

Who Asks Little, Receives Much *Kindness*

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In this story, three poor brothers own just one pear tree in all the world, which they take turns guarding. The king sends a wizard to give them better food. The wizard (disguised as a beggar) asks each of them in turn for some pears, which they give, and offers them better food. The first two brothers wish for a winery & a flock of sheep, but the third brother only asks for a good wife. After a year, the first two brothers have become greedy, and the wizard takes their gifts, but the third brother and his wife offer what little they have, and are granted a palace to live in.



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