

White Muff in the Mud

Alice Lee Humphreys, in her book *Angels in Pinafores*, tells about her experiences as a first-grade teacher.

She recalls the story of a little girl who came to school one winter day wearing a beautiful white angora beret, white mittens, and a matching muff. As she was coming through the door, a mischievous little boy grabbed the white muff and threw it in the mud.

After disciplining the little boy, the teacher sought to comfort the girl. Brushing the mud off of her soiled muff, the little girl looked up at the teacher and said in a quiet and responsible manner: "Sometime, I must take a day off and tell him about God."

As far as the girl was concerned, everything that was wrong with the boy could be made right if she could just tell him about God.

She may have been in the first grade, but this little girl had exceptional wisdom.

God has told us all about His love for us in the letter He sent. It's called the *Holy Bible*. In it, the Lord advises that He has plans for our lives.

If we could all stay in tune with God, listen to His voice, and do what He asks, just consider how much better would be our families, our professions, our churches, our communities, our nation and, yes, even the world.

Someday, we should take the opportunity to tell someone about God.

– Beecher Hunter

