proud/ possession/ clever/ obeyed /
marry/ released / judgment/ riddle

VOCABULARY REVIEW

Oral Review Read the paragraph aloud. Add the vocabulary words.

There once lived a princess whose dearest _____ was a small wooden box. Because the princess never _____ her parents, the king made a _____ that her heart should be locked inside the box. Only the man she was supposed to _____ could open it by solving a _____. Only one young prince was _____ enough to solve it. His answer opened the box and _____ the princess's heart. But he told the princess that he would never make her be his wife. She smiled and took his hand. "I would be _____ to be your wife," she said.

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Rachel the Clever

Key Vocabulary

clever	**possession**
judgment	**proud**
marry	**released**
obey	**riddles**

A. Read the paragraph.
Write a Key Vocabulary word in each blank.
Reread the paragraph to make sure the words make sense.

It was time for the king to _____. He searched for a woman with a mind as _____ as his own. One day, the king heard the innkeeper talking about his daughter Rachel. He was very _____ of her intelligence. Rachel had to solve _____ to show the king that she was smart. The king chose Rachel as his wife. He asked her never to disagree with any _____ at court, or she would be _____ from the palace. Rachel said she would _____ the rule. One day, Rachel disagreed with one of the king's decisions. She was asked to leave and take only her dearest _____. Therefore, Rachel gave the king a sleeping potion and took him away!

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After the king's visit, the innkeeper is worried that

Ⓐ Rachel will anger the king.

Ⓑ Rachel will marry the king.

Ⓒ the king will take his inn away.

Ⓓ the king will give his mare away.

What is the main reason the king chooses Rachel as his wife?

Ⓐ She is kind.

Ⓑ She is smart.

Ⓒ She is modest.

Ⓓ She is beautiful.

Read the sentence from the selection.

> "Go stand under the king's window with a fishing rod and pretend you're catching fish."

Rachel gives these instructions to the peasant because she thinks

Ⓐ the king is easy to trick.

Ⓑ the peasant is very clever.

Ⓒ the king has made a bad decision.

Ⓓ the peasant needs food for his family.

Read the sentence from the selection.

> Rachel didn't weep or wail.

This sentence shows that Rachel

Ⓐ is not fond of the king.

Ⓑ is as proud as her husband.

Ⓒ is happy to leave the palace.

Ⓓ is not worried about her future.

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