

Story on Honesty Is the Best Policy

Once upon a time, there lived a farmer who was poor but honest. One day he was walking through his field. Suddenly he found a purse of gold. He thought and opened the purse and found that it was full of gold. The farmer was surprised and without thinking anything he carried the bag at his home. The farmer showed it to his wife and told her that he had found the purse of gold dropped by a passer-by. The wife was very greedy. She happily said that they were going to be rich if they kept the bag of gold. But the honest farmer told his wife that honesty is the best policy and that he would first try to find out the owner of the purse. The farmer opened the purse again and looked for the identity of the bag. He found a card and got the address of the owner of the purse. He returned the bag to its owner and the owner gave him thanks but no reward. The wife was very sorry and rebuked the farmer for his foolishness. But the farmer knew that he would surely be rewarded by God for his honesty.

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There lived a farmer in a village. He had a few acres of land. With that, he supported his family. One day he was walking through the fields. While walking, he came across a purse of gold. He thought that it might have been dropped by a passerby. He picked it up and carried it home. He showed it to his wife. His wife was greedy. She advised him to use it. The farmer was more than honest. He began to find out the owner of the purse. At last, he had been able to find out the owner. He gave the purse to the owner. The owner wanted to reward him but the farmer refused it.

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Once a boy named Rakib was coming home from his school on foot. Suddenly, he noticed a moneybag lying beside the road. He thought for a while. He looked to and fro. But there was nobody. He picked up the moneybag. He opened it. He found a piece of paper. An address was written in it. He thought that it must be the address of the owner. He took a rickshaw and reached the address written in the paper. He found out the owner and gave him his moneybag. The owner expressed his deep gratitude towards the boy. He wanted to reward him but the boy refused it.