

CUTTING PEOPLE IN HALF

- SAGE And so, your Majesty, you can see how that just wouldn't work.
- PRINCE Yes yes yes yes. Cut them in half anyways.
- SAGE Your Majesty?
- PRINCE Well the way I see it I either cut them in half now or I could worry about forgetting to cut them in half later.
- SAGE But there's no need to cut them in half at all your Majesty. You seem to have come up with the idea of cutting them in half just now, as they were concluding their presentation of restructuring legislative protocol in the outlying regions of the kingdom.
- PRINCE If it's good enough for Solomon it's good enough for me. He told them to cut a baby in half and everyone thought he was a wonderful king.
- SAGE With the greatest respect, your Majesty, he never cut a baby in half. It was King Solomon's way of discovering who the baby's real mother was. He knew the true mother would let no harm come to the baby. The threat of cutting the baby in half was merely a ruse. King Solomon knew the true mother would rather give up the baby than to have it killed by being cut in half.
- PRINCE Cutting people in half kills them? Well, that's no good is it? So much for that idea. Shame really. It held such potential.

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