

Mud Lake School, Mud Lake

presents

"THE CURSE OF THE LOTTO TICKET"

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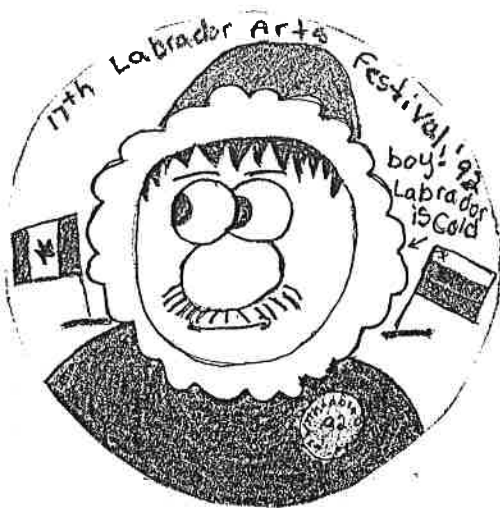
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Rick  
Brian  
Lawrence  
Sonja Henderson  
Samantha Henderson  
Shirley Henderson  
Cashier

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Janice Hope  
Sandi Best  
Amy Rose  
Cheryl Hope  
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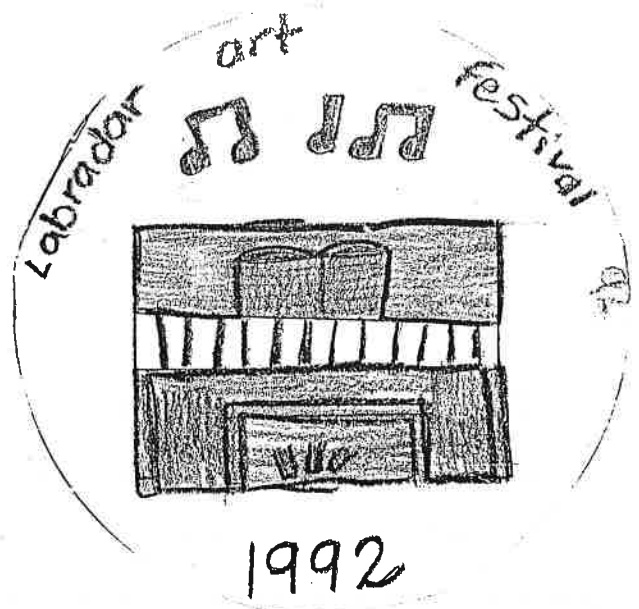
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The play is approximately fifteen minutes long. It deals with the luck of an old man who buys lotto tickets. He is harrassed as an elderly person, yet considers himself lucky when he is given a second chance after a close encounter with death.



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The Curse of the Lotto Ticket

Scene 1

(Harold enters)

Harold- "Oh, I hate being old. People talking about me, sayin' I'm slow, pushin' me around. Make the best of it, I got a sore leg too."

(Boys enter)

Boys- "Get out of the way old man. You're too slow for us."

Harold- "Leave me alone young men, go way."

(Harold and boys enter store)

Cashier- "Hi Harold, how are you today?"

Harold- "Not bad for an old fellow."

Cashier- "Nice weather out there today Harold?"

Harold- "Yah, it sure is a nice day."

(Boys are picking at stuff in the store)

Cashier- "Go on, get out of it, out of the store"

(Boys leave the store)

Cashier- "Catchin' any fish lately Harold?"

Harold- "I've been out with the rod but the fish don't seem to plentiful." "Give me six of those there lotto tickets will ya"

Cashier- "You must be feeling lucky tonite Harold?"

Harold- "I got to win one of these days"

(Lights go down on Harold and cashier and go up on Lawrence, Brian, and Rick.)

Brian- "See you got some fish there."

Lawrence-"Ya, they're pretty stinkin'."

Rick- "If I guess how many fish are in the bag will you give me them?"

Lawrence- "Ya, if you guess how many I got in the bag, I'll give you BOTH of them."

