



Lion Tales

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Sneaky Snakes

Based on Genesis 3

There once was a woman
Who ate fruit from a tree.
A snake told her to
And now she can't see.



The Unraveling

Based on Genesis 6 and Job 38:7

When the earth was made
The stars all sung.
When the stars fell down
Earth was undone.



The Man in the Boat

Based on Noah

There once was a man
who lived in a boat.
He lived with a lamb
and he lived with a goat.
He didn't touch grass.
He didn't touch trees.
He floated on waves and
sang songs on his knees.



Sea Dragons

Based on Genesis 1:2

A bright light filled the shadows
that cover the seas,
So the sea monsters swam
And shivered like trees.
Sea dragons like darkness.
They don't like the light.
So swim during the day
And not in the dark night.



Knocking Down Giants

Based on David and Goliath

Giants are strong.

Giants are tall.

But, with a slingshot

You can make them all fall.

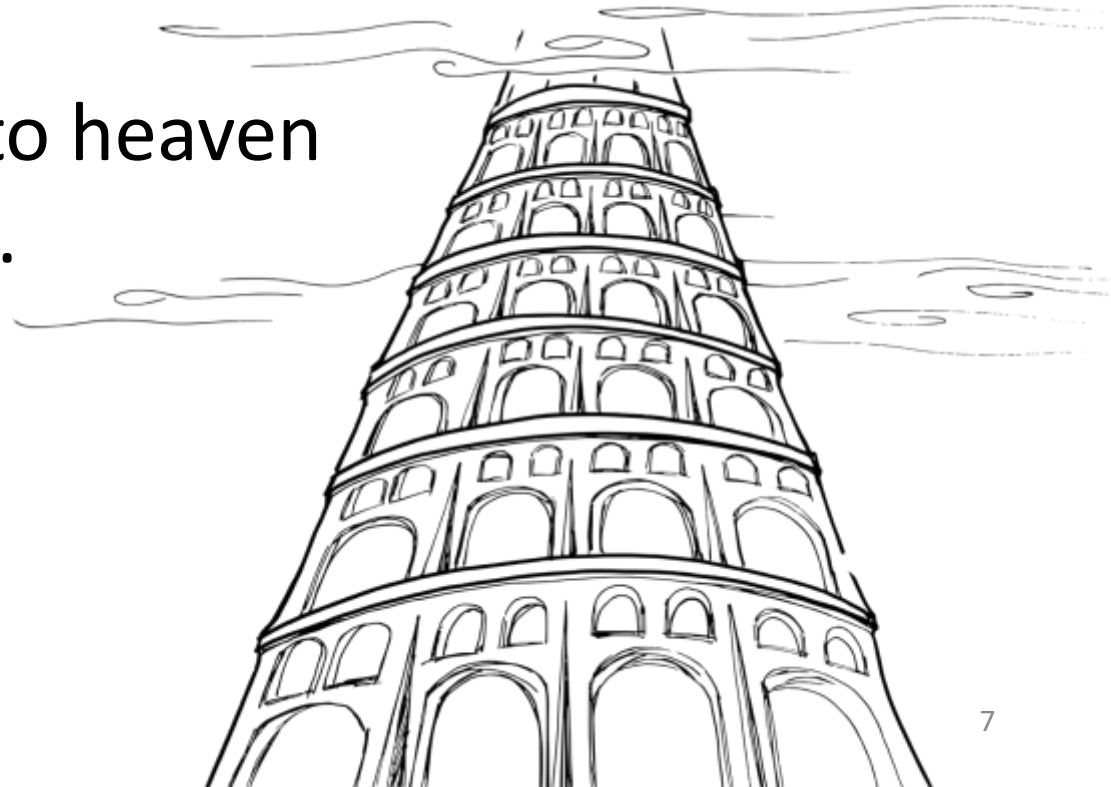


The Foolish King

Based on Nimrod

There once was a king
Who did everything wrong.

He built a tall tower to heaven
But, now it's all gone.



Water from a Rock

Based on Moses in Exodus 17

Some people were thirsty
About 3 o'clock.
A man took his staff
And split a big rock.
Then water poured out,
Tons, like a river.
It felt cold on their toes
And made their lips quiver.



