

A Sin Found Out

A certain woman, preparing to entertain guests, went to a small grocery store to buy food.

She stopped at the meat counter and asked the attendant for a large chicken. He reached down into the cold storage compartment, grabbed the last chicken he had, and placed it on the scale.



“This one weighs four pounds, ma’am,” he said.

“I’m not sure that will be enough,” the woman replied.
“Don’t you have a bigger one?”

The attendant put the chicken back into the compartment, pretended to search through the melting ice for another one, and then brought out the same bird, discreetly applying some finger pressure to the scale.

“Ah,” he said with a smile, “this one weighs six pounds.”

“I’m just not sure,” the woman said with a frown. “I’ll tell you what – wrap them both up for me!”

You’ve heard it said many times: Honesty is always the best policy. And here is evidence.

– Beecher Hunter