

The Twits - Playscript

characters – Mrs and Mr Twit



The Funny Walking-stick

Opening scene - Mr Twit is busy in his workshop sticking wood to the bottom of Mrs Twit's walking-stick and chair. He then goes through to the living room.

Mr Twit: *(With a cheeky grin on his face.)* Here's your walking stick.

Mr Twit hands the walking stick to Mrs Twit.

Mrs Twit *(Taking the walking stick and looking suspicious)* Thank you.

Mr Twit: *(Running his hands through his dirty beard.)* That stick's too long for you.

Mrs Twit *(Looking at the stick.)* Why so it is. I've had a feeling that there was something wrong but I couldn't for the life of me think what it was.

Mr Twit *(Rubbing his hands with excitement.)* There's something wrong alright!

Mrs Twit *(Staring at her walking stick and looking worried.)* What can have happened? *(Mrs Twit lifts up the walking stick.)* It must suddenly have grown longer.

Mr Twit *(Staring at Mrs Twit's stick.)* Don't be a fool. How can a walking stick possibly grow longer? It's made of dead wood isn't it? Dead wood can't grow.

Mrs Twit *(Getting scared.)* Then what an earth has happened?