

Summary: “The Ice River: A Monkey King Tale”

Puppeteers will speak in English.

1. “Warming the stage” — musical prelude
2. Introduction of Monkey King, Ju Ba-jie, Wu Sha-jing, Monk Tang San-zang
3. Monk Tang discovers that their path is blocked by a raging river. Monkey sees a monster in the river. Monk Tang leaves to ask if they can stay the night at a temple,
4. The temple master tells the Monk and Monkey that the village has no food. The Monster King, who lives in the river, has demanded that they prepare two buns with all of their food. Sun Wu-kong offers to help.
5. Monkey King wakes up Ju Ba-jie and insists that they should change into giant buns to trick the Monster King. They tell the Monk Tang, who sends them to the temple master.
6. The disciples transform into two buns and sit on a table in the temple.
7. Villagers appear in a stage window to present their bun offering to the Monster King. He goes to eat the buns. When one bun talks to him, he is frightened. The bun changes back into Monkey King; the other bun changes into Ju Ba-jie. After a fistfight, the monster flees.
8. Hungry and sad, the Monster King explains to his friend Sister Perch that he got nothing to eat from the temple. She tells the Monster that if he eats the Monk Tang he will live forever. The two make a plan to catch the Monk. Since the Monster King has the power to create ice, he will freeze the river, crack the ice as Monk Tang crosses, and snatch him. Sister Perch agrees to cook the Monk for him.
9. The Monster creates ice along with people walking on it. The disciples cross the ice safely. When Monster King yells “crack!” the Monk Tang falls and is carried away by the Monster.
10. Ju Ba-jie overhears the Monster King and Sister Perch rejoicing about the Monk’s capture. Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing make a plan to rescue their master from under the river. Monkey King, who can’t swim, will change into a cricket or dragonfly and ride into the water on Ju Ba-Jie’s back.
11. Arriving at the Monster’s undersea palace, Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing smell food and run into the palace. Monkey King changes into a crab and looks for Monk Tang. Another crab tells him the monk is in an old chest in the palace.
12. Monkey/Crab pushes the chest out of the palace and assures Monk Tang that they will rescue him. A palace attendant chases Monkey/Crab away.
13. Monkey/Crab changes back into Monkey. He calls Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing out of the palace and insists they rescue Monk Tang. Monkey will wait for them at the top of the water.
14. Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing demand that the Monster release the Monk. The Monster refuses and vows to eat them, too. Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing fight the monster and are defeated.
15. Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing swim to the top of the river. They call to Monkey King for help.
16. Monster King and Monkey King battle with baton and lotus bud. Just when Monkey thinks he has won the fight, Monster King jumps back in the water and swims away.
17. Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing tell Monkey King that the Monster is not defeated. He announces a plan to ask the bodhisattva Guan-yin for help.
18. Monkey flies to the Bamboo Forest. Guan-yin’s assistant, a dragon princess, tells him to wait. Guan-yin is busy.
19. Guan-yin appears in a stage window and tells Monkey they will leave at once.
20. After traveling through clouds, the bodhisattva summons a river and the monster. She transforms the Monster King into a goldfish and puts it in her basket.
21. Guan-yin calls the disciples and tells them to rescue the Monk Tang. They tell her that they must first fight the Monster King. She shows them the goldfish and explains that the fish is the Monster’s true self. Living in her pond, the fish heard scriptures every day, and used them to develop magical powers. When she heard of the trouble in the village she suspected that her fish was at fault and came to capture it.

22. Ju Ba-jie rescues the Monk Tang. The Monk and disciples thank Guan-yin. She leaves, vowing to teach the fish the ways of Buddha.
23. The Monk Tang and his disciples return to the Buddhist temple and ask the master to help them find a boat to cross the river.
24. Suddenly the Monk and Monkey King hear a voice telling them “do not build a boat, I will take you across.” A turtle’s head appears on stage, and the turtle explains that the Monster had taken away his palace, leaving all the turtles to live in the mud. Grateful to the Monk , the turtle will carry the Monk and his disciples across the river on his back.
25. The Monk Tang, Monkey King, Ju Ba-jie and Wu Sha-jing ride away on the turtle’s back to continue their journey to the West.

