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Family Dream Comes True As Supermarket Worker Prepares To 'Cheque Out' His Winnings

Supermarket worker David Seed was left dancing in the aisles after he scooped a £1,291,036 Lotto jackpot just days after his brother had a dream someone in the family would win a major prize.

David (35) and his wife Marie from Bridlington, East Yorkshire, wheeled away the trolley load of cash after matching the six numbers on the same day as her 30th birthday and just days after David's brother had a dream that someone in the family would win £1.1m playing the Lottery. David said: "My brother Michael had a dream days before the draw that someone in the family would win £1.1m in The National Lottery. However, he only told my dad and I didn't find out about this until after I had won."

Scooping this life changing amount of money means the couple and their two children Callum (9) and Lauren (4), can now buy their own home. David also plans to help the family pay off any debts as well as continuing his hobby of restoring cars.

David, a general assistant at Tesco in Bridlington, was not aware of his windfall until the day after the draw. He said: "I was off work on the day of the draw and had an early night. The following morning I was listening to the radio and they were talking about The National Lottery result. I heard two of my numbers mentioned so I thought I might have won a tenner.

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“I then went downstairs and Callum had the Teletext on with the Lottery numbers up. I said to him ‘why have you got my numbers on the screen? Stop messing around and put the proper numbers on. He replied that they were the proper numbers, so I checked them and realised we had won.”

David is not the first member of staff to scoop the Lotto as one of the store’s former managers, Trevor Beattie, was part of the Drifffield syndicate that won £18m in July 2005. But although the win has propelled him into the fast lane, David still plans to work part-time and even went into work after he realised he had hit the jackpot!

David has been playing the National Lottery since it started and his numbers were a mixture of house numbers and birthdays. The winning Lotto numbers on Wednesday 12 September were 4, 13, 18, 21, 30 and 46.

This Wednesday’s draw (26 September) is worth XXX while this Friday (September 28) there is a special EuroMillions draw with a guaranteed £88 million jackpot. Every Lotto play slip now comes with its own Dream Number – it is up to players to mark ‘yes’ to give their Dream Number its chance of winning up to £500,000, or choose a Lucky Dip®.

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