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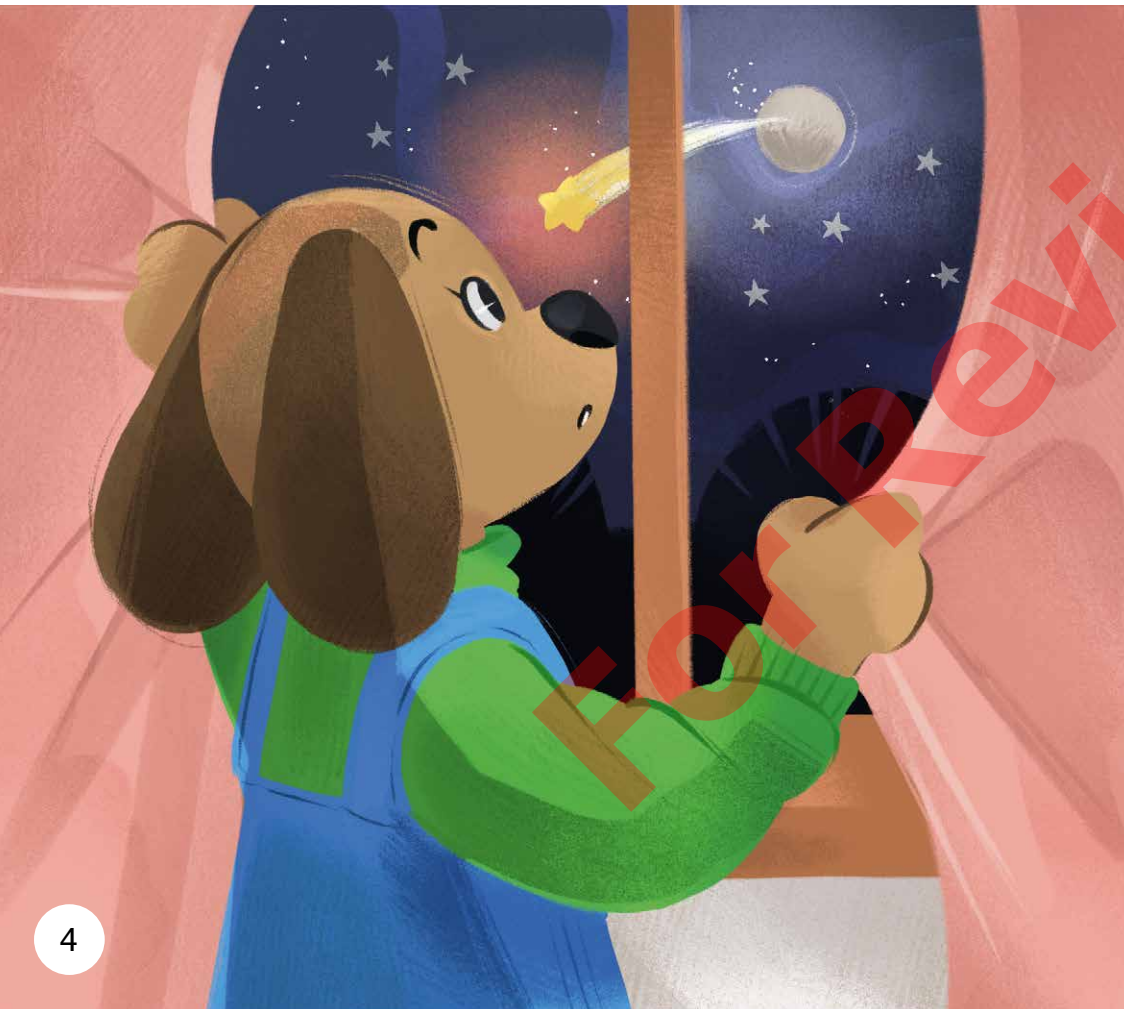
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Pip went to shut her workshop curtains.

She said goodnight to the Moon, just like she did every night.

But then, Pip stared in surprise. A star fell from the sky and landed in her garden.



She ran outside and saw a dog climbing out of the star.

“Hello, I’m Pip. Are you okay?”

“Hello,” said the dog. “I’m Luna the moon-dog. I don’t know what’s wrong with my starship.”

“I can help you fix it,” said Pip.

“Thank you,” said Luna.

Pip fetched her toolbox and went to look at the starship.

“I can see the problem,” she said. Pip tweaked with her spanner and tapped with her hammer.

“Now try,” she said.



Luna started the engine.

“It works!” she said. “You are a star! Now I can go home to the Moon.”

“Wow!” said Pip. “I’d love to visit the Moon.”

“Would you like to come with me?” Luna asked.

Pip looked up at the big, white Moon.

“Oh, yes please!” she said.



Pip put on Luna's spare spacesuit and they whizzed up into the sky. Pip watched the Earth get smaller as they left it behind. "We're nearly there," said Luna. "That's my house."

