

Two Boys – ages 12-15

Charlie is the younger brother of Beth in the Bradley family. He is afraid of the Herdmans because they are intimidating. Leroy Herdman has been taking his desserts from his lunch daily. Charlie is not sure how to handle this.

Leroy is about Charlie's age and is a bully. He follows in the footsteps of his siblings.

Charlie: Leroy! Give me back my lunch!

Leroy: Quit whining kid. You can have your stupid lunch back. Here. *(Hands him the lunch bag)*

Charlie: *(looking inside)* You stole my dessert again!

Leroy: Prove it! What was it crybaby?

Charlie: A Twinkie!

Leroy: *(turns holding up the package with an evil laugh)* Make that two twinkies! *(He tears them open in Charlie's face and starts to eat them)*

Charlie: *(Halfyelling)* You think it's so great to steal my dessert every day, don't you Leroy Herdman!

Leroy: Like a piece of cake! *(Laughing at his irony)* Get it!? A piece of cake?!!!

Charlie: You know what?! I don't care! You can have my dessert because I get all the dessert I want at Sunday School.

Leroy: Oh yeah! What kind of dessert?

Charlie: All kinds. Chocolate chip cookies and candy bars...and Twinkies...and cupcakes....and brownies. We get this stuff all the time. And we can eat all we want!

Leroy: You're a liar!

Charlie: No I'm not. Last week we had ice cream and donuts.

Leroy: *(Doubtful)* Who gives it to you?

Charlie: *(Momentarily stumped)* Uh...Reverend Hopkins, the minister.

Leroy: Why? Is he crazy?

Charlie: No...*(thinking)* I think he's rich.

Leroy: *(Pause...then light bulb)* Sunday School, huh?