Rick- "Brian, did you get any fish today?"

Brian- "Na, just caught one sucker. How many did you get?"

Rick- "Ah!!, I got one trout, and one sucker."

Lawrence- "I got two trout today."

Brian- "Are we playing cards tonite?"

Lawrence- "Ya, where we playing?"

(Harold enters)

Harold- "Hello boys, how ya doin'?"

Rick- "We're talkin' about fish Harold."

Harold- "Are you playing cards tonite boys?"

Lawrence- "Ya, where are we playing to?"

Brian- "Why not your place Harold."

Harold- "Ya, o.k. boys. Why not come over to may place at 8:00 o'clock."

All together- "Sure, sounds like a good time to us."

Harold- "I got my lotto tickets for Saturday's draw."

Lawrence- "How many did ya get Harold?"

Harold- "I bought six of them."

Lawrence- "Gee, you're spending alot of money on those tickets Harold, are you ever going to win?"

Brian- "I got to go home, it is getting late."

Rick- "Ya, you better, Your wife will probably get after you with a broom again."

Harold- "See you later boys."

All together- "Ya, we'll see ya later Harold."

(Rick, Brian, & Lawrence leave, saying)- "He's never goin to win."

(Harold leaves saying)- "I heard what they said. I'm goin to win this lotto. I'm feeling lucky for an old man."

Boys-"You're feeling lucky are you old timer and feeling pretty good. Lets see if you feel good enough to do this."

(Boys do shuffle)

## Scene 2

(Group playing cards)

Brian- "Hello"

Harold- "Everybody sit down and take your seats, we are goin' play some cards."

Henry- "Rick, go get some pepsi, will ya."

Rick- "Deal up the cards Henry."

Henry- "I got a good joke for you....."

Harold- "I got to go"

Everyone- "I wonder where Harold went?"

Rick- "Did you flush yourself down the toilet?"

Henry- "He must of, he is small enough. When Harold comes back, I

have another joke for you."

Everyone- "Take your time Harold."

Henry- "Did you hear about the two Nova Scotians..."

Lawrence- "That is a sick joke."

(Harold laughs and falls to the floor.)

Rick- "Harold laughs at anything."

Brian- "Go check him Henry, he's your brother"

Henry- "He's not breathing"

Lawrence- "Call 911."

Rick- "What's the number?"

Everyone- "911.....Oh me nerves, Harold's dead."

### Scene 3

(House, Samantha comes in with box)

Samantha- "Hey look what I found"

Henry- "I'll look through it"

Sonja- "Look at theses"

Shirley- "Can I look at them?"

Sonja- "Sure"

Henry- "Hey, what's this?...It's you father's will."

Shirley- "I wanted the ski-doo"

Henry- "That's mine, that's what it says in the will."

Samantha- "Let me read it."

Sonja- "Let me see also."

Shirley- "Do we get all the stuff in the attic?"

Henry- "What ever is in the house."

Shirley- "Peter from England is coming."

Sonja- "Aunt June from Florida is coming."

Samantha- "Everyone from Mud Lake will be there."

Henry- "Got to go to work."

Shirley- "I will cook supper tonight."

Sonja- "I'm goin to the store."

#### Scene 4

(Church gathering)

Samantha- "It great to see all the women from Mud Lake made it."

Shirley- "Do you have the lotto tickets?"

Samantha- "Yes, I have them."

Sonja- "Do you guys have tickets?"

Samantha- "Six tickets"

(Henry enters and calls out ticket numbers, Harold says, "I win" and the girls faint.)

#### Scene 5

(House setting, playing cards.)

Brian- "Hello"

Everyone- "Hello"

Harold- "Everyone sit down."

Henry- "Rick, go get the pepsi... got a have it... Did you hear about the Newfie miner?"

(Harold laughs and falls again but gets up)

Harold- "Do you think I would laugh at that one."

Rick- "Did everyone get their tickets for the lotto draw?"

Harold- "Ya, I got six of them."

Everyone- "Harold, they are going to be the curse of you."