

Green Eggs and Ham

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Sam-I-am, Student

Sam-I-am: I am Sam. Sam-I-am

Student: That Sam-I-am! That Sam-I-am! I do not like that Sam-I-am!

Sam-I-am: Do you like green eggs and ham?

Student: I do not like them, Sam-I-am. I do not like green eggs and ham.

Sam-I-am: Would you like them here or there?

Student: I would not like them here or there. I would not like them anywhere. I do not like green eggs and ham. I do not like them Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: Would you like them in a house? Would you like them with a mouse?

Student: I do not like them in a house. I do not like them with a mouse. I do not like them here or there. I do not like them anywhere. I do not like green eggs and ham. I do not like them, Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: Would you eat them in a box? Would you eat them with a fox?

Student: Not in a box. Not with a fox. Not in a house. Not with a mouse. I would not eat them here or there. I would not eat them anywhere. I would not eat green eggs and ham. I do not like them, Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: Would you? Could you? In a car? Eat them! Eat them! Here they are.

Student: I would not, could not, in a car.

Sam-I-am: You may like them. You will see. You may like them in a tree!

Student: I would not, could not in a tree. Not in a car! You let me be. I do not like them in a box. I do not like them with a fox. I do not like them in a house. I do not like them with a mouse. I do not like them here or there. I do not like them

anywhere. I do not like green eggs and ham. I do not like them, Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: A train! A train! A train! A train! Could you, would you, on a train?

Student: Not on a train! Not in a tree! Not in a car! Sam! Let me be! I would not, could not, in a box. I could not, would not, with a fox. I will not eat them with a mouse. I will not eat them in a house. I will not eat them here or there. I will not eat them anywhere. I do not eat green eggs and ham. I do not like them, Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: Say! In the dark? Here in the dark! Would you, could you, in the dark?

Student: I would not, could not, in the dark.

Sam-I-am: Would you, could you, in the rain?

Student: I would not, could not, in the rain. Not in the dark. Not on a train. Not in a car. Not in a tree. I do not like them, Sam, you see. Not in a house. Not in a box. Not with a mouse. Not with a fox. I will not eat them here or there. I do not like them anywhere!

Sam-I-am: You do not like green eggs and ham?

Student: I do not like them, Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: Could you, would you, with a goat?

Student: I would not, could not, with a goat!

Sam-I-am: Would you, could you, on a boat?

Student: I could not, would not, on a boat. I will not, will not, with a goat. I will not eat them in the rain. I will not eat them on a train. Not in the dark! Not in a tree! Not in a car! You let me be! I do not like them in a box. I do not like them with a fox. I will not eat them in a house. I do not like them with a mouse. I do not like them here or there. I do not like them ANYWHERE! I do not like green eggs and ham! I do not like them, Sam-I-am.

Sam-I-am: You do not like them. So you say. Try them! Try them! And you may.

Try them and you may, I say.

Student: Sam! If you will let me be, I will try them. You will see.

(Student eats the green eggs and ham)

Student: Say! I like green eggs and ham! I do! I like them, Sam-I-am! And I would eat them in a boat. And I would eat them with a goat...and I will eat them in the rain. And in the dark. And on a train. And in a car. And in a tree. They are so good, so good, you see!

So I will eat them in a box. And I will eat them with a fox. And I will eat them in a house. And I will eat them with a mouse. And I will eat them here and there. Say! I will eat them ANYWHERE!

I do so like green eggs and ham! Thank you! Thank you, Sam-I-am!