**Jars of Oil**

*(2 Kings 4:1-7, King James Version)*

STORYTELLER

Now there cried a certain woman of the wives of the sons of the prophets unto Elisha, saying.

WOMAN

Thy servant my husband is dead; and thou knowest that thy servant did fear the LORD: and the creditor is come to take unto him my two sons to be bondmen.

STORYTELLER   
And Elisha said unto her.

ELISHA

What shall I do for thee? tell me, what hast thou in the house?

STORYTELLER

And she said.

WOMAN  
Thine handmaid hath not any thing in the house, save a pot of oil.

STORYTELLER  
Then he said.

ELISHA  
Go, borrow thee vessels abroad of all thy neighbours, even empty vessels; borrow not a few. And when thou art come in, thou shalt shut the door upon thee and upon thy sons, and shalt pour out into all those vessels, and thou shalt set aside that which is full.

STORYTELLER  
So she went from him, and shut the door upon her and upon her sons, who brought the vessels to her; and she poured out. And it came to pass, when the vessels were full, that she said unto her son.

WOMAN

Bring me yet a vessel.

STORYTELLER  
And he said unto her.

SON

There is not a vessel more.

STORYTELLER  
And the oil stayed. Then she came and told the man of God. And he said.

ELISHA

Go, sell the oil, and pay thy debt, and live thou and thy children of the rest.

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