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Jack has a big black pickup truck. He will get some mulch to put by the dock at the pond. He went to the landfill to get the mulch.

When he got to the landfill, Jack had to back up to the shack, which was in the back of the landfill. He had to get the mulch into his truck. There was no one to help him.



Comprehension Questions

- I. What did Jack's truck look like?
- 2. Where did Jack go with his truck? What did he need to get?
- 3. Who was able to help Jack when he returned to the lake?
- 4. There was a problem when he returned. What kept Jack from getting next to the dock?
- 5. What is a flock? What kind of flock was in the story?
- 6. How did Jack try to solve the problem? How did it finally end?
- 7. Think of a time you were able to help a friend.

Writing Activity

Have you ever helped someone with work? What did you do? Write about it.