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# **TAKE PART!**

## **Story Scripts for Children**

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READERS THEATRE SCRIPT

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Readers Theatre Version

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Reader parts: 1 Narrator or Teacher/Narrator part, 8 easy-reader parts, 2  
Character parts (King, Maid), and a chorus of ALL.

1	READER 1:	ONCE UPON A TIME:
2	NARRATOR:	A baker in a castle
3		Looked up into the sky.
4		He spied the right ingredients
5		To bake within a pie.
6	READER 2:	Oh my, in the sky?
7	READER 3:	Please, please, tell me why?
8	ALL:	Apples, pumpkins, blueberries?
9		Coming from the sky?
10		What were the ingredients
11		He baked into the pie?
12	NARRATOR:	Now while that pie was baking
13		King counted out his money
14		He thought,
15	KING:	"I'll soon retire and be RICH,
16		'Cause I'm no dummy!
17	READER 4:	Run, run tell your mummy,
18	READER 5:	This POLITICIAN is no dummy!

19	ALL:	Apples, pumpkins, blueberries?
20		Coming from the sky?
21		What were the ingredients
22		He baked into the pie?
23	NARRATOR:	The maid was in the garden.
24		She was hanging out the clothes.
25		And fighting off a silly bird
26		Who nibbled off her nose.
27	MAID:	Ouch, you dirty bird,
28		You nibbled off my nose!
29	ALL:	Apples, pumpkins, blueberries?
30		Coming from the sky?
31		What were the ingredients
32		He baked into the pie?
33	NARRATOR:	The queen was eating honey
34		As the kitchen bell was ringing.
35		They cut the pie, and listened to
36		The dainty dish a-singing.
37	READER 6:	This is quite the news we're bringing.
38	READER 7:	True! The dainty dish is singing!
39	NARRATOR:	Apples, pumpkins, blueberries?
40		Coming from the sky?
41		What were the ingredients
42		He baked into the pie?
43	READER 8:	Can't stand the stress,
44		I'll have to shout!
45		What kind of pie - we talking about?
46	ALL:	Four and twenty blackbirds,