

One day **the mother** was sitting in front of the house alone and asked **God for help**.

Suddenly, **a poor girl** appeared and the mother patched up her torn sleeve. The poor girl thanked the mother and gave her some **kindling sticks**.

The mother didn't know that they were **magical sticks**.

And so, the old mother **set the fire** to warm up.

Suddenly, oh, what a miracle! **Tiny Little Men**, the good house spirits, jumped out of the fire.

The mother **asked** them for **help**. **Tiny Little Men** **promised** to show the **snake-woman's secret** to everyone at the town fair.