

A LETTER TO GOD

Theme: The power of unwavering innocent faith in God.

Moral

- Power of faith
- Appreciation (for what we receive)
- Faith makes anything possible
- Faith is the ray of hope, that keeps one optimistic in the darkest times.

Characters

LENCHO: A hardworking man of limited means Lencho had immense faith in God. He believed God always helped people with a clear conscience. Therefore, even the heavy losses did not upset him, or anyone in his family. His innocent unshakable and unquestionable faith helped him sail through the rough times.

THE POSTMASTER: A humble and gentle man he has a sharp, sensitive and sympathetic understanding of the human mind. Therefore, even though he is amazed, he easily understands the workings of the mind of a god fearing man like Lencho. Deeply moved and impressed, he wants to preserve Lencho's faith. It is his generosity and kindness that makes him collect the seventy pesos, in order to provide the financial help to Lencho.

THE POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES: As considerate and compassionate as the post master, the employees assist him in helping the poor farmer. Their kindness forced them to contribute something to this 'act of charity', initiated by the postmaster.

IRONY : The post office employees who help Lencho are called, 'a bunch of crooks', after he sees the packet has only 70 pesos and not 100 pesos, the amount he had asked from God after the storms.