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Story of the Truth and the Lie

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- Once upon a time, the Truth and the Lie met on the road.

The Lie said to the Truth: "It's a marvelous day today!"

The Truth looked up to the skies and sighed, for the day was really beautiful.

- They walked together for a while, until they reached a beautiful well.

The Lie said to the Truth: „The water in the well is very nice, let's take a swim together!“

The Truth, once again suspicious, tested the water and discovered that indeed, the water was very nice.

They undressed and started the bathe.

Suddenly, the Lie jumped out of the well, put on the clothes of the Truth and ran away.

- The furious Truth leaped out of the well and ran everywhere to find the Lie and get her clothes back.

The world, seeing the Truth naked, turned it's gaze away, with content and rage.

The poor Truth returned to the well and disappeared forever, hiding therein, its shame.

Since then, the Lie travels around the world, dressed as the Truth, satisfying the needs of society, because, the World, in any case, harbours no wish at all to meet the naked Truth.

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Epilogues from Slide 5:

<p style="text-align: center;">A</p> <p>Tired of spending 200 years in the well, the Truth puts on the clothes of the Lie as it is the only way to be accepted by the world again.</p> <p>So to this day, Truth and Lie have been indistinguishable to all expect those who have seen them unclothed.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">B</p> <p>The Truth stays in the well, but sometimes people come and sit closeby, searching for her. If they are sincere and okay with seeing her naked, the Truth will reveal herself. But, since it is a very personal experience, it will only happen to one person at a time.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">C</p> <p>The Truth gets hold on a mobile phone and realises how infected the world is by the words of the Lie. There are literally hundreds of billions and billions of lies. Some allies of the Truth have created stories about her, but they are not trending. They are downvoted, deleted and ignored.</p>
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