

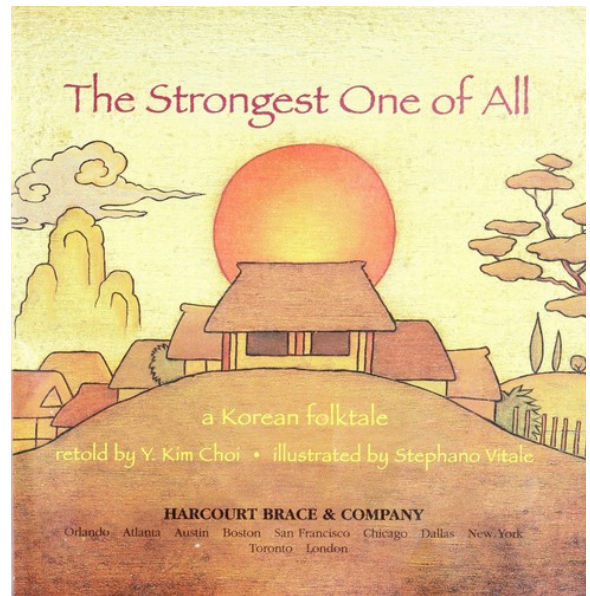


THE STRONGEST ONE OF ALL

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SUMMARY

Parents always want to make sure their kids are taken care of. Sometimes that means finding them the perfect husband or wife. In this story, a young woman's parents want to make sure she is safe by finding her a husband who is the strongest one of all. Who will be the strongest?



Questions:

1. How do you think their daughter felt when her parents went away? Do you think she was excited for them to come back with a husband for her? How do you think her parents felt?
2. How do you think the sun felt when the mice said it was the strongest one of all? How would you feel if people thought you were the strongest? How do you think the sun feels when clouds come around?
3. How do you think the mice parents feel on their adventure? Is it an easy trip? Why don't they just give up? Are some things important enough to work hard for?
4. How do you think the daughter felt when her parents came home after their long trip? How do you think she felt when they didn't have a husband for her?
5. In the end, what kind of person do the mice choose for their daughter? Someone strong or someone kind? Is it more important to be strong or to be kind?
6. In the end, the daughter mouse is very happy with her husband. How do you think her parents feel to see her happy? Is it more important to her parents that her husband be strongest, or that she be happy? Do you think your parents just want you to grow up and be happy too?