

The Devil's Mother Goose

– Dr. Sife

**Was it Jack or was it Jill
who pushed the other down the hill?
And in a fit of maniacal laughter
slipped and fell, and tumbled after?**

**Hickory Dickory Dock.
The mouse ran up the clock.
The clock struck one
...and the mouse pooped.**

**Mary had a little lamb.
Alas, that lamb is dead.
Now it goes to school with her
Between two slabs of bread.**

**Little Miss Muffet sat on a tuffet
Eating her curds and whey.
Along came a spider who sat down beside her
Then dragged her off to its web.**

**Little Jack Horner sat in a corner
eating his Christmas pie.
He stuck in his thumb
And pulled a stump.
There was something quite odd in that pie.**

**Bye, Baby Bunting
Father's gone a-hunting.
Mother's gone a-milking.
Sister's gone a-silking.
That is child abuse!**

**I dropped it. I dropped it.
On the way I dropped it.
A little boy picked it up
And put it in his pocket.
Stupid kid! It was a box of soldier ants.**

**There was a crooked man, and he went a crooked mile,
He found a crooked sixpence beside a crooked stile;
He bought a crooked cat, which caught a crooked mouse,
Then he went into a crooked business and got himself arrested.**

**Hey, diddle, diddle!
The cat and the fiddle,
The cow jumped over the moon;
The little dog laughed to see such sport,
And they locked me up in a padded cell.**

**Eenie, meeny, miney, mo
Catch a tiger by the toe,
If he hollers, let him go
and run like hell!**

**Dickory, dickory, dare,
The pig flew up in the air;
The man in brown soon brought him down,
And the men in white took him away.**

**Come when you're called,
Do what you're bid,
Shut the door after you,
And never come back.**

**The girl in the lane, that couldn't speak plain,
Cried, "Gobble, gobble, gobble":
The man on the hill that couldn't stand still,
They chased and caught him with butterfly nets.**

**Hector Protector was dressed all in green;
Hector Protector was sent to the Queen.
The Queen did not like him,
No more did the King;
So they had him beheaded.**

**Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall,
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall;
All the King's horses, and all the King's men
Had a fine omelet that morning.**

**Hush-a-bye, baby, on the tree top!
When the wind blows the cradle will rock;
When the bough breaks the cradle will fall;
The storks will be on strike that week.**

**The itsy bitsy spider climbed up the water spout,
Down came the rain and washed the spider out,
Out came the sun and dried up all the rain,
Then came a bigger spider and ate the wee one up.**

**Jack Sprat
Could eat no fat,
His wife could eat no lean;
And so, they became vegans.**

**Little King Boggen, he built a fine hall,
Pie-crust and pastry-crust, that was the wall;
The windows were made of black puddings and white,
And slated with pancakes,- you ne'er saw the like!
And he, himself, was a fruitcake.**

**Mary, Mary, quite contrary,
How does your garden grow?
Silver bells and cockle-shells,
And anything else they let her plant in her "funny farm" garden.**

**Old Mother Hubbard;
Went to the cupboard,
To give her poor dog a bone;
But when she got there
The cupboard was bare,
So she ordered take-out for them both.**

**“Pussy-cat, pussy-cat,
Where have you been?”
“I’ve been to London
To visit the Queen.”
But the RSPCA chased me away.**

**Peter, Peter, pumpkin-eater,
Had a wife and couldn't keep her;
He put her in a pumpkin shell,
But she escaped and had him arrested**

**Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers;
A peck of pickled peppers Peter Piper picked.
If Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers,
Where’s the peck of pickled peppers Peter Piper picked?
He drank some rum and got himself pickled.
Then gobbled them all down, and giggled.**

**The Queen of Hearts, she made some tarts,
All on a summer’s day;
The Knave of Hearts, he stole the tarts,
And took them clean away.**

**The King of Hearts called for the tarts,
And beat the knave full sore;
The Knave of Hearts brought back the tarts,
And vowed he’d steal no more.
Too late. cried the king. Now off with his head!**

**A diller, a dollar, a ten o'clock scholar!
What makes you come so soon?
You used to come at ten o'clock,
But now you come at noon.
Sorry, we're closed for Christmas vacation.**

**This little piggy went to market;
This little piggy stayed at home;
This little piggy had roast beef;
This little piggy had none;
This little piggy cried wee wee wee;
And this little piggy... Huh?**

**Three blind mice! See how they run!
They all ran after the farmer's wife,
Who cut off their tails with a carving knife.
Did you ever see such a thing in your life?
They called the police and had her arrested.**

**Wee Willie Winkie runs through the town,
Upstairs and downstairs, in his nightgown;
Rapping at the window, crying through the lock.
Poor WW. They carted him off to the looney bin.**

**A wise old owl sat in an oak,
The more he heard, the less he spoke;
The less he spoke, the more he heard.
But owls can't speak and this is absurd.**