'How rude,' moaned Cat, whose milk had disappeared for the third time that week.

'It's not fair,' groaned Goat, whose scraps had vanished into thin air, or rather, into Dog.
But Cow was wise. She told them, ‘Be patient. Dog will get his comeuppance one day soon.’

This went on for months and months: Dog stole food, and Cat and Goat moaned and groaned. But Cow always said the same thing: ‘Be patient. Dog will get his comeuppance one day soon.’