ČTENÍ A JAZYKOVÁ KOMPETENCE

9. ČÁST **ÚLOHY 50–64** **15 bodů / 1 bod**

Přečtěte si text o svatbě britské královny Alžběty II. Na základě textu **vyberte** k úlohám **50–64** vždy jednu správnou odpověď **A–C**.

The Wedding of Princess Elizabeth and Philip Mountbatten

In 2017, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland celebrated the Platinum Wedding anniversary of their queen, Elizabeth II, and her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh. That year the Queen (**50**) _____ the first British Monarch to celebrate 70 years of marriage.

The Queen, then Princess Elizabeth, and the Duke, then simply Philip, met in 1934 at the royal wedding of the Duke of Kent. After another meeting in 1939, Elizabeth (**51**) _____ in love with Philip and could not stop thinking about him. (**52**) _____ she was only 13 years old, they began to exchange letters. Their love survived the Second World War and (**53**) _____ 9 July, 1947, it was officially announced that they were going to get married. Just four months later the wedding took (**54**) _____ at Westminster Abbey. Princess Elizabeth was (**55**) _____ member of the Royal Family to be married there. What a historic place!

Two thousand guests (**56**) _____ the ceremony. The couple received around 10,000 telegrams of congratulations and (**57**) _____ 2,500 wedding presents. British women were (**58**) _____ about Princess Elizabeth's silk wedding dress. Luckily they could see (**59**) _____ and the Duke of Edinburgh's uniform on display at St James's Palace after the wedding. The jewellery that Princess Elizabeth wore was special, too. It (**60**) _____ two pearl necklaces and a tiara[1]. The bride's bouquet of flowers was also extraordinary. Princess Elizabeth carried white orchids and a traditional wedding plant called myrtle[2]. It is a symbol of good luck and love in marriage and it is tradition for (**61**) _____ royal brides to carry it. This tradition (**62**) _____ by Queen Victoria in 1840. Her groom's grandmother wanted (**63**) _____ Victoria something special so she sent her the plant.

Philip Mountbatten, the groom, was a former Greek and Danish prince. However, he (**64**) _____ give up these titles in order to marry Princess Elizabeth. Her father, King George VI, made Philip Duke of Edinburgh on the morning of the wedding.

When the Duke of Edinburgh died in 2021, he and the Queen had been married for 73 years.

(www.royal.uk, upraveno)

[1] tiara: diadém; ozdobná čelenka
[2] myrtle: myrta; rostlina, jež často zdobí svatebčany

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9. ČÁST ÚLOHY 50–64

50	A) becomes	B) has become	C) became
51	A) fell	B) fall	C) fallen
52	A) Although	B) However	C) Unless
53	A) in	B) at	C) on
54	A) part	B) place	C) care
55	A) the ten	B) the tenth	C) tenth
56	A) invited	B) arrived	C) attended
57	A) over	B) more	C) up
58	A) interested	B) curious	C) keen
59	A) them	B) they	C) it
60	A) belonged	B) consisted	C) included
61	A) every	B) each	C) all
62	A) was started	B) has started	C) started
63	A) give	B) to give	C) giving
64	A) had to	B) must	C) should

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