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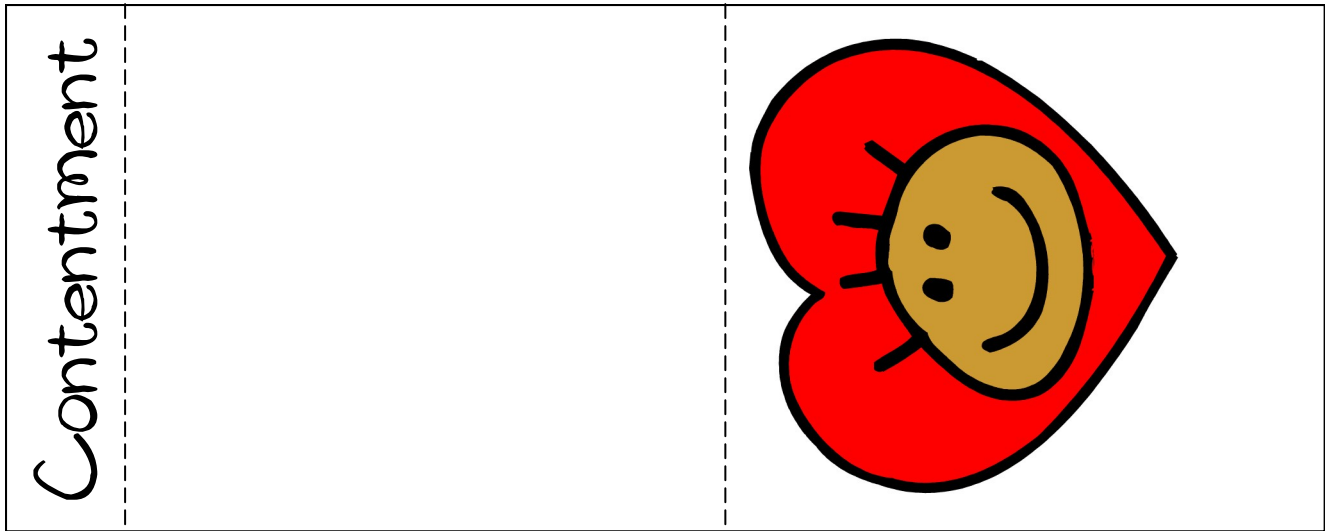
Cut circles out. Stack together with cover on top and secure with a brass brad.

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This book has a circular story. Where is the old woman at the beginning of the book? Where is she when the story is over? After you assemble the wheel, write the woman's first house at the top. Move the wheel and write her next home. Continue until you have written all her homes on the wheel. The final one will be at the top (right where she started!).



Look up the word contentment in the dictionary. Write the definition inside the book. Cut book out on the solid lines. Using the dotted lines as your guide, fold like a matchbook. ↙



Cut the book out on the solid lines. Fold on the dotted. Answer the questions under the flaps. ↙

 <p>What was the fairy's response?</p>	<p>What was the old woman's final complaint?</p>

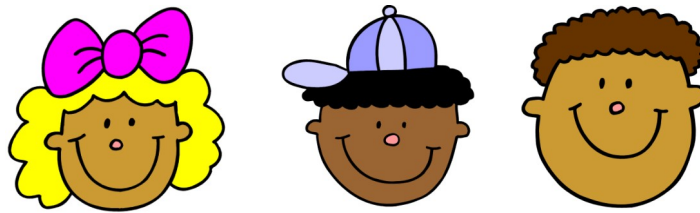
The fairy claims that the old woman won't be content *anywhere*. Do you think this is true? Why?

The Bible gives us verses about contentment. Read through the verses below. Pick one to memorize and think about ways you can show contentment in your own life.

Cut on the solid lines. Glue the strips together as indicated. Fold like an accordion.

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Bible Verses About Contentment



"A happy heart makes
the face cheerful, but
heartache crushes the
spirit." Proverbs 15:13

Glue this tab to the back of the next strip.

"... I have Learned to be content whatever the circumstances."
Philippians 4:11b


"I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have Learned the secret of being content in any

and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether Living in plenty or in want."
Philippians 4:12

Certain elements of a story are usually present in a fairy tale. Fairy tales usually take place "long ago" and have special beginning words such as "Once upon a time", and ending words such as "lived happily ever after". Fairy Tales usually have both a good character and an evil character, and the good character usually wins in the end. There is almost always royalty and castles present in a fairy tale, and sometimes magic. You will also find things grouped in threes or sevens in fairy tales.*

Think about *The Old Woman Who Lived in a Vinegar Bottle*. Do you think this book is a fairy tale? Be a fairy tale detective and use the clues in the story to determine your answer. Use the pages on this page and the next to record your research.

When you are finished, cut the pages out and stack them together with the cover on top. Staple at the top of the book.

