

# *The Thankless Souls*



**A king was deeply shameful and hurt because of his ministers' and courtiers' attitude towards food.**





Whenever there was an occasion of feast, the nobles and aristocrats would gulp down the food and never offered prayers to the Lord.





They would just laugh and joke while eating  
and never remember God.







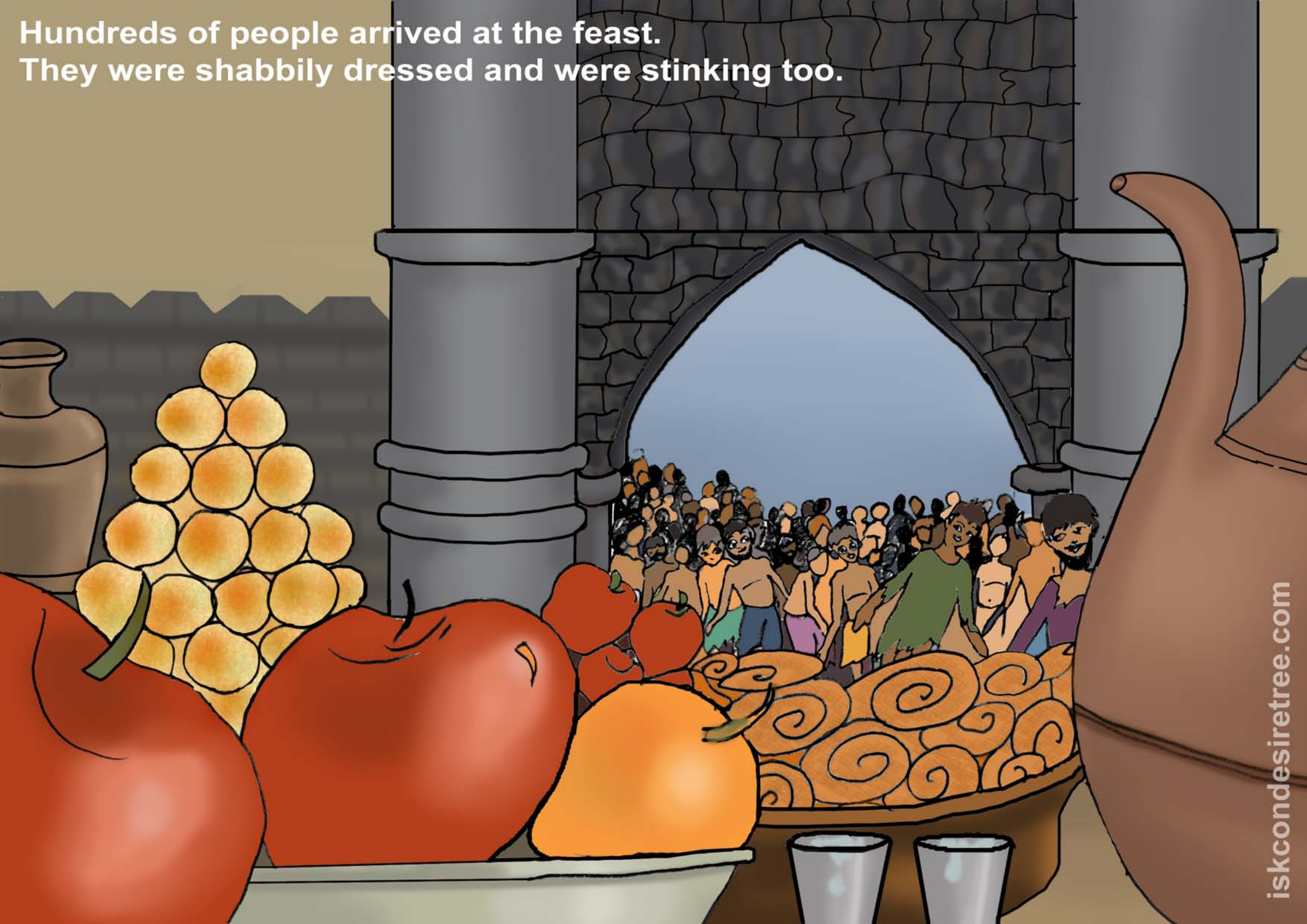
The king was disturbed and wanted to teach them a lesson.

