Origami Proverb

Title The Dog In The Manger (Fable by Aesop)

Once, when the oxen on a farm were returning to their stable tired and hungry after a hard day's work, they found a nasty barking dog standing in the manger where their hay was kept.

The dog couldn't eat the hay himself, but he wouldn't allow the hungry oxen to get it, either.

Moral:

- * Don't be a ``dog in the manger``.

 If you have something that you don't need and you know that someone else really needs it, don't keep it just for spite.
- * People often begrudge others what they cannot enjoy themselves.



^{*}Diagrams of the Ox

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