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وقع حجرٌ على ذيل ثعلب فقطعه، فرآه ثعلب آخر فسأله: "لمَ قطعت ذيلك؟!" قال له: "إنِّي أشعر وكأنِّي طائر في الهواء... يا لها من متعة جميلة!!

فجعله يقطع ذيله هو الآخر، فلمَّا شعر بألم

شديد ولم يجد متعة، سأله: " لما كذبتَ عليَّ؟!" فردَّ علَيه: "إِنْ أخبرتَ الثَّعالب الأخرى بألمِك؛ فلن يقطعوا ذيولهم وسيسخرون منَّا."

فظلً النَّعلبان يُخبران كلَّ من يجدانه بمتعتهما حتَّى صار الأغلبية دون ذيل.

النَّتيجة: أنَّهم كلَّما رأَوْ ثعلبًا بذيله سخِروا منه!!!

إذا عمَّ الفساد يُعيَّرُ الصَّالحون بصلاحهم، ويتَّخذهم السُّفهاء سُخريةً.

## The Foxtail

A stone fell down on a foxtail and cut it off. Another fox saw him and wondered: "Why did you cut off your tail?!". "I feel like a bird in the sky... How amazing is that!!", said the fox.

So he made him cut his tail off too, and when he felt no joy but pain, he asked him: "Why did you lie to me?! The fox replied: "If you told the other foxes about your pain; they would not cut their tails off and would mack at us."

So the two animals kept telling every fox in their way about their pleasure until the majority became tailless.

As a result: Whenever they saw a fox with a tail they made joke of him.

If corruption spreads, good people will be humiliated because of their rightness and bad ones will mock at them.

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