1. 鬧唱—音樂序曲

26. 孫悟空、豬八戒、沙悟精、唐三藏簡介

27. 唐僧發現他們的道路被洶湧的河流擋住了。猴王看到河裡有怪物。唐和尚離開詢問是否可以在寺廟過夜，

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29. 寺主告訴和尚和猴王，村子裡沒有食物了。住在河裡的妖王要求他們用所有的食物準備包子。孫悟空主動提出幫忙。

30. 孫悟空叫醒了豬八戒，堅持要他們變身大包子來欺騙河妖。他們告訴唐僧，唐僧送他們去見寺主。

31. 弟子們化為兩個包子，坐在寺廟內部的桌上。

32. 村民出現在台窗口，向河妖獻上他們的包子。河妖去吃包子，當一隻包子和他說話時，他很害怕。包變回孫悟空；另一個包變成了豬八戒。一番打架後，河妖逃跑了。

33. 河妖王又餓又傷心，向他的朋友鱸魚修女解釋說，他從寺廟裡沒有吃什麼。她告訴河妖，如果他吃了唐僧，他就會永生。兩人制定了抓捕和尚的計畫。由於河妖擁有造冰之力，他會凍結河流，在唐僧渡河時將冰裂開，然後將唐僧抓走。鱸魚修女同意為他煮僧侶。

34. 河妖造冰，人們在上面行走。弟子們安全地穿越了冰面。當河妖大喊「咔嚓」的時候唐僧摔倒，被河妖帶走。

35. 豬八戒無意間聽到河妖和鱸魚姊妹為和尚被抓而歡欣鼓舞。豬八戒和沙悟精製定計畫，將師父從河底救出。不會游泳的孫悟空會變成蟋蟀或蜻蜓，騎豬八戒的背上入水。

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36. 來到了河妖的海底宮殿，豬八戒和沙悟精聞到了食物的味道，跑進了宮殿。孫悟空變成螃蟹去找唐僧。另一隻螃蟹告訴他和和尚在宮殿的一個舊箱子裡。

37. 猴王/螃蟹將箱子推出宮殿，並向唐僧保證他們會救他。宮侍將猴王/螃蟹趕走。

38. 猴王/螃蟹變回猴子。他把豬八戒和沙悟精叫出宮，堅持要他們救唐僧。猴王會在水面上等他們。

39. 豬八戒和沙悟精要求河妖放出和尚。河妖拒絕了，並發誓也要吃掉它們。豬八戒和沙悟精與河妖戰鬥，被打敗。

40. 豬八戒和沙悟精游到了河頂。他們向孫悟空求助。

41. 河妖和孫悟空拿著接力棒和蓮蓬戰鬥。正當悟空認為自己贏得了這場戰鬥時，河妖跳回水中游走了。

42. 豬八戒和沙悟精告訴孫悟空，河妖沒有被打敗。他宣布計畫向觀世音菩薩求助。

43. 猴子飛到竹林。觀音的助手龍公主讓他等待。觀音很忙。

44. 觀音出現在舞台窗口，告訴悟空他們馬上離開。

45. 菩薩行雲之後，召喚一條河流和怪物。她把河妖王變成了一條金魚，並把它放進了她的籃子裡。

46. 觀音召來弟子，吩咐他們去營救唐僧。他們告訴她，他們必須先與河妖王戰鬥。她向他們展示了金魚，並解釋說這條魚是河妖的真實自我。魚兒生活在她的池塘里，每天聽經，並以此發展神通。當她聽說村裡發生了這樣的事時，她懷疑自己的魚出了問題，就來抓魚。

47. 豬八戒救了唐僧。和尚及弟子感謝觀世音菩薩。她離開時，發誓要教導魚佛陀之道。

48. 唐僧和弟子們回到佛寺，請求大師幫他們找一艘渡河的船。
49. 突然，和尚和孫悟空聽到一個聲音告訴他們：“不要造船，我帶你們過去。舞台上出現了一隻烏龜的頭，烏龜解釋河妖奪走了他的宮殿，讓所有烏龜都住在泥巴裡。烏龜感激和尚，便背著和尚和弟子們過河。
50. 唐僧、孫悟空、豬八戒、沙悟精騎著龜背繼續西行。

