

THE BIG TURKEY HUNT

<u>PILGRIM</u>	Whistle	<u>TURKEY</u>	"Gobble, Gobble"
<u>FISH</u>	"Bubble, Bubble"	<u>BEAR</u>	"Growl, Growl"
<u>SQUIRREL</u>	"Chatter, Chatter"	<u>BEE</u>	"Buzz, Buzz"
<u>DUCK</u>	"Quack, Quack"	<u>HUNT</u>	All Sounds

Once upon a time, there was a PILGRIM __ who decided to go out to HUNT __ for a TURKEY __ for his Thanksgiving dinner. As he walked along through the forest, all of a sudden he met a DUCK __. He said, "Have you seen the TURKEY __? I'm on a big HUNT __ for him." "No", said the DUCK __ with a sly wink. So the PILGRIM __ marched along till all of a sudden he spied a SQUIRREL __ playing in the treetops. "Good day, SQUIRREL __, said the PILGRIM __. 'Have you seen the TURKEY __? I'm on a big HUNT __ for him." "No, no," said the SQUIRREL __, smiling behind his paw.

As the PILGRIM __ crossed the brook, he bent down from the bridge when he saw a FISH __ swimming near the surface. "Oh, FISH __," said he, "has the TURKEY __ been down to the water for a drink today?" "No, not for a long time," said the FISH __, diving deep to hide his laughter. The poor PILGRIM __ continued down the shady path and suddenly came face to face with a big, brown BEAR __. "Hello, B-BEAR __," he said, "Have you s-seen the TURKEY __? I'm on a big HUNT __ for Him." "No" said the BEAR __, "I don't even know what a TURKEY __ is, but he gave a rumbling laugh.

The PILGRIM __ was feeling quite depressed by now, for he thought that he would never find the TURKEY __. Finally, he saw a BEE __ buzzing by, "Stop a minute, BEE __," he said. "You fly just about everywhere, is the TURKEY __ near? I'm on a big HUNT __ for him." "No," buzzed the BEE __, "nowhere around here," and he flew away, buzzing hard to hide his chuckles.

Soon the PILGRIM __ saw ahead of him a clump of bushes and small trees. As he neared it, there suddenly rang out to them the most deafening noise you ever heard. It was the most ferocious growl of the BEAR __, the loudest buzz of the BEE __, the biggest bubbles of the FISH __, the deepest gobble of the TURKEY __. Mr. TURKEY __ had hidden himself in the midst of the thicket, and all of his animal friends had gathered together to try to scare the PILGRIM __ out of his boots and away from the TURKEY __.

But the joke was on him, for guess what? All the PILGRIM __ had wanted to do was invite the TURKEY __ to help him eat his bountiful harvest - Thanksgiving Dinner! As the poor misunderstood PILGRIM __ let out a very loud yell and took off for home, all heard him exclaim as he went out of sight, "That's the last HUNT __ I'll go on, so good night, good night!".