

# WHAT DID THE BEAR WHISPER



One day, Ramu had to leave for another village. So his mother said...

Child, since there is a forest on the way, do not go alone. Take your friend with you. It is said, it is always better to be double than single



Ramu's best friend was Shyamu. Shyamu readily agreed to go with Ramu. They left for next village



They crossed the border of their own village. They crossed many fields






At last they reached the forest. Together they chated and walked leisurely



Suddenly Shyamu was startled, as some wild animal appeared. He ran and climbed a nearby tree







Why did Shyamu run away in this way? What has happened?

That very moment, Ramu saw a huge bear standing some distance away

Shyamu ran for his life because of this bear. But he never made me alert. What should i do now?





Ramu had no time left even to escape. So he stopped his breathing and layed on the ground



In few moment, the bear came very close to Ramu. He circumambulated Ramu, smelled his body





Then he came more closer and brought his nose very close to Ramu's ears. Ramu stopped his breathing and acted as if he was dead

He is a dead human. I like to eat only live humans



Thinking Ramu to be dead the bear walked ahead

Not my taste





Ramu kept hearing the crumbling of dried leaves as the bear walked away from over those leaves. The sound became lesser and lesser. At last it stopped entirely



So Ramu very cautiously opened his eyes







He gradually rose and stood peacefully

Meantime, Shyamu too got down from the tree

Hey Ramu, what did the bear  
whisper in your ears? Please  
tell me





Bear told me, those who do not help during bad times, one should not make friendship with such people



**MORAL :**

Friend in need is friend indeed