

Being Specific in Prayer skit #7

The Cross

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Performers × 3

Mr Smarts / Narrator

Diggers etc

Wormole etc

Narrator. "It's been a quiet morning at the Prayer Centre in Heaven, so, Diggers the Recording Angel, and Wormole, the Prayer Answering Angel, are having a cup of coffee when Mister Smarts returns..."

Sma. "Morning chaps....Have you heard the news?"

Worm. "No..What news?"

Sma. "Some clown was in detention.. Polishing stars."(Laughing.) "...And he put the Southern Cross back the wrong way..Ha!"

Worm. "Um...Ah..What?...How do you know?"

Sma. "Guys from the Southern Squad told me...It's all over the newspapers down there."

Worm. "Oh no!"

Sma. "Oh yes!...He'll swing for this...He'll be busted to Interplanetary...Polishing stars for Eternity." (Pretending to breathe on a star and polish it with his sleeve, then another, then another.)

Worm. "But isn't it a circle.. Clockwise from the bottom?" (Drawing a circle of dots in the air before him with his finger.)

Sma. "Isn't what a circle?"

Worm. "The Southern Cross and the Centaur?...Like Alpha Centauri and Beta Centauri at the bottom...Then the Cross above...And Gamma, Delta, Epsilon, and the others around the Cross?"

Sma. "No...Alpha and Beta are on the left half way up...Even a Human would know that."

Worm. "Oh...Mud!"

Sma. "It wasn't?" (Looking surprised.)

Worm. "What?" (Feigning.)

Sma. "It was!"

Worm. "What?" (Feigning.)

Sma. "It was you!"

Worm. "What?" (Feigning.)

Sma. "How could you make such a dumb mistake?"

Worm. "I was bottom of the class in Constellations."

Dig. "He still is!"

Sma. (Shaking his head.) "And what did you do to get into Detention anyway?"

Worm. "Pranks!"

Dig. "He put sticky tape on the toilet seats...One of the Senior's got stuck to it."

Sma. "Haven't you done that before?"

Worm. (Hesitantly.) "I.. I think so."

Sma. "Oh!" (Shaking his head.) "A Senior?"

Dig. "Yeah...And he was really angry too....Said he was going to take the wings off the culprit and make him walk everywhere."

Worm. "Can we just turn the clock back twenty four hours and I'll go and straighten them out while no-one's looking?"

Sma. "That complicates things...You know what happened last time..."

Worm. "No...What happened?"

Sma. "You know!...And wasn't it because of you that time too?"

Worm. (Weak smile.)

Sma. "Do you know which Senior it was?"

Worm. "No"

Sma. "I'll go and see what I can sort out...I hope it wasn't Grumpy...Or you're cooked."
(Leaving.) "Sticky tape!" (Shaking his head.)

Dig. "I know who it was!"

Worm. "Who?"

Dig. (Pretending to zip his lips.)

Worm. "No...You have to tell me!"

Dig. "No I don't"

Worm. (Pleading.) "I'll give you my raisins?"

Dig. "Don't think so."

Worm. "You always do this!"

Dig. "Not always."

Worm. "Ohh...!"

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Narrator. "Everybody makes mistakes...Even Angels..But the Lord Jesus doesn't judge us and bust us to Interplanetary for it...He gives us a chance to repent and change our ways...First John 1v9 tells us..If we confess our sins..He (The Lord.) is just and faithful to forgive us our sins...And to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

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