Being Specific in Prayer Skit #4 Is Better, better?

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4 Performers	Diggers the Recording Angel Wormole the Prayer Answering Angel Mr Smarts the Boss Angel/Narrator Christian
Props	1 x clipboard Tee Shirts (?) - Recording Angel - Prayer Answering - Angel

<u>Narrator.</u> "It's been a quiet morning at the Prayer Centre in Heaven. So, Diggers the Recording Angel, Wormole the Prayer Answering Angel, and Mr Smarts the Boss Angel (who settles disputes between the other two), are having a cup of coffee while they wait for some action. And then!......"(Christian goes to her (his) knees).

- Boss Angel

Mr Smarts "Incoming!..Incoming!"

Narrator "And it's all on!"

Christian "Dear Jesus,...can you please make Aunty Mildred better?"

Wormole "Of course we can!"

Diggers "Yeah?"

Wormole "Yes!"

Diggers "How?....Make her a better person?

Wormole "Yes!"

Diggers "Or heal her and make her better?"

Wormole "Um?....Yes too!"

(Both turn to Mr Smarts).

Wormole "Which one is it Boss?"

Mr Smarts "Um...Give it a question mark."

Diggers (writing) "A....question...mark"

Christian "And Uncle Steven needs your help."

Wormole "Okay"

Diggers "How?"

Wormole "Well?...Um?"

Diggers "Give him loads of dosh?"

Wormole "That works!"

Diggers "But she didn't say 'needs dosh'....she said 'needs your help'....maybe his car's broken down...or he's lost his job...or he's.."

Wormole "Okay!...Okay!...(to Mr Smarts)...what do we do Boss?"

Mr Smarts "Um...Give it another question mark."

Diggers (writing) "A-nother question mark."

Wormole "And then they complain "coz we don't do anything....I wish these Christians would say what they mean."

Diggers "They do...They mean what they say.....I mean what I say is the same as I say what I mean."

Wormole "No, it isn't...And who told you that?"

Diggers "I read it!....In a book."

Wormole "You read a *book*!"

Diggers "Yeah!"

Wormole "Where"d you get it from?"

Diggers "On Assignment.....in America."

Wormole "You stole it?"

Diggers "No!...Borrowed it."

Mr Smarts (covering his ears) "I didn"t hear that!"

Wormole "We aren"t allowed to touch *anything* on Assignment...You know the rules....It'll have to go back!"

Diggers "Yes, it will!....After I've read it."

Wormole "What's it about?"

Diggers "A girl named Alice...she falls in a hole and meets a Rabbit at a tea party....And this Queen keeps shouting "Off with their heads!" (waving his arms enthusiastically) "Off with their heads!"

Wormole "Sounds like fun!"

Diggers "Yes....it is."

Wormole "Can I read it after you?"

Diggers "Nope....It has to go back."

Wormole "C'mon....I'll give you my chocolate?"

Diggers "Nope...has to go back....You said so yourself.....we aren't allowed to touch anything."

Wormole "Ohh...pleeese?"

Diggers "And it has this really good bit where these playing cards with axes are chasing the girl to cut her head off..."

Wormole "Do they catch her?"

Diggers "Can't say....Read the book yourself."

Wormole "Ohh....You can't do this to me!"

Diggers "Yes, I can."

Wormole "Ohhh."

Mr Smarts "Okay Ladies..." Incoming! Incoming!... Play time's over."

<u>Narrator</u> "So...Is better, better?...Or is it better?...And if someone needs 'help'...Do they need 'help?'...or 'help?'...or help?" (pointing back with his thumb).

"These guys need things explained a bit more simply,...and clearly,...if you want your prayers answered."

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