

# THE SEVEN GOATS (AND THE WOLF)

## 1- "Storytime"

(The curtain opens with music and we see a brick wall with the story's title: The Seven Goats... and the wolf!)

### *(Song 1: The Story begins)*

Hello everyone! Hello! How are you?  
Are you good? Are you alright??  
Are you ready for story time?

The Story begins (2x)  
We are all welcome aboard.  
What a time, so wonderful!  
The story begins (2x)  
We are all welcome aboard.  
Thanks for coming to our show.

Eyes wide open like an owl  
(2x)Ears like a rabbit (2x)  
and the mouth mmmmm (2x)  
and we're ready for...

The Story begins (2x)  
We are all welcome aboard,  
what a time, so wonderful!  
The story begins (2x)  
We are all welcome aboard  
Thanks for coming to our show

(While dancing, the actresses change the brick wall into a little goat house)

**Actresses:** And now we are ready for the story!

## 2- “The house of the seven goats”

**Mommy Goat:** Hello, hello darlings! What a nice day it is today! It is sunny indeed! (Or raining, or snowing, depending on the actual weather).

This is my little house. Here is the refrigerator, where we keep the food fresh. And there is the kitchen with the oven, here is where I cook delicious meals! Mmmmh! Oh, and in our little home we have a little library, because we love stories and fairytales, don't you? And this is my family clock! It has been passed from generation to generation from my grandmother to me. It marks the hours and the passing of time... The bedrooms are just behind here. And here we have the most important thing in the house: Our front door. It keeps us safe from dangerous animals and other predators that are outside, and it keeps us warm and comfy inside. Isn't it great to have doors in our houses?

OH! Sorry kids! I haven't introduced myself yet, Excuse me please. (*Cough, cough*) My name is Goatrice, and I am the mother of seven little goats. My children, my world, my life... My everything! I love them sooo much! Oh please, let me introduce you to my little children. C'mon kids! Come here to mama!  
One! Two! Three! Four! Five! Six! Seven!

### **(Song 2: We are the seven goats)**

They are all different and they are all marvellous. But I better let them introduce themselves...

**One:** I'm the first one and I like to read go  
to the library seven times a week!

**Two:** I'm the second and I like to eat  
all kinds of leaves and a bit of cheese...

**Three:** I'm the third, I am the best  
I've got style coming out my chest!

**One:** Let's go to rest! We will recount...

**Three:** Nah! Let me hear you count!

One, two, three!

**Goats:** We are the 7 goats (4x)

**Four:** I am the fourth, I don't like ghosts

I don't like scary things (*cough*) AHHHH!!!

**Five:** Sorry I just coughed...

I'm the fifth and in my life

my favorite pastime... Boo!

**Four:** AAAAAHHH! It scares me every time!!!

..... (*One goat is sleeping*)

**Goats:** HEY!!!

**Six (*waking up*):** I like to sleep, let's recount...

**Three:** Let me hear you count!

One, two, three, four, five, six!

**Goats:** We are the 7 goats (4x)

**Seven:** I am the seventh and I'm the little one

nobody listens to me even if I'm right

but if you try and listen to me

you will find the biggest heart is in here

**Mommy Goat:** All my babies are different,

but I love them all! Let's recount!

One, two, three, four, five, six, seven!

**Goats:** We are the 7 goats (4x)

**Six:** Goats!

### 3- Instructions

**Mommy Goat:** Well, well, my little ones, time flies! Look what time it is. The grocery store will close soon! I better hurry up and go now.

**Seven:** Mommy, mommy! Can I come with you?

**Mommy Goat:** No, my darling, you are too small... It is better if you wait here for me with your sisters and brothers. Okay?

**Seven:** Okay...

**Two:** Will you come back with lots of food?

**Mommy Goat:** Of course, darling. And you all remember: do not open the door to strangers! Only to me!

**One:** Why mommy?

**Mommy Goat:** Because it is dangerous outside! There are big animals who may want to hurt you. There may be a bear outside, with big claws on his paws. Or there may be an eagle, with even bigger claws! Or maybe... A wolf!

**Five:** A wolf?

**Mommy Goat:** Oh yes! Around here, there is a big bad wolf that will trick you... and eat you! It is dangerous!

**Four:** Dangerous!?

**Mommy Goat:** Very dangerous!

**Four:** Aaaaah!

**Mommy Goat:** That's why you must not open the door for anyone except me, okay children?

**Seven:** Okay Mommy!

**Three:** But how can we know that it is you at the door and not the dangerous wolf?

**Mommy Goat:** Very easy! When I come back home, I will knock on the door three times, and I will sing you the password song.

