

WHAT DO WE DO WITH THE DRAGON?

(Saint George's Legend)

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Characters in order of appearance:

1. KING / QUEEN
2. PRINCESS
- 3- DRAGON
- 4- VILLAGER I
- 5- VILLAGER II
- 6- VILLAGER III
- 7- VILLAGER IV
- 8- VILLAGER V
- 9 - WITCH
- 10 - KNIGHT
- 11 - GEORGE

Minimum 6 players - Maximum 18

The play can be reduced to a minimum of six characters, as villagers shift can be interpreted by any of the other actors. You can also add up to six more villagers if necessary, and distribute the text together.

All the actors are dressed in white: T-shirt and pants (or long skirt).

All the material is at the end of the room, on the floor in a neat row and should be again left in the same place if at any time are no longer used.

Throughout the play all actors on the stage.

SCENE 1

The king goes in running with a crown in hand, and stops in the middle of the stage.

KING : — *(loudly)* **Who wants to be a king?**

ALL : — *(all come running from everywhere and shouting)* **Meeee!**

KING : — **You all can't be king. Ok, I'll be the king.** *(putting on the crown)*

ALL : — **What about us?**

KING : — **You are villagers.**

PRINCESS : — **I don't want to be a villager. I want to be princess**

(putting on a crown or a cape)

ALL : — **Come on! That's not fair!**

DRAGON : — *(putting on a wig or a crest or horns)* **I am the dragon! Wuaaar!**

The dragon chases them, and all shout running in circles.

ALL : — **Aaaah! help!**

A villager turns and faces the dragon, who stops. All others are going behind the villager.

VILLAGER 1 : — **Wait! Just a moment!**

DRAGON : — **What's happening?**

VILLAGER 1 : — *(to the villagers)* **We have to feed the dragon! If not, he will kill us all!**

VILLAGER 2 : — **OK, let's give him hens!**

VILLAGER 3 : — **Here you are: a hen!** *(does a gesture of throwing it towards the dragon)*

DRAGON : — **Yum! How good!** *(acts as if he was eating)*

VILLAGER 4 : — **Another hen!** *(makes gesture of throwing it towards the dragon)*

DRAGON : — **Yum, yum, yum!**

VILLAGER 5 : — **More hens!** *(does the same gesture)*

DRAGON : — **Yum!**

KING : — **Enough, enough! Only three hens a day!**

DRAGON : — Ugh, I am very tired! I go to sleep.

The dragon walks slowly as if the belly weighted a lot, and he lies down to sleep.

ALL : — Hurray! We succeeded! (*jump with arms up*)

PRINCESS : — But tomorrow he will be hungry again!

VILLAGER 1 : — We will ran out of chicken!

VILLAGER 2 : — Well, we'll give him rabbits!

VILLAGER 3 : — What about when the rabbits will be finished?

VILLAGER 4 : — We will give him lambs!

VILLAGER 5 : — Or calves! Or piglets!

PRINCESS : — But what will we eat?

ALL : — Oh oh! We won't have anything! (*with hands on their heads*)

PRINCESS : — We must find a knight who wants to kill the dragon!

SCENE 2

KNIGHT : — (*takes a sword*) Hello, I'm a knight!

ALL : — Do you want to kill the dragon?

KNIGHT : — Yes; OK, I'll try it.

ALL : — Hurray!

They are all grouped on one side and towards the dragon who continues sleeping. The knight acts as if he nailed a sword to the dragon, but the dragon does not notice it.

KNIGHT : — Hu! Ho! Hu! Ho! (*breathe a moment*) Huo! Huo! Huo!

DRAGON : — Hey! That tickles!

KNIGHT : — Puff, his skin is harder than a rock!

ALL : — Knight! Come here! The dragon is waking up!

The knight is back and runs to the group. The Dragon is still sleeping.

KNIGHT : — I don't understand! This sword never failed me!

ALL : — How do we kill the dragon?

SCENE 3

WITCH : — *(putting on a cape)* Hello, I'm a witch.

Villagers go away from her.

ALL : — Aaaah, how scary!

WITCH : — I prepared a strong poison for your dragon.

ALL : — Oooh!

VILLAGER 1 : — And how to give it to him?

WITCH : — With this kilo of bread, which is poisoned.

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