**The Goby Fish, A Master Rock Climber**

Natural pools in Hawaii provide an ideal and safe environment for fish to live in. However, steep cliffs and powerful water discharges make life very difficult for many living things. It would seem almost impossible for a fish to swim in such waters. Yet with the inspiration bestowed by God, a little fish manages this perfectly well.

That fish is the goby, a master climber. Its pelvic fins, attached to a disk, enable it to cling to the rock surface, just like a sucker cup, and then it begins climbing. All it then needs to reach the surface is a thin layer of water. Other goby fish then follow the scent left by the leading fish. They climb the rocks into the current with considerable difficulty. Water droplets up on them like tiny bombs throughout their journey.

Some of them find places to rest as they move along but others are overtaken by fatigue, and most die before reaching the top. Those that make it to the top, despite all the difficulties, find themselves in a glorious spot.

Goby fish grow, feed and breed in peace here. Then everything begins anew when they are carried back to the sea by currents.