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Another Central Valley Instant Millionaire Lottery Win!

SACRAMENTO – When Alex Rivera’s mother handed him an unscratched [Bonus Blast](#) Scratchers® ticket, he said it was not too surprising. That’s because occasionally during her work breaks, she leaves her Fresno office building and heads over to a nearby *A Mart* market to buy groceries and lottery tickets for both of them. Little did the mom and son team realize that a \$10 ticket would completely change their lives.

“Later on that day, I scratched it and it hit! It was unreal,” Rivera said, realizing he’d just won \$1 million! “Just complete shock. I didn’t believe it for a full week.”

Rivera said he got ahold of his mom right away, and much to his surprise, she told him one of the Scratchers tickets she kept for herself *was also a winner!*

Although it was “only” a \$1,000 prize, they had a wonderful time celebrating each other’s big news.

So, what does Rivera plan on doing with his newfound wealth? “Just be logical, be smart. Pay off my debts and buy a home. That’s my primary goal. I focus on the things that I need, rather than the things that I want.”

The market that sold the winning ticket gets a \$5,000 bonus just for selling the ticket that made yet another California Lottery player an instant millionaire!



