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### The River People

The River. The first thing that comes to mind when you think of the river is probably not home. You probably think of water or fish. I think of the river as home because it is my home. Now, you probably think I'm crazy, but I'm perfectly sane. I belong to the race of river people. We are just like humans except that we are six inches tall and can breathe both under water and above water. My people live in homes on the edge of the river. Some of us river people prefer to live above water while others live below water and some families, like mine, like halfway underwater and halfway on land. Our life is similar to yours. We ride on fish and squirrels like horses, otters and ducks like boats, birds like airplanes, and keep anything from fish, to otters, to owls as pets. Oh, and I forgot to mention, we can talk to animals. Now that you know a little bit of background information I'm going to tell you the story of the craziest day ever.