**Three:** The password song?

**Mommy Goat:** Yes! The password song to open the door:

**(Song 3: Open babies)**

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...  
Mommy is back from the green shop and has a lot of food!

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...  
Mommy is here and she will give you lots of hugs!

**Goats:** Yaaay!

**Mommy Goat:** See you children! I will be back soon! And remember: do not open the door to strangers! *(Exits)*

**Four:** Bears... Eagles... Wolves... It is so scary outside!

**Five:** Roaaaaar!

**Four:** Aaaaah! Help me!!! *(Bumps into sister six)*

**Six:** Eh? What? Where is mom?

**Five:** She is gone...

**Six:** What? Forever?

**Five:** Yes... Forever and ever and ever...

**One:** Don't trick your sister like that! Mom is shopping.

**Two:** For food!

**Six:** All right! Let me know when she's back... zzzzzzz...

#### **4- “The wolf”**

(A cloth covers the goats house and we see a part of the forest)

**Wolf:** Well, well, well! How many kids are here today! Hello kids! Do you know who I am? I can't hear you! Do you know who I am? Louder! Do you know who I am? Oh yes, the wolf!!! But I'm not just a simple wolf like the others. I bet you've never met a wolf like me. Please, let me show you...

#### **(Song 4: “The coolest wolf”)**

Hey kids! I'm the wolf (Hello!)  
I want you to feel the flow  
let's dance with the sound  
and shake your body to the ground

This is my tail (tail tail)  
Look how it shakes (shakes shakes)  
This is my tail (tail tail)  
Don't you love these waves?

This is my teeth (teeth teeth)  
They help me sing (sing sing)  
This is my teeth (teeth teeth)  
Don't you love this... AAAAARG!

Bab shu bab! - Wolf, Wolf (3x)  
I'm the coolest wolf in town!

These are my ears (ears ears)  
They feel the beat (beat beat)  
These are my ears (ears ears)  
Don't you love this rhythm?

These are my nails (nails nails)  
That never fail (fail fail)  
To catch a prey (prey prey)  
Don't you love these... AAAAARG!

Bab shu bab! - Wolf, Wolf (3x)  
I'm the coolest wolf in town!

**Wolf:** Yeah! (*Stomach noises*) Mmmmh... I'm so hungry... (*Stomach noises*) And you all smell delicious! (*Stomach noises*) But I will not eat you... No, no, no! I don't like humans. They smell good, but taste so bad! I prefer little pigs... or little sheep... or little goats! Yummy! Have you seen any goats around here? Maybe over here? Over there? Oh, I think I heard something! I'm going to hide and listen. Shhhh!

*(The wolf takes the cloth and hides while the house of the goats is shown again)*

## 5- "Back home"

**Four:** When is mommy coming?

**One:** Soon, you'll see...

[...]

### **(Song 3: Open babies)**

**Mommy:** Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is back from the green shop and has a lot of food!

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is here and she will give you lots of hugs!

**Goats:** Mommy!!!

**Mommy Goat:** Hello children! One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, and Seven kisses!

**Two:** What do you have in here? What did you buy at the vegetable shop?

**Mommy Goat:** Let me show you all the vegetables we have today. Will you say it with me?

**Goats:** Yes!

**Mommy Goat:** And you kids, will you say it with us?

**Goats:** Yes please!

**Mommy Goat:** Okay let's see...

- Tomato (*Goats and children repeat the vegetable*)
- Onion
- Carrot
- Turnip
- Beets
- Garlic
- Broccoli
- And Cabbage!

What a wonderful salad we will have for dinner today!

**Goats:** Yaaay!



**Two:** Can we put a little bit of cheese in it?

**Mommy Goat:** Of course, my little glutton! In fact, before dinner I wanted to visit Lady Cowdelia, our cow neighbor. I met her at the vegetable shop and she invited me to have tea together... So, if you wait here for me, I will come back with lots of cow's milk cheese! Would you like that?

**Two:** Oh yes, mommy!

**Seven:** Can I come with you?

**Mommy Goat:** Oh, my little Seven, I'm so sorry, it will be veery boring for you. We will be talking about adult things... Like politics and stuff...

**Seven:** Okay mommy!

**Mommy Goat:** See you soon, children! And remember...

**Goats:** Do not open the door to strangers!

**Mommy:** Exactly! I will knock on the door three times and then sing you the password song!

**Goats:** Okay Mommy! We love you!

[...]

## 6- "The wolf attempts to enter"

(The wolf approaches the door quietly)

**Wolf:** Oh, what a wonderful miracle! The mother left the little goats alone! And I was listening from the window! I heard the password song so... It is time to eat, I mean trick, some little goats...

