

THE FROGS' LEGS

Over worrying - Much ado, about nothing

A farmer came into town and asked the owner of a posh restaurant if he could buy from him 10,000 frog legs. The restaurant owner was shocked and asked the man where he could get so many frog legs! The farmer replied, 'There is a pond near my house that is full of frogs - millions of them. They croak all night long and they are about to make me crazy!'

So the restaurant owner and the farmer made an agreement that the farmer would deliver frogs to the restaurant, five hundred at a time for the next several weeks. The first week, the farmer returned to the restaurant looking rather sheepish, with four or five scrawny little frogs. The restaurant owner said, 'Well... where are all the frogs?' The farmer said, 'I was mistaken. There were only these two frogs in the pond. But be sure, they make the noise of thousands !'

REFLECTIONS:

- Do not judge by appearances, find out the facts
- Empty pots make the loudest noise..
- Dogs that bark loudest, bite least.
- Next time you hear people criticizing or making fun of you, or of others, remember, it's probably just a couple of noisy frogs.
- Problems always seem bigger in the dark. Have you ever lain in your bed at night worrying about things which seem almost overwhelming like a million frogs croaking? Chances are pretty good that when the morning comes, and you take a closer look, at them you'll wonder what all the fuss was about