

Troll's Troubles

2 Dear diary,
11 I love my little house underneath the bridge in
21 the valley but I get very grumpy when I hear
30 grubby, little goats trotting over the top of it
39 when I am trying to sleep. One morning, three
48 goat brothers made a plan to cross my bridge;
58 they knew it would make me cross. One at a
66 time, they bashed their hooves across the bridge.
77 When I went outside to tell them to be quiet, the
87 biggest goat pushed me with his horns and I fell
98 off the bridge into the river. I was furious! I think
103 I'm going to move house.

106 Dave the Troll



Quick Questions



1. Why does the troll get grumpy when people cross the bridge?



2. Number these events from 1 to 3 to show the order they happened in.
_____ The troll decided to move house.
_____ The three goats made a plan.
_____ The biggest goat pushed the troll.



3. Where does the troll live?



4. Find and copy two adjectives in the text which mean the same as 'angry'.