dry out the wood so that he could make a fire,

And outside, the storm raged on—the situation was becoming quite dire.

Maybe they weren't meant to be cabin people who far away did roam—

Perhaps vacation next year should be a "staycation" at home sweet home.