Music Breaks The Walls

Based on Jericho

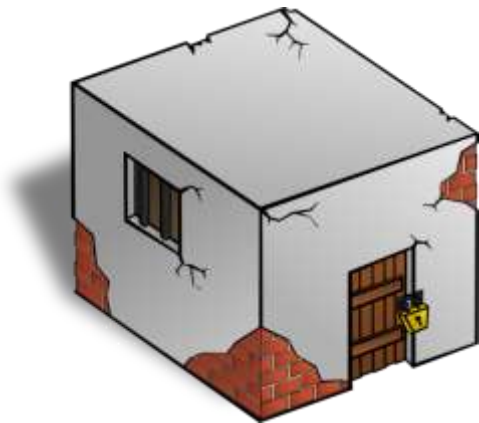
There once were tall walls surrounding a town.
The people were naughty and always did frown.
Many Happy people came and walked a circle around.
They played trumpets and the walls fell down to the sound.



Singing Opens The Jail

Based on Acts 12

“Fa la la” the man sung in the dungeon.
Too, too bad the dragon didn’t hear.
Boom! Boom! Bang! there was an interruption.
Hooray! Hooray! A bright light did appear!
Then out walked the man
Full of good cheer



Father Knows Best

Based on Jonah

A hungry fish was swimming
And wanted a steak.
A boy ran away from his dad.
What a mistake!
The boy hopped on a boat
And a storm came along.



The crew threw him overboard
And then he was gone.
The hungry fish saw him
And swallowed him up.
But, he tasted like brussel sprouts
And the fish threw him up.
The boy landed back where
His dad told him to be.
And now he listens to his dad
And never rides boats in the sea.

Lion Tamer

Based on Daniel 6

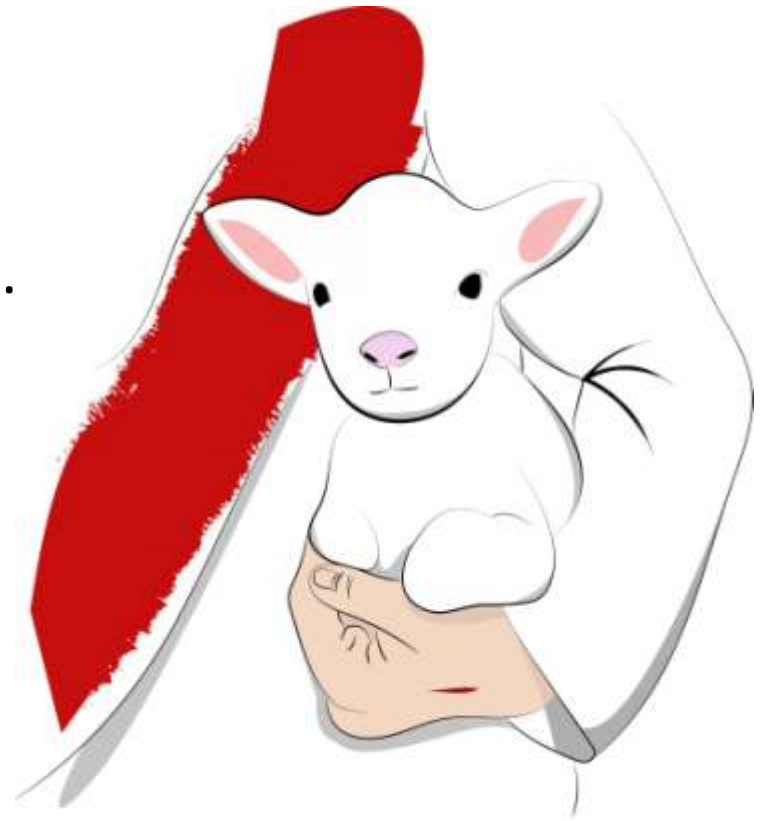
Lions can be scary.
Lions are strong.
A bad King throws you to lions
When you've done him wrong.
But one special man
Got thrown in their den
And the lions gave him hugs
And kisses, times ten!



