

Aesop's Fables

61 THE ASS IN THE LION'S SKIN

披着狮皮的驴







An Ass found a Lion's Skin, and dressed himself up in it. Then he went about frightening every one he met, for they all took him to be a lion, men and beasts alike, and took to their heels when they saw him coming.

一头驴发现了一张狮子的皮,于是就披到身上。他走出去 吓唬其它动物,所有见到他的人和动物都把他当成了狮子, 吓得四处逃跑。







Elated by the success of his trick, he loudly brayed in triumph.

驴见自己的诡计得逞了,兴奋地大叫起来。







The Fox heard him, and recognised him at once for the Ass he was, and said to him, "Oho, my friend, it's you, is it? I, too, should have been afraid if I hadn't heard your voice."

狐狸听到了他的声音,立刻认出这是一头驴,于是就对他说:"哦,朋友,这才是真正的你,是吗?要不是听到了你的声音,我也被你吓着了。"





Sweet dreams! Good Night!