1. 闹唱——音乐序曲

2. 孙悟空、JU八戒、WU沙精、唐三藏简介

唐僧发现他们的道路被汹涌的河流挡住了。猴子看到河里有怪物。唐和尚离开询问是否可以在寺庙过夜，

3. 寺主告诉和尚和猴子，村子里没有食物了。住在河里的妖王要求他们用所有的食物准备包子。孙悟空主动提出帮忙

4. 孙悟空叫醒了JU八戒，坚持要他们变身大包来欺骗妖王。他们告诉唐僧，唐僧送他们去见寺主。

5. 弟子们化为两个馒头，坐在寺庙内部的桌上。

村民出现在舞台窗口，向怪兽王献上他们的包子。妖怪王去吃包子，当一只包子和他说话时，他很害怕。包变回孙悟空；另一个包变成了JU八戒。一番打架后，怪物逃跑了。

6. 怪物王又饿又伤心，向他的朋友鲈鱼修女解释说，他从寺庙里没有吃什么。她告诉怪物，如果他吃了唐僧，他就会永生。两人制定了抓捕和尚的计画。由于妖王拥有造冰之力，他会冻结河流，在唐僧渡河时将冰裂开，然后将唐僧抓走。鲈鱼修女同意为他煮僧侣。

7. 怪物造冰，人们在上面行走。弟子们安全地穿越了冰面。当妖王大喊「咔嚓」的时候唐僧摔倒，被妖怪带走。

8. JU八戒无意间听到妖王和鲈鱼姊妹为和尚被抓而欢欣鼓舞。JU八戒和乌砂精制定计划，将师父从河底救出。不会游泳的孙悟空会变成蟋蟀或蜻蜓，骑JU八戒的背上入水。

9. 来到了妖怪的海底宫殿，JU八戒和乌砂精闻到了食物的味道，跑进了宫殿。孙悟空变成螃蟹去找唐僧。另一只螃蟹告诉他和尚在宫殿的一个旧箱子里。

10. 猴子/螃蟹将箱子推出宫殿，并向唐僧保证他们会救他。宫侍将猴子/螃蟹赶走。

猴子/螃蟹变回猴子。他把JU八戒和乌砂精叫出宫，坚持要他们救唐僧。猴子会在水面上等他们。

11. JU八戒和乌砂精要求妖怪放出和尚。怪物拒绝了，并发誓也要吃掉它们。八八戒和乌砂精与怪物战斗，被打败。

12. JU八戒和乌砂精游到了河顶。他们向孙悟空求助。

妖王和孙悟空拿着接力棒和莲蓬战斗。正当悟空认为自己赢得了这场战斗时，妖怪王跳回水中游走了。

13. JU八戒和乌砂精告诉孙悟空，妖怪没有被打败。他宣布计划向观世音菩萨求助。

猴子飞到竹林。观音的助手龙公主让他等待。观音很忙。

14. 观音出现在舞台窗口，告诉悟空他们马上离开。

15. 菩萨行云之后，召唤一条河流和怪物。她把妖怪王变成了一条金鱼，并把它放进了她的篮子里。

16. 观音召来弟子，吩咐他们去营救唐僧。他们告诉她，他们必须先与怪物王战斗。她向他们展示了金鱼，并解释说这条鱼是怪物的真实自我。鱼儿生活在她的池塘里，每天听经，并以此发展神通。当她听说村里发生了这样的事时，她怀疑自己的鱼出了问题，就来抓鱼。

17. 八戒救了唐僧。和尚及弟子感谢观世音菩萨。她离开时，发誓要教导鱼佛陀之道。唐僧和弟子们回到佛寺，请求大师帮他们找一艘渡河的船。

18. 突然，和尚和孙悟空听到一个声音告诉他们：“不要造船，我带你们过去。”舞台上出现了一只乌龟的头，乌龟解释怪物夺走了他的宫殿，让所有乌龟都住在泥巴里。乌龟感激和尚，便背着和尚和弟子们过河。

19. 唐僧、孙悟空、八戒、乌砂精骑着龟背继续西行。