

Download Elijah The Prophet And Nicholas

'There now, Elijah!' says Nicholas, 'you say I go and tell everything to the Moujik— surely you can see for yourself how much truth there is in that!' Thereupon the matter ended. Elijah was appeased and didn't threaten to hurt the Moujik any more. And the Moujik led a prosperous life, and from that time forward he held in equal honour Elijah's Day and Nicholas's Day. Elijah the Prophet, 1931 by Nicholas Roerich. Symbolism. religious painting

A long while ago there lived a Moujik. Nicholas's day he always kept holy, but Elijah's not a bit; he would even work upon it. In honor of St. Nicholas he would have a taper lighted and a service performed, but about Elijah the Prophet he forgot so much as to think. Nicholas thought, and again went to the peasant, told him to buy two tapers, one big and one small, and gave him instructions. Next day Elijah the Prophet and St. Nicholas were out together in the guise of wanderers, and the peasant happened to meet them, carrying two waxen candles—one big one that cost a rouble, and a little one that cost a copek.