Almost immediately things began to happen: sickness decreased in Sam's family. Sam himself became much healthier and was able to get a better job that paid better wages. His wife's care of the old lady won the admiration of a better-off neighbour who offered her a stay-at-home parttime job preparing food items for her canteen.

With the money from these new jobs, Sam and his wife were able not only to provide enough food for their children. They also were able to pay school fees for their oldest child. That child won the special respect of a teacher at school who personally paid the school fees of the second child.

When a relative of Sam's wife visited them from another part of the country, he was so impressed by the changes in their lives that he undertook to pay the school fees of the two other children. Sam and his family discovered that goodness begets goodness and brings about change for the better.