The Lamb Who Heals

Based on Jesus Christ

There is a lamb whose Dad
lives high in the sky.
The lamb makes blind people see.
He's a really nice guy.



The Nice Brother

Based on Joseph

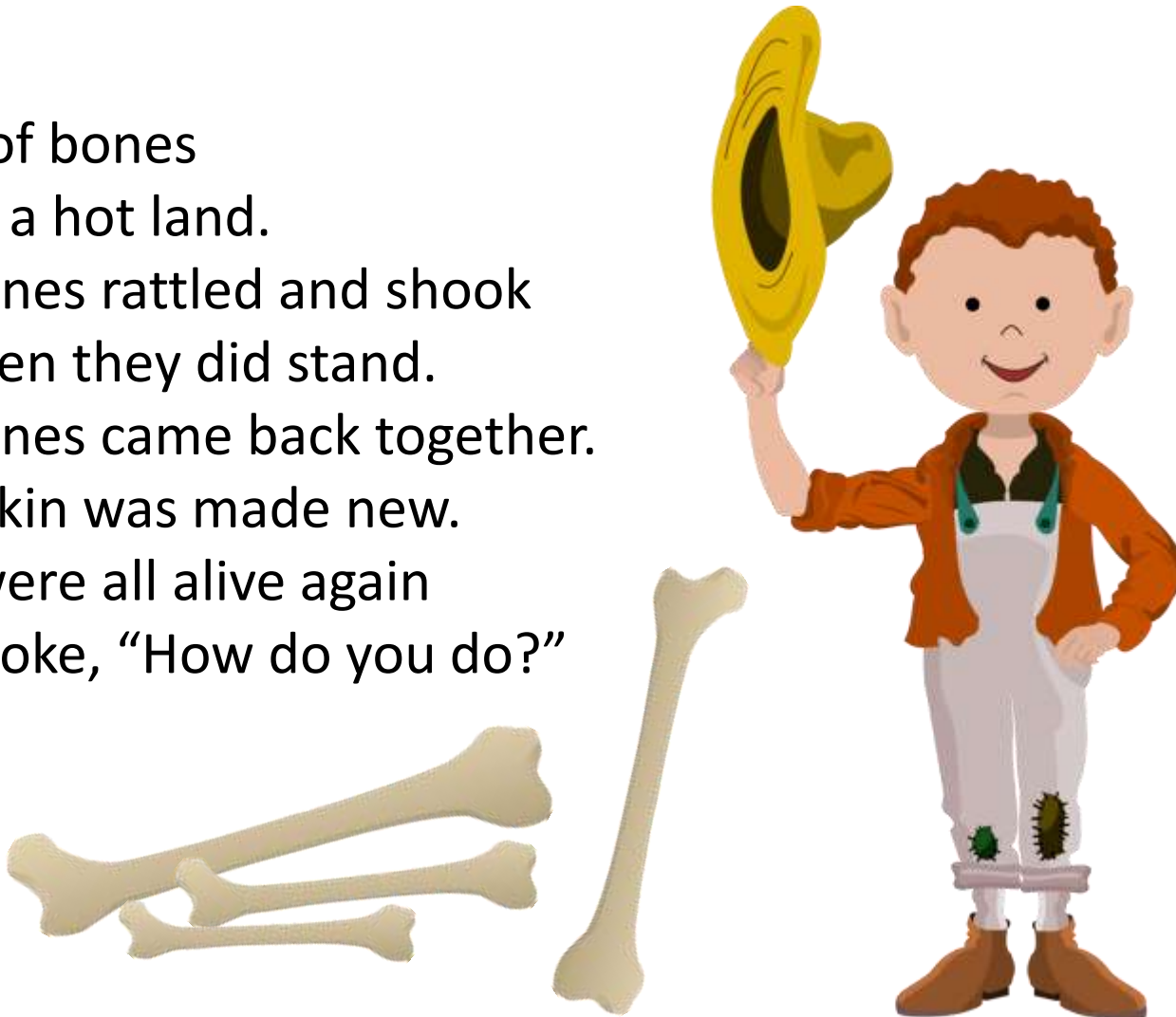
Some boys sold their brother
To real naughty men,
But the boy became King
And saw his brothers, again.
He fed his brothers food
When the whole country had none.
You should always be nice
And forgive everyone.



