

## The Parable of the two Daughters

- A. Once upon a time, there were two sons
- B. Daughters
- A. Sons, it says sons.
- B. I know, but we could only find girls to play the parts.
- A. Oh, alright then, let's start again.
- B. Once upon a time, there were two daughters
- A. They were like chalk and cheese
- B. Black & white
- A. Sweet & sour
- B. With three portions of rice....
- A. Pardon?
- B. Never mind..... they were different.
- A. The first was ever so humble
- B. Ever so, ever so loyal
- A. Ever so, ever so, ever so obedient
- B. Ever so, ever so, ever so , ever so .... Sickening
- A. A Uriah Heep
- B. A total creep
- A. Who
- B. Rarely
- A. If ever
- B. Actually did anything
- A. Except to let everyone know how...
- B. Very loyal, humble and obedient
- A. She was.
- B. The other daughter
- A. Was much too interested
- B. In

A. Football

B. Netball

A. Boxing

B. Ballet

A. Going out with her mates for a drink

B. Having some friends round for coffee

A. To worry about pretending to be good.

B. Well, one day

A. Dad came along to Joe....

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A. And said 'Go help out in the vineyard, there's a good lad.... Lass'

B. And in true Uriah fashion

A. She replied

B. I am you most humble, loyal and obedient servant'

A. Makes me wish she'd grow up.

B. Makes me want to....

A. Yes, thank you!..... Meanwhile, dad went to the other daughter and said...

B. Go help your bro.... Sister in the vineyard.

A. To which she replied

B. Sorry dad, I've got other priorities, I've got the local netball team coming round for coffee to talk about a trip to the ballet.

A. 'Oh' said dad disappointed

B. And not a little disbelieving.

A. After dad had left

B. Good old Jo, in her

A. Humble

B. Loyal

A. And obedient manner

B. Sneaked off to the local to tell everyone

A. How humble, loyal

B. And obedient

- A. She was.
- B. In the meantime, the other sister
- A. Was having an attack of conscience.
- B. 'I love my dad'
- A. She thought
- B. 'I love him more than netball, coffee and ballet'
- A. 'But he'll never know unless'
- B. 'I get off my backside'
- A. 'And do what he asks'
- B. So off she went gladly
- A. To meet her dad and tell him that she loved him.
- B. And more importantly, to prove it, by doing what he asked.
- A. Jesus said
- B. 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments'
- A. Fancy going to this ballet then?