

The Mighty One

Spencer glanced over at the Forbidden Forest before turning his attention to Gat and said, “What’s bothering you kid?” Gat took a deep breath and replied, “Why is it that when the other animals cross over to the Forbidden Forest they never return? I heard you’ve gone there, and you’ve returned.” Spencer laughed aloud and said, “That’s because I’m not afraid to go there. For good reason they call me dog, you know! Dogs are brave,” he boasted. Gat continued, “But my Dad told me there were ferocious lions that will devour us if we ever cross over to the Forbidden Forest.” Spencer had a puzzled look on his face and said, “Where did your Dad hear that?”

“His grandpa told him about the Forbidden Forest,” Gat replied. “Has your father ever been to the Forbidden Forest?” Spencer asked curiously. “No, I don’t think so. He never mentioned it,”

Gat answered with uncertainty. Spencer smirked and said, “Your Dad doesn’t know what he’s talking about kid.”

“He doesn’t?” Gat said with a surprised look on his face. “No, he doesn’t because I go there all the time,” said Spencer. Gat’s face lit up with excitement because for a very long time, he wanted to know what the Forbidden Forest was like.