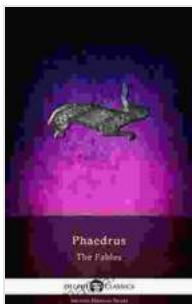


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A fox was walking through a vineyard when he saw a bunch of ripe grapes hanging from a vine. He wanted to eat the grapes, but they were too high for him to reach.

The fox tried to jump up and reach the grapes, but he couldn't. He tried to climb the vine, but it was too slippery.

Finally, the fox gave up. He walked away, muttering to himself, "Those grapes are probably sour anyway."

Moral: It's easy to make excuses for our failures.

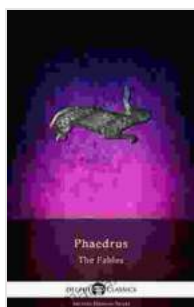
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