<p>I'm a Fairy Tale Detective</p>  An illustration of a magnifying glass with a wooden handle and a metal frame, positioned on the left. To its right is a small fairy with blonde hair, wearing a blue dress and a pointed blue hat, holding a wand that emits a spark of light.	<p>List special beginning or ending words:</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
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*Fairy tale lesson information by Wende.

Is there a good character? Who?

Is there a bad character? Who?

Is there royalty?

Is there a castle?

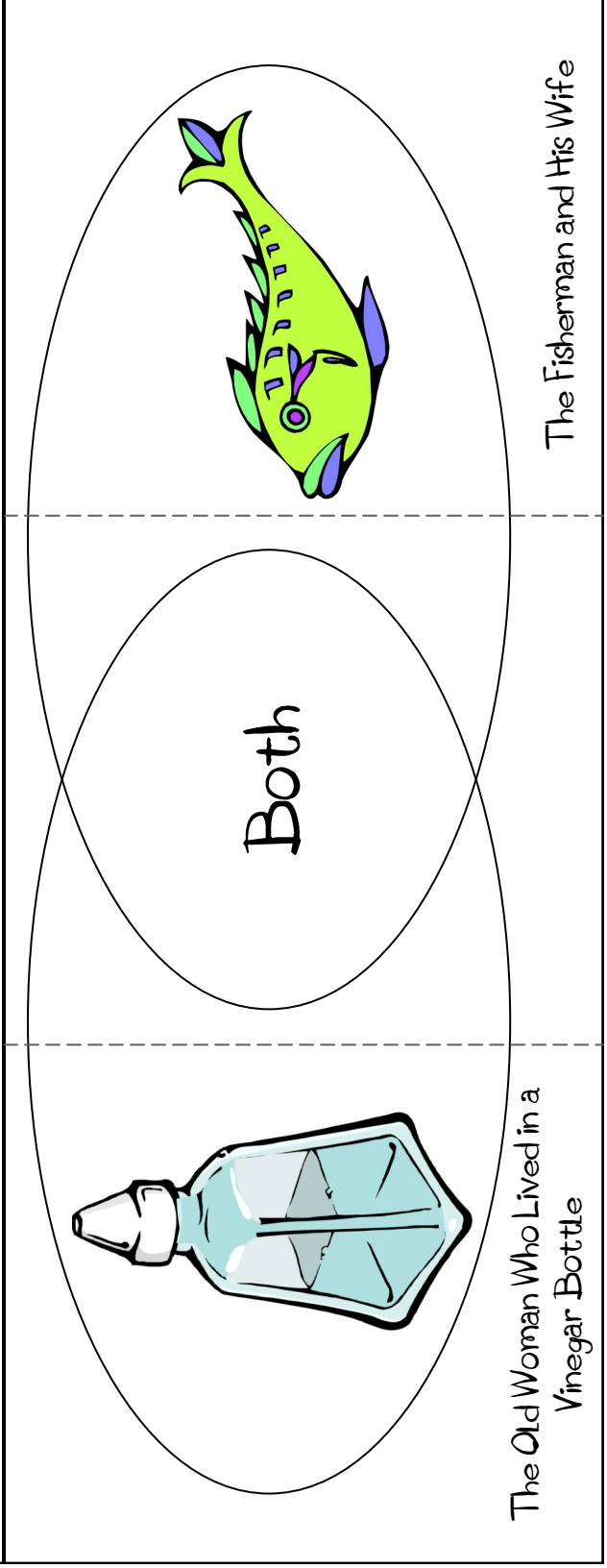
Is there magic?

Did anything happen in threes or sevens?

To the best of my
knowledge,
*The Old Woman Who Lived
in a Vinegar Bottle*
does or does not
qualify as a
Fairy Tale.

This story reminds me of another story. Have you ever read "The Fisherman and His Wife"? Read it [here](#). What things in the two stories are similar? What things are different? Use the Venn diagram on the next page to record your answers.

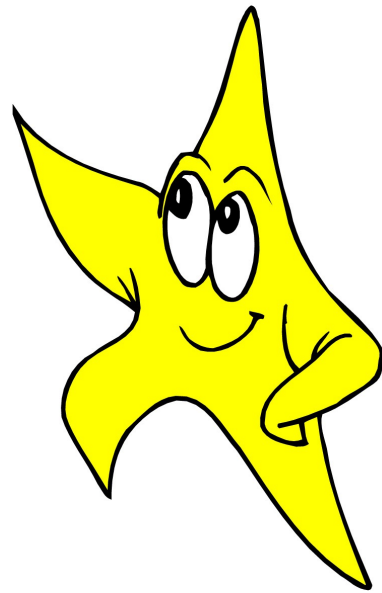
Cut out book as one piece. Fold in half on the black line. Cut on the dotted lines to form three flaps.

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The old woman in the story was never content. She also wasn't thankful (not even once!) for what the fairy did for her.

What are you thankful for? Cut the book out as one piece and fold it in half on the dotted lines. Inside the book, make a list of at least 8 things that you are thankful for.

I Am
Thankful
For ...



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