

Readers' Theater Adaptation of

The Crayon Box That Talked

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Parts:

Narrator #1 Yellow Crayon

Narrator #2 Blue Crayon

Narrator #3 Green Crayon

Script:

Narrator #1: While walking in a toy store, the day before today, I overheard a crayon box with many things to say.

Yellow: I don't like Red!

Green: Nor do I! And no one here likes Orange, but no one knows just why."

Blue: We are a box of crayons that doesn't get along. Something here is wrong!"

Narrator #2: Well, I bought that box of crayons and took it home with me, and laid out all the colors so the crayons could all see.

Narrator #3: They watched me as I colored with red and blue and green, and black and white and orange, and every color in between.

Narrator #1: They watched as green became the grass and blue became the sky. The yellow sun was shining bright on white clouds drifting by.

Narrator #2: Colors changing as they touched, becoming something new, they watched me as I colored. They watched till I was through.

Narrator #3: And when I'd finally finished, I began to walk away. And as I did, the crayon box had something more to say.

Yellow: I do like Red!

Green: So do I! And, Blue, you were terrific so high up in the sky!"

All Crayons: We are a box of crayons, each one of us unique, but when we get together...the picture is complete.