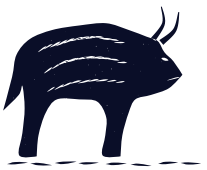
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The Oxen and the Butchers



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Comprehension Questions

1. What was the main goal of the Oxen in the story?

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2. How did the oldest Oxen view the situation with the Butchers?

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3. What warning did the old Oxen give to the others?

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4. What is the moral of the story?

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Vocabulary Exercise

Match the words with their correct meanings:

Word	Meaning
1. Butchers	A. To harm or injure
2. Slaughter	B. People who prepare meat for sale
3. Skillful	C. Having the ability to do something well
4. Unnecessary	D. Not needed or required
5. Evil	E. Something that brings harm or wickedness

Writing/Reflection Task

Think about the moral of the story. Write your reflection on why it is important to be careful when making changes, even if the current situation seems bad.

Feel free to share your thoughts with a friend or family member!