

Kyz-Zhibek p. 58 SB

активная ссылка



Kyz-Zhibek is a beautiful folk poem from Kazakhstan with a similar story to Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet. In 1934, the composer Yevgeny Brusilovsky and the poet Gabit Musirepov based the first ever Kazakh opera on the poem. Sultan Khodzhikov also made a film of the story in 1972. Years later, the Astana Opera, which opened in 2013, put on an extremely successful production of Brusilovsky's opera.

Vocabulary

Кликни по словам. Прослушай произношение. Повтори за диктором, запомни и запиши в словарь

• intelligence <i>n.</i> - интеллект	• furious <i>adj.</i> - разъярённый
• ask for sb's hand in marriage <i>phrs.</i> – просить руки в браке	• beloved <i>adj.</i> - возлюбленный
• effort <i>n.</i> - усилие	• leap out <i>v.</i> - выбежать
• gift <i>n.</i> - подарок	• attack <i>v.</i> - нападать
• capture <i>v.</i> - захватить	• bravely <i>adv.</i> - отважно
• desire <i>n.</i> – сильное желание	• reach out <i>v.</i> - дотянуться
• enemy <i>n.</i> - враг	• disappear <i>v.</i> - исчезнуть
• strong-willed <i>adj.</i> - решительный	• comfort <i>v.</i> - успокоить
• wicked <i>adj.</i> - безнравственный	• ground <i>v.</i> - земля
• hatred <i>n.</i> - ненависть	• heartbroken <i>adj.</i> - убитый горем
	• cliff <i>n.</i> – утёс, обрыв скалы

Task 1. Read the text Kyz-Zhibek on p. 58. Put the events (A-G) in the order they happened. The beginning (E) and the end (D) of the story is already given.

Прочитай текст Kyz-Zhibek на стр. 58. Расставь события ниже (A-G) по порядку их упоминания в тексте. Первое (E) и последнее (D) события уже отмечены.

Once upon a time, there was a beautiful woman called Kyz-Zhibek. She was famous all over the world for both her beauty and her intelligence. Great kings and princes came to ask for her hand in marriage, but Kyz-Zhibek decided that she would only marry the man she truly fell in love with. Despite all their efforts and expensive gifts, none of them could capture her heart.

Far away across the steppe, there lived a handsome young man called Tolegen. After hearing the songs of Kyz-Zhibek's beauty, he had a strong desire to meet her. When his father, the wealthy Bazarbai, found out about Tolegen's plan, he was very angry because Tolegen's family and Kyz-Zhibek's family were great enemies. Besides, it was the tradition in those days that the father chose his son's bride for him.

However, Tolegen was strong-willed and wouldn't listen to his father. The next day he got on his horse and rode off to find Kyz-Zhibek. After riding for days, he arrived at her yurt where he saw the beautiful Kyz-Zhibek and they fell in love straight away. They promised each other that they would get married, despite the hatred between their families. The wicked Bekezhan, who was the leader of Kyz-Zhibek's tribe, was furious when he heard the news. He did not want her

to marry Tolegen. “This man is the son of Bazarbai, one of our great enemies! I cannot allow Kyz-Zhibek to marry him!” he said.

Full of **hated**, Bekezhan made a plan to kill Tolegen secretly. While the young man was travelling to meet his **beloved**, Bekezhan and his friends **leapt out** and **attacked** him. Tolegen fought **bravely**, but there were too many of them. After a long fight, the evil Bekezhan and his friends finally killed him. The young man’s last words as he died were “Kyz-Zhibek!” At that very moment, Kyz-Zhibek had a terrible dream. In her dream she was with Tolegen, but when she **reached out** to him, he **disappeared**. She woke up with her heart full of fear and ran quickly to her friends. She told them about her dream and they **comforted** her. “Don’t worry about it – it’s just a silly dream,” they said.

Then, Bekezhan arrived with the news of Tolegen’s death. When he told Kyz-Zhibek, she fell to the **ground** in horror. Her friends tried to calm the young woman, but she wouldn’t listen to them. Her awful dream had come true and her **beloved** Tolegen was dead. The **heartbroken** Kyz-Zhibek left her yurt and walked alone across the steppe until she came to a high **cliff**. Unable to imagine living without Tolegen, the young woman jumped off the **cliff** to her death.

A. _____ Kyz-Zhibek and Tolegen met and fell in love.

B. _____ Kyz-Zhibek woke up from a horrible dream.

C. _____ Bekezhan decided to kill Tolegen.

D. 7 *Kyz-Zhibek jumped off a cliff and died.*

E. 1 *Tolegen decided to go and meet Kyz-Zhibek.*

F. _____ Bekezhan told Kyz-Zhibek that Tolegen was dead.

G. _____ Bekezhan and his friends killed Tolegen.

Task 2. Fill in: attack, reach, disappear, comfort, fight, promise, arrive, make in correct form. Use Past Simple verb list p. 166 SB

Впечатай: *attack, reach, disappear, comfort, fight, promise, arrive, make* в правильной форме. Используй список глаголов прошедшего времени на стр. 168

- 1 Bekezhan a plan to kill Tolegen.
- 2 Tolegen tried to against his attackers.
- 3 In her dream, Kyz-Zhibek tried to out to Tolegen.
- 4 As she went to touch Tolegen, he
- 5 Bezekhan at Kyz-Zhibek's yurt with the news of Tolegen's death.
- 6 Kyz-Zhibek to marry Tolegen.
- 7 Several men leapt out and Tolegen.
- 8 After she had a bad dream, her friends her.

Task 3.

a) Match the columns to form phrases.

Соедини мышкой слова для получения словарных фраз по тексту

1	ask	a sb's heart
2	be	b off a cliff
3	fall	c great enemies
4	capture	d a terrible dream
5	have	e for sb's hand
6	jump	f in marriage in horror

b) Use the phrases from Ex. 1a in the correct form to fill in the gaps.

Впечатай получившиеся фразы в места пропусков, подходящих по смыслу

- 1 She was so beautiful that many men came to
- 2 Kyz-Zhibek's and Tolegan's families

3 They tried to by bringing her gifts.

4 She woke up suddenly because she

5 Kyz-Zhibek when she learned of Tolegan's death.

6 Kyz-Zhibek died after she