Let there be a  
great feast, annadaan, organized  
for all the beggars and the destitutes  
of the Kingdom.



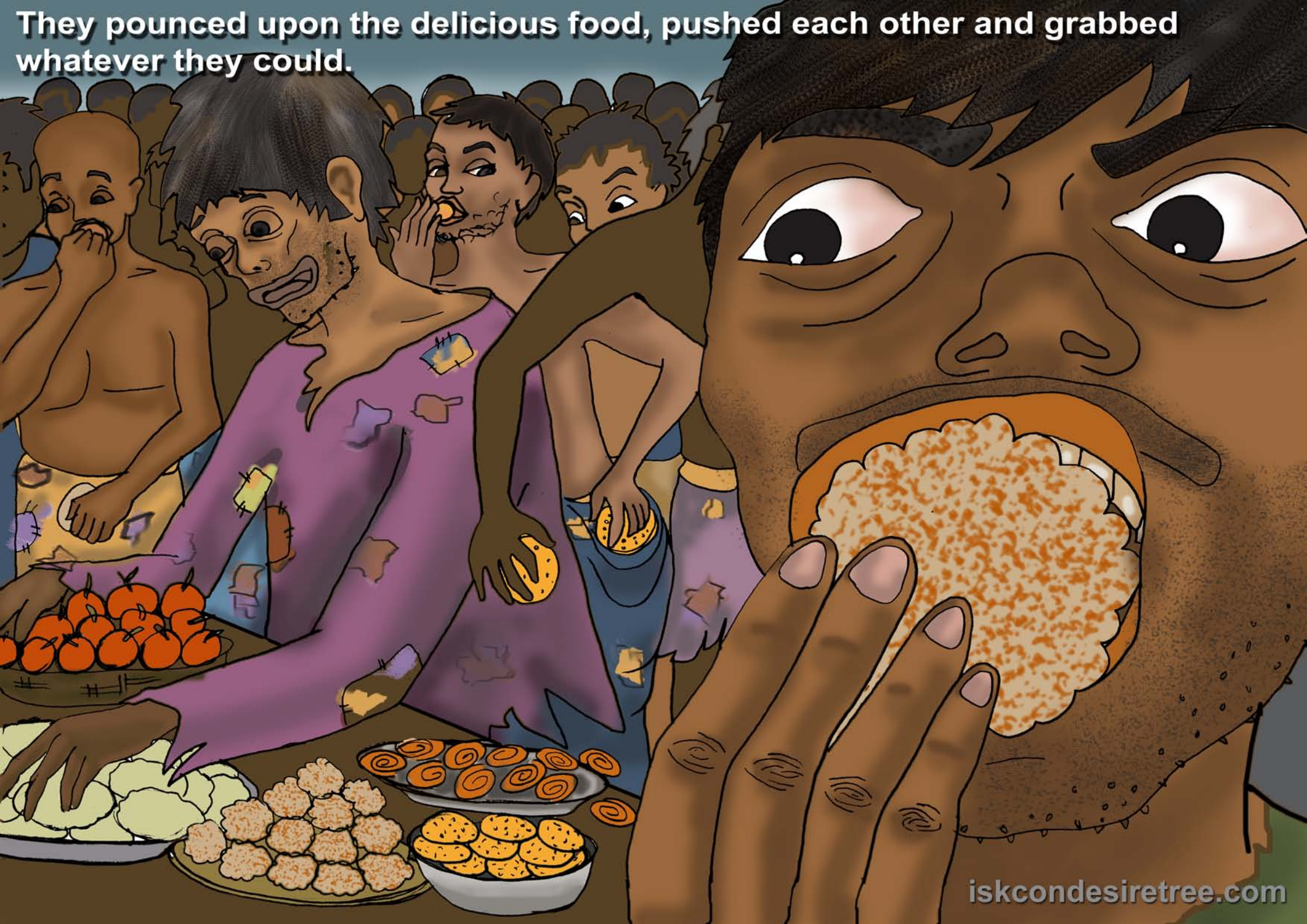


Hundreds of people arrived at the feast.  
They were shabbily dressed and were stinking too.

