Salt and Sugar

In a beautiful town, there was a shop. The shop owner, Old Adam, worked very hard with Salt and Sugar. In Adam's shop, he only sold crackers and cookies. When Old Adam made the dough, he shouted, "It's time to work, my dear Salt," then Salt quickly jumped in. Soon they had the delicious crackers and they were ready to be sold! When Old Adam made another dough, he yelled, "It's time to work, my dear Sugar," then Sugar jumped in. Soon they had yummy cookies and they were ready to be sold, too!

In the morning, Adam opened the shop. Everyone in Old Adam's shop wanted to buy only cookies but no crackers. There were many crackers left in Old Adam's shop. Old Adam was a bit confused.

The next morning, Old Adam kept asking Sugar to do the work. Salt felt left out. From that day on, the shop only sold cookies, and no crackers. Those cookies were sold out every day.

"Why am I so popular?" Sugar said with a big yawn.

"I can't stand it anymore!" Salt shouted angrily.

Salt pushed Sugar down and they started to fight. A moment later, Sugar had cuts and bruises all over his body. Old Adam heard the noise and quickly ran in. "Oh my! Look what you've done!" Old Adam said worriedly and quickly put Sugar on some ice cubes.

To punish Salt's bad behavior, Old Adam asked him to work in the boiling water. From that night on, Sugar has played an important role in making sweet shaved ice. As for Salt, he has accidently become an important role in making hot salted soup.

Now in Old Adam's shop, he was not only selling cookies but also sweet shaved ice and hot salted soup.