

A script from



“Lemonade”

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- What** A demonstration is given on how to make fresh lemonade while illustrating how the Bible has given us many examples of people who turned their trials into triumphs. Themes: trials, temptations, conquerors, victims, victory
- Who** Actor (or Actress)
- When** Present
- Wear (Props)** Counter/table top or lemonade stand
Big bowl filled with lemons
Container with sugar that says “Sugar” on the side
Knife
Empty pitcher
Lemon juicer
Pitcher of water
- Why** James 1
- How** This will take some practice. The goal is to actually make fresh squeezed lemonade throughout the monologue. If you find yourself having trouble making the lemonade and delivering the monologue, an idea is to have a helper cut and squeeze the lemons while you’re talking. For more ideas about this skit, preview the video “Lemonade” at www.skitguys.com.
- Time** Approximately 5-7 minutes; This script is 2 pages long.

The Actor is standing behind a lemonade stand with a bowl of lemons, a juicer, an empty pitcher, a pitcher of water, a container with sugar, and a knife.

Actor: Ahhh! Fresh lemons! I think it's one of God's better creations, you know? I mean, there's nothing like a fresh lemon *(he takes a big bite of a wedge of lemon and then spits it out)*. Lemons on their own aren't very good. But don't give up on the potential these little babies have, because the truth is there's nothing like fresh squeezed lemonade.

I mean, it's a hot summer day, you come inside, somebody's poured you some fresh squeezed lemonade...its great! But it's a pain to make. Let's be real- you gotta cut the lemons, you gotta squeeze 'em, you gotta pour the water, you gotta put the sugar in, you gotta stir it around...

You know what? When I describe it, it doesn't sound like that much work. But it really is once you start doing it. That's why people don't usually make fresh squeezed lemonade. I know I don't. If I want lemonade, I get it out of a can. Three scoops, some cold water and you're good to go. But it's not as good as the real stuff. The way God intended it to taste. In fact, let's make some lemonade. Right here. I don't care if it's a lot of work.

He starts the process of actually making lemonade.

You've got to cut your lemons and squeeze them into the pitcher.

As he is slicing the lemons and squeezing them into the pitcher, he makes a mess of everything; the lemon juice goes all over the place; play this up as much as you can- pretend it goes in your eye, etc. By the end of it, he only has a tiny bit of lemon juice in the pitcher.

That's it? I can't squeeze all of these...

He notices the juicer sitting there.

Hand squeezing is really overrated. You might want to get yourself a juicer.

He starts to juice the lemons on the juicer. Throughout the rest of the monologue, he is cutting lemons and juicing them with the juicer.

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