Bones Made New

Based on Ezekiel 37

A pile of bones
Was in a hot land.
The bones rattled and shook
And then they did stand.
The bones came back together.
Their skin was made new.
They were all alive again
And spoke, "How do you do?"



The King of the World

Based on the Birth of Jesus

Three wise men followed a star in the sky.
They traveled real far. They didn't know why.
A barn full of gold is what they found,
And the King of the World asleep on the ground.



Flying Tongues

Based on Pentecost

Flames fell from the sky.
They fluttered like a butterfly.
They landed on some people's heads.
Then, no one knew the words they said.



Silly Monkeys

Based on 1 Kings 18:27

Some monkey's brains went cookoo.
They made a frog their king.
They asked the frog to make them fire,
But Frog's can't do that thing!
The real King heard
and sent his knight.
The knight laughed and laughed
at their plight.
The knight showed them fire
From the real King.
Silly, silly Monkeys
Don't know anything.



Turkey King Gets Fired

Based on Exodus

A bunch of turkeys had 2 kings.
One rode in a horse pulled buggy.
One fixed headaches and scratches and things.
The turkeys made chickens build all of their houses,
Fix all of their roads, and catch all of their mice.
A bigger King wanted the turkeys to stop
Being so mean to the chickens nonstop.
So, the bigger King sent a man to the turkeys,
With a staff in his hand and delicious beef jerky.
The turkeys said "NO" to the beef jerky and peace.
So, the bigger King covered the turkeys in fleas.
They hopped and they flopped
And they cried all night long.
The bigger King laughed at those naughty ding dongs.
The turkey king doctor couldn't get rid of the fleas
They said, "Go, chickens, go! Get out here, please!"
So, the chickens left with the bigger King and the man.
The itchy turkeys decided to chase them and ran.
They jumped in their wagons and the horses ran fast.
They caught up to the chickens at the ocean, at last.
The chickens flew over the roaring ocean with ease.

But the turkey's wagons got stuck in the mud to their knees.
They couldn't get out of the soggy, wet sand.
The turkey king of the wagons was worthless and canned.
A big wave came along and dragged the turkeys to sea
Who were stuck in the sand and covered with fleas.



Follow The Rules

Based on The Ten Commandments

If you write rules on paper,
Your kids will moan and groan.
They'll throw away the paper,
So write rules on a stone.



The Sun Is Bright

Based on Moses

It's hard to see your dad
When he's standing in the sun,
So hide between some rocks
And shade your eyes, honey bun.



Peace of Heart

Based on Proverbs 3:1-2

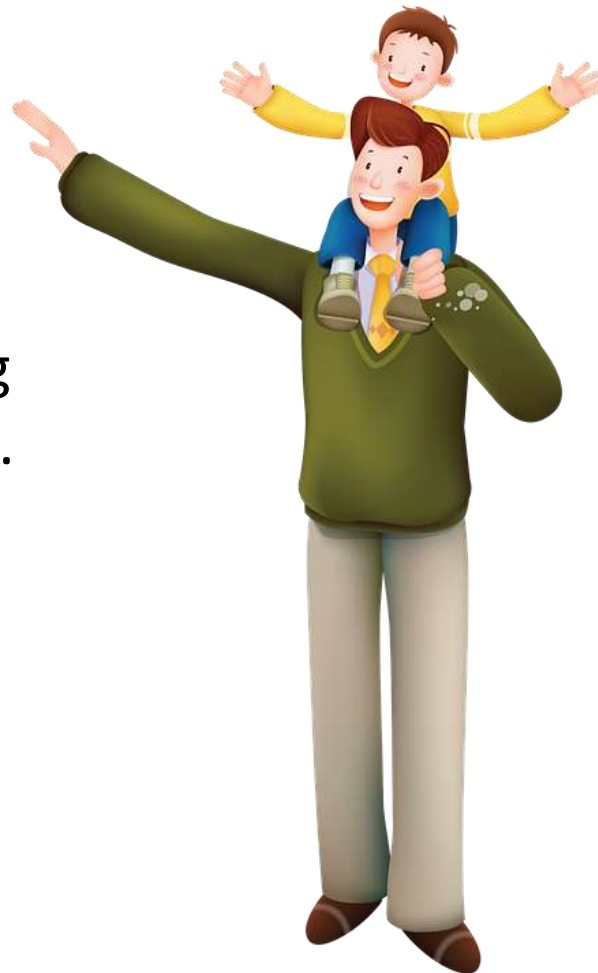


Your heart tells the truth.
It knows right from wrong.
When you follow your heart,
You'll have peace and live long.

