

Act-It-Out Story

“Granny’s House”

Style: Humorous
Great for Youth Rallies

Choose six volunteers who trust you explicitly but who have no idea what you’re about to do.

Characters:

<i>Granny</i>	<i>Purse (Light weight person)</i>
<i>Dog</i>	<i>Rocking Chair (Big Person)</i>
<i>Cat</i>	<i>Table (Big Person)</i>

As the narrator tells the story, the characters act it out. Pause between each sentence to make give the characters time to perform their task.

Narrator:

Welcome to Granny’s House. As you look around you see a table located in the middle of the room. (The table is on his hands and knees.) A rocking chair sits next to it. A cat lies next to the rocking chair. The cat is quietly snoring.

Granny enters the room carrying her purse. She puts the purse on the table and sits in the rocking chair. She begins rocking in it. She rocks larger and larger and squishes the cat’s tail. The cat screams and runs under the table and to the door.

A dog outside sees the cat and barks. The cat runs and jumps on the table, knocking the purse off. The dog follows and sits on the table. The cat jumps off and runs behind the rocking chair. The dog follows while Granny stands and screams, “EEEEK!”

The cat jumps in the chair and onto the purse. The dog jumps in the chair and Granny sits on him. The dog bites Granny. She stands and screams, “EEEEK!” while the cat hides under the table.

The dog runs under the table. Granny tries to swat the dog, but misses and hits the table. The cat runs and lies next to the rocking chair while the table falls on the dog! The dog screams, “Yelp!”

The dog jumps on the cat. Granny hits the dog. The dogs runs out the door. Granny sits in the rocking chair and they live happily ever after!

Spiritual Application:

The volunteers did what the leader told them to do. If a person is going to call Jesus their Lord, they too, should do what He tells them to do. Anyone can come to church and say all the right words, but how a person lives at home and at school shows to what extent Jesus really has full control of their lives.

Read Matthew 7:21