

Better as a Team

大家互相帮忙

Jana was a small worker ant. Her job was to find food for her ant colony.

But Jana did not like to work with the other worker ants. She did not like it when others told her what to do.

Worker ant – 工蚁

Job – 工作

Find – 发现

Food – 发现

Ant colony – 蚁巢中

Work with – 一起工作



One evening, Jana decided to leave her ant colony. She hid under the table while the other ants went home.

Suddenly, someone swept under the table. Jana, along with the crumbs she was eating, was thrown in the garbage can.

Jana climbed out of the garbage can. Now she had no food to eat and nowhere to sleep. She missed her friends in her ant colony.



Evening – 晚上

leave – 离开

Hid – 躲到

Under – 下

Table – 桌

Went home – 回家

Suddenly – 突然

Swept – 横扫

Crumbs – 屑

Thrown – 投掷

Garbage can – 垃圾桶

Climbed out – 爬了出来

Nowhere – 无处

Sleep – 睡眠

Missed – 错过了

Jana slept in a pot cupboard that night. However, the next morning the cook found her. The cook was very angry to see an ant in the pot cupboard and Jana had to run away as fast as she could.

That day, Jana walked around looking for food. She only found a few crumbs. She was tired and hungry and did not know where to sleep that night.

Finally, she decided to return home.

Pot – 锅

Cupboard – 橱柜

Morning – 早上

Cook – 厨师

Found – 找到

Angry – 生气

Run away – 逃跑

Fast – 快速

Only – 只有

Few – 几

Tired – 厌倦了

Hungry – 饿了

Finally – 最后

Return home – 回家



Jana's friends were very happy to see her. Jana told them, "I'm sorry for leaving. Now I realize that it's better to work together."

Now, Jana was happy to work with her friends to find food for her ant colony. She did not complain when someone asked her for help or told her what to do. She learned that working together with others is much better than trying to do things on your own.

Very happy – 非常高兴

I'm sorry – 对不起

Realize – 认识到

Better – 更好

Work together – 一起工作

Complain – 抱怨

Asked – 问

Help – 帮助

