

GEORGE AND THE DRAGON

(slightly amended to suit our purpose!)



Characters:-

- Dragon - Stand up, look fierce and Roar and flap your wings
- Sabra (Kings Daughter) - Look nervous and 'Scream!'
- King - Sing - "I'm the king of the castle, and you're the dirty rascals"
- Villagers - Stand up and chat, chat chat amongst yourselves
- George - Stand up, wave your pretend sword around and say 'Da da da daaaaa'
- Pigs - Look scared and say Oink oink, oink
- Sheep - Look scared and say 'Baaa, baaa'

The story of (George) and the (Dragon) starts in a village in a far distant country. A dreadful creature called a (Dragon) lived near a community. The (villagers) including the (King), his nervous daughter (Sabra), a brave knight called George and especially the village pigs and sheep were all terrified by the noise of its great flapping bat-like wings and were fearful of upsetting him because they knew the (Dragon) could destroy the village with one sweep of his giant powerful reptilian claws.

(Dragons) are huge, powerful and terrible. To keep this one happy, the (villagers) including the (King) and his daughter (Sabra) had to feed it a (sheep) or a (pig) every day! Eventually there were no (pigs) or (sheep) left! They soon came to realise that offerings of (villagers) from the community were the only alternative. The (villagers) drew straws and one day it fell to (Sabra), to be the offering to the (dragon).



All the (villagers) including the (King), his daughter (Sabra), the brave knight (George) and even the (sheep) and (pigs) deep within the belly of the (Dragon) were shocked but no one was prepared to stand in for her! Surprise surprise! As such, she was taken out and tied up to the tower to wait her gruesome end.

However, when the (dragon) arrived at the tower, he was met by (George), a Knight in shining Armour who fought with his magic sword 'Ascalon' and mortally wounded him. The valiant (George) tied up the (dragon) whose belly was still bulging with (sheep) and (pigs) and led him into the market place where, in front of all the (villagers), the (king) and his now grateful daughter (Sabra), he killed the (dragon) with one more swipe of the magic sword. The (villagers) were so pleased and proud of (George) that they were all baptised and became Christians.

And there ends the story of (George) and the (Dragon) who saved the (villagers), the (king) and his daughter (Sabra) from a terrible fate. As for the (pigs) and the (sheep) – they crawled out of the gash in that huge belly and trotted off home to live happily ever after.