

The Ant and the Dove

One hot day, a little ant was walking by a river. He wanted to drink some water. But when he leaned over, he slipped and fell into the river!

The water carried him away. The ant was very scared. 'Help! Help!' he cried.

A kind dove sitting in a tree saw the ant. The dove quickly picked a big leaf and dropped it into the river.

The ant climbed onto the leaf. The leaf floated safely to the shore. The ant was safe!

'Thank you, dear dove!' the ant said. He waved to the dove and promised to help if he ever could.

A few days later, a hunter came to the river. He saw the dove sitting in a tree and raised his bow to shoot.

The little ant saw the hunter. Quickly, he ran up and bit the hunter's foot hard.

The hunter jumped and dropped his bow. The noise scared the dove. The dove flew away to safety.

The dove smiled at the little ant. The ant had kept his promise.

This story teaches us that even the smallest friend can be a great help when we show kindness to others.