



Jakob Streit

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A story from the times of early Christianity
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Eine Erzählung aus der Zeit des frühen
Christentums

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Milon and the Lion presents the world of the early Christians in an engaging way for children.

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Jakob Streit (1910-2009) was born in Switzerland. He studied natural history and history of art and worked as a teacher both in child and adult education. He wrote more than thirty books which were published in more than twenty languages. The focus of his literary work was on animal stories, fairy tales, legends and retellings of biblical stories, which enjoyed great popularity among children and young readers.