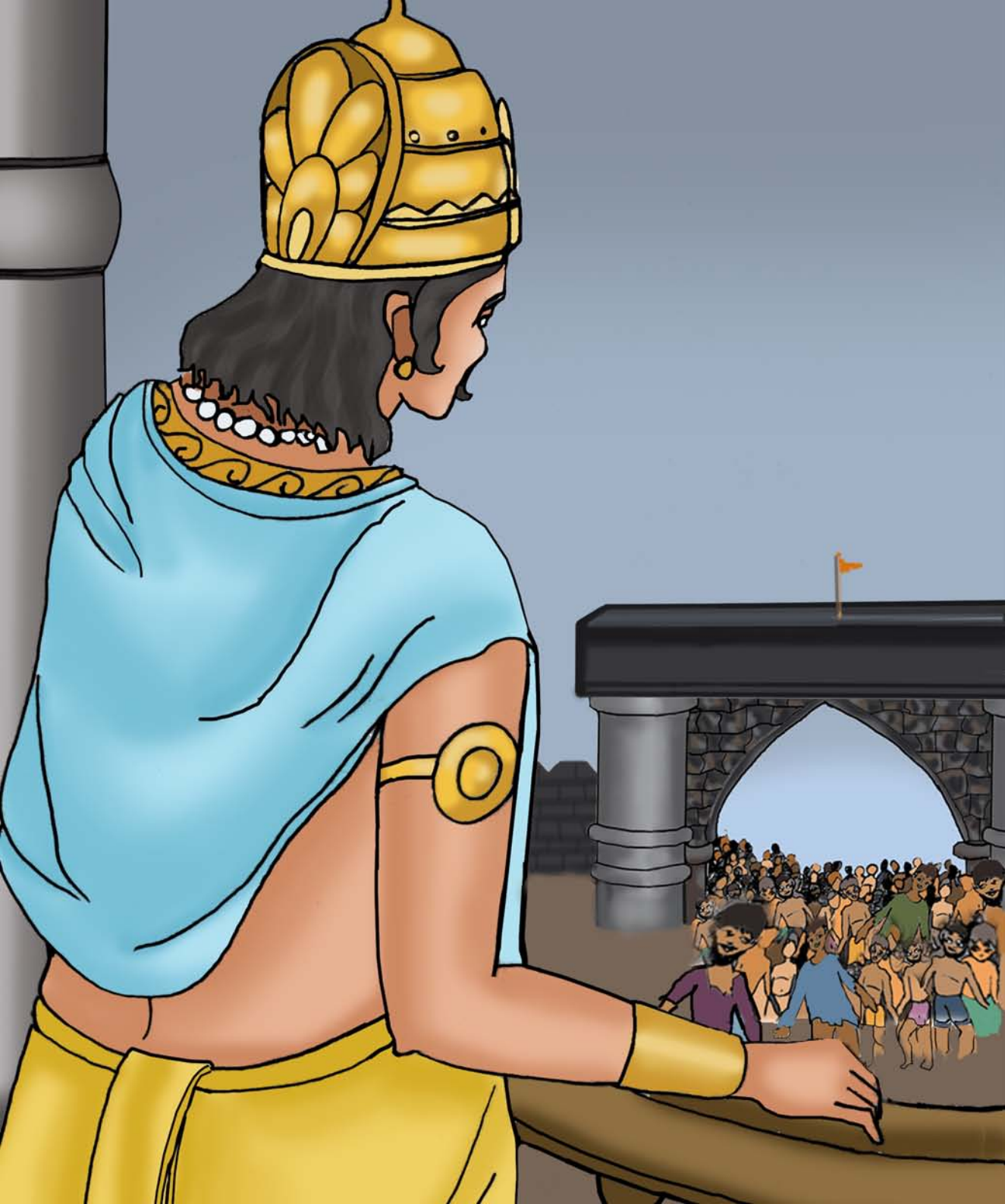




They pounced upon the delicious food, pushed each other and grabbed whatever they could.



