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Once there was a mother goose who had four eggs. The eggs had spots on them. The mom was going to get some food for the babies who were getting ready to hatch. When she returned to her nest, she saw her babies! She was so happy, she gave them all a big hug.
The next day, she went again to get some food. This time, when she returned to her nest, she did not see her babies. She was so worried! She ran around to all her friends, screaming, "Where are my babies?"
Everybody joined the search, but they could not find the babies. Lila the Squirrel, Steven the Raccoon, Ella the Blue Jay, and Lucky the Dog searched and searched and searched. But they couldn’t find the baby geese. When they were all tired, they went to bed and worried.
The next day, everybody was searching again. Suddenly, Lila the Squirrel shouted, “I think I found them! Here behind this rock!” The mother goose was so relieved. Her babies were safe. She squeezed them all under her wing and told them, “Don’t ever wander off again. I do not want you to get lost. I was so worried about you! I thought maybe you had gotten eaten by a fox!”
The mother goose took all four babies and they went home to their nest. It was time for her to name them. The first one she named Lila, after her squirrel friend. The second one she named Steven, after her friend racoon. The third one she named Ella, after her bird friend. And the last little goose she named Lucky, after her friend the dog.