



## **"He did miracles!"**

**Jesus' First Miracle - John 2:1-11**

It was a warm sunny afternoon. Delbert, a bold young donkey, trotted up the path to the farmhouse with his best friend, a shy little lamb named Lello, at his side. They were quite a pair.

"Where is Granny B?" Lello wondered as she scampered up the steps and onto the front porch.

Delbert grinned as he heard the porch door swing open. Granny B appeared with a tray of goodies saying, "Oh, hello, little ones. You are just in time!"

Lello peeked over the tray to see the tall pitcher of grape juice with three cups and three pieces of white cake. "Just in time for what?"

Excited to see the cake, Delbert interrupted, "Hee haw! Is it somebody's birthday?"

"No, this is wedding cake. Pops and I went to a wedding yesterday and I saved some cake for you," Granny B explained. "And as I made this grape juice, I began to think about a story I think you'll enjoy."

"Oh, I hope it's a Bible story! I love it when you read Bible stories to us, Granny B." Lello said in an excited whisper.

Granny B stroked Lello's head and said, "This Bible story includes a special surprise—it's the story of Jesus' first miracle."

"Did you say miracles?" Delbert asked. "Haw! I just love miracles! Don't you love miracles, Lello?"

"What's a miracle?" Lello asked shyly.

Granny B smiled, "A miracle is an amazing surprise from God."

"Yeah!" Lello cheered, "I love miracles, too!"

"Jesus did His first miracle at a wedding," Granny B explained. "His mother told Him they had no more grape juice."

"That's worse than running out of wedding cake!" Delbert asked, "Well, what did Jesus do?"

Granny B pulled her Bible from her apron. "He told the servants to fill six giant jars with water."

"Water?" Delbert asked. "But that's not grape juice!"

"That's right, Delbert," Granny B replied. "Jesus did His first miracle right there; He changed the water into grape juice!"

"What? That's impossible! How did He do that?" Lello asked.

Delbert turned to Lello, "He did miracles!"

"That's right, and this was His first one," Granny B added.

"Did Jesus do more miracles?" Lello asked.

"Yes, little one. Now let's have a bite of cake before you go," Granny B smiled as she served the cake and juice.

After their snack, Delbert and Lello gave Granny B a goodbye nuzzle and headed back down the path. Granny B flipped through her Bible carefully folding the corner of each page that described a miracle. Then she slipped her Bible back in her pocket, gathered the tray, and headed back into her kitchen.