Saving Lake Mead

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In the year 2037, Las Vegas was in pretty good shape. It had many casinos and attractions. But, a few months later, all of that changed quickly. The Las Vegas Hoover Dam Administration noticed that Lake Mead had no more water.
They alerted the media about the news, and the people in the city were panicking and started to evacuate to other states like California and Oregon. When William Morrison, a twelve year old who was born and raised in Las Vegas, heard the news he decided to come up with a plan to save Lake Mead.
Many of William's friends and family left the city. There was no way to prepare food, or wash their clothes, take a bath, or drink water. In the past, William liked to read books about time traveling. So he decided to go to the local library one last time to investigate how to build a time machine to bring back water to Lake Mead. While looking for answers, he saw a book that he had never seen before.

The book had a map to Red Rock Canyon where it described a hidden portal that would lead him to a time where Las Vegas had an ocean. He followed all the directions, but he couldn't find the portal. Instead, he found an ancient artifact and when he lifted it up to see it under the sunlight, it grew so big he couldn't see what it was. He decided to climb to the top and to his surprise, this artifact was an ancient time machine.
First, William went back in time two thousand years, but Las Vegas was already a desert. So he went back in time again sixty-five million years, but he only found dinosaurs! He tried one more time, only this time he went back three hundred and sixty million years to the Devonian Period and was able to find water everywhere!

He tried to think of a way to bring some of this water to the present, but every idea he had was not good enough to solve the dryness of Lake Mead. He walked around for two hours trying to find a solution. And when he was going to give up, he picked up a magic shell that spilled water infinitely. He took it with him back to the time machine and went back to the present and headed immediately to Lake Mead.
The shell started to pour water everywhere in the dry lake. A few days later, the citizens were able to go back to their homes in Las Vegas. William learned how to preserve water and taught other people how to do it to avoid another water crisis.

The End!