### ***(Song 3: Open babies, with deep voice)***

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is back from Cowdelia's house or whatever...

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is here and she will give you lots of hugs!

**Three:** Yay! Mommy is here!

**Two:** My cheese is here! Let's open the door!

**Seven:** Wait a moment!!! Don't you think that something is strange? Our mommy's voice is different! This voice is sooo much deeper!

**One:** This is true! And according to my book wolves have deeper voices than goats, so...

**Four:** Maybe it is the wolf! Aaaah! (*hides*)

**Five:** Let's ask him... Are you the wolf?

**Wolf:** Uhm... No. Of course, not! I'm your mommy.

**Seven:** Liar! Our mommy has a much prettier voice!

**Goats:** Liar, liar, liar! Get out of here!

**Wolf (to himself):** Well, well, well... That didn't go as well as I thought it would... But I have my tricks! If they want to hear a prettier and higher voice, the only thing I need to do is to eat an egg white. Yes! And it turns out that I have eggs in my backpack! (*The wolf breaks anegg and eats the egg white*). How is it now? Is my voice higher? Is my voice sweeter? Is my voice prettier? Let's try again!

***(Song 3: Open babies, with falsetto voice)***

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is back from Cowdelia's house, with some cheese!**Two:** Cheese!!!

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is here and she will give you lots of bites... I mean hugs!

**Seven:** Wait a moment!!! It still sounds suspicious. How can we know that this is our mother and not the wolf making another voice?

**One:** According to my book wolves have dark gray legs, and our mother had white legs. So...

**Seven:** Show us your leg, so we can see if it is you, mommy.

*(The wolf shows part of his hand, knowing that it is not white at all)*

**Five:** It is not white!

**Four:** It is the wolf! Aaah! *(hides)*

**Seven:** Liar! Our mommy has white legs!

**Goats:** Liar, liar, liar! Get out of here!

**Wolf (to himself):** Well, well, well... I'm starting to get impatient... And hungrier! But they made me show them my leg, and it is not white like their mother's, so... Oh! Hohoho! I have an idea! It turns out that I have flour in my backpack! So, I'm going to paint my hands white. *(The wolf opens the flour and paints his hands white)*. How is it now? Are my hands whiter? Let's try again!

***(Song 3: Open babies, with falsetto voice and impatience)***

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is back from Cowdelia's house and blah, blah, blah..

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is here and she will give you lots of hugs! C'mon!!!

**Seven:** Wait a moment!! Show us your leg to see if you are our mother!

**Wolf:** Of course, darling!

**Five:** It's white! That means that it's our mom!

**Wolf:** Hurry up children... I really want to eat you! I mean hug you!

**Seven:** Wait a moment... I still feel suspicious...

**Wolf:** I have lots of cheese here...

**Two:** Cheese? Hurray!

**Seven:** Wait a moment... We have to be careful!

**Three:** But it was the password song!

**Four:** And the voice was right.

**Five:** And the leg is white.

**Two:** And I am hungry! *(Opens the door)*

**Wolf:** But I am hungrier than you!

**Goats:** AAAHHH! *(They hide in fear, and the wolf goes to find and eat the goats in a dancechoreography)*

**Wolf:** One goat! Yum-Yum! Two goats! Yum-Yum! Three goats! Yum-Yum! Four goats! Yum-Yum! Five goats! Yum-Yum! Six goats! Yum-Yum! Delicious! I am so full! I'm going to take a nap next to the river. Yaaawn...

## 7- "Mommy is back"

(The house is almost destroyed and empty, there is only Seven left, because she is hiding in the clock)

### *(Song 3: Open babies)*

#### **Mommy Goat:**

Listen babies, come here babies, open the door soon...

Mommy is back from Cowdelia's house... WHAT HAPPENED HERE?

Oh no! My children! Where are my children? Where?

**Seven:** Mommy, mommy! It was so scary, mommy!

**Mommy Goat:** What happened my darling? Where are your siblings?

**Seven:** Oh, mommy... The wolf came! He knew the password song! And he changed his voice to sound like you! And then we asked him to show us his leg... but it was white mommy! He changed the colour of his fur! And then... and then... I tell them to wait, mommy... to be careful... But... They opened the door and the wolf... the wolf... the wolf ate them mommy! *(Start crying)*