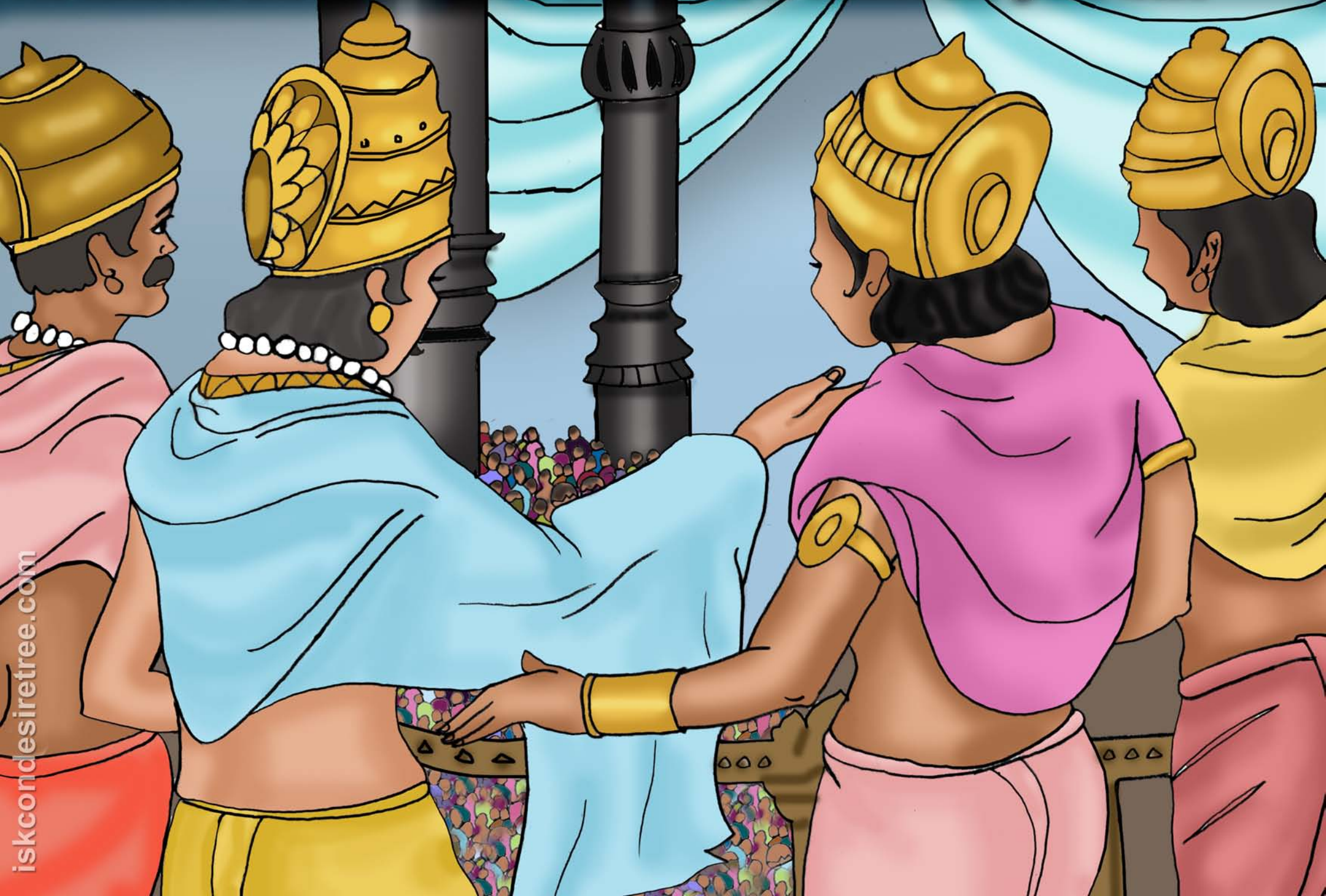




**They ate as much as they wanted and did not notice the King who was watching them from his balcony.**



The ministers and courtiers were also invited to witness this grand feast.





