



Ugh & Leo: Sparks Through Time

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The book cover is split down the middle, showing Leo's modern bedroom with a computer on the left and Ugh's prehistoric cave with wall paintings on the right. A glowing, fire-colored title connects the two different eras in the center of the page.



Leo steps into the Paleolithic era holding his glowing blue tablet, startling a young boy named Ugh who is dressed in animal skins. They look at each other with surprise as Leo introduces himself as a visitor from the future who has just arrived through a special application.



Leo shows Ugh the glowing screen of his tablet, explaining how it holds the history of the entire world and can show images of anything. Ugh reaches out to touch the screen with curiosity, amazed by this strange piece of stone that produces light without any smoke.



A massive bolt of lightning strikes a tall tree, causing it to erupt into a bright and terrifying blaze while primitive humans run away in fear. Leo explains that Ugh's ancestors first saw fire in nature and called it the Golden Tooth, fearing its destructive power.



A group of early humans works together to keep a small fire burning inside a protective circle of stones. They have learned to capture the fire from nature and feed it dry twigs, becoming the dedicated Guardians of the Fire to keep their clan safe and warm.



A close-up view shows the clever technique of rapidly spinning a hard wooden stick against a flat piece of softer wood. As the stick spins faster and faster between the palms of a pair of hands, a tiny wisp of grey smoke begins to rise from the heat of the friction.



Leo and Ugh watch as two special stones, flint and pyrite, are struck together to create a rhythmic clack-clack sound and a shower of golden sparks. These sparks fall onto dry tinder, proving that fire can be awakened from the belly of a stone whenever it is needed.



Inside the safety of a dark cave, Ugh's family gathers around a warm hearth to roast meat and tell stories by the dancing light of the flames. Outside in the shadows, a dangerous saber-toothed tiger stays far away, deterred by the protective glow of the fire.



A prehistoric child and an adult work together to watch over the fire, demonstrating the importance of community rules and cooperation. Leo explains that in the future, people still have rules to use energy wisely and protect the planet from pollution.



Leo begins to fade into a soft blue light as his tablet prepares to transport him back to the year 2026. Ugh waves a warm goodbye to his new friend, holding his fire-making tools as he stands at the dawn of history, ready to share what he has learned.