

"I love hot chocolate," said Deputy Will, as he watched the soft snow drift down over Cooksville.

"Mmmm, me too," agreed Sheriff Georgie.



Suddenly a bright light flashed past the window.

And a huge puff of snow filled the air.



Georgie and Will rushed outside to investigate.

There were dazed reindeer and scattered boxes everywhere!

"You ok?" Georgie asked the man sitting in the snow.

"Navigation system broke..," he stuttered. "..Lost control...came crashing down!"



"Oowww!"

he groaned.

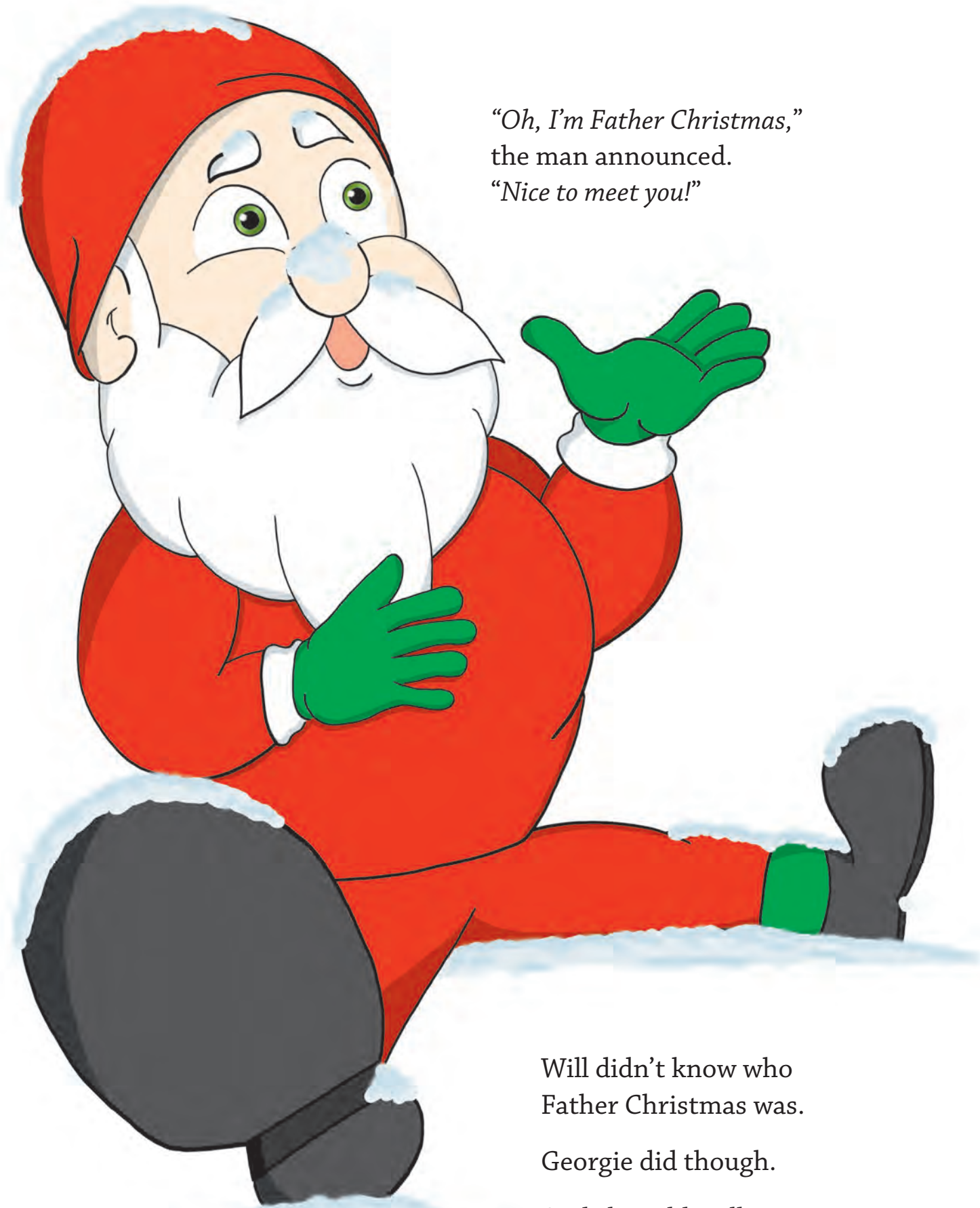
"My leg! How am I going to finish delivering my presents?"



Will looked at the man,
very confused.

"Who are you?" he asked.





*"Oh, I'm Father Christmas,"
the man announced.
"Nice to meet you!"*

Will didn't know who
Father Christmas was.
Georgie did though.
And she told Will a story.

"A long time ago, an adventurous Cookie went on a journey," began Georgie.

*"During her travels, she learned about a magical man, with magical reindeer,
who gives gifts to good children.*

*But because the Land of Yonder isn't on any map,
he never came to Cooksville.*

So he was kept a secret."



*"The magical man," continued Georgie, "was Father Christmas.
And the adventurous Cookie... was my mum."*



Then they whizzed through 'Firework Alley'.

“Arrgghh!” screamed Will.

“Pesky Rinky Dinky Rascals,” muttered Georgie.

POP!

BANG!!

BANG!

POP!

SCREECH!

And back through
'The Canyon of Roaming Giants'.

YEEHAA!



"Just one last job to do," said Georgie, as they swept into town.



She guided the reindeer

down...



***When a mysterious man in red crashes down in Cooksville,
Georgie has to explain who he is.***

But how does she know, and how can she help him?

And what's with that big sack of cookies?

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