

The Goatherd's Loss



Once, there was a goatherd who used to go to the nearby hills with his goats every day. One day, as the goats were grazing, he decided to take a walk.



He saw a small cave nearby, looked inside, and saw many shiny and beautiful stones.

"My children will love these stones!"

he thought and began picking them up.



Just then, a crow came and began cawing

"Caw,
caw,"

it went , which
angered the man
because he did not
like the sound of
crows, so he hit it
with some of the
shiny stones.



Suddenly, many crows came and began cawing. The man threw at them till there were only a few stones left. Then, the evening came, so he went back to the village.



On the way, he met a jeweler and showed him the stones.

"These are diamonds"

said the jeweler.




The goatherd began crying.

"Why are you crying?"

asked the jeweler





"I got angry,
and like a fool, I threw
away at least fifty of
them!"

said the
goatherd.

When we get
angry, we often
do very foolish
things.