**Mommy Goat:** Oh no!

**Seven:** But I was hiding mommy. In the family clock! He couldn't see me.

**Mommy Goat:** You're so smart, my little Seven. And where is it now, this big bad wolf?

**Seven:** He said that he was full and that he wanted to take a nap next to the river.

**Mommy Goat:** Okay! I'll go save your siblings!

**Seven:** Can I go with you mommy?

**Mommy Goat:** No! Actually, yes! You can help me this time! Come with me, baby. We will save your siblings!

## 8- "Revenge and forgiveness by the river"

*(The actresses take the forest cloth to cover the goats house, and then they create a river with another cloth. The wolf is sleeping with his belly full with goats)*

**Mommy Goat:** Is this the big bad wolf?

**Seven:** Yes mommy! That is him! He ate my sisters and brothers!

**Mommy Goat:** Okay darling, do not worry and help me save them!

**Seven:** Of course, mommy! What can I do?

**Mommy Goat:** Pass me the scissors!

**Seven:** Scissors!

**Mommy Goat:** Pass me the lever!

**Seven:** Lever!

**Mommy Goat:** Catch your siblings!

**Seven:** Catch my... what?!

*(Song 2 reprise: We are the seven goats)*

**Mommy Goat:** One! Two! Three! Four! Five! Six!

**Seven:** And Seven!

**Goats:** We are the 7 goats (4x)

**Six:** Goats!

**Mommy Goat:** I'm sooo happy that you are okay! And I am so angry with this big and very, very bad wolf! We will teach them a lesson, you will see! Children, each of you get a rock and bring it to me!

**One:** One!

**Two:** Two!

**Three:** Three!

**Four:** Four!

**Five:** Five!

**Six:** Six!

**Mommy Goat:** Seven! Give me the needle!

**Seven:** Needle!

**Mommy Goat:** Sewing... *(The mom sews the wolf with the rocks inside)* Ta-da!

**Goats:** Hurray!

**Mommy Goat:** And now let this big bad wolf sink into the river. That will teach him!

*(The Wolf sinks into the river and starts to drown)*

**Wolf:** Oh no! What happens? I fell into the river? Oh no! I'm drowning, I'm drowning!  
Help me! Help me please!

**Mommy Goat:** That will teach you not to eat my children!

**Wolf:** I'm sorry! I was sooo hungry! I will never do it again! I'm sorry! Please help me!

**Seven:** Mommy, I feel like we have to help him. He's not bad after all, he was only hungry. I'm sure he's learned his lesson. But if we hurt him back, how are we better than him?

**Mommy Goat:** Oh, Seven, you are so kind and smart. You have a giant heart. And you are right! Let's save him!

*(Mommy, Seven, and all the goats help the wolf get out of the water)*

**Wolf:** I'm alive! I'm alive! Thank you so much!

**Seven:** But you have to promise us that you will never try to eat us again!

**Mommy Goat:** Or you will end in the bottom of the river...

**Wolf:** No! I promise you! I will never eat little goats again!

**One:** And no more little pigs!

**Two:** Or little sheep!

**Three:** Or little rabbits!

**Four:** Or little birds!

**Five:** Or little humans!

**Six:** Can I go back to sleep?

**Wolf:** Okay, okay... I promise. *(Stomach noises)* But I'm still hungry... What will I eat now?

**Seven:** There is so much food you can eat!

**Two:** Yes!!!

**Seven:** We have cheese and milk from Cowdelia.

**Two:** Yummy!

**Seven:** We have eggs from Chickenrichetta.

**Two:** Yummy!

**Seven:** And lots of vegetables!

**Two:** Yummy!

**Mommy:** In fact, we will eat a great big salad for dinner. Do you want to join us?

**Wolf:** Can I?

**Seven:** Yes, but you have to be good.

**Wolf:** I promise I'll be good!

**One:** And you have to mind your manners.

**Wolf:** I promise!

**Two:** And you have to share the food.

**Wolf:** I promise!

**Three:** And you will take care of our garden!

**Wolf:** I promise

**Five:** And you will protect us from the other predators!

**Wolf:** I promise!

**Four:** And please don't scare me.

**Wolf:** I promise!

**Six:** And please let me sleep in peace.

**Wolf:** I promise I guess...

**Seven:** Good boy! Let's go to dinner then!

**Mommy Goat:** I could use some help at home so... welcome to the family!

**Wolf:** Thank you so much! You're so good to me. I will never hurt you again, I promise!!!

**Goats:** Hurray!!!



## 9- "Ending song"

### **(Song 5: "We love stories")**

If you like this end  
please clap your hands!

If you like this tale  
your arms must shake!

Do you like stories?  
We love it!! (2x)

If you like this end  
please wave your hands!

If you like this tale  
your head must shake!

Do you like stories?  
We love them!! (2x)

**Actresses:** And snip, snap, snout, this tale is told out!