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**“The Summer of the Beautiful White Horse”**

—————**William Saroyan**

**Summary:—**

**The present story is about the two cousins, Aram and Mourad. They were Armenian boys and belonged to the Garoghlanian tribe, known for their trust and honesty although the whole tribe had to live in amazing poverty. On the one hand, Adam, a nine-year old boy, supposed the world to be a delightful mysterious dream for him, but Mourad, on the other hand, was considered crazy and the natural descendant of Uncle Khosrove.**

**One day, Mourad stole a beautiful white horse for riding. He invited Aram go ride. Even though, Aram was against ‘stealing’ but convinced himself— ‘Stealing a horse for a ride**

**was not the same thing as stealing anything else.'Aram,along with Mourad kept on early morning rides for quite some time.Mourad,after the morning ride,used to hide the horse in the deserted vineyard.**

**John Byro,the real owner of the horse,one day came to Mourad'uncle in search of his stolen horse but was not responded properly by the uncle.When Mourad came to know about the horse-owner's visit to his house,he decided that the horse must go back to its true owner. So,one day early in the morning,the horse was stealthily taken to John Byro's vineyard and was put in the barn.Mourad patted the horse and went away.Thus,Byro got back his beautiful white horse that was stolen a month ago.**