

A Description

In the congested town square at Dusseldorf, the jostling townsfolk bid farewell to their audacious loved ones as they prepared to depart for war against England. On 5th September, 1939, Neville Chamberlain announced: 'We are at war with Germany.'

The humble, respected mayor of Dusseldorf gave a noble speech in honour of the German soldiers at this prestigious event. During the rally, the town was hopeful that the soldiers would return home victorious and full of pride.

The mayor of Dusseldorf had claimed that, without a doubt, Germany would march through war triumphantly as their soldiers would be disciplined and risen in to brave, bold troops.

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A Story

Despite knowing Brendan would probably make him completely change his outfit, Leon wants to look his best. After all, they haven't seen each other for months!

"Hey mum, what should I wear? Blue or black?" he asks politely.

"Leon, it doesn't matter!" his mother replies.

Leon and Brendan were bickering about who would sleep on the top bunk of Brendan's bed. Although Brendan strongly disliked bunk-beds, he wanted to sleep on the top one as much as Leon did. They were like an old married couple!

"Tell you what, let's flip for it!" exclaimed Brendan like it was the best idea ever!

Leon opted for tails and was in luck; it came out tails. But then, like he always did, Brendan had to make it all the more difficult which really made Leon mad! From then on, it came out head every time. How could Leon be friends with his monster? He is brought back to reality with a ring of the doorbell.

Ding dong! Leon is excited but nervous at the same time. Would Brendan be willing to change? Leon has to find out.

"Hi Leon! Hi Mrs Parker! Delighted to see you!" greeted a rather strange version of Brendan.

This isn't the welcome Leon was expecting.

"Do come in"

Leon is having mixed feelings. 'Why did I come?' Leon wonders. He then remembers all the good times he had?

He remembers the time when Brendan poured water all over him as he was sleeping. How he laughed was just extraordinary! And also the time when Brendon told him to buy a lemon sherbet. He actually shared some of it with him. It doesn't sound that nice but for Brendan to share something was extremely rare. His voice bout Leon back to the present?

"Orange or apple?" asks Brendan.

"Apple please," answers Leon. "Brendan, I need to tell you something."

"Fire away!"

From then on Leon spoke aloud some of his thoughts and feeling: how he truly felt about their friendship, tears streaming down his face.

"Actually, Leon, I truly wanted to say sorry for being a muppet back then. But I've changed and I want to be your friend again," apologises Brendan.

"I'd love that!" cried Leon.

The past can't change for Leon and Brendan but their souls can. From then on their friendship would never be the same.

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A Character Description

Robin Hood

Who is this hero? Where has he come from? He is Robin Hood -the most skilful archer in all of Nottingham?

This man is a legend! He is kind and compassionate & so people think! The man steals from the rich to give to the poor who live in starvation everyday. Isn't that caring? Robin is as brave as a bold, brass lion. He is never afraid to take risks and puts the less fortunate first. This is an example of a true hero. Despite all his good qualities, Robin does have the habit of getting defensive in what he believes in.

Robin wears a soft, lush, green, velvet tunic with a dark, chocolate brown feather hat. And big, clunky, leather, brown boots. He has a handsome, rosy face with sapphire, blue eyes which look like the sparking sea. His hair is as dark as the night sky.

Robin is extremely polite and uses speech that does not offend anyone. Do you use speech like

that? However, when he is in a temper he will get out of control.

This man is determined, passionate and never gives up; he motivated himself to succeed. Robin is loyal and faithful; he inspires you to do good. (I know he has inspired me!) If I were a villager of Nottingham, I would trust Robin. Robin Hood has a strong mind and is willing to take risks in order to help. He is social and reliable. Because of his skill, character and action, today he is a hero.

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A Newspaper Report

R.A.O.K

In the small, appreciated town of Islington, Mike Crawford (37) and Ben Smith (38) are part of the Random Acts of Kindness company; otherwise known as the R.O.A.K.

"In recent events, these two men have been doing kind things but unfortunately being approached rudely. BBC News was lucky enough to speak to Mike. His thoughts were, ?I believe the government of London are helpless. Everyday, hundreds of people are giving parking tickets out for no reason; that's why we pay for peoples tickets just so they don't get fined. Despite the fact these ticket men are trying to help, they come out with an extremely harsh attitude when they could be using a kind calm manner (which they should be). Instead they react in a ruthless, ghastly way."

Even though these people claim that they are being nice, many citizens of Islington seem to think otherwise. These two men have seen to be observed by other passers by. On BBC1 yesterday night, 'Parking Mad' was one of the shows on. This is where the rude behaviour was seen.

"Out of nowhere, two people were harassing a ticket man for no reason. They had their camera in his face. It's unbelievable the shocking attitudes these Londoners can bring!" This was said by Mr. Samuel Collins (47)

However, is this the right thing to do? This is the main question people have. Although it is a well appreciated thought, until people ask, can others be allowed to do this? Since that incident occurred, many views have been taken. The majority of London has seen this as a very horrid and unnecessary thing to do.

The people in the minority are mostly: the police, traffic wardens and those who give out the fines. In addition to this, they're thoughts are very different to ours.

"Fining is an easy process but many people do not understand it. Everyday there is an exceptional amount of people who get fined; is it really this that can ruin people's lives? There is an insignificant amount of people that blame this on us. If there is a double yellow line, don't park there!" This was said by Constable Jefferey Anderson (Aged 49)

As a consequence of the R.O.A.K many people are thankful. Before they felt: annoyed, distressed and unhappy. Fortunately, because of their kind acts, there are now overwhelmed and pleased feelings.

It has now been made a rule that traffic wardens and police wardens etc will have to be kind and considerate to citizens of London.

Proscovia Lubowd remarked, "I'm extremely pleased that someone is out there that actually cares. I'm thankful to the random acts of kindness volunteers."

A Persuasive Text

Austria : better life, better future

Russia is forever moving closer to our beloved Germany. What are we going to do about it? Panic and let them come closer? No! What we are going to do is abandon the dream of making Germany a peaceful country for now and make a break for Austria. Why? Here is the answer: Austria. Once our allies in World War 1 they are now a neutral country and will elt anyone in and therefore it makes a brilliant option for an evacuation place.

Russians

As you know, the Russians are becoming an increasingly bigger threat. To us Germans they have very small amounts of money and are undoubtedly going to do unpleasant things if they get their hands on any of us whereas Austria is a peaceful country with greatness for anyone. Additionally, communication with Austri is easy since Austrian's speak German. If the Russian do take any German's as prisoners, it will not eb a pleasant experience. It is likely you would be starved to death, tortured or even killed. With Austria there is more money and food. It will be easier to find jobs in Austria as it isn't involved in the war effort. Since we dropped bombs on cities, there is a chance that Russia might do the same and destroy buildings like houses, schools and hospitals. This will lead to a loss of shelter, education and health and safety.

Mayor

To make matters worse, our unfaithful mayor has abandoned us to let us suffer what he is too scared to face. However that won't matter in Austria as there are no compulsory parties to support. The mayor has never boosted our morale, he has never helped with the war effort and he has never helped our military.

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