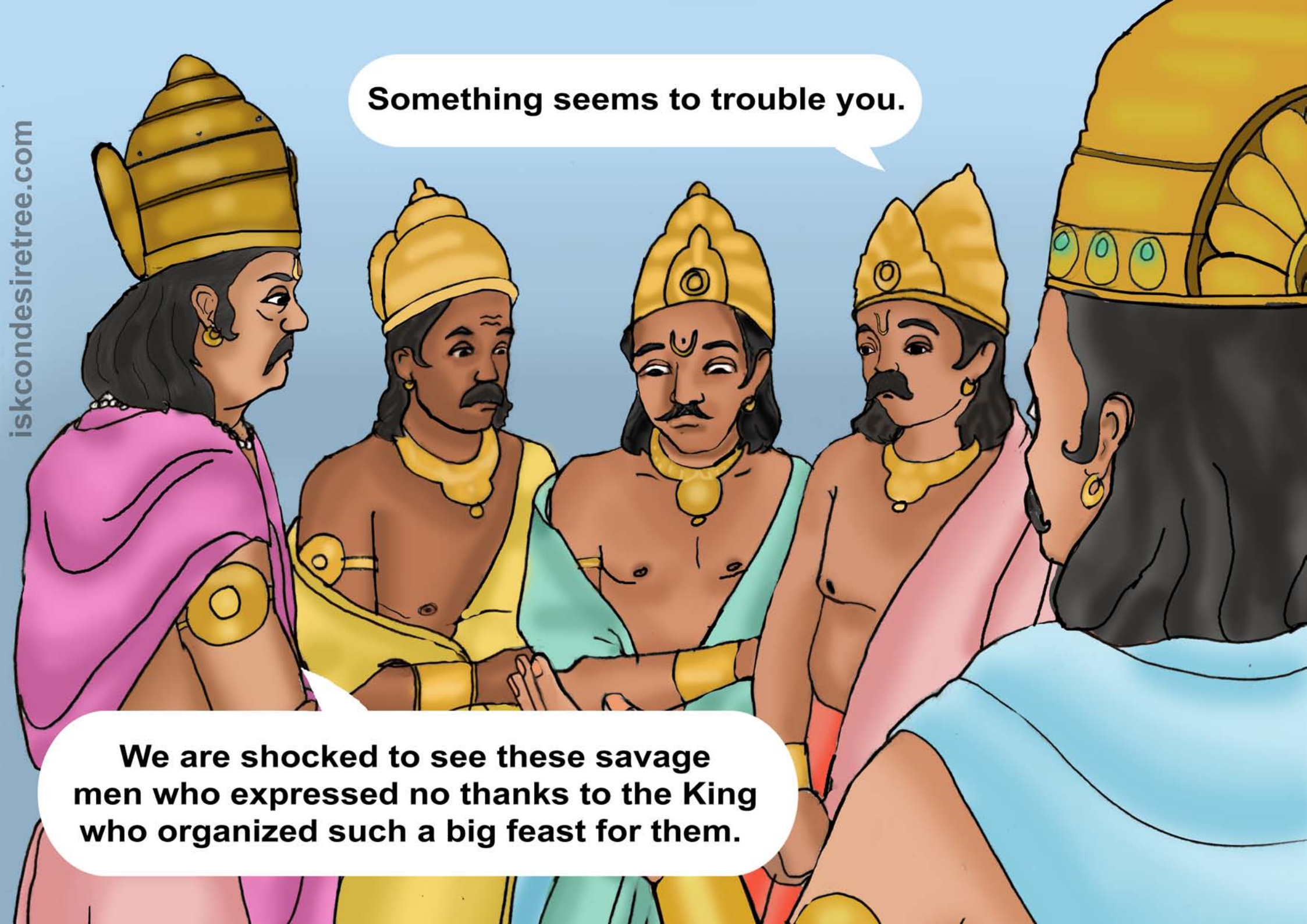
**These people are so ill-behaved and dirty!  
Why did you invite them here, king?**



