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The Bird of Happiness and Other Wise Tales *Tim Herdon*

Chapter 3: The Alchemist

A tale from Burma

I. VOCABULARY:

A. Fill in the blanks using the vocabulary words. There is an extra word. 6 Points.

powder – father in law – son in law – alchemist – grow – seed – enough

Choose 4 words from the vocabulary and write meaningful sentences and correct English:

II. COMPREHENSION:

A. Write true (T) or false (F). Explain the false ones.

1. _____ The old man was very worried when his daughter married a young man that came from a good family.

2. _____ The husband didn't work, he was always busy with his friends.

3. _____ The wife asked his father in law to help her with his husband.

4. _____ The father-in-law was very angry with the young man.

5. _____ The magic powder grows at the front of the leaves of the banana plants.

6. _____ After 7 years growing bananas, they were able to collect ten kilograms of magic powder.

7. _____ At the father in law became a rich man.

8. _____ The son in law became a real alchemist after all.

9. _____ The woman fell in love with his husband because he always tried to accomplished his dreams.

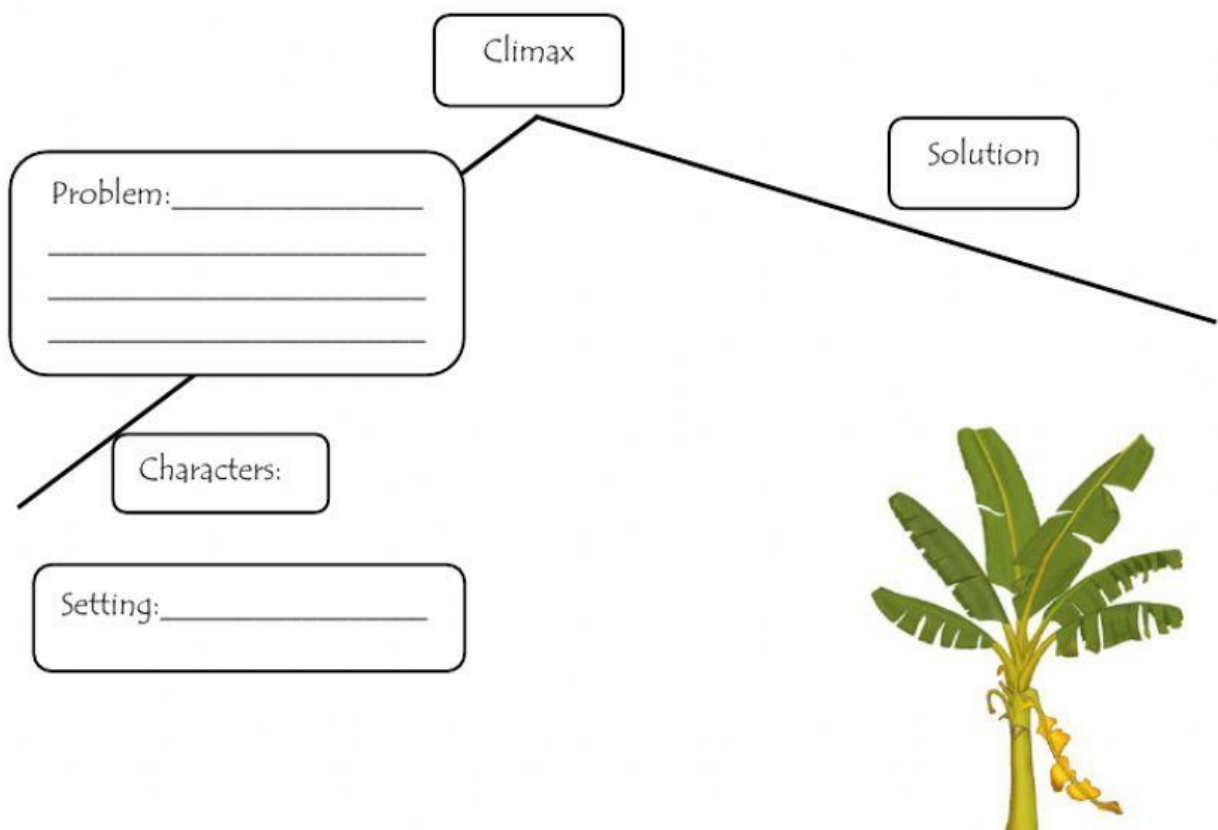
B. Answer the following questions:

1.-How did the father in law help his daughter? Explain. 1 Point.

2.-How can you tell the woman was hardworking? Explain. 1 Point.

3.- Name and explain the 4 steps the alchemist had to complete to obtain the magic powder. 2 Points.

C. Complete the diagram with the missing information. 2 Points:



III. WRITING:

Choose one character and describe her or him giving at least two psychological characteristics and giving examples for each description. 2 Points.
