

The Secret Room

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In a faraway land there lived a ruler named Sultan Mahmud. He used to enjoy spending his time travelling throughout his kingdom.

One day he passed through a small village where a poor family lived. In this poor family there was a young man named Ayaz. Sultan Mahmud really liked the way this young man behaved. He wanted to bring him back to work in the palace, so he asked the young man's mother for permission to do this.

The young man's mother gave permission and Ayaz went with the sultan to the palace. However, Ayaz had nothing but worn-out clothes and an old pair of sandals.







Ayaz was very wise and hard working. He did everything that he was told to do in the best way that he could.

Sultan Mahmud came to like Ayaz more and more as he got to know him better. He was always praising Ayaz whenever he could.

Many people in the palace soon became jealous of Ayaz. They did not like how much the sultan cared for him. Some of these people planned to ruin the relationship between Sultan Mahmud and Ayaz. They began to follow Ayaz around in order to find something to blame him for.