

The Little Bird That Would Not Sing

There was a little bird, just like other little birds.

Who decided he would not sing, nor did he want to be heard.

The other birds would gather, joyous notes they would ring out.

But not this little bird, "I don't like singing", he would sadly pout.

"My singing is not that good", the little bird would declare.

"Who would want to hear me sing? Sour notes throughout the air?"

But then one day a fellow bird, came and sat nearby.

He had a sad look about him, then he started to cry.

"What's wrong?" asked the song-less bird, "Why are you so sad?"

"My life has been so difficult, and now I feel so bad."

The song-less bird said, "Can I help you? I'd sure be willing to try."

The sad bird said, "To hear a happy song, would help my tears to dry."

So with all his might, the little bird began to sing.

Soon other birds joined in, their happy chorus to ring.

The sad bird's heart felt better, and he too began to sing along.

All because a little bird that would not sing, sang a happy song!

"I will declare Your name to My brethren;

In the midst of the assembly I will sing praise to You."

(Hebrews 2:12)

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