

Story Card Roiet 011

Story title	Kampa Phinoy				
Name of story-teller	Thongpoon Srivilai	Sex		Age	67
Recording time/date	25 October 2014				
Recording place	29 Moo 5 Ban Ta Yiam Wang Thong Lang Sub-district, Selaphum District, Roiet Province				
Length	5 minutes				
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Category					
Summary	<p>There lived an orphan, or Tao Khampa, in a city. He was very poor and people in the city did not like him. He had no family. He lived alone. He ate sweet potatoes. That was his only meal. Although he was very poor, he truly believed in Buddha. He practiced Buddha's teachings.</p> <p>When Tao Khampa grew up, he fell in love with a daughter of a millionaire in the city. Tao Khampa always went to see her near a garden. She also loved Tao Khampa. Her name was Nang Aun. She always sneaked out from her house to see Tao Khampa. But Nang Aun's family did not like Tao Khampa because he was very poor.</p> <p>One day, Nang Aun disappeared. She did not come to dinner table at home. Her father and mother looked for Nang Aun, but could not find her in the house. Then, her mother found Nang Aun swim with Tao Khampa. Nang Aun's mother became so angry that she whipped Nang Aun many times. The mother knew that Nang Aun had already become Tao Khampa's wife. Nang Aun's parents could not refuse him. So, the father said to Tao Khampa, "If you want to marry my daughter, you must build a golden bridge from the riverside to the city gate. The distance was about 1 to 2 kilometers.</p> <p>Tao Khampa was really good and faithful of Buddha. Angels and devils came to help him built a bridge. They brought him many of jars of gold. When Nang's Aun's parents saw this, they accepted Tao Khampa as their daughter's husband. He was allowed to marry Nang Aun. He built a new house and continued to be faithful and believed in Buddha.</p>				