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A Time of Peace

“June!” Auggie grabbed June’s mouse and cat stuffed animals. “You can’t have a mouse and a cat be friends. They’re enemies. The cat will try to eat the mouse and the mouse will just tease the cat.”

“Sounds like you’ve been watching cartoons,” April laughed as she overheard the conversation. “What are you doing?”

“We playing with my animals!” June held up her stuffed animals.

“Yeah, but June is mixing mortal enemies with each other...” Auggie sighed.

“Well, you know Auggie, there will be a time, in the future, where enemies will love each other,” April sat down on the floor next to them. “It’s called the Millennium.”

“The Millah-whata?” Auggie scratched his head.

“The Millennium,” April repeated. “It will happen after the Second Coming of Jesus Christ. There will be no more wars. No more bad guys. Just peace.”

“Yeah, but a cat is still going to eat a mouse.” Auggie smirked.

“No,” April smirked back. “Did you know the scriptures say even the animals will love each other. The wolf will be friends with the sheep, the leopard will sleep with the baby goat, the cow and the bear will eat together, and even the lion will eat grass instead of the ox.”

“What?” Auggie started to get excited. “No way? That’s so cool!”

“Yes!” April picked up the mouse and handed it to Auggie. “So maybe June is just pretending it’s the Millennium and wants all the animals to be at peace.”

“Sweet, let’s do that, June!” Auggie exclaimed as he grabbed the cat stuffed animal.

“Okay!” June giggled.