

Loyalty

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In this story, the loyalty of both animals and humans is tested. There was a man being chased by a lion in the jungle. The man was scared, and he ran fast to save his life. There was a monkey on a nearby tree. The monkey extended his hand to help him, while holding the branch with the other hand. The monkey pulled the man up. When he reached the top of the tree, the lion suggested to the man to push the monkey down so that both could gain advantage. The man pushed the monkey down. The lion was about to eat the monkey when the monkey said to the lion, 'Listen to me, I only weigh 5kg, and the man is almost 60kg. You should let me go to the top of the tree again, and I will throw the man down so you can have plenty of meat.' The lion let the monkey go to the top of the tree, and when he reached there, he said to the lion, 'It was this man who threw me down, and I helped him get to the top of the tree. If you keep waiting there forever, I will never throw him down.'