## Who Was King

CHARACTERS: (5) NARRATOR 1 NARRATOR 2 WHALE ELEPHANT RABBIT

NARRATOR 1: A BIG WHALE LIVED IN THE WATER. HE WAS A VERY BIG WHALE.

WHALE: "I AM THE BIGGEST WHALE IN THE WATER. I AM THE BIGGEST WHALE IN THE WORLD. I AM KING OF ALL THE WORLD!"

NARRATOR 2: HE SAID.

NARRATOR 1: ONE DAY THE WHALE LOOKED OUT OF THE WATER. HE SAW A BIG ELEPHANT. THE WHALE LOOKED AT THE ELEPHANT. HE LOOKED AT THE ELEPHANT'S BIG FEET.

WHALE: "WHO ARE YOU?"

ELEPHANT: "I AM THE BIGGEST ELEPHANT IN THE WORLD. I AM THE KING OF THE WORLD!"

WHALE: "NO, NO! YOU ARE NOT THE KING OF THE WORLD. <u>>I</u> AM THE KING OF THE WORLD!"

NARRATOR 2: SAID THE WHALE.

NARRATOR 1: A LITTLE RABBIT LIVED IN THE WOODS. HE HEARD WHAT THE WHALE SAID. HE ALSO HEARD WHAT THE ELEPHANT SAID. THE RABBIT SAID:

RABBIT: THE ELEPHANT IS THE KING OF ALL THE WORLD? THE WHALE IS THE KING OF ALL THE WORLD? I WILL FIND OUT WHO IS KING OF THE WORLD.

NARRATOR 2: THE NEXT DAY THE RABBIT SAID:

RABBIT: "I WILL SEE JUST WHO IS KING."

NARRATOR 1: HE RAN TO THE WATER WITH A BIG ROPE.

RABBIT: "WILL YOU HELP ME? MY COW FELL INTO THE MUD. I CANNOT PULL HER OUT."

NARRATOR 2: HE CALLED TO THE WHALE.

NARRATOR 1: THE WHALE SAID:

WHALE: "I AM THE BIGGEST WHALE IN THE WORLD. I AM THE KING OF THE WORLD! I CAN PULL YOUR COW OUT OF THE MUD."

NARRATOR 2: THE LITTLE RABBIT SAID:

RABBIT: "COME HERE . . . I WILL TIE ONE END OF THE ROPE TO YOUR TAIL. I WILL TIE THE OTHER END OF THE ROPE TO MY COW. YOU PULL THE ROPE WHEN YOU HEAR MY DRUM."

NARRATOR 1: AWAY RAN THE LITTLE RABBIT TO GET HIS DRUM.

NARRATOR 2: THE LITTLE RABBIT RAN TO THE ELEPHANT.

RABBIT: WILL YOU HELP ME? MY COW FELL INTO THE MUD. I CANNOT PULL HER OUT.

ELEPHANT: "I AM THE BIGGEST ELEPHANT IN THE WORLD. I AM THE KING OF THE WORLD! I CAN PULL YOUR COW OUT OF THE MUD."

NARRATOR 1: SAID THE ELEPHANT.

NARRATOR 2: THE LITTLE RABBIT SAID:

"I WILL TIE ONE END OF THE ROPE TO YOUR HEAD. I WILL TIE THE OTHER END OF RABBIT: THE ROPE TO MY COW. YOU PULL THE ROPE WHEN YOU HEAR MY DRUM."

NARRATOR 1: AWAY RAN THE RABBIT.

NARRATOR 2: THE ELEPHANT HEARD THE DRUM: HE PULLED AND PULLED THE ROPE.

NARRATOR 1: THE WHALE HEARD THE DRUM. HE PULLED AND PULLED THE ROPE.

NARRATOR 2: THE WHALE PUT HIS TAIL DOWN INTO THE WATER. HE PULLED AND PULLED.

NARRATOR 1: THE ELEPHANT PUT HIS HEAD DOWN. HE PULLED AND PULLED.

WHALE: "WHAT A BIG COW!"

NARRATOR 2: SAID THE WHALE. HE PULLED AND PULLED.

ELEPHANT: "WHAT A BIG COW!"

NARRATOR 1: SAID THE ELEPHANT. HE PULLED AND PULLED.

NARRATOR 2: THE BIG ROPE BROKE. OVER FELL THE ELEPHANT ON SOME LITTLE TREES. DOWN WENT THE WHALE INTO THE WATER

NARRATOR 1: THE LITTLE RABBIT RAN AWAY. HE DID NOT FIND OUT WHO WAS THE KING OF THE WORLD. DO YOU KNOW?