

THE PUMPKIN THAT SAID NO TO HALLOWEEN

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There is a magical place called Pumpkin Land where all the pumpkins for Halloween grow. Each year during the fall months the pumpkins prepare for Halloween with a certain glow in their eyes, this was a long-standing Halloween tradition for hundreds and hundreds of years in Pumpkin Land.

Then in 2021 a very special pumpkin was born whose name was Joshua Jake Jacko Lantern The Third. Little Joshua Jake was very well liked indeed and things looked as normal as can be until three weeks before Halloween that is.

You see Joshua Jake began asking questions about the origins of Halloween and he was asking questions that no other pumpkin had ever asked before. Soon Joshua Jake learned Halloween was actually called Samhain and Soween and it was a Celtic pagan tradition.

Joshua Jake decided that he did not want to be a Halloween pumpkin, he told the elders of the pumpkin patch that he wanted to be a Thanksgiving Day pumpkin instead.

“You can’t do that; you are a Halloween pumpkin my young fellow.” Said the pumpkin elders.

Poor Joshua Jake just stood there and cried with pumpkin seed size tears in his eyes, and he began praying right on the spot that he would somehow be picked for Thanksgiving Day instead. Then two days before Halloween something amazing happened, farmer Dave began walking through the pumpkin patch looking for three special pumpkins for Thanksgiving and to Joshua’s amazement and surprise he and his two sisters were chosen to continue growing for Thanksgiving.

And on Thanksgiving Day 2021 Joshua Jake Jacko Lantern the 3rd and his two sisters Anny and Franny sat happily on farmer Dave’s Thanksgiving Day family table for all to see and the pumpkins smiled giving God all the praise, glory, and honor that holiday season in 2021...Amen John 14:27