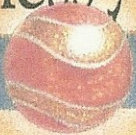


# The Legend of the Kindness Marble



Just a simple little marble  
Is all you see at first  
Until you read the legend  
That is written in this verse.

By doing something kind each day  
Just a small or simple deed,  
You'll learn of joys that you can have  
By helping those in need.

You start it in your pocket left,  
Until you have been kind;  
And then you switch it to the right  
As happiness you find.

But should a day and night pass by  
With no kindness on your part,  
*Beware* the legend of the curse-  
It's known as hardened heart!

Now may this kindness marble roll  
Forever in your life,  
And bring to you more joy and peace  
While lessening the strife!

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