





## **Tales of Clever Peter**

## The priest who sins excuses for money

Famous around Dunja a pop that money absolves all sins. One day and went Clever Peter to him to ask for forgiveness, but you had no money poor.

tour priest stole his head and began to wonder what had sinned.

## Clever Peter said:

- Well, I had a rope Father Priest, and took it by the landlord.
- Well, this is a small job. This right is not a sin.
- Oh Father Priest, was tied with a rope and a sack of wheat. So I took along the rope and sacks of grain. The priest said:
- Oh, that's a lot of sin! To simplify this your sin, my child, you must give something of the church! Clever Peter said:
- Well, I'll give you a watch. The priest was pleased:
- If you give a clock, its simple! Go ahead rather watch!

Clever Peter gave him a clock. It takes the priest, looking - his watch! And began to cry

- You stole it from me! Your sin forgiven for wheat, but this sin to watch I can not! Now I'll have something more to give to CHURCH!

## Clever Peter said:

- I stole from you watch this, but you returned it here's the hand! So I do not sin! And you, if you take a bribe stolen works, you're wrong! Now as I walk through the village will tell Left and Right that take stolen works! priest is seen in wonder and began to pray:
- Amman, Peter, on your watch, if only such things not telling!

  But Peter did not took the clock. And walking in the village, telling everyone to pop that takes stolen works.

  The priest is ashamed and ceased to take money for the remission of sins, when people profess.

Clever Peter is the hero of Mariovo folklore. As its name suggests it has the smarts and wit and even deceit. Rival in the stories about him is Nasreddin Hodja, the personification of the typical Turk. After the liberation of Balkan occupies its place in its modern version - Bai Ganjo. Unlike Bai Ganjo, which is sometimes considered vulgar, simple and having other negative qualities Clever Peter remained in the minds of Marivwc as a positive hero. Source: <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Itar-Pejo">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Itar-Pejo</a>