Father Knows Best

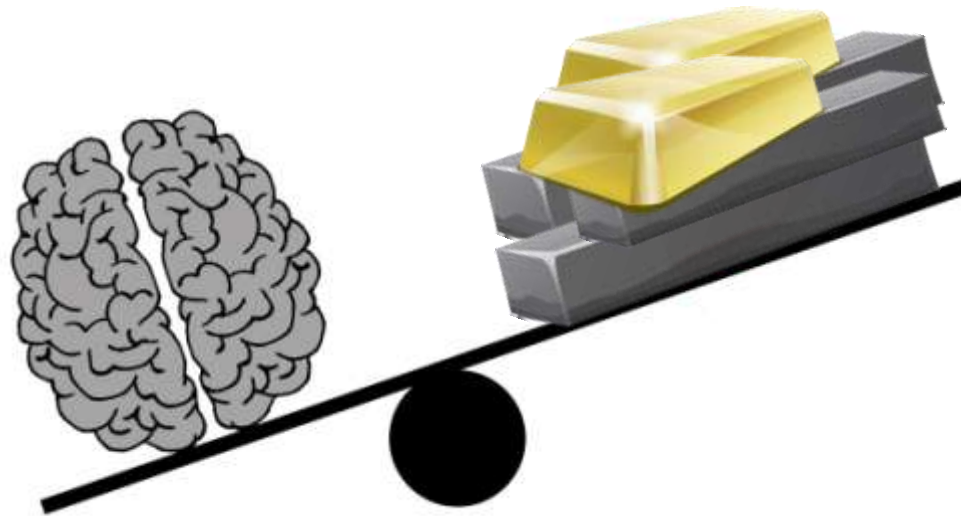
Based on Proverbs 3:7-8

When you need answers,
Be sure to ask your dad.
It makes your bones strong
And your belly button glad.



Billion Dollar Brain

Based on Proverbs 16:16



What could be worth more than silver and gold?
Using your brain, from what I am told.

