

The farmer and his son

In a village in India, there was a boy named Nathu. Nathu and his father--who was a farmer-- were very poor. Since Nathu's father would not be with him, he started stealing money and food from his neighbors. Each time he robbed someone, he got away successfully. But one day he thought of robbing a very rich person. But what he wasn't aware of was that the person had a very good security system and he got caught. He got captured and put behind the bars. His father was very sad but had to keep working. A few years later, his father became very old and could not cultivate anymore. He wrote to his son and told him that he was too old and he was sure Nathu would help him dig up the soil. Nathu was very touched. He thought that he had to help his father. So he asked the police to give him some paper and a pen. He wrote to his father that he should not dig the soil because that was where Nathu kept all the money. The police read this and hurried to the farm. Nathu's father saw the police digging the soil and asked what was happening. They said, " Your son wrote that the money he stole was in the soil, so we are digging it up to find it." The farmer then went back to his house and started laughing. He wrote to Nathu and thanked him a lot.

Moral: People can imprison the body but no one can imprison the mind.