



Speaking Parts for the Performance

Child 1: What's wrong with you?

Child 2: I'm really mad at (Child 3).

Child 1: What did she do to you?

Child 2: *(angrily)* She asked my best friend to a sleepover and totally left me out!

Child 1: Maybe she could have only one friend over. That's what my parents have me do.

Child 2: You're just taking her side. Just wait till I see her.

Child 1: She's in Patch Club. You'll probably see her tonight!

Child 3: *(walking on stage)* Oh! Hi, (Child 2). Can I sit with you tonight?

Child 1: *(steps forward as Child 2 and Child 3 freeze)* (Child 2) has a decision to make. Does she give in to her selfishness and pride by staying angry, or does she treat (Child 3) the way Christ would treat her? The Bible tells us to forgive others because we have been forgiven. The choice is ours, but we have to live with the consequences.

Child 3: So, can I sit with you? I always sing better when I'm beside you.

Child 2: Uh . . . sure. My voice isn't *that* great. But thanks for saying so.

Child 1: So, uh, (Child 2), didn't you have something you wanted to talk to (Child 3) about? Something about a sleep—

Child 2: *(interrupting)* Never mind! Come on; we'll have to hurry or we won't be able to sit together.

Choir: recites Ephesians 4:32—"And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you."

Choir: *(Sings)* "The Greatest of These" or "The Golden Rule"