Walk Wisely

Based on Proverbs 1:15

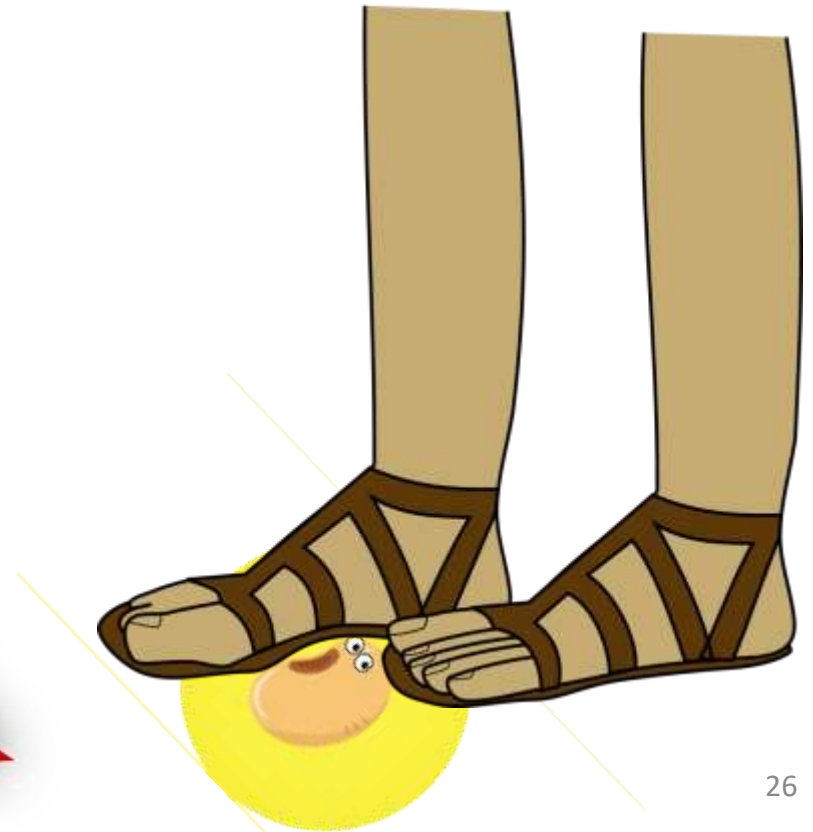
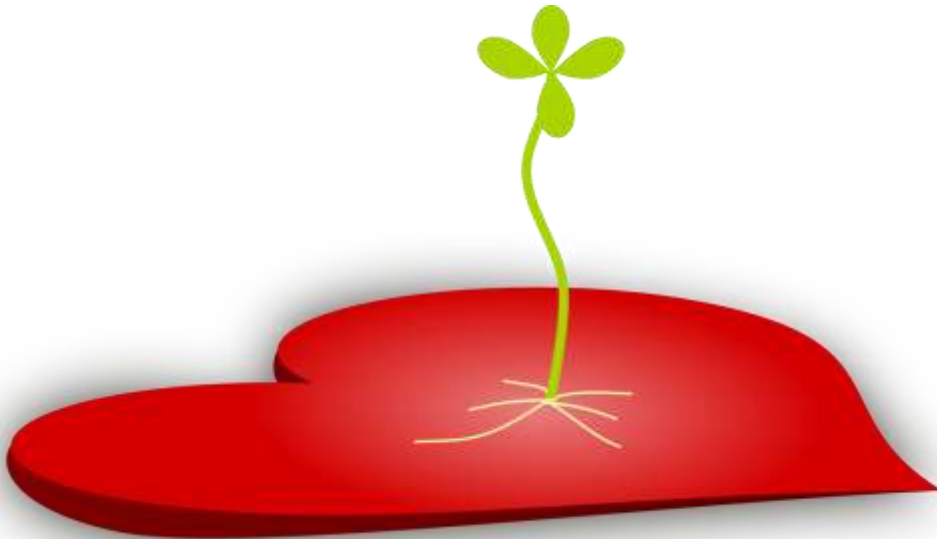
When you don't want to trip
Walk on your head.
Then, your foot can't be grabbed
By monsters under your bed.



The Seed War

Based on Genesis 3:15

Two seeds had a race.
Both grew at a steady pace.
One seed good.
One seed mean.
Mean got stepped on,
So only good was seen.



Burn the Thistles

Based on Matthew 13:30

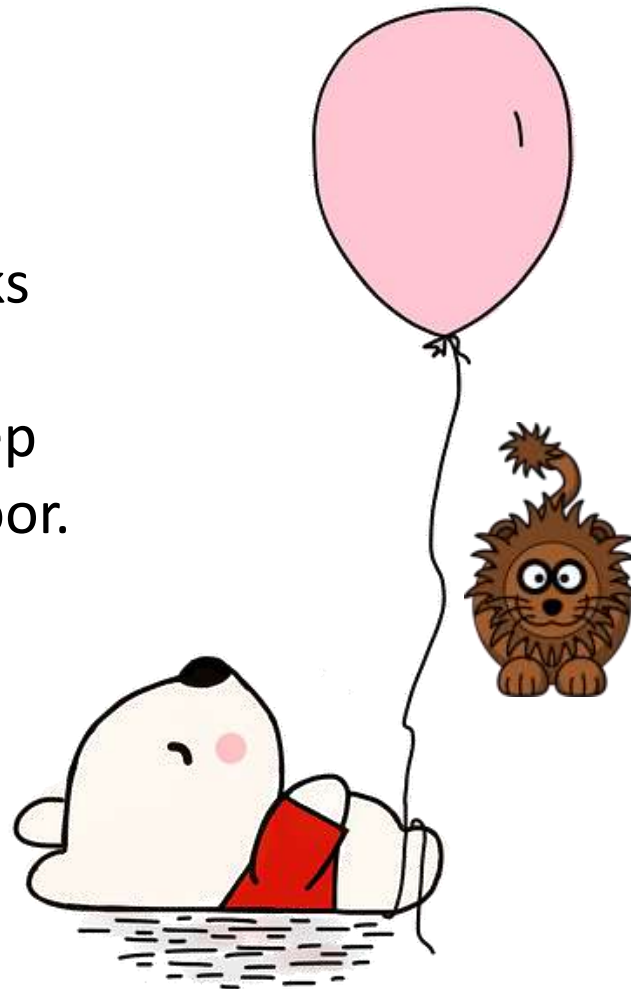
The crops are ready.
The crops are done.
Pull out the thistles
And burn 'til there's none.



