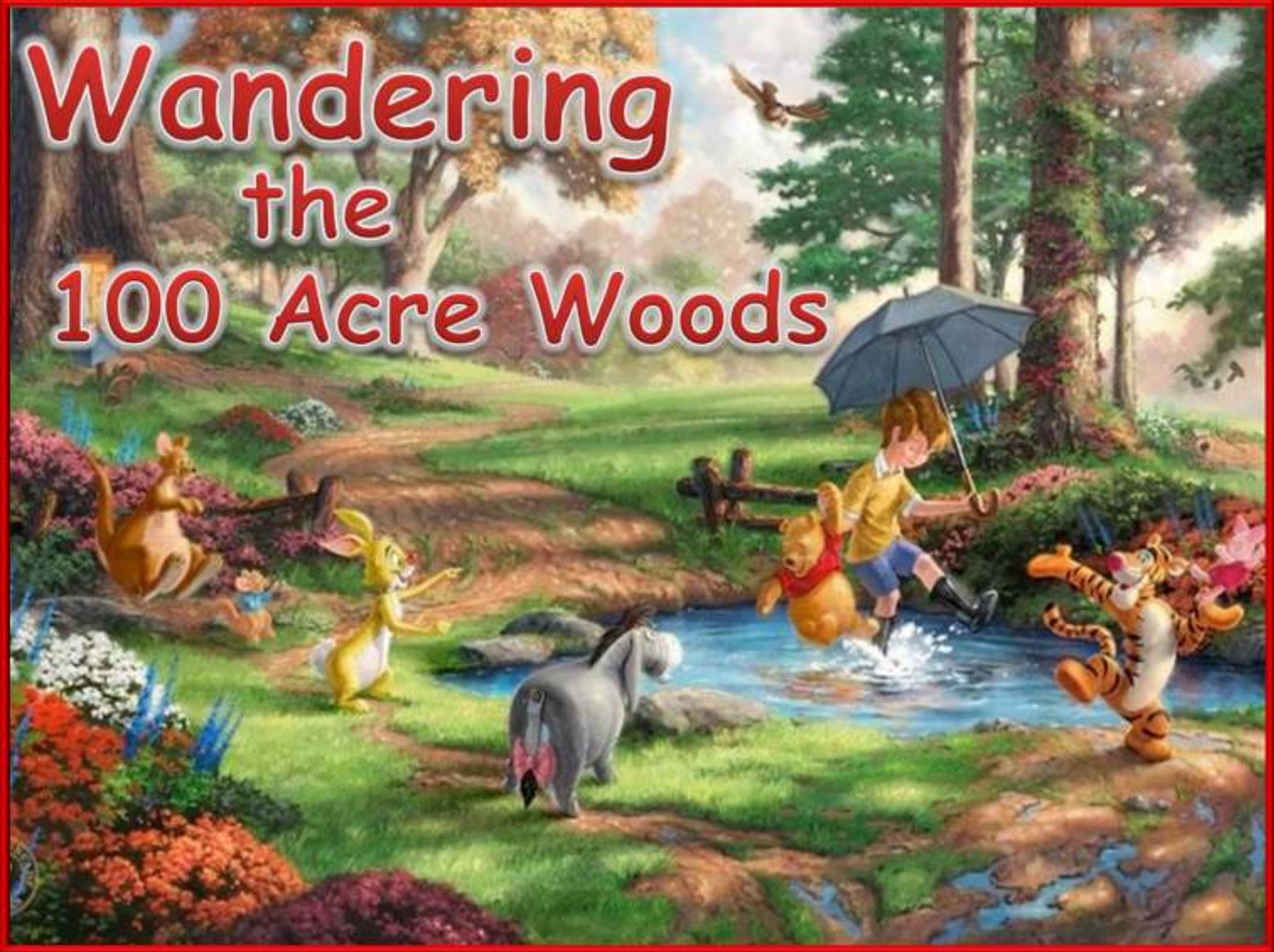


Wandering the 100 Acre Woods







Tigger

He has a high opinion of himself

He is made for motion

He seek "new" or adventure

**He sees himself as
unique and special**

**He has never seen
himself for what he is**

**He does not know
what he likes**



Shallow



Lack Contentment



Beginning at the End

I can do all this
through him who
gives me
strength



Beginning at the End

I can do

All this

Though him (God)

who gives
ME strength



What causes a lack of Contentment



A Lack of Purpose

There was a man all alone; he had neither son nor brother. There was no end to his toil, yet his eyes were not content with his wealth. "For whom am I toiling," he asked, "and why am I depriving myself of enjoyment?" This too is meaningless—a miserable business!

Ecclesiastes 4:8



A Lack of Purpose

The man lacked relationships

**The man was
constantly working**

He was Prosperous

He was not Content

What's the point?



**If we don't feel we
have a purpose then
we can become very
discontent with
what we
are doing**



**Purpose
does not
make you
happy**



The desire to Acquire (I Timothy 6:6-10)

**This passage specifically speaks
to money and possessions**

**But the question becomes
where do you find your
self worth**

**Acquiring does
not just mean
possessions**



The desire to Acquire (I Timothy 6:6-10)

**The point behind this attitude
you need something new**

**Funny the thing is you may not
really want the new thing**

**What you seek is
the acquiring
of the thing**



Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."

Hebrews 13:5



Becoming Content

(Philippians 4:10-13)



Contentment

I Rejoiced greatly in the Lord

**Indeed, you were concerned, but
you had no opportunity to show it**

**I know what it is to be in need, and
I know what it is to have plenty.**

**I have learned the secret of being
content in any and
every situation**

**I can do all this through
him who gives me strength**



God is Contentment

If they obey and serve him, they will spend the rest of their days in prosperity and their years in contentment.

Job 36:11



**Are you ready
to stop
bouncing?**