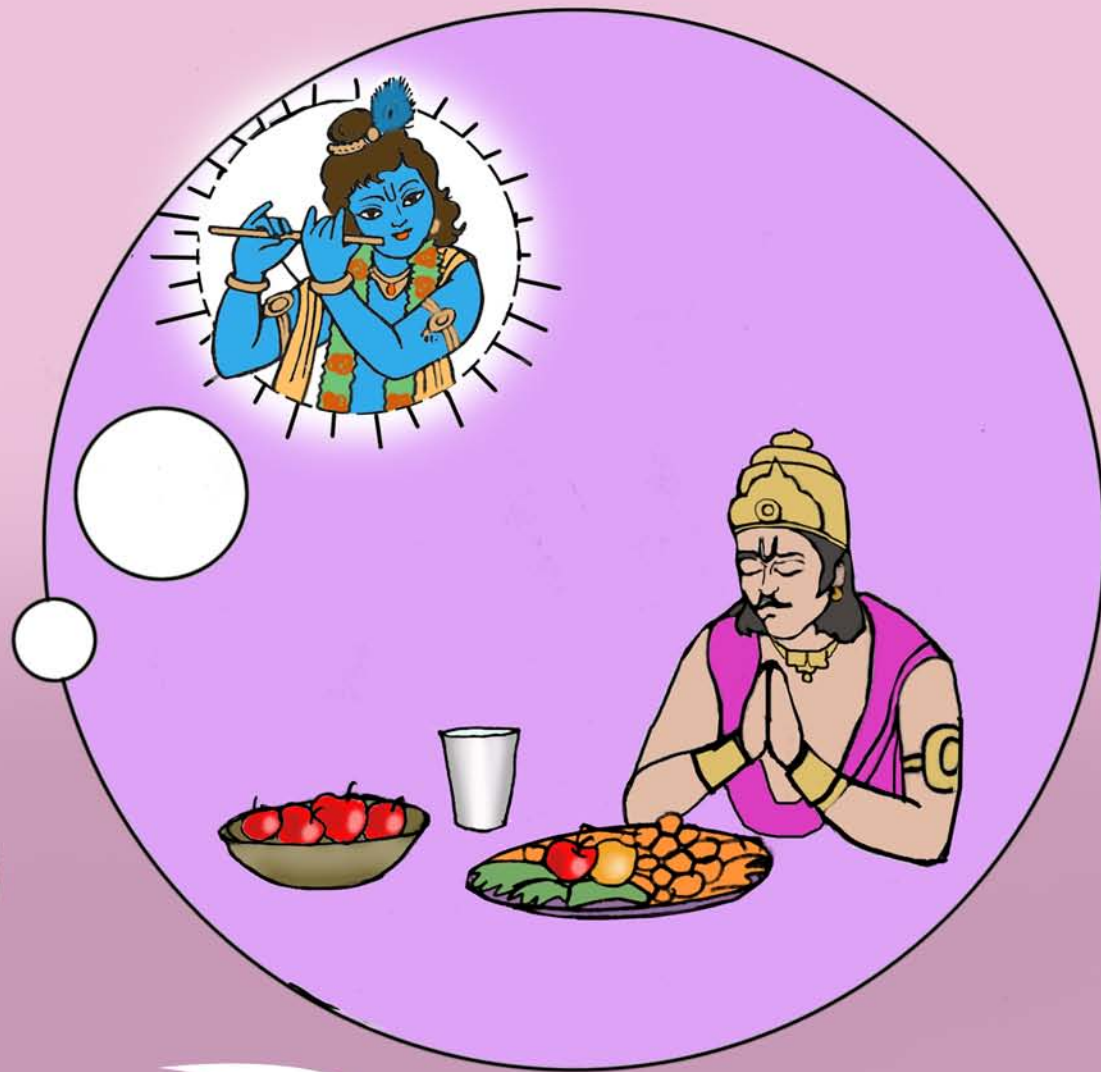


**Something seems to trouble you.**

**We are shocked to see these savage men who expressed no thanks to the King who organized such a big feast for them.**







**Our Lord provides us delicious meals everyday, how many of us pause to thank Him for His mercy? Are we any better than these beggars who we just called savages?**



## **MORAL :**

**Krishna, God, provides us with delicious, healthy, and elaborate meals everyday. To show our gratitude, we should offer our food to Him first and then partake it.**