Don't Fall

Based on Mark 14:37-38

When your teacher talks
Don't think it's a bore.
You might just fall asleep
And fall down to the floor.



Teasing Attracts Bears

Based on 2 Kings 2:23-24

You shouldn't tease a duck.
You shouldn't tease a moose.
They might just call their cousin.
The hungry bear will be let loose.



Don't Steal

Based on Esau



Don't go about stealing
And run for your life in haste.
You might eat red stuff in a hurry
And let your taste all go to waste.

Sneaky Lizards

Based on Genesis 3

When you lie under a tree
And a lizard bites your heel,
Grab him by the head and yell
“Hey, What’s Your Deal?!”



Sunburn, You Lose

Based on Isaiah 53:5, Corinthians 15:55

Oh, sunburn! Oh, sunburn!
You are no match for me!
I'm a zebra with long stripes.
Your burn cannot sting me!
My stripes are like a shield.
They soak up all the sun.
Then I'm fully healed, so
Your sting can hurt me none!



Come Back, Sheep

Based on Luke 15

Baa! Baa! Sheep...
Why have you run away?
Will you come back
again someday to play?
If I see you coming,
I will shout for joy!
All the barn will sing and dance
With me, your faithful farm boy.



Ask Directions

Based on Proverbs 3:6

Do you see that rocky road ahead?
Wonder where it goes?
You should probably ask directions,
So you don't stub all your toes.



True Blue

Based on Jesus

There once was an elephant that was true blue.
The others were gray, but they had no clue.
It was because they were warm and needed to cool off.
They looked all around, but couldn't find a trough.
He tried to tell the others where they could get water,
But they didn't believe him and they all got much hotter.
They finally all passed out and fainted on the ground,
So he carried all the heavy elephants to the water and was crowned
King of all the elephants,
King of all the land,
For trying hard to save them
when the hour was at hand.



Keep Trying

Based on Proverbs 24:16

Do you stick your tongue out
When you look at squirrels?
Do you pull your sister's hair
When she's put in all her curls?
Do you stay up late
When you're told to go to bed?
Do you not listen
To what your mom or dad just said?
I know you try hard to be good, little one.
It's okay if you slip up, for none are perfect, not one.
So, stand up again when you fall and do something bad
Say you're sorry and make your mom and dad really glad.



Fool Named Fred

Based on Psalm 14:1 & Big Bang Gas Theory

There was a fool whose name was Fred.
“There is no sun”, is what he said.
Well, where does all this light come from?
They asked this fool named Fred.
But, He just tooted out his bum
Since he’s messed up in the head.



The Lonely Bird

Based on Proverbs 1:30-31

The little bird chirped in the night,
But his cries were not heard.
He searched early in the morning,
But found no other bird.
He had to find his own fruit now
And find his own way,
Since he didn't like flying lessons
And chose to disobey.



Birds Have Everything

Based on Matthew 6:26

Birds don't plant gardens.
Birds don't pick figs.
Birds never go hungry.
I wonder how that is?



