

The Rugged Underworld

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I got up to start my day, luckily since my family wasn't awake yet I decided to have ice cream for breakfast. I think I had a sugar rush though, because I was sure I saw the carpet moving. I waited for a couple of minutes to see if it would happen again but the carpet was still and quiet.

My family had gotten up now and I forgot it was a school day. My tummy felt bad so thankfully my parents let me stay home alone and it was the best decision they ever made...

As I was staying home, I switched on the TV and watched Disney for hours. Then suddenly a woosh came out of nowhere and I spotted it under the carpet. It was going somewhere and I was curious to find out where, so I got my slippers on and followed it. The following came to a dead end and the creature had disappeared, but how? There were no exits...

I searched everywhere looking for places that it could have gone but the only thing in view was a brick wall. The moving from the carpet came again. It made me trip, hitting

my foot on the wall . I turned around to get up and saw a hole peeking out of the bricks and it tempted me to crawl through.

At first when I crawled in, it was pitch black but as I kept crawling I started to see light. I was in a strange and rugged place. It was like I was in some sort of underworld. There were sweet rappers, orange peels and 'ewww' some sort of slimy thing. It was very unusual and disgusting! So I stepped up my pace, looked ahead and I could see the light. I was almost out of this so-called underworld but suddenly I felt myself falling and my vision turned black and unclear. That's all I can remember about how I came to live in the rugged underworld and I was never found by my parents ever again...

Read the next book to find out what the rugged underworld looks like and what's down there!