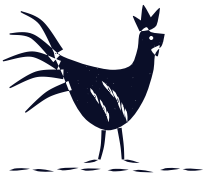
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The Widow and Her Little Maidens



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Comprehension Questions

1. Who are the main characters in the story?
2. What was the reason the maidens decided to kill the cock?
3. What consequences did the maidens face after their actions?
4. What lesson can be learned from the story?
5. How did the widow's behavior change after the cock was gone?

Vocabulary Matching Exercise

Match the words on the left with their correct definitions on the right by writing the letter in the blank space.

Word	Definition	Match
1. Widow	A person who has lost their spouse	
2. Maidens	Young girls or women employed to serve	
3. Cock	A male chicken, often known for crowing	
4. Aggravated	Made worse or more severe	
5. Consequence	A result or effect of an action	

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the story and its moral. Answer the following questions in the lines provided.

1. What do you think the maidens should have done instead of killing the cock?

2. How does this story relate to the concept of facing the consequences of one's actions?

3. Can you think of a time when you faced a consequence for a decision you made? Share your experience.

End of Worksheet