Wonderful Clothes

Based on Matthew 28-30

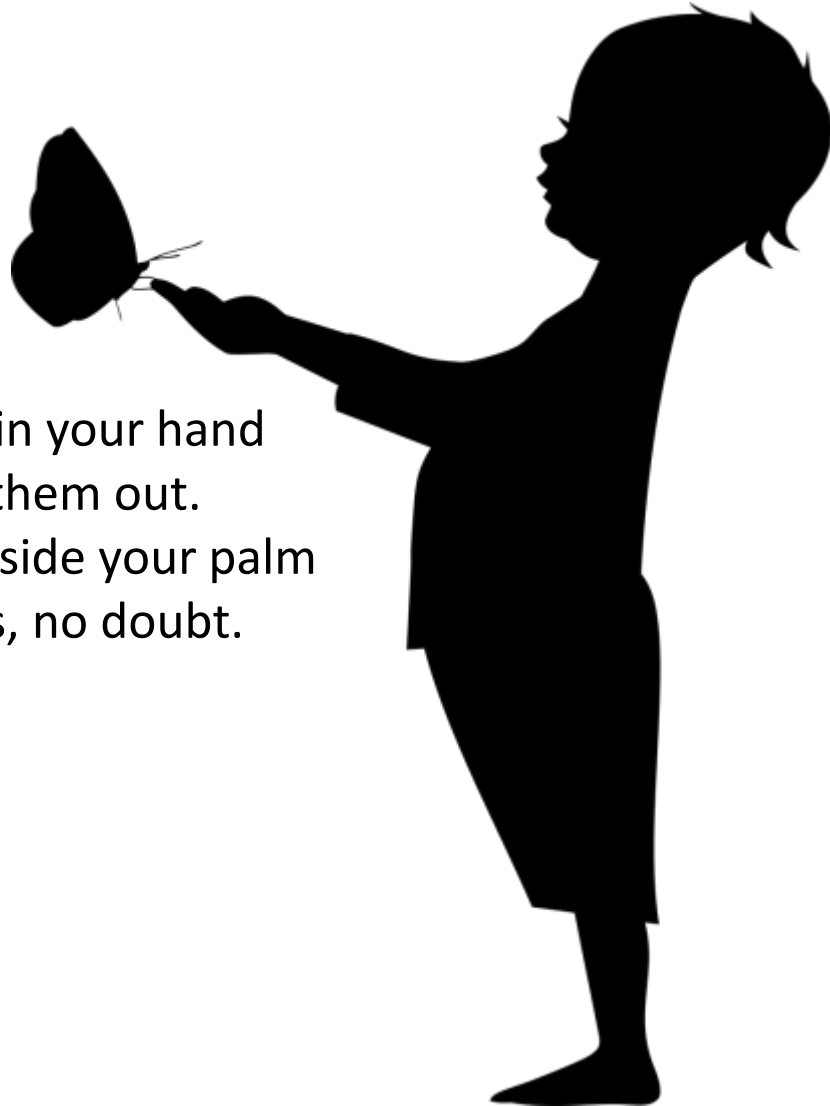


Do you often wonder
Where you get your clothes?
Or, how the grass gets dressed up
With fields of lilies and a rose?
Where do they get their petals?
And their smell that is so sweet?
Everything gets clothed,
Even you from head to feet.

My Bugs

Based on John 10:28

When you hold bugs in your hand
No one can pluck them out.
You'll keep them safe inside your palm
And guard their lives, no doubt.



Guard Your Heart

Based on Proverbs 4:23

Little Nathan opened doors for every girl and boy.
He was super nice and his heart was filled with joy.
Little Nickie slammed the doors on every girl and boy.
His heart flowed with anger and he wanted to destroy.
So, guard your heart with all your might so it will serve you well.
For your heart decides if you'll do good deeds or if you will rebel.



True Love

Based on Matthew 18:15

When my brother has a tantrum
I say, "Quit acting like a kid."
When my sister hurts my feelings,
I tell her what she did.
Love is telling others
When they have messed up.
They listen to your words
And their sleeping heart wakes up.



Path to Treasure

Based on Romans 11:33

The depth of the treasure
Boggles the mind.
The bottom's been searched
But one none can find
"What's in the treasure?"
Everyone asks.
You'll find out by doing
A few simple tasks.
Then, you shall see the
Path to the treasure
Which cannot be traced
And is beyond measure.



The Helping Crown

Based on Hebrews 6:10

Billy helped Suzie.
Billie helped Stan.
Billie wears the crown
Of helping when he can.



The End

